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# CANADIANS IN TERRIFIC FIGHT Gen. Mercer Severely Wounded, Gen. Williams Wounded and Missing GERMANS LOST EIGHTEEN SHIPS 

## ENEMY'S NAVAL LOSSES HEAVIER THAN BRITAIN'S IN EVERY WAY

 Official Admiralty Report Says That 18 German Ships Were Sunk in Big Fight, Consisting of Two Battleships, Two Dreadnoughts, Four Light.Cruisers, Nine TorpedoBoat Destroyers and One Submarine-British Loss Remains Unchanged at Fourteen.き,


ONDON, June 4.-The British Admiralty tonight is sued a statement saying there was the strongest
grounds for the belief that the British navy, in the battle with the Germans offyutland last week, had account. ed for a total of eighteen German men-of-war, and that
there was nathing to add to or subtract from the original The statement gave the German losses as two battle ships, two dreadnought battle cruisers, four light cruisers,
nine torpedo boat destroyers and a submarine nine torpedo boat destroyers and a submarime. The pessimism which prevailed as a result of the ad-
miralty's original statement of losses, which is now con sidered to have been needlessly candid and conservative in underestimating the extent of the German losses as compared with those of Great Britain, has been greatly lessened by the latest statement.

German Accounts Are Falee.
The admiralty reiterates that the German accounts of ine German losses are false, and that altho the evidence
is stil
incomplete, enough is known to justify stating that the German losses were greater than the British "not mere-
ly relatively to the strength of the two fleets, but abso. ly relatively to the strength of the two fleets, but absoThere is the strongest ground for believing, says the
statement, that the German losses include two battleships, two dreadnought battle cruisers of the most powerful type,
mod two of the latest light cruisers, in addition to, smaller
craft including a submarine Results Are Quite Plain.
The text of the statement follows: Sult the officicers engaged, and write a full despatch, any atsult the oficers engaged, and write a full despatch, any at-
tempt to give a detailed history of the naval engagement,
which began on the afternoon of May 31, and ended in which began on the afternoon of May 31, and ended in
the morning hours of June 1 , would evidently be premature. "But the results are quite plain.
seas fleet at at 3.30 on the came in toutternoon of May German high
31. The lead ing ships of the two fleets carried on a vigorous fight. in
which the battle cruisers, fast battleships and subsidiary "The losses were severe on both sides, but when the
main body of the British fleet came into contact with the
German figh seas German high seas fleet a very brief period sufficed to com-
pel the latter , who had been severely punished, to seek re-
fuge in their protected waters. This manoeuvre was ren dered possible by low visibility and mist, and altho the
grand fleet were now and they able to grand fleet were now and then able to get in momentary
contact with their opponents, no continuous action was
possible.
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"They continued the pursuit until the light had whol-
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noint day, June 1 , it became evident there hing more to be done. He returned, therefore, to his
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British Losees Unchanged. There is nothitish losses already have have been fully stated.
Tor subtract from the latest ac-
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less easy to determine. That the.accounts they havegiven
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of the exacth truth. But from such widenne of exach truth. But from such evidence as has come
to our knowledge, the admiralty. entertain no doubt that
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 urday from Bertin sidid the German Admiralty admitted the
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still refrains from giving the names of the lost German
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Black Prince, Tiperary Turbulent, Nomad or Netor
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contendiral Lord Berestord, in an interview toody, while contending, strongly for the view that there was no failure
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the heavy loss of life, unhappily have not been revised Great Britain mourns for more than 4oo of her seamen,
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 while the German official statement maintains that the The British assert that they had only ywo divisions engage and that all the units of these were not abie to
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Sin the fighting, and furthermore, that Adminal Sir Jon Jollicoe, commander of the grand fleet, Aemined
in the area of the battle after the Germans had retreated, In the area of the battle after the Germans had retreated,
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 sank a German submarine, which was about to a attack.

## CANADIANS RECAPTURE POSITIONS

 IN WORST FIGHT THEY HAVE SEENToronto Batalions Have Held the Entire Front Attacked, and Unless the Fighting Spreads This Is Entirely Their Battle-General M. S. Mercer Severely Wounded and Taken to Boulogne, While Gen. V. S. Williams Is Wounded and Taken Prisoner-Positions Retaken by Handto - Hand Bayonet and Bombing Rushes.


B
 Canadians have beens doing the stiffest fighting of the experience in the course of the last two days' action. Thiey have held the entire front attacked, and, unless the fight.
ing spreads, -his is entirely their batue. The Canadian troops engaged In the fighting were in
the brigade commanded by Brig.Gen. Victor Williams The brigade commanded by Brig. -Gen. Victor Williams.
This srigade Included four regiments of the C.M.R., the
Princess Princess Pats and the Royat Canadian Regiment.,
The German guns had been relatively quiet for som The German guns had been relatively quiet for some
days, when they suddenly opened up the heaviest bom-
bardment any bardment any Canadian veteran has known, using all only battering from the treavy howithes, but covering a wide area ground in the rear to prevent the bringing up of supports.
"But it was not this time, as in the early battles our the Ypres salient, when the Germans threw thriee or four
shells to our one," said an officer. "The British guns re.
turned equal volumes on the Germans after they were shells to our one," said an officer. "The British guns re
turned equal volumes on the Germans after they were in
our trenches."
Hand-to-Hand Fighting.
Under support of gunfire, the Canadian battalions,
maintaining the tradition of the first contingent last yea at St. Julien, immediately turned on the Germans ins a series
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of counter-attacks were engaged all Saturday, doughe thruout the night and
back to the possession of the position whing their way
bhey had lost. Parties rushed in at different points, bombing and
bayoneting right and left, and before their fierce work ended they had regalned, dill but a few yards.
The German advance had been made
of 3000 yards, from Ypres-Comines mailway over a fron point. This was the most extensive front of any recen attack, and the Canadians responded to the test coolly and
skilifully. In the Hooge sector the German attack was
stopped with heayy The British No Cficial shange on Sundemy, istent night, says: "The situation around Ypres had not ma
erially altered. There have ments ald our troops retaine the ground regained in other
counter-attacks yesterday. No fresh attacks have undertaken by us,"" Therday. No fresh attacks have been
The British official statement, issued Sunday morn ing, reads: 'Fighting of a very severe nature continued unceas ingly soththing of a very severe nature continued unceas-
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"Southwest of Angres last night we carried out a
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Climax of War Approaches.






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the time for the inevitable counter-attack. machine guns started with their deadily watering of the
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 French Repulse Heavy Offensive Against Fort Vaux at Verdun
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## * WAR SUMMARY * <br> THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED


























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ing indebtedness and to add some essential improveing indebtedness and to add
ments to the library equipment.

7 his is a laymen's movement, initiated by laymen. A member of the team in your parish will call on you. Let your contribution be generous.


## The Work of the Seminary

The Church today is face to face with a severe handicap in the great need for priests Even in old settled districts, such as the Diocese of Toronto, it has been necessary hitherto fo St, Augustine's Seminary is an institution for the training of young men for the priesthood Under the presidency of Mgr. Kidd, and with a staff of the ablest educationists and teachers abtainable, it gives in its six years' course, a training that promises to the Catholic Church regular supply of zealous and cultured priests.
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 ed hrim to hurry-to cultivate speed, lest somebody grabsed at it instead. I'm busy," said he. "At playwriting you have a wonderful knack."
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play and kept it a month, maybe more; then sent it to me by the play and kept at a month, maybe more, laid in a store. Two others
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nformed me the play was a peach a drama that just couldn't fiil A nice little letter was sent me by each. The play also came in the
maii. I took that blamed drama and used it one day to kindle a blaze in the grate. It worked like a charm, and I really must say it burned
at a wonderful rate, The blaze that it started was bright as could be.
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