

War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

BRITISH MINE SWEEPER SUNK—ONLY TWELVE SURVIVORS.

LONDON, Oct. 26. A statement given out by the British Admiralty says that one of our mine sweepers, the Genista, Lieut.-Com. Jno. White, R.N., was torpedoed by an enemy submarine on Oct. 23 and sunk. All the officers and 73 men were lost; 12 men were saved. When last seen the ship was sinking, but was still engaged with the submarine.

GERMAN ATTACKS FAIL.

PARIS, Oct. 26. The Germans made four successive violent attacks on the Verdun front against Donaumont positions to-day, but all failed, according to a bulletin by the war office to-night. The number of prisoners to date is over 5,000.

IN MACEDONIA.

PARIS, Oct. 26. North of the Starokovreb mountains Serbian troops charged the German-Bulgarian forces and seized a fortified height at the confluence of the Cerna and Strohchita rivers to the southeast of Monastir. A hundred and eight prisoners remained in the hands of our Allies. Southwest of Lake Prespa our cavalry, supported by infantry units, on Tuesday occupied Zvorda bridges and the villages of Golobrida and Laista.

French cavalry on the Macedonian front, supported by infantry, occupied two villages southwest of Lake Doiran yesterday, the war office announced to-day. The Serbians threw back the German and Bulgarian forces in the region of Cernarivol.

SERBIAN REPORT.

SALONIKA, Oct. 26. The following report was given out to-day at the Serbian army headquarters: On Oct. 24 our Danube and Drina divisions captured several heights on the left bank of the Cerna River, flowing into the mouth of the Strohchita torrent. We took 480 prisoners and deserters and captured one machine gun ready for action.

THE U-53.

LONDON, Oct. 26. The activities of the German U-53 near the American coast and the general question of the relations of the United States with submarine warfare matters, will be considered between the American and German Governments, said Foreign Secretary Grey in the Lords to-day. He deprecated discussion on these questions and said it was for the American Government to decide on the policy of action required by the circumstances of the case. Baron Beresford said that the action of the American ships did not appear quite within the bounds of neutrality, and that he thought the British were bound to take notice of this fact. Baron Beresford expressed the opinion that Germany intended to bring America into the war so as to be able to say she could not fight the whole world alone because the States would be a valuable asset to her at a peace conference.

The submarine question was brought forward by Lord Sydenham

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In the House of Commons to-day, who asked if particulars of the sinking of the British steamer Stephano and others had been received, and whether the circumstances were in accordance with the German pledge to the State. He referred to the activities of the U-53 under the very eyes of the American navy and the declaration of Wilson which had resulted in the German pledge. Lord Sydenham declared that even before the exploits of the U-53 the pledge was torn in shreds, yet the Government of the United States made no sign whatever, and the sinking of neutral ships goes on almost every day. The Norwegians have lost eighteen ships this one month. What must small neutrals think of their powerful representative? No life, he added, was lost because of the presence of American warships. Lord Sydenham took the position of the presence of American warships as a sacred and indisputable rule of international law.

TUNNEL CONSTRUCTION.

LONDON, Oct. 26. Full consideration of the question of the advisability of constructing a tunnel under the English Channel to connect England with France, was promised to-day by Premier Asquith. In receiving a deputation he said the matter will be taken up either by the war committee or the committee of Imperial Defence. The Premier admitted that before the war the balance of opinion was against the project. He said the experience in the war was a new factor of immeasurable importance, and he added that such a tunnel as the deputation proposed would have put the country in a better position for transporting her forces for general purposes of the war. "It will see," added Asquith, "that time will be found for a review of the whole question in the light of that experience." Late in August it was announced that parties in France had taken all the necessary steps to enter into the negotiations with England for a joint construction of the tunnel under the English Channel.

EXPLOSION IN MUNITION FACTORY

LONDON, Oct. 26. The Ministry of Munitions announced that an explosion took place yesterday at a munition factory in Kent. Some damage was done to the works. There were several casualties including two deaths. Ten persons were seriously burned.

ROUMANIA.

LONDON, Oct. 26. The subject of Roumania was brought up again to-day in the House of Commons when the Premier said the military situation in Roumania was engaging the most anxious attention not only of this Government, but of those of our allies. They have taken and are taking now every possible step to support our gallant comrades in Roumania in the splendid struggle they are making. I hope we shall not take an unduly pessimistic view. In Russia, France, England and Italy there have been and there are concerted measures which each of us are taking to give an all-powerful support to Roumania in her struggle for independence.

GERMANY AND NORWAY.

LONDON, Oct. 26. The situation between Germany and Norway, as a result of sinkings recently, following the declaration of policy as to submarines by the Christian Government, has become very serious. The Times this morning says: It is reported that a Norwegian mail steamer which left Bergen yesterday for Newcastle, was stopped by a German warship. This is the first time the Germans have taken such action in the case of these steamers, and in the existing circumstances the incident is regarded as one of some gravity.

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In addition 39 neutral merchant ships with an aggregate of 72,600 tons were sunk for carrying contraband.

SHELL FRENCH POSITIONS.

PARIS, Oct. 26. German artillery shelled the positions captured by the French in the region of Vaux and Douaumont, on the Verdun front, last night, says today's official report. The Germans undertook no infantry attacks.

ATTACKS BY BRITISH AIR SHIPS.

LONDON, Oct. 26. Attacks on the Constantinople-Salonika railroad by British naval aeroplanes have inflicted considerable damage, the Admiralty announced to-day.

RUSSIANS CAPTURE BIJAR.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 26. The capture by the Russians of the town of Bizar, in Persia, northwest of Hingdan, was announced to-day.

MORE STEAMERS SUNK.

LONDON, Oct. 26. Lloyds announce the following ships sunk: The Norwegian steamer Venus, 2,784 tons gross; Danish steamer Ulf, 1,313 tons gross; Belgian steamer Comtesse-de-Flanders, 1,810 tons gross; British schr. Tweed, 200 tons gross.

ASSISTANCE OF BELGIAN CHILDREN.

ROME, Oct. 26. Pope Benedict sent Cardinal Gibbons a contribution of 10,000 francs to head the list of contributions in the United States for assistance of Belgian children.

WANTS BODIES REMOVED.

LONDON, Oct. 26. Laurence Ginnell, Nationalist member of Parliament for North Westmouth, asked Premier Asquith in the House of Commons to-day whether in the interest of reconciliation the British Government would accede to the desire of the Irish members of Parliament to allow the remains of those executed last May at the time of the Dublin revolt, to be removed from the places in which they now lie and be buried in consecrated ground. Premier Asquith said the Government was unable to accede to the request.

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HAD IT HOUGH!—Several schooners which arrived off the Narrows after the closing hour last night were forced out to sea and were no doubt badly tossed about by the heavy wind and sea.

Dr. Chas. Hawlett's Office will be closed for a few weeks during his absence from the city. oct23, 16

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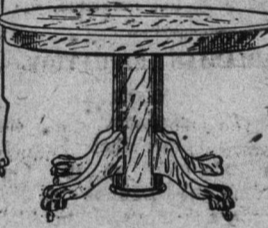
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Hr. Grace Notes.

The schr. Pandora, J. Yetman, master, arrived from St. John's last night with a load of provisions.

A couple of northern schooners put in here last night out of the storm, continuing their course this morning.

Mrs. Geo. H. Badcock and family left yesterday for St. John's where they will reside in future, as Mr. Badcock's position in St. John's requires him to be always on hand. The departure of the family is regretted by our townspeople.

Mrs. Holt and her sister, Miss Allen, now residing in Montreal, took a run down here a few days ago to see the old home and friends. The visit was short but very pleasant. They go out by this evening's train for St. John's en route to Montreal. The very best wishes of their friends accompany them.

The pupils of the C. of E. High School are holding an entertainment in St. Paul's Hall on Tuesday night. The drills, etc. are said to be very pretty by those who were fortunate enough to get a peep at rehearsals. Miss Noel and the other teachers spared no time in training the little ones, and the entertainment is sure to be a success.

Miss N. Munn returned by train on Wednesday from a very pleasant visit to Mrs. Geo. Makinson of the Goulds.

Mrs. Donald Morrison is in town on a visit to the home of her son, Mr. Robt. Morrison.

The Girls Guild of the Methodist Church entertained three of our soldier lads now in town, at Conaghan Hall on Thursday night. The soldiers were: Ptes. Robert Tetford, L. Griffin and M. Morrissey. A number of guests



Don't Neglect Your Cough.

A little cold may not seem a dangerous thing—you may feel inclined to let it go on hoping that to-morrow it will be better—but can you afford to take chances? Just as the little insignificant acorn grows if let alone, to the mighty-giant oak; that cough if not stopped may grow to a very serious illness. When a Cough starts there's no telling where it will end. You know no doubt, of cases right among people you have known, where serious complications and fatal illness have had their start from a neglected cough or cold. "Don't neglect your cough." Stafford's Phorotone Cough and Cold Cure is what you should take. For sale at Stafford's Drug Store, Theatre Hill, and Stafford's Pharmacy, Duckworth Street. Price 25c., postage 5c. extra. No trouble to take this cough remedy.

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were invited, among them Rev. and Mrs. Holmes, Rev. and Mrs. Higgett, Edward Parsons, M.H.A. and Mrs. Parsons. Addresses were made by several of the company conveying a hearty welcome to the young soldiers. Replies were made by Ptes. Tetford and Griffin. Tea, cake, candy, etc. were then served around and all thoroughly enjoyed the evening.

Private R. Tetford left for St. John's by this morning's train, and will be the guest of his brother-in-law, Mr. E. S. Coffin, at his home, Circular Road, for the next few weeks.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Shannahan, Riverhead, on Tuesday, 17th inst. Congratulations.

Mrs. John Davis returned from St. John's by yesterday's train, where she had been endeavoring to secure a suitable house for the family to reside in as they would soon take up residence there.

Hr. Grace, Oct. 21, 1916.

Obituary.

On October 17th, at St. Mary's, there passed to his eternal reward fortified by the rites of the Holy Catholic Church, Aidan, aged 19 years, youngest son of James and Mary Bowen. The deceased who had been working at Sydney during the summer, and not feeling well came home about six weeks ago; notwithstanding all that medical aid could do he breathed his last on Tuesday. He leaves a father, mother, two sisters and three brothers (one of whom, Frank, is now in France with the Nfld. Regiment) to mourn him. To his sorrowing relatives we tender our sincere sympathy. —Com.

St. Mary's, October 25th, 1916.

LOOKING FOR LODGINGS. — A male resident of Brigus was going around town in the dark last evening looking for a boarding house. He tried to get lodgings at the Seaman's Institute and several other places, but all were filled up. Eventually he sought refuge at the police station for the night.

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