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HAIG'S TROOPS MAKE UNEXPECTED ATTACK

IMPORTANT CAPTURES OF GERMAN POSITIONS AGAIN MADE EAST OF ARRAS

HAIG STRIKES ANOTHER BIG SUDDEN BLOW

Enemy's Positions Captured Near Oppy—All Objectives Gained—Lens Practically In Ruins.

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, June 30.—To the south and the southwest of Oppy General Haig struck another sudden and tremendous blow at the German lines. The enemy's forward positions were captured over a front of two thousand yards, and all the objectives sought were gained. Our troops continue to gain ground on a wide front south of the Souchez river, and have entered Avion, which is the greatest gain made by the British since the capture of Vimy Ridge. Raids have been made on the German trenches near Croisilles, and Armentieres, and many prisoners have been taken. Lens is practically in ruins from both the German scheme of destruction, and from the shells of the fighting forces. Hindenburg is thought to be staging another strategic retreat after the fall of Lens.

French Front.
Paris, June 30.—Heavy blows are being exchanged on the Meuse and the Aisne. The Germans attempted a general counter offensive, which was repulsed. Picked German troops made a strong attack on the Verdun front. The attack was broken up by the sharp reply of the French, and the Germans obtained a footing at only a few points in the French first line. A struggle of a most desperate character is in progress in the vicinity of Cerny.

Mesopotamia.
London, June 30.—General Maude is being hampered by the inactivity of the Russian troops, which were to have co-operated with him, but notwithstanding, the Turkish army between Persia and Mesopotamia has been driven across the river onto the north bank of the Banah.

Italian Front.
Rome, June 30.—The fighting between Italy and Austria is at present confined to artillery. The activity of the big guns is particularly intense east of Gorizia and in the Monte Fiati areas.

THE DECKHANDS' STRIKE

(Special to The Daily News.)
Vancouver, June 30.—The longshoremen are loading the boats. There is no indication that their union will go in with the striking deckhands and firemen. The attorney-general will look into the situation. It is said that there is a "silence pact" to keep information away from the public.

DANCE at the rink July 2nd. Westholme Orchestra. 153.

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BRITISH TANK, ARTILLERY, CAVALRY AND INFANTRY ON THE MOVE TO THE BELGIAN FRONT.—It is seldom that even a British official photograph shows so much of pictorial value in a picture. The "tank" may be seen to the left background. Behind it and to the right are cavalry. In the foreground are Tommies on their way to the front line trenches after a short furlough. In the centre foreground are shown field pieces with gunners spreading out their ammunition preparing for the coming engagement.

HOW OTHER NATIONS REGARD THE HUNS

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, June 30.—Norway is chafing at the Hun plots. A German messenger carrying bombs to place in Norwegian ships was apprehended. The Foreign Office at Berlin is charged with instigating the outrages. An investigation is being made into the German spy system, and many suspicious characters have been arrested. A secret wireless station has been discovered on Arendal Island.

Mexico.
Mexico, June 30.—The Leading newspaper, urges Mexico to break with Germany, as public opinion is no longer neutral.

Greece.
Athens, June 30.—The Greek Government, headed by Venizelos, has broken off diplomatic relations with Germany, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey. The Greek diplomats accredited to these countries have been recalled.

Brazil.
Rio de Janeiro, June 30.—The Government of Brazil has revoked the decree of neutrality in the war between the Entente Allies and Germany.

Argentina.
Buenos Ayres, June 30.—Argentina appeared likely today to announce the revocation of neutrality within a few hours. The sinking of the Argentine steamship Toro recently by a German submarine has apparently brought the government to a crisis. Public sentiment favors Brazil's course in aligning with the United States.

SUN AND TIDE	
Sunday, July 1st.	
Sun rises.....	3:44 a. m.
Sun sets.....	9:30 p. m.
High water.....	10:56 a. m. Ht. 15.7
Low water.....	3:48 a. m. Ht. 7.6
High water.....	10:45 p. m. Ht. 19.8
Low water.....	4:24 p. m. Ht. 9.2
Monday, July 2nd.	
Sun rises.....	3:12 a. m.
Sun sets.....	9:28 p. m.
High water.....	11:50 a. m. Ht. 16.7
Low water.....	5:33 a. m. Ht. 4.1
High water.....	11:35 p. m. Ht. 20.7
Low water.....	5:20 p. m. Ht. 8.7

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TRADES UNIONISTS FAVOR CONSCRIPTION

Winnipeg, June 29.—At a special meeting called to discuss the Military Service Bill now before Parliament, the Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, the strongest labor body in Western Canada, rejected by a large majority an anti-conscription resolution submitted to the meeting by one of its members.

CANADIANS TO RUSSIA

London, June 28.—The American committee of engineers in London, a body of prominent engineers organized to render advisory and practical assistance to the United States Government and the Allies during the war, has sent to Russia a committee of two military railway experts to offer advice and aid in reorganizing the railroads already built. The London committee's representatives are Lieut.-Col. J. W. Boyle, of the Canadian forces, and Lieut.-Col. J. A. Macdonnell, of a Canadian pioneer and railway battalion.

WEDDING BELLS

A very pretty wedding took place last evening in the Baptist Church, when Miss Clarrisa Tillie Allan and Mr. Hugh Henry Phillips were united in matrimony. Mr. Phillips is well known in Prince Rupert, being on the staff of the Bank of B. N. A., while Miss Allan came from Vancouver, arriving in Prince Rupert on Friday. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion by the Young People's Society, and the ceremony was conducted by the Rev. W. S. A. Grey, the newly arrived Methodist minister. At the close of the proceedings in the church, the wedding supper was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ledlie, 224 Seventh Avenue, West, and a most pleasant evening was spent. The newly married couple intend taking up house at Musgrave Place.

THE POLICE COURT

At the police court this morning, before Magistrate Carss, two Indians named Ambrose Wilson and Elijah Jones, were charged with being in possession of liquor and were fined in the sum of \$10 each. Mentaza Khan was fined \$50 on the charge of supplying.

GERMANY'S GOLD RESERVE FAILING

Copenhagen, June 30.—The Imperial Bank of Germany, for the first time since the war began, reports a decrease in the gold reserves. Some gold from Germany reached Holland lately, and the opinion is that this desperate enemy attempt is to save the mark from further and complete demoralization.

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS

(Special to The Daily News.)
Paris, June 30.—Two French merchantmen over sixteen hundred tons, and three smaller ones were sunk last week.
Amsterdam.—The Austrian Emperor and the Empress will visit the King of Bavaria in Munich within a few days.
Prince Christopher, brother of ex-King Constantine, is said to be coming to London to marry a rich American woman.
Washington.—General Pershing's men in France have been nicknamed "Sammys." The title bids fair to stick.
The salmon embargo has been modified. The British prohibition on canned fish and lobsters has been raised.
The belief exists in Holland that next week's meeting of the Reichstag may produce startling results. The German press is declared to be completely muzzled. The Queen of Holland warns her people that more sacrifices may be necessary.

FEARS FOR AN OLD TIMER

Letters have been received in town making enquiry as to the estate of Wm. Logan, who enlisted in Prince Rupert and was drowned in Montreal a few days ago. At present there is no record of anyone by the name of Logan other than William McK. Logan, more commonly known as "Long Bill Logan," who is one of the most popular and best known of the old timers of this north country. The many friends of Long Bill Logan will sincerely hope that he is not the Wm. Logan referred to.

Mr. Lord, the public school inspector, accompanied by Mrs. Lord, left for the south this forenoon.

SAYS THE GOVERNMENT MEMBERS HAVE NO SONS

(Special to The Daily News.)
Ottawa, June 30.—During the debate on the Military Service Bill Mr. A. Verville, the Liberal Labor member for Montreal, said that organized labor might declare a general strike in the event of the Government undertaking to enforce conscription without consulting the people.
Mr. M. Martin, mayor of Montreal, predicted that the enforcement of the bill would bring about the end of confederation. "If you pass this bill," he said, "you are entering the realm of civil war. We pointed out that the members of the Government have no sons."

HUNGER RIOTS IN GERMANY

Gothenberg, Sweden, June 28.—According to further details given by the newspaper Tijd by a resident of Gothenburg who witnessed them, the recent hunger riots in Sweden were of a most serious nature. Several persons were killed.
The riots began June 18. The mob was composed largely of women, although some men took part in the disorders. The outbreak had its origin in rumors that food stuffs had been exported. The mob plundered shops and broke windows.

The police in the outlying parts of the city strenuously fought to quell the riots. One girl was reported to have been stabbed through the body with a sword. In the central part of the city the soldiers used machine guns and bayonets and several persons are reported to have been killed near the Hansa bridge.

The sound of firing was heard all night. Machine gun detachments were posted at various centres of the city throughout the following day. Work was generally resumed June 20th.

CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT

Notice to Residents of Third Avenue and Seal Cove Districts.
The Electric Lighting will be out from 8 to 12 Sunday morning, July 1st, in the above districts. Power Service will not be interfered with.

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GRADUATION EXERCISES AT BORDEN ST. SCHOOL

Last night, in the Borden St. School, the final event of the season took place in the shape of the graduation exercises. It was a most successful function and was attended by about two hundred of the parents and friends of the pupils. A concert programme, which was of a very high order, opened the proceedings. There were class songs by the students, which were admirably rendered. A paper was read by Miss Katherine Pillsbury, giving the reasons "Why You go to School." Miss Margaret McColl recited beautifully, and was well applauded. A pianoforte solo was given by Miss Marguerite Kilpatrick, who is always a great favorite with those who hear her playing. Another paper entitled "The Study of Latin" was read by Mr. James Mitchell. A classical Grecian dance by Miss Muriel Patmore was greatly appreciated, and received great applause. After a recitation by Miss Margaret Morgan, there was club swinging and open gymnastics by the girls. The popular songstress of the school, Miss Kathleen Grant, gave a vocal solo, which was heartily enjoyed.

After these splendid contributions from the students, Principal Brady asked Dr. Kergin and Professor Robertson to come onto the platform for the presentation to the two graduating students. Principal Brady spoke in fitting terms of the two graduates, Miss Katherine Pillsbury and Mr. Jas. Mitchell, as they were the only representatives left of the first generation of the High School. Dr. Kergin, before making the presentation, spoke to the two students of the importance of the work that they had taken in the school. Each was presented with a handsome book, inscribed "with the compliments of the School Board."

Professor Robertson then gave a most appropriate address, dwelling forcibly on what it means to have an education, and that throughout the past generations, it has only been the men of genius that have lasted through the ages. Immediately after the singing of the National Anthem, the floor was cleared, and the students had a splendid social time, which lasted till late. The Victrola, kindly lent by Mr. Gilhuly, added greatly to the pleasure of the evening. The singing of "Auld Lang Syne" brought a most pleasant and successful event to a close.

THE ORACLE

Born at the Prince Rupert General Hospital on June 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Farrow, 8830 Tenth Avenue, East, a daughter.

Just arrived, 250 tons of lump coal. Phone 116—Albert & McCaffery.

Oddfellows' Installation.
All Oddfellows are especially invited to attend the installation ceremonies on Tuesday evening, July 3rd.
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