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WANTED-A GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, no washing. Apply at Guardian office, 180-4-26M1f

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE-A NEW WILLIS PIANO at a special bargain. Apply 57 Hillsboro St. 347-5-5M3f.

FOR SALE, HOUSE NO. 46 EDWARD Street. If not sold by 12th private, will be sold by public auction on the above date. 354-5-5M6f.

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FOR SALE: ONE 27 HORSE POWER Marine Engine, just overhauled and put in perfect running order, can be seen at The Hall Manufacturing Co. Summerside, 302-5-2M61W.F.M.W.F.M.

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TO LET.

TO LET 7 ROOM COTTAGE ON Charlotte St. Immediate possession. Apply L. C. Worthy. 388-5-8M2f

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TO LET-FURNISHED HOUSE for summer months, large lawn and garden. Apply to 305, Euston St. 310-5-5M6f.

TO LET-THE HANDSOME PRIVATE residence, No. 220 Queen St., being the southern portion of the residence of the late Hon. Chief Justice Palmer. All modern conveniences. Immediate possession. Apply to No. 222 Queen Street. 294-5-2M1f.

MISCELLANEOUS.

100 SHEETS NOTEPAPER WITH printed address 50c. Guardian office. 4685-3-6M1f.

100 ENVELOPES WITH PRINTED address 50c. Guardian office. 4685-3-6M1f

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FOR PROMPT SERVICE AND A GOOD JOB AT A MODERATE PRICE, TRY THE GUARDIAN JOB PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

HORSEMEN-YOU CAN GET QUICK work and good work on those cards, bills or posters of your at The Charlottetown Guardian. Call in and see some sample work.

IF IT IS A CIRCULAR LETTER price list, invitation, order form or anything in the form of a type-written announcement you want, try our MULTIGRAPH SERVICE. We can duplicate any typewritten form in quantities of 10 to 10,000. The Charlottetown Guardian.

ALL OWNERS OF SMALL STORES should investigate this offer. -100 noteheads, 100 envelopes and 100 billheads, all printed with your name, address and business for only \$2.50 at The Charlottetown Guardian.

HELP WANTED-MALE.

WANTED- FIRST CLASS PLUMBER or Tinsmith. Best wages. Apply Campbell Bros. Stellarton, N. S. 370-5-7M12pd.

WANTED-YOUNG MAN AS DRY Goods Clerk, one with knowledge of Gen's Furnishings preferred. Also a parcel boy. Apply to L. J. Reddin Box 85 City. 384-5-8M3f.

WANTED-A GOOD MAN FROM the country or recently from the country to do general work in our gardens must be a good ploughman and familiar with horses. J. J. Gay, & Son Charlottetown, P. E. I. 385-5-8M3f.

LOST SILVER BULL-DOG BROOCH. Return to 57 Grafton Street, Redford. 360-5-5M3pd.

LOST, ON SATURDAY MORNING-a parcel of laundry. Finder please leave at 81 Euston St. 391-5-8M2pd

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MEXICAN CELEBRATION RESULTS IN CASUALTIES

Several Killed and a Hundred Wounded in Sham Battle Celebration of Caranza's Inauguration.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) MEXICO CITY.-Several persons were killed and about one hundred injured as a result of a sham battle in which fourteen thousand school boys took part yesterday.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) TORONTO May 8. Moderate northerly winds, stationary or higher temperature.

THE WEATHER. TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC.

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THE GREATEST BATTLE OF ALL TIME NOW IN PROGRESS ON WESTERN FRONT

Canadians have Captured Another Important Sector of Enemy Front in Fierce Hand to Hand Battle with Bomb and Bayonet. German Losses Known to be Exceedingly Heavy while "Canada Must Steel Itself to Receive Heavy Casualty Lists." Progress is Being Made by British Towards Douai and by French Towards Laon in a Concerted Advance Through Slaughter that May End in Driving Enemy from Northern France.

RUINS IN VILLAGES NOW MINIA-TURE FORTRESSES.

The whole region southwest of Lens where the ground was gained was dotted over with the ruins of mining villages and almost every house has been transformed into a miniature fortress by the introduction of machine guns operated from the shelter of strong emplacements.

CANADIANS RUSHED ENEMY TRENCHES.

It was to avoid as much as possible the concentration of machine gun fire on our attacking forces that the enemy's trenches were rushed. The assault was completely successful. Our men went in with bombs and bayonets and cleared the trench after a sharp fight.

HUNS DESTROYING EVERYTHING AS THEY RETIRE.

The systematic burning of everything of value in and around Lens continues from day to day. The enemy seems likely to stay long enough to make good his boast that nothing of France's most prosperous mining region would be left but a smoking waste when he goes.

CANADIANS PAY THE PRICE OF VICTORY.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) CANADIAN HEADQUARTERS.-Certain comments in the Canadian Press regarding recent operations of the Canadian troops in France and which especially underestimate the probable casualties make it necessary to say that the corps is taking its full share in what history will record as one of the greatest battles of all time and accepting its losses as part of the inevitable price of victory.

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FRENCH AND BRITISH ADVANCE SIMULTANEOUSLY.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) PARIS.-The official day report emphasizes the relation between the French and British operations as a single offensive. The purpose of the Allied command is either to destroy the German army or force an expensive retreat which could hardly stop this side of the evacuation of western Belgium and northern France.

CRAONNE OCCUPIED BY FRENCH.

Craonne has already fallen and should Brimont fall and the French press northward, Hindenburg would find it extremely difficult to maintain himself either in Laon or in the positions he still holds around Rheims. The operations against Brimont south of Berrybauc, have already begun.

FRENCH OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF BATTLE.

PARIS.-The official statement follows: "Yesterday evening and last night were marked by violent new reactions on the part of the Germans in the region of Soissons and along the Chemin-Des-Dames where we identified four fresh divisions. Very violent counter-attacks preceded by intense bombardments launched against our positions at Evromont, Fism on Cerny, Hures, Hues front and on Craonne and Vauder Heights. Fighting, which assumed the most violent character, terminated to the advantage of our troops which victoriously resisted the most furious assaults and maintained their positions everywhere. The Germans were moved down in masses by our heavy and field artillery and machine guns suffering large losses in these engagements. The number of our prisoners is now more than 6,200. This brings up total number of prisoners taken by the French troops in the fighting since April 16th to about 29,000.

On the remainder of the front there were intermittent artillery engagements. We broke up several surprise attacks by the enemy particularly in Argonne, near Bolante and Guric Wood. We made several successful incursions into German lines near Convaux Hill and east of Moncel.

FRENCH ADVANCING TOWARDS LAON.

PARIS.-A brilliant success for the French arms is recorded by the War Office. An important French advance has been made against powerful opposition along the road from Soissons to Cerny, over an extent of nearly four miles. French troops have captured all the plateau in the neighborhood of Cerny and Craonne and the hills dominating the valley of the Ailette River. The number of prisoners captured was 5,300.

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BATTLE SWAYS TO AND FRO.

The battle sways to and fro in attack and counter attack now a village is captured and now an advanced post is lost. Our advance is slow and costly but each victory represents more than the capture of a limited area. We are annihilating Von Hindenburg's principal strategic reserve. The battle has reduced itself to wholesale slaughter. The enemy counter-attacks are costing dearly.

FRENCH HOLD ALL GAINS.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) PARIS.-Every gain scored by the French in yesterday's brilliant advance northeast of Soissons was maintained against numerous heavy counter-attacks, last night the War Office announced. Consolidation of this ground has made them masters of the most of the ridge crowned by the Chemin-Des-Dames along a front of more than eighteen miles. The prisoners taken have reached a total of 5,900 and seven cannon have been captured.

TERRIFIC DUEL OF BIG GUNS.

A violent artillery action has been in progress northwest of Rheims. In the Champagne hills whence Paris today reports artillery fire of great violence presaging another advance.

GERMAN COUNTER ATTACKS.

PARIS.-The Germans have counter-attacked along the entire French front and everywhere have been repulsed according to an official statement issued by the War Office today. The fighting was especially severe in the region of Chemin-Des-Dames and east of Soissons. The statement says that since April 16th the French have taken 29,000 prisoners.

GERMAN WAVE AFTER WAVE WIPED OUT.

The Germans concentrated their efforts yesterday morning in attacks on the west of the French front in the region of Laffaux and in the afternoon on the eastern section, from Braye to Craonne. But the French held the whip hand and beat off wave upon wave of the enemy's dwindling reserves with terrible losses. After hours of stiff fighting, the French still had the energy to dash forward and gained fresh positions in regions normally fortified. Desperate resistance of the Germans and the frequent counter-attacks in force are comprehensible when it is realized that if the French capture All-Emant and Pimco they will cut the flank of the whole line running north to St. Quentin.

GENERAL NIVELLE'S GREAT TASK.

General Nivelle, however, has no leisure as he is confronted by the famous Siegfried line system of fortifications on which the Germans have lavished weeks of work and which is of the most formidable type. On the right wing German battalions streamed out of Flain Wood to attack the Froimont Farm which stands midway between Chevrengny and Hill 185. They were practically annihilated. It would seem difficult for the Germans to prevent the French from reaching the Oise Canal and Gailler River on this part of the front. The famous Chemir-Des-Maines key of the whole section is now in great part in possession of the French. In several places they have even gone away beyond it. It was possession of this road which enabled the Germans to hold up the French advance for so long. Its capture also shows the importance of the success gained by General Nivelle in the battles of Saturday and Sunday.

CANADIAN TROOPS ARE COMPLIMENTED BY LIEUT.-GENERAL

For the Series of Successes from April 9th Up to May 3rd, During which They Captured Nine Villages, 5,000 Prisoners and Many Guns, and Defeated Eight German Divisions.

CANADA'S ARMY HEADQUARTERS

(Canadian Press Despatch.) CANADA'S ARMY HEADQUARTERS.-Stewart Lyon.-The Lieut. Gen. commanding the Canadian corps has sent out to the officers and men under his command the following message: "The brilliant operations during the last month, culminating in the recapture of Arleux and Fresnoy seem to give an opportunity of expressing to all ranks the pride I feel in commanding the Canadian corps. Since April 9th, when the offensive against Vimy Ridge began, till the morning of May 3rd when Fresnoy was captured and consolidated it has been one series of successes only obtained by troops

whose courage, discipline and initiative stand were preeminent.

"Nine villages have passed into our hands, eight German divisions have been met and defeated, over 5,000 prisoners have been captured and booty comprising some 64 guns and howitzers, 196 trench mortars and 126 machine guns are now trophies of the Canadians. "The training undergone during the winter has borne fruit and it is this training, coupled with the zeal and gallantry which are so conspicuous in all ranks of the corps that will continue to gain results as far reaching as those which began with the capture of Vimy Ridge."

CANADIAN CASUALTIES NOW TOTAL 15,076

(From Our Own Correspondent.) OTTAWA.-The noon casualties roll of 281 names, lists 136 as killed in action, four died of wounds, 58 missing, 77 wounded, and 6 previously reported missing who have since rejoined their units. The total casualties since Easter are now 15,076.

SACKVILLE BOY SHOTS BABY SISTER

(SACKVILLE)-On Saturday afternoon a sad tragedy occurred at the home of Mr. Seth Campbell, a highly respected mechanic residing in West Sackville. Two of his little children, one his eleven year old son, Otis, with his baby sister Minnie less than three years old, were left playing in the kitchen while Mrs. Campbell went out into the yard. In the course of his play the little boy sighted behind the pantry door a rifle which was used by the men around the house for rabbit shooting. He fired the same at his little sister killing her.

FOUR BOMBS DROPPED NEAR LONDON, ENG.

LONDON.-A hostile airplane dropped four bombs northeast of London this morning. It is officially announced. The statement reads: "In the early morning a hostile airplane appeared over the outskirts of northeast London and dropped four bombs. One man was killed and a man and woman injured. \$12,000 damage was done to a building."

IRISH AMERICANS CONFER WITH BALFOUR

(Canadian Press Despatch.) WASHINGTON.-Mr. Balfour received a deputation of Irish Americans who laid their views before him and called attention to the favorable impression that a solution of the Irish situation would have in this country. Mr. Balfour said that while he had no power to speak for the government he could say that everything possible was being done to bring the Ulster, Redmonites and Sinn Fein elements together and that the British parliament stood ready to agree to any solution that the Irish themselves found acceptable. He promised to report the meeting fully to his government.

FIRST U.S. DRAFT FOR THE FRONT

(Special to The Guardian.) WASHINGTON.-The War Department issued orders today for raising the first American forces to be sent to France. The First Expeditionary Force will be a large number of engineer corps. They will proceed to France at the earliest possible moment.

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