FOE TRENCHES

remity of German Man-Power Shown by Newest Ruse

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British Capture Two Villages Before Wreckers Could Do Their Work

With the British Armies, Oct. 7. and Turkey have asked for an armis-

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beyond the old front line, uphraved
by years of shellfire, past those scarred
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brick stacks, among mine craters in
brick stacks, among mine craters in
which many men were blown sky-high,
and into the town of La Bassee, which
was German run a few days ago. It

A number of civilians have been received from Banken, which the Australians. They were told to pack if their belongings and wait for skreats forcome along for them. Two carts came, and these poor people made that an excuse to get down in the cellars and stay there under our shellfure.

The only sign of the days ago. It was a big town, much more than a village, and even now it covers a lot of ground, so that its high street is a long way to walk, but it is nothing now but a wild ruin, and the high street is no more than a brick-strewn track between ruined houses blown down to fantastic shapes.

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our armies through the French papers
and there was visible excitement in
the towns behind the lines.

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our ge, our troops took these villages was a road where men walked with shelling, and it is a queer thing to see went in only to be forced out again by them. because our eyes are so familiar the attacks of superior numbers of Gerbart and the supe is from the north, and had herce them with fickle choice battlelin is wound the cemetery, where Most of the British divisions have credible.

by the cellars and stay there under our shellfire.

With them went a number of German soldlers and Red Cross men who picked over the bundles of these villagers and reblacd them of some of their small treasures before leaving the

By PHILIP GIBBS

their small treasures before leaving the my blew up the bridge over the canal here, and made huge craters in the leave but said to the villagers. We leave but said to the villagers with the villagers will gray with you and get taken prise devices called booky traps to blow the thevices called booby traps to blow the British to bits should they trip over

rived in one such town where there are grievous relies of ruins from German Arms Wants Peace man bombardments. I saw a crowd of Prench, Australian, Italian and Eng.

Pits Mark Old Munition Dump

battleline seems like a mirage-in- woods

Battle Desperately

French and Americans Advancing on Each Side, as Foe Holds On

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our advance troops move shead these

Soul-Trying Fighting With-out Heroics, as Germans to regain the height. Hill 269, north-east of Hill 240, was reached during the afternoon?

The aerial activity continues at a POCKET ARGONNE WOOD

The aerial activity continues at a maximum, the Germans showing great nerve and bravery in daring missions back of our lines. The American aviators were upholding their reputation for nitiative and bravery. Lieutenants Richardson and Corley, flying in a two-scater De Haviland four, were attacked over Sommerance by two Fokkers. Instead of following the rules and fleeing before superior forces, they made straight at the bothe airmen. They got the first German quickly, and after five minutes of fighting sent the second down in flames. On the way back they bagged

> Our front from the Argonne to the Meuse is ablaze and the sky is lighted up by the constant glow from hundreds and hundreds of guns on both sides. speaking without cessation in one of the bitterest battles of the world war



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they captured some 500 men. The tanks put out of action many machine-gun mests, and caused frightful have among the German garrison.

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The German artillery activity continues intense, both high explosives and gas being used on the area from the front line to points six or seven kilometers back. Septarges and Septarges wood seemed to be their favorite targets.

Bent Kalser's Pavorites

The German game is to held on to the machine-gun nests in the woods until our advance gets by into open spaces and then open up. This forced a slight re-tirement of one small portion of our line in the vicinity of Cunel until the monde. could be cleared up. In this vicinity the Americans have encountered a division which had opposed our troops on the Marne salient in July.

The mist makes observation difficult

BRITISH FLIERS BOMB TOWNS Fires Break Out at Courcelles

During Raid

By the United Press and Frescaty were reported in Sunday official statement issued by the Inde pendent Air Force.

Heavy fighting was carried on Satur day night, in the course of which the today. From the hills one can see shells from both sides dropping on the front lines and hear the rattling machine guns. Burbach. Fire broke out at Courcelles

The shelling occurred immediately after bothe planes flew over the hospital.





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The small remaining number can properly care only for the sick and for the Government.

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