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Polley Is to Wear Kaiser's Forces Down by Hammer and Tongs Attacks, Says General Maurice.

LONDON, May 17.—The British troops today completed the capture of Bullecourt, according to the announcement from the War Office issued tonight.

The British and French have forced the Germans to use virtually all the fresh reserves which they had at the beginning of the battle of Arras, Major-General P. B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the War Office, told the Associated Press today.

"We realize that there is going to be no big advance without the accomplishment of this. You need not expect sensational pushes into enemy territory at present. It will be slow hammer-and-tongs fighting such as we have been conducting in the battle of Arras."

"In this connection, I may cite as a significant fact that the German higher command lately adopted a deliberate policy of deceit in the issuance of official statements. This was not done in the early part of the war, and the reasons for the present deception are due to obvious causes. The German officials are trying to bolster up the courage of their people and make them patient."

"In the meantime the German army is doing everything possible to tire us out and hold us while the German submarines work. They hope to win by starving us out through the submarine campaign."

PARIS, May 17.—Six assaults by the Germans on the French lines have been repulsed with heavy losses, according to an official statement issued by the War Office today. Three attacks were made north of Moulou de Laffaux and three northeast of Braye-en-Laonnois.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 17.—The list of Washington National Guardsmen, other than infantry, recommended for attendance at the officers' training camp in San Francisco by the commanding officers of the various branches of the service are as follows:

Coast Artillery. Sergeant John H. Griffith and Private Hubert Parker, First Company, Seattle; First Sergeant James B. Drain and Sergeant Roy Turner, Second Company, Bellingham; Private Thomas S. Rogers, Corporal Roy E. Taylor, Eighth Company, Seattle; Sergeant Fred C. Lindquist and Howard Smith, Fourth Company, Tacoma; Sergeant Ward T. Gardner and Corporal Thorwald A. Hanson, Fifth Company, Snohomish; First Sergeant John D. Gould and Sergeant George Mitchell, Sixth Company, Seattle; Private Walter F. Bonnell, Seventh Company, Seattle; Bugler Dwight E. Lyon and Sergeant Albert Little, Eighth Company, Tacoma; Sergeant Frank M. Hanson, Ninth Company, Bellingham; Sergeant Harold Bellingham and Sergeant Fred W. Beck, Tenth Company, Tacoma; First Sergeant William M. Surplice and Corporal George H. Conner, Eleventh Company, Tacoma; Private Ralph S. Allen and Corporal Har-

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Two more Albany men will probably receive orders to report in a few days. Roy C. Stewart, first sergeant, and John E. Conroy, sergeant of the Fifth Company, Coast Artillery Corps, have been appointed.

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The first burst of patriotic response to the announcement of the issue brought liberal estimates from many banks and numerous individuals, but details of the issue. Because of the immense amount of labor involved it was impossible to announce the chief details until a few days ago, and were not completed until late yesterday.

They will be announced tomorrow, having been telegraphed to the Federal Reserve banks and other agencies in charge of the Government printing office late today.

Directing heads of the loan subscription campaign at each of the reserve banks each week. This is the first time that the Treasury Department has had the real situation impressed upon them in plain language by Treasury and Reserve Board officials today at a conference. They were told that there was need of arousing the country to the immediate necessity of subscribing to the loan.

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