

War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

THE ZEPPELIN RAID.

LONDON, Sept. 23. In a raid over the eastern counties of England last night two Zeppelins were brought down out of 15 which took part in the raid, according to an official statement today. One airship was brought down in flames in Essex and another fell on the east coast. The losses of the German crews were 28. The attack was made from the north and southeast, about midnight and was beaten off by the anti-aircraft defenses. A crew of one, numbering 22, were captured and of the second airship all the crew were killed. Three Zeppelins also reached the outskirts of London, two from the southeast and the other from the east. Twenty-eight were killed and 99 injured by bombs dropped in the south and southeastern districts.

AERIAL ACTIVITY.

LONDON, Sept. 23. South of the Ancre ten hostile gunships were destroyed and 14 others severely damaged and five ammunition pits blown up by our artillery. Great aerial activity is reported and a raid was made by five machines on a railway junction. Much damage was done and two trains containing munitions were destroyed. Three hostile airships were also destroyed and five others damaged, says a British official.

FRENCH REPORT.

PARIS, Sept. 23. There were violent artillery duels in the Bouchavesnes and Bellefleur region. No infantry action is reported.

A RUSSIAN SUCCESS.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 23. Russian Official—Russians and Austro-Germans engaged in stubborn battles on the Russian and Galician fronts. The Russians took 500 prisoners on the Upper Sereth River.

STEAMER SHORE, MAY BE TOWED AWAY.

PORTLAND, Sept. 23. The steamer Bay State, from Boston to Portland, is ashore at Helcomb Rock and may be a total wreck. The passengers were taken off.

IN MACEDONIA.

LONDON, Sept. 23. On the Struma front our patrols successfully raided enemy trenches in the neighbourhood of Kavadar, causing casualties, says an official report today. In regard to the Macedonian campaign our naval aircraft bombarded an enemy transport near the Struma, apparently with good results. On the Doiran front, we raided German trenches at three points.

AIR RAID.

PARIS, Sept. 23. Flying nearly 100 miles beyond the German border, Flight Warrant Officer Baron last night bombed important works at Ludwigshafen in the plain on the Rhine, and at Mannheim, across the River from Ludwigshafen. An official today says the bombardment caused a large fire and several explosions at Mannheim.

A STRIKING SPEECH.

WELLINGTON, Sept. 23. A striking speech was made at the closing session of the House of Representatives in the New Zealand Parliament by Dr. Pemrose, member of the Cabinet and a Maori, one of the aboriginals of New Zealand. A resolution was before the House expressing "the inflexibility and determination to continue the war to a successful conclusion" when Dr. Pemrose rose and said: "To-day as gentle breezes sweep grasses over the graves of mine and yours, wherever a Maorian hears the moan of the wind, whenever he hears the boom of guns, it reminds him that away beyond the seas the Maori's determination to end the war victoriously is just as inflexible as that of the White Man. One result of the war will be cohesion of the Empire and mutual understanding of the different races under the British flag."

HUN AEROPLANES BOMBARDED.

LONDON, Sept. 23. British naval aeroplanes have successfully bombed German aeroplanes at several points in Belgium. The Admiralty announces today. The statement follows: Enemy aeroplanes at St. Denis were attacked yesterday by a squadron of naval aeroplanes.

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The results appeared to be highly satisfactory. Reliable reports now at hand show that very considerable damage was done and many casualties had been caused by previous bombardments of this objective. In the early hours of this morning the enemy aerodrome at Chistelles and Hande were heavily bombarded by a naval squadron. All the machines returned safely.

FRENCH OFFICIAL.

PARIS, Sept. 23. French patrols approached the edge of Combles on the Somme front last night. An official issued today says they found a great many dead Germans on the field and took a few prisoners. South of the Somme there is active artillery fighting. French aviators engaged in fifty-five aerial flights yesterday. Four German aeroplanes were shot down.

KILLED IN ACTION.

LONDON, Sept. 23. Lieut. Richard Phillip Stanhope, heir to Earl Stanhope, has been killed in action.

GERMANS CAPTURE BRITISH STEAMER.

BERLIN, Sept. 23. The capture by the Germans of the British steamer Colchester on Thursday night was semi-officially reported today. She was taken to Zebrugge.

FURTHER ADVANCE MADE.

LONDON, Sept. 23. South of the Ancre, says an official statement further advance was made last night by our troops east of Combles. A strongly fortified situation of enemy trenches was captured here and our line was advanced on a front of about half a mile.

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REV. CYPRUS BRODY'S WELL KNOWN NOVEL.

There is another story by the Rev. Cyprus Townsend Brody at the Nickel Theatre to-day and to-morrow. It is entitled "The Badge of Courage" and is in six acts. Rev. Brody's stories are known the world over and as this is one of his best it will attract large audiences no doubt. Among those admiring it are Myrtle Gonzalez, William Duncan and George Holt. The production is under the direction of Rollin S. Sturgeon. The story is one of love and adventure and will greatly please St. John's audiences. Everyone should attend and see this wonderful picture. Wednesday there will be another beautiful social drama entitled "The Climbers" from the play by Claude Pith. The Nickel shows are always worth while.

"Tommy, Jacques, and Beppo."

THE MEN CONTRASTED.

From Lord Northcliffe. To speak of our British Tommy with whom, of course, I include his Australian and Canadian cousins—the French Jacques, and the Italian Beppo as the three chief Allied fighters on the western front is not to overlook that other heroic figure, the Belgian Jean. In numerical comparison the brave little Belgians are so few that they cannot be classified with the mighty Armies of France and Great Britain and the great Army of Italy.

I am writing only of the soldiers whom I have seen in action. It has not been my pleasure to accompany the Russians.

In point of pure chivalry I set Tommy and the brave young men who have swarmed from the Dominions on the top of a very high pedestal. Tommy is not fighting for the immediate defence of his own land. His mother, wife, and children are on his own soil. But were Tommy fighting for the defence of Surrey or Yorkshire, of Scotland, Wales or Ireland, he could not fight with greater spirit, with more steadiness than he is doing on the Somme and in the Flanders trenches to-day.

Tommy has proved an altogether unexpected character, even to those who thought they knew him. He is not in the least like Kipling's soldiers, who represented a past generation. One essential in which he differs from all the soldiers of the world is his neatness and smartness. Neatness and smartness are akin to physical well-being, that is to say, to health, and with armies as with cities health comes first.

Tommy's amazing cheerfulness under all conditions, his love of singing and music, often indeed of curiously sentimental melodies, has come as a surprise. As a wounded man he is notoriously one of the most remarkably light-hearted and merry-faced hospital inmates yet known. As an infantry soldier he maintains to the utmost the high credit given him by Napoleon and the Duke of Wellington in the wars of a hundred years ago. For sheer coolness and bulldog tenacity there is no one to approach him.

In the horrible days of early part of the war, when we were practically unprovided with shells or guns, he stood the appalling German artillery bombardment in the trenches round Ypres for days in a manner that made the Huns think him almost superhuman. To-day, now that he is provided with guns of all kinds and especially with bombs, in throwing which he is a master, he has come into his own.

He is a particular man is Tommy, both as to his appearance and his food, and the infinite variety of his diet is a credit to his taste as a gourmet and some small tribute on the part of a nation which knows it is impossible to repay our men for their daily sacrifices in France, in Mesopotamia, in Africa, and in the many other old places in which they are holding up the flag and crushing the Hun.

French Toughness.

Jacques, the French poilu, is also a revelation of the war. Somehow or other we had got it into our heads that Jacques was chiefly good in spirited attacks. But what a lesson this war has been in the astounding obstinacy and toughness of the French Jacques! At the word "Verdun" every lover of the Allied cause should raise his hat. For six months the mightiest artillery in the world has thundered at its gates. For six months Jacques, in his pale-blue coat and his pale-blue steel helmet, has defied gunnery that has been forty years in preparation. I claim that Verdun is the greatest victory in the war and that Germany's failure to take it has had more effect in neutral countries than any land operation that has happened since August, 1914.

Jacques' habits are altogether different from those of our men, and in many ways his character does not resemble ours. In such homely, simple matters as a chancery or a fragment of harmonized verse, the differences in national characteristics may often be revealed. The songs of the French soldier are quite different from ours. As often as not they sing old French war chansons. Ours is a grimmer Army than the French. Our men are merry enough, bivouacking and in billets, but marching along the poplar-lined roads in France, as I have so often seen them of late, they have the serious mien of Englishmen which has been noted by foreign commentators for centuries past.

The French march with a quicker step, and very good marchers they are, and throw out their jokes right and left to every passer-by, and especially when a pretty girl is in sight. I once drove behind a very fat chauffeur through the French lines, and the poor man was almost choked off his seat by the poilus. All this strength, energy, and fecundity is largely produced by soup and bread, with a comparatively small modicum of wine.

The French and Italian soldiers love soup just as much as our men

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hate it. In winter time I think we might take a leaf out of the book of our French and Italian friends and try some of their excellent and strengthening soups, in which rice, macaroni, and Parmesan cheese play a large part, as also, of course, plenty of meat, onions, and other vegetables.

Italian Endurance.

Beppo, the typical Italian soldier, wears a steel helmet similar to that of the French, very smart grey clothes, and is immensely strong. He has done most of the heavy work in the United States and many parts of Canada for the last quarter of a century. Come of a nation that has given the world some of its best masons and quartermen, we are not surprised to find him a wonderful trench builder and road maker. He is able to withstand heat that neither the Englishman nor Frenchman could endure for long. And he can, and does, endure for seven months in the year a degree of cold rarely felt in any part of the United Kingdom. He has been patient for years. He comes of patient stock, and he is fortunate in the possession of one of the greatest generals of the war. He means to get rid of the Austrian menace once and for all.

His aid to cheerfulness is often the guitar. At the beginning of the war the Austrians referred to the Italians scornfully as "these mandolinists." By this time they know that the man with the mandolin is also the man with the big gun, the bomb, and the bayonet.

Beppo is a fine fighter, a quick digger, a master of Alpine warfare, and an expert flyer. He has only been in war for fifteen months, and he is daily learning all sorts of tricks, and devices of his own. He was so badly prepared as we were at the outset. To-day he is giving the Austrians, Hungarians, and the rest of them a very bad time indeed.

MOLASSES CARGO ARRIVES.

The schr. Freedom, 22 days from Barbados, reached port yesterday with a cargo of molasses, consigned to A. S. Rendell & Co.

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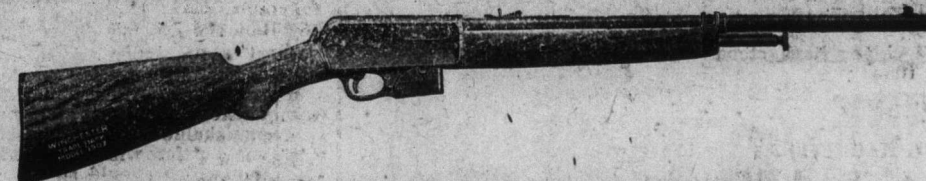
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ROYAL THEATRE.

The Royal Theatre will present a grand new programme to-night and Tuesday night. Owing to some unforeseen circumstance in getting our films out of bond we could not give our patrons the first-class pictures we expected. However we can safely say that all present on Monday and Tuesday nights will be more than satisfied with the big show. Do not miss this grand Lubin feature, namely, "Soldiers Sons," three act drama. See Burns and Stull as Pokes and Jabbs in a Pair of Skins; also Lionel Barrymore, Robert Harrow, Lillian Gish and Dorothy Gish in a splendid drama. Those pictures are as good if not better than any yet shown in St. John's. Starting Monday night. Five reels; two songs; two shows nightly.

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NOTE OF THANKS.—Mrs. John Bryan and family wish to thank all her kind friends, who assisted her and offered sympathy at the death of her husband, especially the following:—Mr. John Carroll and family; Mrs. Coultas, Mrs. Flynn and family; Mrs. Foley and family; Mrs. McGoury, also Franklin's Agencies, Ltd., and the Vacuum Oil Company for wreaths.—adv.

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T. A. SOCIETY APPOINTS NEW PHYSICIAN.—A special meeting of the T. A. & B. Society took place yesterday afternoon for the purpose of appointing a new surgeon and also to finalize arrangements relative to the Father Matthew Celebration. Dr. MacDonald, of Placentia, was selected as the Society's medical officer. He will come to the city at once to reside.

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