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## TO-DAY'S Messages.

### 10.00 A.M.

#### NORWEGIAN BLOWN UP.

COPENHAGEN, To-day. The Norwegian steamer Stormway, bound for Rubeck, with cargo of herring from Norway, was blown up and sunk off Geleiser, Denmark. The crew were landed at Wisemunde, Germany.

#### STRUCK MINE.

ROTTERDAM, To-day. The Dutch steamer Mashaven struck a mine yesterday morning while bound from London for this port, carrying the survivors arrived at Waterweg to-day. On April 1st she hit a mine on the English coast, but managed to reach the Thames when necessary repairs were made. On Tuesday of this week the vessel left for Rotterdam in tow of two tugs.

#### DUTY TO STAMP OUT REBELLION.

LONDON, To-day. Replying to a question whether the Government had been warned of the dangerous growth of sedition, Asquith said the first paramount duty of the Government is to restore order and stamp out rebellion with all possible vigor and promptitude. That we are doing behind there is undoubtedly an obligation which rests upon the Government of making searching investigation into the causes and responsibility for the events. That obligation we fully recognize and intend to discharge. Replying to a request from Sir Henry Balfour that the city and county of Dublin discuss the Dublin outbreak, Asquith said a debate on the question could only be mischievous.

#### CARSON AND REDMOND STAND TOGETHER AGAINST THE SIX FEINERS.

LONDON, To-day. The official admission yesterday that there were indications of the spread of the revolutionary movement in Dublin and other parts of Ireland, especially in the west, was accompanied by the proclamation of martial law throughout Ireland. Hitherto only the city and county of Dublin has been under military rule, because of the outbreak. The statement is regarded as indicating the spread of the revolutionary movement and in strong contrast with the reassuring statements yesterday made by Asquith in the Commons. To-day the Irish situation still presented serious features. The Premier admitted the Dublin fighting was still in progress in the streets, and that rebels held important public buildings. He announced that in addition to troops already despatched to Ireland to cope

with the situation, others were being sent and that the Government was satisfied the force assigned to this duty was adequate. Major General Maxwell, formerly in command of the British forces in Egypt, had gone to Ireland to take the situation in hand. It had been given plenary powers over the whole country under martial law. A searching investigation into the cause of the outbreak and responsibility for it was promised in the Commons by the Premier in his despatch. Sir Edward Carson said: "I am glad to see that the Government is doing its duty in bringing about these rebels now and forevermore. I hope the newspapers will not try during a war of such a character as we are engaged in, bringing about dissensions of a political character in relation to the Irish question." Sir Edward's remarks were greeted with cheers. He was followed by Redmond who said: "May I say a word, although really I think it is scarcely necessary. Perhaps I ought to give expression on behalf of my colleagues of the Nationalist party here, and as I believe of the overwhelming majority of people of Ireland of the feeling of detestation and horror with which we have regarded these proceedings. I join most cordially with Sir Edward Carson in hoping that newspapers not public men of this country will refrain from anything which has happened in Ireland as a political weapon against any party that may exist."

#### MILITARY SERVICE BILL WITHDRAWN.

LONDON, To-day. It was announced later that the Government had withdrawn the Military Service Bill owing to strong opposition in the House. It is understood that the Bill embodying certain aspects of the proposals outlined in the report of the secret session at which recruiting had been taken up had been approved by the Ministry and the Army Council. The Bill, which provided for bringing into service every unmarried man between 18 and 45 and the prolonging for the duration of the war of the services of all time-expired men and territorials, left the question of unattested married men to be dealt with later. A discussion followed the report of the Bill and showed the measure was opposed by all parties as unfair. Several members are urging that nothing but all round conscription would prove satisfactory. Being pressed to state what course the Government proposed to adopt, the Premier said he could not be expected to reply on the spur of the moment, but would consult his colleagues and announce his decision next week. It is understood two alternatives are before the Government, either to introduce a Bill bringing into operation the proposals concerning unattested married men given in the Premier's statement at the secret session, or to amend the Commons on Tuesday, or proceed at once with the adoption of universal service.

#### SPREAD OF REBELLION.

LONDON, To-day. Asquith said for obvious reasons he did not like to name other places to which the trouble had spread, but particularly in the west, places where there was a development movement, stringent precautions were being taken by military authorities to deal with these places. Replying to Redmond, who said he had been unable to communicate with Dublin, Asquith said he expected communication to be restored to-day or to-morrow.

#### LABOR MEMBER ADVOCATES GENERAL COMPULSION.

LONDON, To-day. The bill providing for the extension of military service was introduced in the Commons to-day, but aroused such opposition that the Government announced they would not press the measure. Walter Hume Long, President of the Local Government Board, placed the bill before the House, saying it was the intention of the Government to enlist every unmarried man between the ages of 18 and 41. He said one month would be allowed before the bill, if passed, went into effect. The measure met with severe criticism from all sections of the House. Asquith announced in view of this feeling, the Government would not press the bill. Sir Edward Carson denounced the bill, introduced by Long, as unfair. He was particularly opposed to the clause extending the service of men on the expiration of periods for which they were enlisted. Compulsion for all, he declared, was fairer. Stephen Walsh, Laborite, caused the House to break out in cheers by demanding the immediate introduction of a measure for general compulsion, if the military situation demands it. Compulsory military service for single men provided for by the bill passed in January, the application

of the measure has been limited, however, by the existence of many classes of exemptions.

#### LONDONDERRY TRUE.

LONDONDERRY, To-day. During the past three days, the behavior of all classes in the community of Londonderry, has been absolutely orderly. Business is proceeding normally. Londonderry is a borough in the province of Ulster, North Ireland, situated 123 miles northwest of Dublin.

#### VIOLATION OF SWISS TERRITORY.

BERNE, To-day. As a result of violations of Swiss territory by German aeroplanes, the Federal Council, according to the Swiss telegraphic agency, has summoned to Berne the Swiss Minister at Berlin to discuss the situation arising from these incidents.

#### NEWSPAPER COMMENT.

LONDON, To-day. Newspapers commenting on the uprising in Ireland attach more significance to its political than its military aspect. The Daily News calls it one more tragic farce without intelligent aims, without any real driving power and continues the military situation no longer, if it ever was ever superficially serious. The real importance of the incident will be political, but it will be taken too seriously. The Times thinks the strict censorship and the air of mystery thrown over the early stages of the rebellion by the Government were unwise, that they likely will create a bad impression among neutrals, which the Government is anxious to prevent. The Express makes a violent attack on the administration in Ireland and demands the retirement of Baron Wimborne, Lord Lieutenant, and Birrell, adding in large type "And Kitchener to Ireland as Lord Lieutenant."

#### IRISH GALLANTRY.

LONDON, To-day. A British official communication issued last night is the longest ever sent out from the British headquarters to the extent of nearly five hundred words. It describes the great increase in activity on the British front where many observers have been predicting the Germans were about to launch an attack as determined as that against Verdun. New German activity show itself at more than a score of points with the principal fighting apparently around Hulloch and Loos. Irish regiments get special mention for bravery in a counter-attack which drove the Germans out of a section of the trenches where the British fought with great gallantry and an artillery curtain of fire. The communication closes with an account of aeroplane activity, including German Boisselle, Heister, Monchy au Bois, Neuville, St. Vaast, Armentieres, Frelingheim. At Frelingheim the Germans attacked the British trenches, but were driven out. Similar attacks on British trenches at Hill 60 at St. Eloi were repulsed.

#### GERMANS REPULSED.

LONDON, To-day. Great activity at various points along the British front is reported in the latest official communication. The Bedfordshire Regiment carried on a successful raid near Carnoy. There has been artillery activity at La Neuville, Heister, Monchy au Bois, Neuville, St. Vaast, Armentieres, Frelingheim. At Frelingheim the Germans attacked the British trenches, but were driven out. Similar attacks on British trenches at Hill 60 at St. Eloi were repulsed.

#### OVERSEAS IRISH DENOUNCE REBELS.

LONDON, To-day. From Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide and other parts of the Empire came a flood of cablegrams to Redmond to-day repudiating the action of the rebellious elements at Dublin, expressing scorn at what they did, while brave Irish soldiers were dying at the front that their country might prosper. Incidentally the messages expressed scorn at the messages of congratulation from the Nationalist Party. Some of them were given out by the Nationalist Leader. One from Sydney, signed by MacCarthy reads: "Sectional pro-German rioting disgusts Home Rulers here. Take to heart our race is with you and our gallant countrymen at the front. From

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## Train Notes.

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