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BRITISH COMMANDERS PRAISE CANADIANS

FRENCH AND BRITISH AVIATORS VERY BUSY — FRENCH RECAPTURE FLEURY

JELICOE AND HAIG PRAISED THE CANADIANS

Commanders Say Triumph Certain for Allies—Measure to Abolish Poverty in Britain.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, August 5.—Admiral Sir John Jellicoe, in command of the Grand Fleet, and General Sir Douglas Haig, commanding the British forces on the western front, on the second anniversary of the war have forwarded messages of congratulation to the Canadian forces for their bravery on the field, and both leaders expressed supreme confidence in the ultimate triumph of the Allies.

To Abolish Poverty.

The parliamentary correspondent of the Daily Express reports that the government is considering measures for the abolition of preventable poverty in Great Britain. This statement explains certain passages in Premier Asquith's speech at the recent economic conference in Paris.

Sam Hughes Reviews.

Shorncliffe, August 5.—Sir Sam Hughes reviewed the Canadian overseas forces here today. He stated that the Germans now respect the gallantry of the Canadians.

German Food Conditions.

Berlin, August 5.—Germany officially declares that the food situation is quite satisfactory and that a splendid organization for the distribution of supplies and the storing of provisions enables the government to overcome the unfavorable conditions of the past year, without any serious derangement of the mode of life of the population.

METHODIST CHURCH

There will be no service in the Methodist Church Sunday evening on account of the Baptist meeting on account of the Baptist meeting in the Empress Theatre, when Dr. J. L. Campbell, of Vancouver, will speak.

FOR SALE

Carload mining machinery, including 17 machine drills, column bars, drill steel, steam-fittings, etc. Apply Daily News.

Mrs. McMillan will sing at the meeting in the Empress Theatre tonight.

WESTHOLME

OPERA HOUSE SATURDAY (TODAY) ONLY MATINEE AT 2:30

Another big feature show—8 reels. Gold Seal Feature—Hobart Henley, of "Graft" fame, in

"THE SILENT BATTLE" Three thrilling acts.

"1914" Bison Feature "ON THE TRAIL OF THE TIGRESS" With Countess Marston in the leading role—2 acts.

Two Dandy Comedies with a laugh from start to finish.

FORD WEEKLY

Don't forget Monday only, "THE EARL OF PAWTUCKET" Five acts.

ALLIED AIRMEN MAKE BIG RAIDS ON WEST FRONT

Tons of Bombs Dropped on Vital Spots in Enemy Lines—Russians will not Pay—Russians Advancing.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Paris, August 5.—Repulsing fierce German attacks, the French have recaptured Fleury by a great bayonet charge. South of Peronne, the French have succeeded in destroying an enemy captive balloon which was a most efficient look-out for the Germans.

Air Fighting.

Thirty-four aeroplanes bombarded the German lines in the region of Verdun, dropping thirty-two bombs on Steanay station and eighty-four on Montmedy and Sedan stations and also on German bivouacs in the district of Damvillers.

British Raids.

London, August 5.—British naval aeroplanes dropped two tons of bombs on the German aerodrome and ammunition sheds at Ghent and also on an Austrian location at Meirlebeke.

Brussels Refuses.

Brussels has refused payment of the fine of five million marks imposed by the German government in consequence of the celebration held by the citizens on the Belgian National holiday.

Russians Advance.

Petrograd, Aug. 5.—The enemy is desperately attempting to prevent the Russian advance upon Kovell.

General Sakharoff's army is progressing towards Lemberg and has captured thirteen hundred Austrians.

AUTO BANDITS GET AWAY WITH BIG SUM

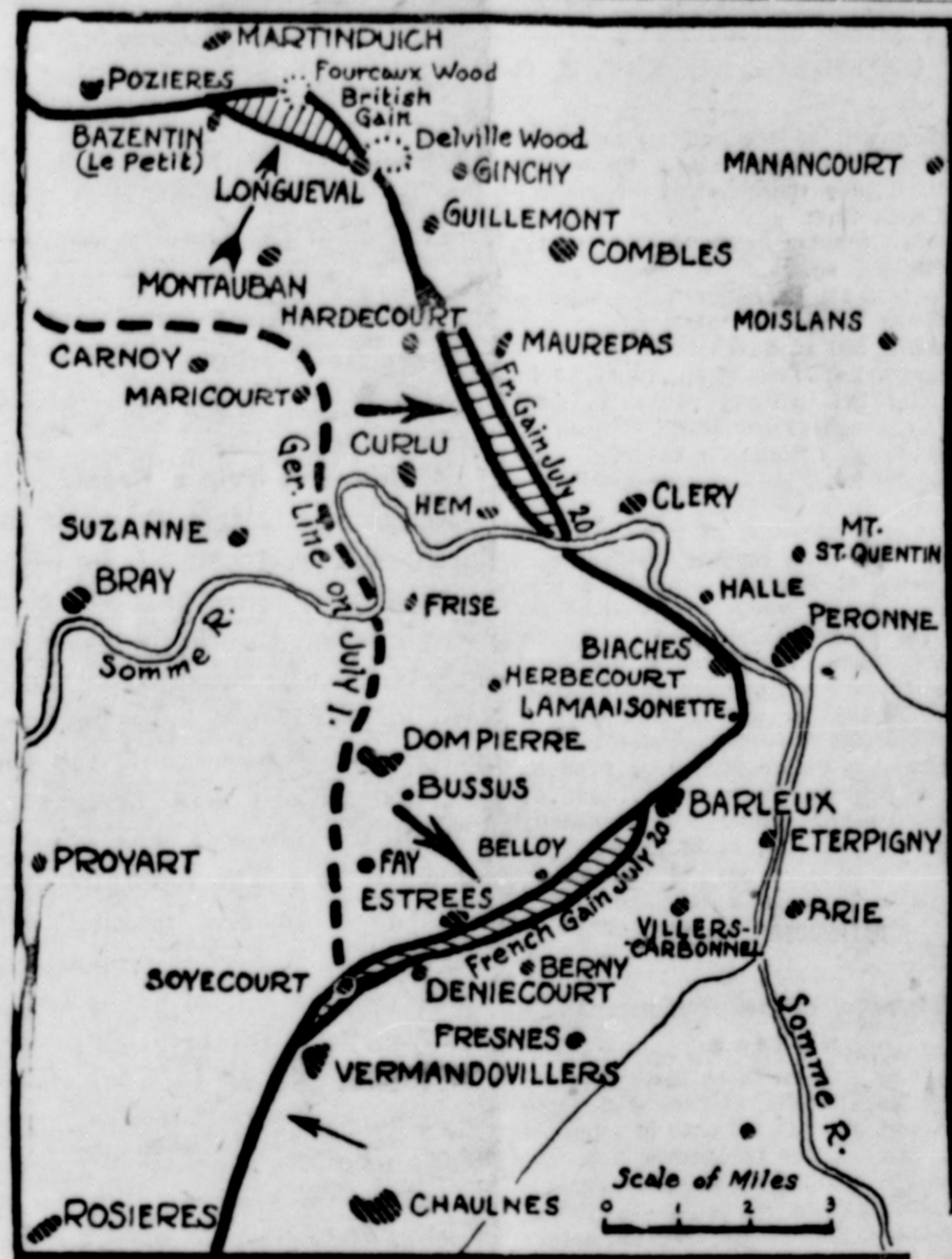
(Special to The Daily News.)

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 5.—Auto bandits shot the pay clerk of the Burroughs Adding Company and got away with forty-five thousand dollars. The thieves made good their escape.

DR. J. L. CAMPBELL WILL PREACH HERE TONIGHT

Dr. J. L. Campbell, of the First Baptist Church, Vancouver, arrived from the east last evening and will conduct a series of services here, beginning in the Empress Theatre tonight. Dr. Campbell is one of Canada's foremost preachers and is enthusiastically received everywhere. He has just received an invitation from Dr. Dixon, of Spurgeon's Tabernacle, London, England, asking him to go over there and deliver a course of sermons which he delivered in Vancouver recently on the "Higher Criticism." Prince Rupert is fortunate in having an opportunity of hearing such a distinguished preacher.

SAFETY FIRST—USE NEW WELLINGTON COAL. PHONE 116.



FRESH ADVANCES ON THE WESTERN FRONT

The accompanying map shows the British and French gains of July 20th. The German salient around Chaumes and Roye is beginning to crumble.

BOWSER SILENT ON WADE'S CHALLENGE

Although nearly a week has elapsed since Mr. F. C. Wade, K. C., made his sweeping challenge to Premier Bowser for the latter to accompany him to Seattle and there endeavor to induce John T. Scott to return here and tell what he knows regarding the plugging charges in the last by-election, the premier, despite his publicly professed anxiety to have this matter sifted, has shown absolutely no disposition to accept Mr. Wade's defi. Ample time has now elapsed for the premier to arrange for that trip if he had any intention of taking up Mr. Wade's challenge, and the premier's silence on the subject can only be taken as an indication that his actions belie his words on this matter of clearing up the plugging charges.

The premier was yesterday confronted with a proposal, made by Mr. William Steers, a local barrister, in the course of an interview in Victoria, Mr. Steers suggesting that the premier grant Scott immunity in the event of Scott's return here and telling of all he knows about the plugging charges under oath. Mr. Steers also asked that, in the event of Scott returning and giving evidence, that he be allowed to cross-examine Scott as fully as the

VANCOUVER WANTS MEXICAN CONFERENCE

(Special to The Daily News.)

Vancouver, August 5.—Mayor McBeath is urging the Federal Government to submit a proposal to Washington to arrange that the meeting place of the impending conference between the United States and Mexico be Vancouver.

CONNAUGHT TO LAY FOUNDATION STONE

(Special to The Daily News.)

Ottawa, August 5.—On September 1st, the Duke of Connaught will lay the corner stone of the new Parliament Buildings. The late King Edward laid the foundation stone of the old building on the same day in the year 1860.

Dominion Revenue.

For the four months ending July 31st, Canada's revenue is sixty-seven millions. The amount for the same period last year was forty-five millions.

counsel representing the attorney-general's department.

The premier evaded a direct reply to the proposal, informing Mr. Steers that the granting of immunity to Scott was a matter on which he would have to confer with others. He promised to give Mr. Steers an answer some time today.—Sun.

DR. J. L. CAMPBELL

First Baptist Church, Vancouver, will speak in the EMPRESS THEATRE TONIGHT AT 8:15

Subject: "THE FORGOTTEN SECRET."

Sunday Morning, in Baptist Church

Subject: "THE FAMILY OF GOD."

Sunday Afternoon at 3 in Empress Theatre

Subject: "AMONG US MEN."

Sunday Evening at 8:15 in Empress Theatre

Subject: "WILL THE OLD BOOK STAND?"

SPECIAL MUSIC BY AUGMENTED CHOR. ALL WELCOME

POWERFUL PATRIOTIC ADDRESS DELIVERED BY FRED. PETERS, K. C.

WESTHOLME THEATRE PACKED AT WAR ANNIVERSARY GATHERING LAST EVENING—"GO ON, STOP NOT" WAS TEXT OF STIRRING SPEECH—"HONOR, HONESTY AND TRUTH" BASIS OF EMPIRE

Rain interfered considerably with the patriotic parade last evening and the ladies of the Daughters of the Empire and of the Red Cross Society are to be congratulated upon the showing they made under rather unpleasant conditions. A special word of praise is also due to the cadets for their splendid bugle work while leading the procession, headed by J. R. Beatty. Fred. Peters, K. C., accompanied by our returned soldiers came next and Mayor McCaffery and the aldermen followed, with the various societies of the city next and the fire brigade bringing up the rear, with the engines decorated for the occasion.

Shortly after the doors were opened, the Westholme Theatre was filled. The building was draped with Union Jacks, Canadian, Scotch and Irish flags, while the platform carried the colors of the Allies, with a huge Canadian flag as background, while portraits of the King and Queen, the Duke of Connaught and the late Earl Kitchener occupied prominent positions, with the emblem of the I. O. D. E. in the centre.

To the right of the stage stood Prince Rupert's Roll of Honor, which has grown to double its size of last year. Messrs. H. A. Harvey, Louis Amadio and H. Fletcher, of the Westholme Theatre, had spared no pains in the decorating of the theatre. While the audience gathered, an orchestra composed of P. C. Daugherty, H. A. Harvey, G. A. Woodland, James Lee and J. W. Collier rendered a selection of patriotic airs.

In opening the proceedings, Mayor McCaffery reminded the citizens that in every city and every hamlet throughout the Empire citizens were gathered together to reiterate their faith in British arms and to renew the resolution to carry the war to a successful conclusion. He shortly sketched the history of the war, showing how Britain sought to avoid conflict and how gallant little Belgium had held the foe at bay until the Allies, who were unprepared, had time to arm. "Thank God, we can point with pride tonight to the part Britain has played," said the mayor. He then traced the work accomplished by our navy, culminating in the battle of Jutland, and went on to trace the marvellous creation of Kitchener's army from a mere nothing to an army which today is second to none. He described the building up of this great army as something which the writers of history could barely do justice to. He referred feelingly to the Roll of Honor. "Were it not for those men and their like, there could be no victory for British arms," he said. "It is a revelation to us to find men whom we know as citizens, going forth to lead a

charge in fact of what they knew to be almost certain death," he continued, "and I ask you here tonight to pledge yourselves with me that the widows and children of those who have sacrificed themselves shall be cared for." He then dwelt briefly upon the great work done by the Russians in the east and the French and British in the west, the result of which must be victory. "It must be a victory that will leave no place for the piracy of nations," he concluded, amidst ringing cheers.

In introducing Fred. Peters, K. C., the speaker of the evening, Mayor McCaffery said that he did not know of any gentleman in the province who had a better right and greater ability to deal with the subject.

Mr. Peters' Address.

Mr. Peters said that on this awful day he had nothing good to say of our enemies. The resolution to be passed that night would be passed on tens of thousands of platforms throughout the Empire and it was framed that the voice of the people, and not the voice of any government or ruler might be heard. Its message is "Go on, stop not," said the speaker.

For two years we had been fighting two nations who had been preparing for forty years. Britain has learned how to beat them, and had Britain been prepared two years before, there would have been no war. He described the Germans as cowards, not but that they were brave fighters, but that they were utter cowards in the treatment of prisoners and non-combatants. In support of his contention, he quoted instances of the mutilation of children; the crucifixion of Canadian soldiers; the poisoning of water pools in Africa; the sinking of the Lusitania; Zeppelin raids on defenceless towns; the looting of Belgium; the murder of Nurse Cavell, and of Captain Fryatt. He would like to see Berlin treated as Jerusalem was, and old Joshua made the judge of the Germans. The whole nation should be punished and it should start with the hanging of the Kaiser, who has been indicted for murder. He said that Berlin should be treated as the Romans treated Carthage, tearing the city down and sowing salt that nothing should grow there.

To Our Allies.

"Our message to our Allies, and it is not the message of any ruler Continued on Page Three

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LONDON CAFE

THE PLACE TO EAT STRICTLY UNION HOUSE THIRD AVENUE

BOXES FOR LADIES