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sengers who were on board, the exact
spot off Kinsale Head where she
went down, and everything of inter-
est in connection with the ill-fated
essel's last voyage. To-day will be
the last chance to see these interest-
ing views.

THE BRITISH THEATRE.

A special feature of last night's
programme at this theatre was the
industrial film, showing the process
of canning fruit and vegetables in
California. The picture is of much
educational value and was favorably
commented on by all who saw it. The
other subjects were most interesting,
the comedies being particularly pleas-
ing. The drama "Accused," by the
talent players, is full of human in-
terest and should not be missed by
lovers of good motion pictures. A
special programme for the children
will be given at the matinee this
afternoon. Mr. Arthur Priestman
amateur will be heard in his favorite
comedy numbers.

COMMENDS VOLUNTEERS.—People
around town to-day speak in com-
mendable terms of the services ren-
dered by our volunteers at last even-
ing's fire, which is referred to in an-
other column. It is said that their ef-
forts combined with the promptness
and efficiency of the regular firemen
undoubtedly saved a big conflagra-

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305th Day of the War.

LATEST

From the Front

10.45 A.M.
GERMAN ATTACK ON WEST
FRONT EXPECTED.

LONDON, To-day.
Telegraphing from Rotterdam, the
Daily Mail's correspondent says: It
is significant that the fall of Przemyśl
has been followed by the closing of
the Belgian frontier which has al-
ways heretofore preceded heavy
movements of troops from one front
to the other across Germany.

NEW ATTACK ON TURKS.
LONDON, To-day.
The Times' Mitylene correspondent
telegraphing on Friday, says: A
combined general assault on Turkish
positions on the Gallipoli Peninsula
began on Friday morning.

**WANT ALL THE MUNITIONS THAT
CAN BE MADE.**

LIVERPOOL, To-day.
Continuing the campaign for the
organization of the munition trades
in the country and the speeding up
of the output of shells and other war
materials required by the army,
David Lloyd George, the new Munitions
Minister, addressed meetings
here to-day of employers and work-
men. He urged upon the workmen
that for the duration of the war
Union regulations should be sus-
pended so that every available man,
and woman could be employed at the
necessary work. If every Trade Un-
ionist, Lloyd George told the work-
men, was brought back from the front
if they worked to the utmost limits
of human endurance, there would not
be enough labor to produce what the
Government is asking to have pro-
duced during the next few months.

GREAT DESTRUCTION AT POLA.
GENEVA, To-day.
Reports received here from Pola,

the Austrian naval base on the Adri-
atic, confirm the previous assertions
that a large part of the town, docks
and naphtha reservoir which were set
on fire during the recent Italian aerial
attack, are destroyed.

TABACCO SAVED MANY LIVES.
LONDON, To-day.
That tobacco literally saved lives
at the front, is a statement made in a
letter from a Corporal of the Cana-
dian artillery to a Suffolk clergyman.
What hurt us most, he writes, was
poisonous gas, which made the air
brown and yellow, choking and pois-
oning men where they stood. Tobac-
co saved many lives in that battle.
We began to feel chokey but put big
cigars in our mouths. This caused us
to expectorate gas. Now, whenever
we notice gas we chew tobacco
which greatly helps.

A GENEROUS CONTRIBUTION.
OTTAWA, To-day.
Hon. W. T. White, Minister of Fi-
nance, to-day received a check of
\$100,000 from Huntley R. Drum-
mond, Montreal, to be used for the
purpose of providing a hundred and
twenty-five machine guns (more or
less), it being understood that these
guns, to be an addition to those
to be provided by the Militia Depart-
ment for use in the Canadian Expedi-
tionary forces.

ANOTHER VICTIM.
FALMOUTH, To-day.
The British steamer, Inkum, from
New York to London, was torpedoed
in the morning, forty-five miles south-
west of the Lizard Head. The crew
landed here.

TRAWLER SUNK.
LOWESTOFT, To-day.
The crew of a Lowestoft trawler
landed here to-day. They say the
vessel was stopped in the North Sea
on Thursday evening by a German
submarine. The crew were ordered
into boats, after which the trawler
was sunk by bombs.

**WILSON NOTE IS FIRM AND UN-
YIELDING.**

WASHINGTON, To-day.
President Wilson read to the Cab-
inet to-day the draft of the note to
be sent to Germany, demanding in
effect the adherence by that nation
of the humane principles of interna-
tional law in the conduct of maritime
warfare as affecting neutrals. Com-
paratively brief but described as in-
sistent and emphatic, the communi-
cation will be cabled not later than
Monday and presented by Ambassa-
dor Gerard to the German Foreign
Minister, Dr. Von Jagow. The Cab-
inet principle is fixed and unalterable
that the States must know definitely

and very promptly whether Germany
intends to ignore the visit and search
rights, and continue her practice of
torpedoing vessels without warning,
placing the lives of non-combatants
in jeopardy, or whether the rules of
maritime warfare which have govern-
ed war for centuries will be follow-
ed. The alternative of the course is
not stated, but now generally it is
known that the States in the event of
an unfavorable reply will discontinue
diplomatic relations with Germany.
It was stated that the sending to Em-
peror William by Count Von Pless-
sford, German ambassador, of Meyer
Gerhard, Attaché of the German Col-
onial Office to convey and carry mes-
sages from the Embassy and outlin-
ing the American point of view, to the
Government of Berlin, would not de-
lay the despatch of the American
note.

THE LONDON BUDGET.

LONDON, To-day.
With the fall of Przemyśl, although
this does not appear to be the limit
of their efforts against the Russians
in Galicia, the Germans have been
turned attention to the Western front.
Simultaneously in Flanders and the
Province of Artois, France, come of-
ficial reports of attacks on positions
recently captured by the British and
French. They have succeeded in re-
covering some trenches taken by the
British northeast of Givenchy. Have
stormed the Chateau village of Hooge,
part of which the British hold. Al-
though for a time the British were
compelled to evacuate the building
which they had captured on Monday
night. The Germans also claim to be
in possession of the sugar refinery
at Souchez, the loss which they have
not previously acknowledged. While
these themselves are considered small
matters in military circles here, they
are believed to be forerunners of the
resumption of fighting on a large
scale. For some time it has been re-
ported the French were slowly driv-
ing out the Germans from strong po-
sitions north of Arras. Punching a
hole in the German line to stop this
movement and also to relieve their
troops who, according to British ac-
counts, are suffering very severely
from British attacks and their own
counter-attacks. The Germans
despatched a lot of new troops to the
Arras-Ypres line, apparently making
an effort to take the initiative.
All accounts indicate that the Aus-
trians and Germans are still vigor-
ously attacking the Russians, who are
being driven back to positions in the
Przemyśl and Lemberg. The Rus-
sians are endeavoring to hold the line
formed roughly by the Lower
Wisnia and Dniester rivers, where
there are strong natural positions
which are covered partly by the great
rivers and partly by the Eastern
Galicia the Russians claim successes.
These, however, are denied by the
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ficially that diplomatic relations be-
tween Germany and the United States
may be broken off in 48 hours and
that the people should hold them-
selves in readiness to leave Germany.

CARRANZA WILLING.

WASHINGTON, To-day.
Unofficial advice which have been
received here from Vera Cruz, saying
that Carranza would reply favorably
to President Wilson's statement call-
ing upon the heads of warring fac-
tions in Mexico to restore peace of
Southern Republic, gave renewed
hope to the Administration Officials
to-day of the ultimate solution of the
problem.

FRENCH STEAMER SUNK.

BREST, To-day.
The French steamer Penfeld from
Nantes to Cardiff, was sunk in the
English Channel by a German sub-
marine. Crew saved.

2 P.M.

CONSTANTINE WORSE.

ATHENS, To-day.
King Constantine has had a change
for the worse. Another operation will
have to be performed.

LOYD GEORGE PLEADED.

LONDON, To-day.
The Daily Mail says Lloyd George
is enthusiastic over the visit of Man-
chester and is convinced that the re-
sponse to his appeal will be magni-
cent. Col. Sir Percy Girouard, chosen
Chief Organizer of the Department
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NORWICH, To-day.
The trawler Lumby of Lowestoft,
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JAMES C. BAIRD,

may 28/15 Water Street.

ATTACHED BY DOGS.—While
passing Gower Street on way to
the General Hospital yesterday after-
noon, a lady was attacked by a vic-
ious dog and bitten in the arm.

**Latest Recruiting Song from
England, first time in this city,**
"England's Call," to be sung by
Mr. F. M. Ruggles at College
Hall on Monday, June 7th.—11

SERIOUS CHARGE.—A policeman
arrived in the city at 1.30 p.m. to-day,
bringing along a female prisoner
from Bell Island, who is held on a
very serious charge. She was taken
to the lockup.

**An Episode of the Present
War, "In Hoc Vinco" (Florence
Barclay) will be given by Miss
F. Curtis on Monday, June 7th,
at 8.15, in College Hall.—11**

WEATHER.—It is fine along the
line of railway to-day, with a light
southwest wind prevailing; the tem-
perature ranges from 40 to 55 above.

**Have you heard Miss Jean
Strang sing "Pipes of Pan,"
from "The Arcadians"? Come
to Scout Concert at College Hall
on Monday next, June 7th.—11**

LARGEST LOSS FOR YEARS.

London, Ont., May 27.—Serious
damage was done by the frost here
last night, one market gardener los-
ing six thousand plants. The loss is
the greatest in years.

Only the previous day gardeners
were expressing satisfaction that the
24-hour rainfall had improved crop
prospects wonderfully and completly
offset the damage done to early
vegetables by the recent frosts.

**THINKS GERMANY MUST DICTATE
TERMS OF PEACE.**

Copenhagen, May 31.—"There can
be no end to the European war until
Germany is in a position to dictate to
the world the terms of peace," the Ba-
varian Crown Prince writes, in an ar-
ticle in the Bavarian Staats Zeitung.
"Only considerations of State will in-
duce Germany to enter peace nego-
tiations," wrote the Crown Prince,
"not weakness of the war or public
feeling."

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