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FRENCH TELLS OF BATTLE ON AISNE

Describes Terrific Day and Night Fighting Along River.

NOT AN HOUR'S LETUP.

Flanking Movement Was General Joffre's Idea—Heavier Guns Prove More Effective—How British Troops Put Up Pontoon Bridge While Germans Were Pouring Shells in Their Midst.

London.—In two long reports Field Marshal Sir John French, commander in chief of the British forces on the continent, recounts with detail the fighting during the allies' retreat from Mons southward to the Seine and their advance after they had turned the German force of General von Kluck back from the gates of Paris.

Chief interest is in the second report, which deals with the battle of the Aisne, which began on Sept. 12.

It says:

"Early in the morning of the 11th (September) three corps crossed the Oureq, further pursuit of the enemy being practically unopposed—the cavalry reaching the line of the Aisne, two brigades south of Soissons and three brigades at Couvres and Cernuill on the afternoon of Sept. 12.

"From the opposition encountered by the Sixth French army to the west of Soissons and two of our army corps south of Missy, and certain other indications along the line, I formed the opinion that the enemy had for the moment at any rate arrested his retreat and was preparing to contest the passage of the Aisne with some vigor south of Soissons, where the Germans were holding Mont de Paris against attack.

"With the assistance of artillery the Third corps of the French drove them back across the river at Soissons.



Photo by American Press Association.

NEW PICTURE OF SIR JOHN FRENCH.

Where they destroyed the bridges. Heavy artillery fire showed that the Sixth French army was meeting with heavy opposition all along the line.

"The Aisne is a sluggish stream, 170 feet wide and 15 feet deep in the center and is unfordable. Between Soissons on the west and Villers on the east, the part of the river attacked and secured by the British forces, are eleven road bridges.

"The position of the enemy was very strong either for delaying action or for a defensive battle.

"On that morning I ordered the British forces to advance and make good

25 per cent discount on all pictures at Rawlings. d29-j4

IMPORTANT EVENTS

1914-15 AT OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

WINTER SHORT COURSE—JAN. 4-30

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10c Admission 10c

CARRANZA'S ARMY ADVANCES ON VERA CRUZ

(By United Press Association)
Washington, Jan. 1.—Advices from Vera Cruz to the Mexican Constitutional agency said that Carranzista troops had begun the march on Mexico City from the east and south. Generals Obregon, Alvarado and Coos commanded the Carranzistas. It is predicted by the Constitutionalists that Carranza will reconquer the capital in six weeks.

Cows to pasture, and Carter got a shotgun. Carter was afraid of hitting the boy if he shot at the coon, so he tied a rock to a string and threw it up to Henry, who then hauled up the gun. The next time the coon stuck her head out of her hole Henry shot and killed her.

Horse Meat as Food.
Vienna.—Beef is so high horse meat is becoming popular in Vienna, 200 horses being put on the market in one day.

County Attorney G. S. Hill and "Grandpa" Crawford left this forenoon on the O. E. for the duck fields after some 1915 game.

AT THE COURT HOUSE

J. M. Coffee and wife to B. F. Lutz and wife, Dec. 28, 1914. Lands in claim 38, Tp. 12, S. R. 2 west, \$10.

B. F. Lutz and wife to J. M. Coffee and wife, Dec. 28, 1914. Lands in Wasson's Add. to City of Lebanon, \$10.

Alfred L. Lachance to H. Bryant, Dec. 28, 1914. Lands in Sec. 13, Tp. 11, S. R. 2 west, \$75.

Samuel H. Knox to George C. Richards, Oct. 10, 1914. Lands in claim 48, Tp. 10, S. R. 3 west, 40 acres, \$10.

Quit Claim Deed.
F. J. Carman to George E. Quiggle, June 5, 1911. Lands in Sec. 34 and 35, Tp. 10, S. R. 2 west, \$1.

George E. Quiggle and wife to C. L. Burton, Nov. 3, 1914. Lands in Sec. 34 and 35, Tp. 10, S. R. 2 west, \$10.

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