

# War News.

Messages Received  
Previous to 9 a.m.

## OFFICIAL.

LONDON, June 16.  
The Governor, Newfoundland:  
A Zeppelin visited the northeast coast last night, causing some fires. Fifteen deaths are reported, and 35 injured.

The French Government reports that British troops took a line of trenches west of La Bassée. A German attack at Quenneviers, led by eight battalions, was completely repulsed.

As a reprisal for the bombardment of open towns, Karlsruhe was raided yesterday, the Castle and railway station being specially attacked.

The Russian Government reports local successes, but German reinforcements have resumed the offensive on the right bank of the Sen, gaining some ground between the Dneister and the Pruth. The Russians have withdrawn beyond the frontier.

The Italian report is satisfactory.  
BONAR LAW.

GERMAN COUNTER ATTACKS RE-  
PULSED—ENEMY'S LOSSES RE-  
PORTED HEAVY.

PARIS, via St. Pierre, June 16.  
During the night, infantry fighting occurred in the region north of Arras, sectors of Lorette and Neuville and south of Arras. At Tout Vaut Farm all German counter-attacks were repulsed, and we maintained all our gains. North of Neuville we managed to capture several German advance posts. The day of the 15th was only noted in these two regions by artillery contests, our batteries violently cannonading the German trenches. The enemy's attack during the night of 14th to 15th on trenches that we captured at Quenneviers, was pursued by eight battalions. Prisoners captured declared that the enemy's losses were enormous. In revenge for the German bombardment of undefended English and French towns, the order was given this morning to bombard the capital of the Grand Duchy of Baden. At 3 a.m. 23 aviators left for Karlsruhe. Those greatly hindered by N.E. winds they arrived over the town between 5.30 and 6.30 a.m. and dropped 130 bombs on indicated spots, notably on the Castle, gun manufactories, and railway station. Numerous fires were seen to occur. While the aviators were flying over Karlsruhe, a great panic took place at the railway station, where trains left hurriedly, taking an easterly direction. During the trip the aviators heavily bombarded Severn, Strassburg, Rastatt and Karlsruhe. Returning, they bombed Bismont, Phalsburg and Savigne. All but two machines returned to their bases.

GERMANY'S ATTEMPT TO BOMB-  
BARD LONDON BROUGHT TO  
THE ATTENTION OF U.S. GOVT.

WASHINGTON, June 16.  
German attempts to bombard London from air-craft were brought formally to the attention of the United States Government to-day by the Ambassador. No request for a protest to Germany was made. The Ambassador merely called at the State Department and submitted to Secretary Lansing a statement of facts from the British viewpoint.

AIRSHIP RAID—FIFTEEN DEATHS  
REPORTED.

LONDON, June 16.  
A Zeppelin airship visited the N.E. coast of England last evening and dropped bombs. Fifteen deaths are reported from the district in question and fifteen persons were wounded. Some fires were started by projectiles from the aircraft, but by this morning they had been overcome.

GIANT AEROPLANES IN COURSE  
OF CONSTRUCTION.

LONDON, June 16.  
Giant aeroplanes of great capacity are in process of construction according to an announcement made in the Commons this afternoon by Under Secretary Tennant. This statement was made in reply to a suggestion by a member of the House, that machines of this character were needed adequately to deal with raiding zeppelins.

AN AEROPLANE VISITS ROME.

ROME, June 16.  
An aeroplane flew over Rome a few nights ago. All lights in the city were put out immediately the presence of the aerial visitor became known. A partial solution of the mystery is given to-day by the Messagero, which publishes the following: "Our enemies have succeeded in bringing an aeroplane to a point

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When "Spring cleaning days" engross the busy housewife then the convenience of an unlimited supply of hot water on the upper floors is brought home to her with special force.

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The master of the house has hot shaving water and a hot bath whenever he wishes without delay or trouble.

"The bath ready for baby, when baby is ready for the bath" should be an adage of every housewife—who should also keep in mind that any trouble saved to the nurse makes for a well-ordered, contented household.

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FOR THE BATHROOM.

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The fatigue of coal carrying—the after-labour of grate cleaning—and the discomfort of a hot kitchen in warm weather!

A Gas Water-Heater is economical.

near Rome, where it is being kept in hiding. It has already flown over the city."

AUSTRIANS PREPARE ELABORATE ENTRENCHMENTS.

ROME, June 16.  
An elaborate system of entrenchments has been prepared by the Austrians along the Isonzo River, according to an official statement issued to-day. At some points there are several lines of trenches, some of which are built.

ITALIAN TROOPS CONTINUE AT-  
TACKS WITH GREAT VIGOR.

UPINE, June 16.  
Italian troops are continuing with great vigor their attacks upon Austrian positions at Gorizia. Austrian trenches on this front are protected with steel armour, and connected with underground passages, men are sent to fire from under cover, and at the same time they are supported by artillery in the hills beyond them.

Italian army officers describe the Austrian tactics as everywhere as purely defensive, except in the Carnia zone, where the best troops have been concentrated, apparently for an offensive movement. Fighting is going on fiercely both night and day, between the Inferno (Isonzo) Valley and Malborghetto. Italian reports declare that up to the present, the Austrian attacks have resulted in failure.

EXPORTATION OF CERTAIN FOOD  
TOTALLY PROHIBITED.

LONDON, June 16.  
There is further tightening of the ring by which food supplies are prevented from entering Germany, Austria and Turkey. An Order in Council this week announces that exportation of certain food for man and beast are totally prohibited, while other foods and forage may only be exported to France, Russia, Spain and Portugal. Russian Baltic ports are banned, as are also neutral countries such as Holland, Norway, Sweden and Denmark. Onions, potatoes, rye, rice, flour, rye-meal, buckwheat, millet, molasses, arsenic and its compounds are prohibited.

SIR JOHN FRENCH REPORTS.

LONDON, June 16.  
Sir John French reports that British troops captured and then lost a line of German trenches at Festubert, but the British occupied the German positions north of Hooge for a distance of a thousand yards.

ENQUIRY NEARING THE END.

LONDON, June 16.  
Baron Mersey, President of the Court of Inquiry into the sinking of the steamship Lusitania, intimated this afternoon that the investigation would soon be ended. The Baron said that his mind was quite satisfied as to the most important questions, the speed of the vessel at the time she was attacked, and the absence of British destroyers as an escort. It is believed that the Court had before it all the evidence that it was likely to

obtain relative to the alleged shortage of officers, the use of boats, and the time of the catastrophe. Counsel connected with the case are inclined to believe to-morrow would be the last day. One of the points elicited to-day was that there was only one boat drill during the voyage. On that occasion some members of the crew wearing life belts, swung out a life-boat and jumped in. This drill lasted only a few minutes. The coal saved during the voyage by cutting off six of the twenty-five boilers, amounted to 1,000 tons, according to the testimony of the passengers.

FRENCH TORPEDO BOAT SINKS  
OWING TO COLLISION.

CHERBOURG, June 16.  
The French torpedo boat No. 331, sank to-day after collision with the British steamer Arleya. It is said the crew was drowned.

SWEDISH STEAMER TORPEDOED.

LONDON, June 16.  
A Copenhagen despatch says that the Swedish steamer "Vermland", 977 tons, was torpedoed yesterday off Christiania Sound, by a German submarine. A German cruiser took the crew aboard.

BRITISH STEAMER TORPEDOED.

LONDON, June 16.  
The British steamer "Strathairn", from Cardiff with a cargo of coal for Archangel, Russia, was torpedoed and sunk to-day in the Irish Channel. Eleven members of the crew were landed at Milford Haven. The captain and the remainder of the crew were drowned, when the boat they were in, capsized.

NEBRASKAN DID NOT STRIKE A  
MINE.

WASHINGTON, June 16.  
Ambassador Page, of London, has forwarded, with a complete report by the naval experts, who examined the American steamer Nebraskan, fragments of metal found in the ship, which it is said strengthened the conclusion that the ship was torpedoed, and did not strike a mine.

A CHECK FOR \$100,000.

LONDON, June 16.  
At a Mansion House meeting, to-day, on behalf of the Red Cross Fund, the Marquis of Lansdowne announced that William Waldorf Astor had opened a subscription list with a cheque for \$100,000.

SENTENCE OF DEATH MUST BE  
ENDORSED BY THE EMPEROR.

AMSTERDAM, June 16.  
Every sentence of death by court martial in Belgium must hereafter be endorsed by Emperor William, before a prisoner is executed, according to a telegram received to-day from a correspondent at Maastrecht. The writer of the despatch intimates that Emperor William "telegraphed these instructions on learning that eight citizens of Liege had been executed for alleged espionage, and that twenty other prisoners were charged with the same offence."

YOUNG RECRUITS CALLED TO  
THE COLORS.

LONDON, June 16.  
A despatch from Amsterdam says, reports received from Cologne state that recruits of the 1916 draft who were ordered last week to prepare for service, will be summoned to the colors to-day, instead of in October, as had been proposed.

STREET CAR STRIKE IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, June 16.  
The street car strike will be settled by arbitration, and the cars are expected to resume running by noon to-day.

JAPAN SENDS PROTEST TO CHINA

TOKIO, June 16.  
Japan has sent a protest to China concerning the anti-Japanese movement in the Republic.

Escape of German  
Interned Sailors.

Washington, June 11.—Department of Justice officials to-day settled upon a means of proceeding against Lt. Brauer, and several sailors, reported missing from the interned German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich at Norfolk, if they can be located in the United States.

Preservation under immigration laws, it was agreed, would be the most effective way of dealing with the fugitives.

After nearly a month of search, however, agents of the department have failed to locate the missing Germans, and it is supposed that by this time they must have succeeded in escaping from American soil.

Officials of the state department are prepared to make representations to the German government, if the men return to Germany.

During the war between Russia and Japan, a Russian officer and two men under parole at San Francisco escaped and reached Russia. Upon representations by the state department, the Russian government promptly returned the men who had violated their paroles.

Lieut. Brauer and the men who accompanied him left the Prinz Eitel while the ship was at Newport News, and before she had been interned or her officers paroled. If they should be captured by the allies, while endeavouring to make their way to Germany, they probably will be treated as ordinary prisoners of war.

Cape Report.

CAPE RACE, Yesterday.  
With E. N. E., light, weather foggy. The S. S. Neelburg and an unknown steamer passed east. S. S. Phoebe west yesterday; an unknown steamer passed west this morning. Bar. 30; ther. 36.

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DR. BREHM STRICKEN. — Dr. Brehm, Public Health Officer, has contracted diphtheria while in the performance of his duties and is now at the Fever Hospital. The disease, we are glad to state, is of a mild type.

LORD BISHOP RETURNS. — His Lordship Bishop Jones, who was at Grand Falls administering Confirmation, is a passenger on to-day's express.

R. C. CITIZENS MEET. — The general committee of R. C. citizens will meet at 8 o'clock to-night in the T. A. Armoury to make final preparations in connection with the consecration celebrations.

WHALING NEWS. — The whaler Cachetot is now awaiting the ice to absent itself before proceeding to Hawke's Harbor to begin operations. Last season the Cachetot was high-lifted by the whaling fleet, though she did not get her first fish until well up in July month. The whalers Puma and Lynx had each secured seven fish up to Saturday last.

TRAP CATCHES. — Cod traps at Bay de Verde secured from 15 to 25 qds. of fish yesterday.



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