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A Pause in the Great Allied Offensive After Eight Weeks of Strenuous Work --- Territory From the Marne to the Aisne Has Been Cleared of Huns -- More **Town Evacuated**

New York Sept. 11-The Associated, Press tonight issues the following: first time since, the great allied offen- positions on the Asiago Plateau on the

on isolated sectors of the front ex- by the Italian war office. tending from Flanders to the east of ces, but Wednesday witnessed no such material. progress by the Allies toward strategic objectives as past days had brought them-before the torrential held them despite violent counter-atrains turned the lowlands into impas- tacks. sable marshes and the badly worsted British, French and American armies De Piave, annihilating the garrison. were threatening to filter and wreck his entire military system.

During the eight weeks which had by aching corns which can be past the allied troops have cleared in almost its entirety the enemy-held territory from the Marne to the Aisne painless. Used successfully for fifty erritory from the Marne to the Aisne in the apex and Soissons and Rheims ers respectively its western and eastern anchor points; from Soissons to Arras the old bulge westward to Mont- WARYS dider and toward the doorstep of Amiens has all but been obliterated and the Allies now are standing across a large portion of the old Hindenburg defence line and virtually are upon n Flanders the deep salients threaten the English Channel ports have been bent eastward and the enemy is expelled from the vantage points from make his drive in an endeavor to gain of the transport service from England at St. Stephen. to southern France.

Doual Evacuated

Washington, Sept. 11—Systematic score of 3 to 0, evacuation of the town of Douai, one of the important forward bases of the friends at St. Stephen. present German line in France, is described in official advices reaching week on a visit to Moncton. He will Washington today. A vast amount of be absent on Sunday next and Rev. war material is being taken out of the J. B. Daggett is to conduct service at town, the report says, including the the Methodist Church next Sunday equipment of the arsenal there, which morning and at Main St. Baptist in the was the largest establishment of the evening. kind maintained by the enemy in the northern region of his advanced lines.

The advices state that the removal | The new dwellings of the Canadian of this equipment has been in progress Cottons are rapidly nearing completnore than ten days and that the equip ion. When finished they will be very ment at the Brayelle airdrome near up-to-date, They will contain bath Douai, also was being taken further room, and furnace. The houses on to the rear. The same precautions are Water Street which were damaged by being taken with equipment at an en- the recent fire are undergoing repairs emy aviation field at Lecelles, near and will soon be ready for occupancy St. Amand. That field, the report Miss Mary Merritt has returned to states, was specially established in her home at Moncton after visiting connection with the raids by German relatives here.

aircraft along the English Channel The old flour shed at the Marysville

that the British have broken through house, the first defences of the Hindenburg line and this detailed statement of tre were delayed yesterday owing to the German withdrawal of material the strike of the Dominion Express from Douai appears to bear out pre- Company employees and consequently vious reports that the enemy was pre- there was no show last evening. paring for the abandonment of this Mr. Herman Robinson is visiting section of his great fortified line, relatives at St. Stephen. which has been imperiled by the British advance

Local British Gains

London, Sept. 11-The British in local operations have further advance ed their line north of Epephy and in the neighborhood of Vermand, west of St. Quetin according to Field Mar shal Haig's communication issued to

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Worrying the Austrians Rome, Sept. 11-British troops yes Eight weeks to the day, and for the terday raided the Austro-Hungarian sive of Marshal Foch is at a virtual Mountain front and inflicted considerable losses on the enemy, according True, both the British and French to the official statement issued today

The British took seventy-seven Soissons again have recorded advan- prisoners and captured abundant war

> In the Monte Asolone region Italian forces captured enemy positions and

The Italians took prisoners in the enemy rushed reinforcements forward Laon, Valarsa and Ornic valleys and to stop the gaps through which the occupied the island south of Ponte

> Tight Money Pinching Many. Thousands more are being squeezed Use no other, 25c. at all deal years.

Marysville, Sept. 12-Mr. Clair the remainder of it, while to the north Downing has returned from Toronto, where he attended the fair.

Miss Belle Croane is visiting relatives at Durham Bridge.

Mrs. John Stephenson is visiting which he had expected ultimately to relatives at Milltown and St. Stephen Mrs. Hugh Higgins and Mrs. Edthe seabord and thus cause a diversion ward Higgins are attending the fair

A local baseball team was defeated by a team from the Military Hospital at Fredericton last evening by a

Miss Pearl Osborne is visiting

Rev. Dr. Harrison will leave this

Mr. Frank Smith is quite ill at his home at Pleasant Point.

General Stores is being torn down and It is between Douai and Cambrai will be replaced by a concrete ware

The pictures for the Amuse U thea-

Amsterdam, Sept. 11—In a collision this morning between a childrens' excursion train and a freight train near Schneidamuehl, Prussia, thirty-three children, two railway officials and one woman were killed, and seventeen children were injured. The collision was due to the example. as due to the excurcion train running

Washington, Sept. 12—Despite the bitter resistance of the Austrian government, which sought to prevent publication of the declaration of the Czech deputies in favor of an indepentent Czecho-Stovak state, all of the clergy of the Bohemian dioceses have united in endorsing it. Because of its influence, the sanction of the clergy, as reported today in cable despatches caused a profound impression in Austria-Hungary and led to strong denunciation by the Vienna newspapers.

Mr. G. Milne of Toronto is at the Queen Hotel to-day.

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