TO-DAY'S

Messages.

10.30 A.M.

WASHINGTON, To-Day. Directions were issued by Secretary Redfield to-day that every effort be made to expedite the licensing of coal cargoes destined for Canada under the export control provisions of the Espionage Act. The Dominion is suffering from a coal shortage and the fear has been expressed that the licensing might delay shipments. The Secretary made it clear that there will be no restriction on coal ship ments to Canada and ordered that telegraphic application for licenses b

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COPENHAGEN, To-Day. A Danish inventor, it is announced has discovered a process for making newsprint from seaweed. The new process is said to entail half the cost of making paper from wood pulp.

ANOTHER SINN FEIN MEMBER, ENNIS, County Clare, Ireland,

Scenes of wild excitement followed the announcement of the result of the Parliamentary election in East Clare. Prof. Devalera, the successful candidate, addressed the crowd and said it could no longer be alleged that the Irish people did not want independence. The new member headed the crowd of Sinn Feiners who marched through the town carrying Republican flags.

THE POLITICAL CRISIS IN BERLIN

COPENHAGEN, To-Day. Despatches from Berlin to-day in dicate a pause in the development of the political crisis, while the parties are waiting for the decision of the Crown in regard to ministerial recognition and the question of peace terms. The parties have reached no agreement in regard to the resolution which it is proposed to place before the Reichstag in regard to war aims With little news of political affairs on hand, the Berlin papers speculate on the outcome, each according to its desire. The Conservatives, National Liberal and Pan-German organs asspace that the Chancellor will surely go. The Radicals and centre papers expect him to remain,, but to jettison various ministers.

QUARRELLING AMONG THEM-SELVES.

COPENHAGEN, To-Day. The coalition of the various ele ments in the German Reichstag now arrayed against the Government seem determined not to vote the war credit asked until the political crisis is settled. The attitude of the supposition (opposition?) elements has excited the Conservative papers to recriminatory

IN MACEDONIA.

An official on the situation on the Macedonian front issued to-night says: British airplanes bombed the enemy communications. The health of the British forces compares very favorably with that of last year.

WAR REVIEW.

LONDON, To-Day. Having broken the strong Austro-German line in the vicinity of Halicz, Germans to continue their retreat. In | gian coast east of Dunkirk the Brittheir advance from Halicz the Rus- ish and Germans are fighting again. The Admiralty announces that

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the Lemnica and occupied two towns hard fought battles. By destroying sians have reached the Bosiecz-Lesi- claims the capture of 1,850 prisoners of which, Lesiuvka, is four miles west a front of 1,400 yards. of the River Seritza. This line is about seven miles east of Kaluez, the nearest large town west of Stanislau total captured from July 8 to 10 to the Russians are pushing forward more than 10,000 officers and men, from Halicz towards Lemberg, the and 80 guns. A large amount of ma- are seeking two other Germans who capital of Galicia, from Stanislau chine guns and war material was also were left behind. The temperature south of Halicz westward towards the taken. Berlin gives no details of has risen to 119 degrees in the shade. line of the Dneister. After the cap- Tuesday's fighting in Galicia and ture of Halicz, on from Halicz to merely says that "Movements south Zolotvin, about 30 miles to the south, of the Dneister have been executed General Korniloff forced the Austro- until now as planned." On the Bef-

sians forced the fleeing enemy across along the Yser, the scene of many on the western bank of the river. The the bridges across the Yser between next natural barrier is the River Sto- Nieuport and the North Sea coast the

IN MESOPOTAMIA. LONDON, To-Day. and which is situated in the bend of the Stoka River. The extension of following statement on the progress The Reichstag is asked to set forth the Russian fighting line to Kolotvin of operations in Mesopotamia: A hills of the Carpathians. On Tuesday the Russians captured 8,000 more
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prisoners and troublesome the prisoners and troubles were destroyed by fire in the desert is being prepared. Thus, it says, unity sically and as unlikely to have any an audience that Herr Mathias Erber- | Federal Government. surrendered. British armored cars

LONDON, To-day.

while on patrol to-day five naval machines met and engaged a formation of ten albatross scouts and three large two-seater machines southwest of Nieuport. Three enemy scouts were driven down completely out of ontrol, the report adds, while two others were driven down; one of our machines is missing.

A SET-BACK IN IRELAND.

LONDON, To-day. The election of Edward De Valera member of Parliament for East Clare, and the third Sinn Feiner to be returned for Parliament of late, by the unexpectedly large majority of nearly three thousand in a constituency which for years has returned the official Nationalist candidate unopposed, has caused the greatest surprise and disappointment in Nationalist circles and misgiving among politicians generally as to the prospects of the Irish convention. The most sanguine Sinn Feiners only hoped for a majority of from one thousand to fifteen hundred. This revelation shows how deeply Ireland is permeated with a repugnance of the Irish policy of the Government and with objection to Nationalist co-operation in the ministerial attempt to secure an Irish settlement, and is regarded as a bad omen for the success of the Convention.

PLAIN WORDS FROM THE PRESI-

WASHINGTON, To-day. President Wilson appealed to the country's business interests to-night to put aside every selfish consideration and give their aid to the nation as freely as those who go out to offer their lives on the battlefield. In a statement addressed to the coal operators and manufacturers he gave assurances that just prices will be paid by the Government and public during the war, but warned them that no attempt to extort unusual profits vill be tolerated.

GOOD AIRPLANE FIGURES.

LONDON, To-day. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)-The Minister of Munitions in an inter view to-day gives some reassuring planes and that the output is increasput of airplane engines had been front. nore than doubled in 1917, and the present output would be redoubled before the end of December. The Ministry's airplane program, he added, was one of maximum production.

FORESHADOWS COALITION IN GERMANY.

AMSTERDAM, To-day, the Reichstag has decided by an overpan-Germans and advocated peace without annexations or indemnity. ka, about six miles west of Lemnica. Germans were able to advance and Herr Erzberger's object, the newssians have reached the Bosiecz-Lesi- claims the capture of 1,850 prisoners the sense that Germany has not gone uvka-Karmacz line, the central point in the penetration of 600 yards along to war with the desire for conquest, but merely to defend its freedom and preserve its territorial possessions, in order to nullify definitely any impresion on the part of the Entente that Germany's peace terms would be dicwith unmistakable clearness the Ger- furnish the only available details of cal situation, according to a semi-man aims. The Entente would then the German blow against the British official despatch from Berlin. The brings the battle ground into the foot- British column and airplanes have realize, it is contended, that it is front in Belgium. Editorial comment

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the Ministry of War Russian troops

about 8,000 population and 28 miles one point to another. One comment east of Styri FRENCH OFFICIAL.

PARIS, To-day. The statement follows: The artillery figures with regard to the production Champagne and on the Aisne front in fighting was quite spirited in the of aircraft. He states that thousands the Laffaux Mill sector. Enemy at of factories are manufacturing air- tacks in the region of Trinqular plateau and south of Juvincourt were easily repulsed. On the two banks of ing by leaps and bounds. The num- the Meuse in the sector of Hill 304 and ber of aircraft is now more than three north of Hardaumont work the Gertimes what it was last year, and by mans after a violent bombardmen the end of the year would be double which were successful. There is nothhat of last April. The monthly out- ing to report on the remainedr of

BRITAIN DEFENDS PLACING OF MINE FIELD.

LONDON, To-day.

Regarding the Anglo-Dutch comformed that the action of Great Britain is solely and specifically dictated The Catholic organ Germania of by military considerations and is not Berlin says that the Catholic centre in directed against the economic inter-the Reichstag has decided by an over-ests of Holland. The Netherlands whelming majority to support Mathias | Government has also been reminded Erzberger, who last week attacked the that there is no similarity between the measures taken by Great Britain and those taken by Germany for the latter denies the use of the seas to all South and west of Stanislau the Rus- occupy isolated sections. Berlin paper says, is to induce the Reichstag neutral shipping. Great Britain, to make a declaration of war aims in therefore, maintains that it would be more reasonable for Holland to protest to Germany against the latter's illegal action than to complain of the action taken by Great Britain.

LONDON, To-day. respective official statements

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RUSSIANS TAKE KALUZ. PETROGRAD, To-day. The Russians have captured Kaluz he headquarters of the enemy in Galicia, according to a semi-official an-

FRENCH MINE SWEEPER LOST. PARIS, To-day.

The French mine sweeper Juniper struck a mine in the British Channel on Tuesday and sank. Eleven lives

CAPTAIN FOUND DROWNED. LONDON, To-day.

of the new British mine field in the North Sea, Reuter's learns that the Dutch Government has been fully indeath of Capt. Robertson, who was connected with the army's main supply depot at Dublin, is explained (rest missing.)

GERMANS REPULSED ON MEUSE After a violent hombardment, the

Germans tried several surprise attacks during the night on both banks of the Meuse, but were repulsed, according to a statement issued by the war office to-day.

AMSTERDAM, To-day. Emperor William had an interview lasting several hours with Chancel-lor von Bethmann Hollweg yesterday Chancellor also received the various ger, leader of the Centrist Party in the Reichstag, had with the Austrian peror Charles is a pure invention. The Crown Prince arrived in Berlin on a special train from the front, and yesterday at noon attended the Crown Council, at which the Emperor pre-

SUFFRAGE REFORM IN GERMANY. PARIS, To-day.

A despatch from Basel to the Have as Agency says that Emperor William has addressed to Chancellor Von Bethmann Hollweg a rescript under the terms of which a bill to be submitted to the Prussian Diet as a comlement to the Imperial message of April 7th must be drawn up on the basis or equal voting rights.

COMMENT ON SINN FEIN ELEC-

LONDON, To-day. The election of Edward De Valera as ember of Parliament for East Clare, he third Sinn Feiner to be returned to Parliament of late, is treated as an event of great political consequence by the newspapers, which devote considerable space to the victory. The endency of the Unionist press, flecting their advices from Belfast and Dublin, is to emphasize what it always contended, the folly of the Government in liberating the Sinn Fein prisoners and refraining to deal with revolutionary talk and acts as such would be dealt with in England. These papers regard the situation as gravely threatening, for they see nothing in the Sinn Fein movement but rebellion. The Liberal press also is alarmed, but rather for the position of the official Nationalist party and for the prospect of the establishment

pects of the Convention in Ireland to consider Home Rule are seriously imaired if not entirely doomed. Another view is that the election is an ireparable disaster for the Irish Nationalist party, which many Irish people complain held the country for years in the dead hand of a rigid machine

SAYS BETHMANN RESIGNED.

BERNE, Switzerland, To-Day. The Vossische Zeitung of Berlin says the German Imperial Chancellor has resigned. Emperor William, the newspaper says, has postponed his decision whether to accept the Chancellor's resignation.

NO SUB. BASE THERE.

RIO JANEIRO, To-Day The report that a submarine base has been discovered near Santos is denied by naval officials. A decree has been sanctioned declaring the wireless telegraph and telephone service the exclusive property of the

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