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TO-DAY'S Messages.

9.30 A.M.

ROTHERMERE MAY SUCCEED DEVONPORT.

LONDON, To-day.
Harold Sidney Harmsworth, first Baron Rothermere, and brother of Lord Northcliffe, it is understood, has been chosen as Food Controller. Lord Rothermere, the above is correct, will succeed Viscount Devonport, who recently resigned the post of Food Controller on account of ill health. Lord Rothermere like his brother is well known as a newspaper man. Born in 1868, he was educated at Eton and Oxford. He is a son of the late Alfred Harmsworth and was created Baron in 1910.

THE AIR RAID.

LONDON, To-day.
The following supplementary report of the air raid was given out officially this afternoon: The first bombs were dropped in the eastern outskirts of London about 11.30 a.m. Numerous bombs fell in rapid succession in various districts of the east end. One bomb fell in a railway station, hitting an incoming train, seven persons were killed and seventeen injured here. Another bomb fell on a school, killing ten and injuring about fifty children. A number of warehouses were damaged and fires caused. Up to the present the casualties recorded in the London raid are 41 killed and 121 injured. The lists are at present incomplete and the final figures may be greater. A few bombs were also dropped near the north Foreland opposite the banks of the Thames, four persons being injured. The air raid over London lasted about fifteen minutes. The raiders were engaged by the guns of the East London defences and a large number of airplanes of the Royal Flying Corps and Royal Air Service were sent up as soon as the enemy was reported off the coast. Several engagements took place in the air, but the result at present is not known.

CALLS ON BRITISHERS IN U. S. TO ENLIST.

NEW YORK, To-day.
A cable message from Earl Derby, British Secretary of War, calling on British subjects in the United States to enlist was received here to-day by Brigadier General White, head of the British Recruiting Mission: "Thanks to the Government of the United States, the message said, the United States recruiting organization is open to receiving British subjects resident in the States as recruits for the British Army. The path of duty now lies clear ahead for every British subject of military age who is resident in the United States and is physically fit to serve. It is his duty to enlist and not to ignore the urgent call to the colors."

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standstill in many sections for a few minutes. Great throngs gathered about the wrecked buildings, but they were orderly crowds bent on seeing what damage the Germans had done. There was plenty of damage to see, for scores of buildings suffered; more than one was still smoking from the fires which the engines were working upon. In some sections of the city where bombs had been dropped traffic was held up almost entirely owing to the dense crowds and to the work being done by the police and firemen in the damaged buildings. Every available policeman was called to the scene, even the night policemen being routed out to assist in handling the situation. Throughout the bombed area there was a steady movement of ambulances collecting the injured and rushing them to the hospitals. One hospital, which is partly supported by donations from New York, and had been used largely for wounded soldiers, probably got more patients than any other in this section. These soldiers did yeoman's work as injured arrived, not caring for their hurts but giving comfort to the relatives who gathered about the building to learn the fate of those being carried within. In and out among the crowd of women, many of them with infants in their arms, the soldiers, on crutches to stop here and there and drop a word of sympathy and encouragement. While the damage done in the East End was widespread, it is probable the monetary loss will not be heavy, for many of the buildings wrecked were those of small business men. The raid had been over but a short time when the King, having heard of the damage to the East End, motored into, and through the district. His promptitude in this manner, his sympathy with the sufferers appeared to be deeply appreciated and he was warmly cheered as he rode slowly around. Later the King visited the hospitals. The main result of to-day's raid, as in past cases, has been the killing of civilians, including many children. No military damage was done, as there was no military objectives in the section visited. It was not a case of accurate dropping of bombs when once the planes were over the city in the East End; for instance, bombs couldn't have dropped without doing damage. The bombs cut a wide circular path through the city, and the damage was done. One school in this district had a lucky escape. There are thousands of pupils in that school. Fifteen minutes after the little ones had returned to the building, the school was bomb fell where hundreds of them had been gathered. There were many evidences of the coolness with which the people greeted the appearance of the raiders over London. For instance, despite reports that the raid was in progress, King George proceeded with an investiture at Buckingham Palace, the recipients of honors walking in and out of the Palace grounds without a trace of nervousness being apparent. For an hour after the raid the telephone system in London was swamped with calls from business men who were anxious to learn the fate of their families in the suburbs. Despite the loud reports of the explosions the telephone girls stuck to their posts. There were only a few instances of any of them deserting their posts and these only left it for a brief period during the height of the excitement. A case was being heard in court when explosions were heard in the vicinity. Understand there is an air raid going on and bombs being dropped," said the Justice presiding, "but I think we are safer here than anywhere else. After a few minutes the Judge announced "I understand the raid has come as far as this but now has gone away," so we will proceed with the case unless it returns."

A GOOD RESOLUTION.
OTTAWA, To-day.
In anticipation of the motion for the second reading of the Compulsory Military Service Bill which the Prime Minister has promised for Monday next, Hon. Geo. Graham has given notice of the following resolution, that, in the opinion of this House, it is desirable that steps should be taken forthwith by the Government to provide that accumulated wealth should contribute immediately and effectively to the cost of the war, and that all agricultural and industrial transportation (transformation) of the natural resources of Canada should be organized forthwith so as to ensure the greatest possible assistance to the Empire in war and reduce the cost of living to the Canadian people.

CIVIL WAR IMMINENT IN CHINA.
PEKING, To-day.
A Presidential mandate dissolving Parliament has been signed by Chiang Chao Chung as Acting Premier, having accepted the post which Dr. Wu Ting Fang, former Ambassador to the United States, resigned. It is believed that the dissolution of Parliament will bring about civil war, as the leaders of the southern provinces have telegraphed the President, asking him to recognize his authority, despite the fact that the President issued a long mandate attempting to justify his action in issuing the dissolution mandate. Chiang Chao Chung was chief of police at Peking before accepting the post of acting Premier.

1.00 P.M.

CENTRAL STOCK AT LOW FIGURE.
BERNE, To-day.
The abdication of King Constantine has resulted in a further fall of the German mark to 67.5 francs for one hundred marks. This means a loss of 44 per cent. on the exchange rate. The aggregate loss on the Austrian Kroner now reaches sixty per cent.

HARBORING U-BOATS.
PARIS, To-day.
A naval attaché from the German embassy arrived at Cadix to-day and made an examination of the submarine

Casualty List.

(Received June 14.)

Reported by Officer Commanding 1st Battalion, June 5th—Missing April 14th.
1195—L. Corp. Garland. Rideout, Newtown, B.B.
2314—Private Matthias Ball, Ex-ploits, N.D.B.
2599—Private Wallace Kean, Troytown, B.B.
1482—Private Gidcon H. Lane, Jamestown, D.B.
2544—Private Stanley Halford, 77 King's Road.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION RESPECTING CASUALTIES ALREADY REPORTED.
Received June 14th, 1917.

The following previously reported missing, now reported killed in action April 14th:—
1071—L. Corp. William Bennett, D. C. M., Stephenville.
2497—Private George Chubb, Russia.
1386—Private Chesley G. Arnold, Alexander Bay, B.B.

Reported by Officer Commanding 25th Squadron Flying Corps British Expeditionary Force, probably unwounded prisoner of war.
2nd Lieut. J. F. W. Blackall, 23 Forest Road, Missing May 21.

Wounded and Prisoner of War Munster, Westphalia, Germany, May 7th.
2673—Private James Bauld, Victoria Cove, Gander Bay. Missing April 14.
J. R. BENNETT,
Colonial Secretary.

the U-52, which is tied up to the arsenal dock, says a Havas despatch from Cadix. The vessel will remain in port for a month for repairs. The French press reports the capture permitting the U-52 an asylum for repairs. The Temps points out that her sister submarine the U-52 visited an American port last October and after a short stay proceeded seaward and sank six ships, the route of which she had learned while in port. This, says the Temps, shows the danger of granting an asylum to submarines.

WISH FATHER TO THE THOUGHT.
AMSTERDAM, To-day.
The Berliner Morgen Post asserts that the British Government contemplates moving the seat of Government from London owing to the continual air raids.

STRANGE INTERPRETATION.
AMSTERDAM, To-day.
The Cologne Gazette sees in the British reply to the Russian note a readiness on the part of Britain to return Germany's colonies. The paper says: "Great Britain's offer to revise her engagements with her Allies indicates a recognition of the great difference between Russia's war aims and the previous rapacious Entente programme."

TO KEEP THE ARMY OUT OF POLITICS.

PARIS, To-day.
The new Spanish Minister of War, General Fernando Primo Rivera announces that he expects to settle the controversy which has arisen over military associations exercising political influence, according to a Havas despatch from Madrid. If he fails to secure an adjustment, the despatch adds, he will resign.

SMUTS FOR WAR CABINET.

LONDON, To-day.
The newspapers say that General Smuts has been invited to join the War Cabinet. Such a step was mooted some weeks ago and it is known that the Government have been anxious to retain the South African's services here, having the highest opinion of his military and political ability. Smuts has been acting as an unofficial adviser of State and the War Office since his arrival in England, and the papers express the hope that he will accept a Cabinet office. It is understood he is quite willing to do so, providing the South African Government consents.

THE REPUBLIC CRAZE IN RUSSIA.

LONDON, To-day.
A Petrograd despatch to the Mail says that there seems to be a reign of terror in Tzaritin, where a separatist republic has been declared. The town is entirely in the hands of the extremists. The despatch says the situation is serious, because Tzaritin is a great railway centre and an important point for traffic on the Volga River. Separate republics have also been declared at Kherson and Kerkonova, but the situation is said not to be serious at either place.

NEW RUSSIAN COMMANDER.

PETROGRAD, To-day.
General Denikine, former Chief of Staff, has been nominated to succeed General Gurko in command of the armies on the western front.

CONSTANTINE'S FAREWELL.

ATHENS, To-day.
The proclamation of formal King Constantine announcing his abdication was posted throughout the streets to-day. It says: "Obeying the necessity of duty, I have the duty to depart from my beloved country with the help of the throne, and am leaving my son Alexander my crown. I beg you to accept my decision with calm, as the slightest incident may lead to a great catastrophe."

GETTING THEM OUT OF MISCHIEF.

LONDON, To-day.
A despatch to the Mail from Syra, Greece, says that pro-German leaders and former ministers will probably be sent to some place where they will be under the Allies supervision. Former Premier Gounares and General Jousmanis, Chief of the General Staff, are among those mentioned.

AUSTRIAN REPORT.

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tion was issued to-day: In the eastern and southern theatres the situation is unchanged.

URUGUAY PRO-ALLY.

MONTVIDEO, To-day.
In connection with the revocation of Brazilian neutrality in the war between the United States and Germany, the Uruguayan Government expresses its approval and its sympathy with the cause of the Allies. It recommends a League of Nations with the object of defending International Law.

MUNITIONS EXPLOSION.

LONDON, To-day.
Late last night Bomar Law announced that there was no official confirmation that any other planes had been brought down except the one mentioned in the afternoon. Mr. Law also announced a serious munition explosion at Ashton-under-Lyne, a few miles from Manchester, in which a number of persons were killed or injured. This explosion had no connection with the air raid.

GERMANY CHAGRINED OVER CONSTANTINE.

THE HAGUE, To-day.
A Cologne despatch says that the news of King Constantine's abdication created a painful impression at German headquarters. The Kaiser expressed great chagrin and sent his brother-in-law and Queen Sophia a message of sympathy.

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COMMENT ON GREEK SITUATION.

LONDON, To-day.
The announcement of Constantine's abdication made in the Commons by the Chancellor of the Exchequer yesterday was received with cheers, but less favorable reception was given to his statement that Prince Alexander had succeeded his father. The Chancellor said that Alexander had taken the oath of the King of Greece. "We hope," said the Chancellor, "that this change may make for a restoration of Constitutional Government of that country." Bonar Law was asked by Arthur Lynch, member for West Clare, "What does the Government expect to gain by the abdication of the King when it is perpetuating the same abuses under another name?" Law replied, "What we hope to gain is a Constitutional Government representing the whole of Greece." John Gordon Swift McKell, member for South Down, asked if in fact Constantine had been given permission to abdicate, and if in regard to the fact that he had practically been expelled from the throne, he should be allowed to nominate his successor.

The Chancellor replied that it would not be in the public interest to give any more information at present, but that Mr. MacNeill was wrong in saying that his successor had been nominated by Constantine. "It comes nearly two years too late," says the Evening Standard of King Constantine's abdication. However, the news is welcomed as a sign of new vigor in dealing with the Eastern situation and as laying past injustice. If William 2nd is the vilest character of the war, his brother-in-law, Tino, is certainly the most contemptible. All the newspapers express the hope that the Allies have not agreed to the succession

of Prince Alexander without the approval of former Premier Venizelos.

NO IMPORTANT FIGHTING.

PARIS, To-day.
No important engagements during the night were reported in to-day's official statement. The Germans have bombed four positions at various points.

**Flight 2nd Lieut.
Blackall Probably Safe**

Copy of Cablegram Received by His Excellency the Governor June 14th, 1917, From Major Timewell, of the 5th, Pay and Report Office.
"Officer commanding 25th Squadron Flying Corps B. E. F. informs me 2nd Lt. Blackall had combat with hostile machines May 21st. From information received from other pilots, 2nd Lt. Blackall and his observer were brought down safely behind enemy lines. Blackall and his observer reported to have been getting out of machine into trench. It is probable that Blackall and his observer are unwounded prisoners of war."

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WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is: light west wind and dull; temperature 42 to 60 above.
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