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TO-DAY'S Messages.

11.45 A.M.

THE GREEK CRISIS.

LONDON, To-day. The defeat of the Greek Government in the Chamber of Deputies and the consequent resignation of the Zaimis Cabinet is the latest sensation afforded by the Balkans. While of course it was understood that Venizelos, the former Premier, had it in his power to turn the Government out when he so desired, having a majority in the Chamber at his back, the fall of Zaimis came unexpectedly, as it was believed the leader of the majority had decided to accept the Premier's sufficient support to enable him to remain in office for the present at least. As so often happens, however, a vote of confidence demanded by the Government on a matter of minor importance, some difference of opinion between Venizelos and the Minister of War on the military proposals of the Government was defeated by a vote of 147 to 114. By handing in his resignation and that of his Cabinet to King Constantine, Zaimis again places on the King the responsibility of deciding the future policy of his country. In London the first impression was that the defeat of the Government would mean the immediate recall of Venizelos and the fulfilment of the original agreement between him and the Allied powers to go to the assistance of Serbia. In this belief the news caused a distinct rally on the stock exchange. A later despatch from Athens, however, indicated the possible dissolution of parliament. Should this course be taken it would be at least two months before the election could be held and the new Chamber meet at Athens. In the meantime either the Zaimis Cabinet resignation, which has not yet been accepted, with perhaps a change in the Ministry of War or some other Cabinet favoring the King's policy of continued neutrality, would have charge of affairs, and there would be no change in the military situation. Even should Venizelos be called up-

on to form a new government, it is not certain that he would join the Allies at present, but the quadruple entente would have the assurance that Greece would not turn against them. On the other hand it is not to be forgotten that the King was willing to follow the policy of Venizelos to a certain point and that there are some diplomats who believe that, assured of the landing of a very strong Anglo-French force at Saloniki and Kavaia, together with the Russian army on the other side of Thrace and the possible assistance of Roumania, the Greek King might be willing to embark on operations against Bulgaria. Greece never looked with favor on the Bulgarian occupation of Macedonia. There are some in the Greek Government who fear that a victorious Bulgaria might throw covetous eyes on Kavaia, which King Ferdinand fought so hard to get at the conclusion of the Balkan War. Roumania is somewhat in the same position as Greece. The majority of the people of that country are for the Allies, while the King and Government wish to remain in neutrality at least until it appears clear that the Allies can win the war. There have been continual demonstrations in Roumania in favor of intervention, which has been heightened by the presence of a big Russian force in the northeastern border, waiting to attack Bulgaria. In Berlin, according to reports fear has been expressed that this force will be allowed to march through Rumanian territory, that it might be joined by the Rumanian army. To discourage this an Austro-German army is being assembled on the western border of Roumania. Thus the anxiety of the Rumanian Government can be understood. Besides massing troops the Allies are taking other steps to persuade Greece and Roumania, that it is to their interest to join the Allies against the Central Powers. Having checked the German offensive along the whole eastern front, except west of Riga, where the nature of the ground makes advance difficult, the Russians have started a counter offensive at three points west of Drinsk on the Sty, in Volhonia, and on the Stripa and Galatz. On the Stripa River they claim to have won a big victory and have captured 5,000 prisoners, although admitting that the battle is still in progress. The Germans on their side say all attacks have been repulsed with heavy losses, in Russians killed, wounded and prisoners. From unofficial sources it is reported the Rus-

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sians are advancing in strong force and have captured important positions near Czernowitz. This movement is calculated more than anything else to influence Roumania. The Serbians who are making a stand south of where they are supported by the British and French, continue their retirement before the Austro-Germans and Bulgarians. In the north and northeast, the Bulgarians are now within ten miles of Nish and advancing northward from Uskup toward Pristina, thus besides being in danger of losing their capital the Serbians are threatened with being cut off from the south and will have only one line of retreat to Montenegro. They are fighting a severe rear guard action and are leaving little or nothing behind for the invaders. Fighting continues in the Champagne district and France with the fortunes of war fluctuating. While the Italians persist in their offensive, the Austrians claim that no progress has been made by their adversaries.

AEROPLANES ATTACK MERCHANT VESSELS.

LONDON, To-day. Germany seems to be trying a new method of attack on British merchantmen with aeroplanes. The Cork steamer Avocat which arrived at Manchester tells a story, according to the Liverpool Journal of Commerce of a 35 minutes engagement with three hostile aeroplanes, at 11 o'clock on the morning of Oct. 30, one of aeroplanes a large battleplane which dropped 36 bombs, some of which missed steamer by not more than 7 feet; when the bombs were exhausted the battleplane fired on her with machine gun. The ship's sides and deck were struck by bullets but all crew escaped injury. At a height of from 800 to 1000 feet all the aeroplanes dropped bombs and attacked steamer with rifles.

AVIATORS BURNED TO DEATH.

PARIS, To-day. Two military aeroplanes collided while landing yesterday at Le Bourget. They caught fire and four aviators manning the machines were burned to death.

REFUSED TO CALL REICHSTAG.

AMSTERDAM, To-day. According to Berlin newspapers received here, the Imperial Chancellor refused the Socialist request to propose to Emperor Wilhelm a speedy convocation of the Reichstag sitting to begin and end in November.

NO RUSSIAN LANDING.

LONDON, To-day. A despatch to Reuters from Petrograd says there is no truth in the report that Russian troops landed at Varna, the Bulgarians' chief Black Sea port.

NO CHANCE OF GREECE.

ROME, To-day. Reports concerning peace negotiations are arousing interest here, although little credence is attached to the rumor that Prince Von Bülow, former German Ambassador to Italy, is charged with such a mission. Italian opinion sees in the numerous references to possible peace an atmosphere favorable to peace, which might constitute a means for bringing pressure on the Allied Governments. The Italian public, however, is not to be deceived by such falsehoods. The Tribune asserts it is in a position to say the Entente Allies have certain guarantees that the Reichstag will not be a party to such obscure combinations. All Roman newspapers agree in pointing out how ridiculous would such attempts be at the moment when the Allies have been drawn closer with out taking into account the renewed victorious military activity.

1.45 P. M.

A SORROWFUL STORY.

LONDON, To-day. One of the most tragic stories of the war is revealed in the publication in the official London Gazette of the order dismissing from service Lt.-Col. Ryan, Sixth Canadian Mounted Rifles. Ryan was the holder of several war medals. He had spent nine months in the trenches and was wounded three times. He obtained a short leave of absence to see his mother, who had planned to come from Canada determined to see her son before he was wounded again, since she believed that the fourth wound would be fatal. The mother sailed from New York and the Lieut.-Colonel left the trenches in France and came to England to greet her. He prepared a royal welcome for his mother, whom he worshipped, and reserved apartments for her at the Savoy. The mother died aboard the steamer the day before it reached Liverpool, and Ryan, who met the vessel at Liverpool, received her body. After he had made arrangements for the burial of the body, Ryan, already a nervous wreck as a result of his harrowing experience in the trenches, was completely demoralized by the new tragedy in his life. He came to London unmindful of everything and disregarded the order for his return to the front. The sequel came in the Gazette's announcement that he had been court-martialled and dismissed.

THE KING RECOVERING.

LONDON, To-day. The King is recovering slowly. The following official bulletin was issued to-day: "The King had a somewhat better to-night. His appetite is improving, but he still has the same pain especially on attempting any movement."

THE GREEK IMMOVABLE.

ATHENS, To-day. The King has summoned the leaders of all parties to a conference on the situation, resulting from the overthrow of the Zaimis Ministry. Unless the King decided upon radical course of dissolving Chamber which cannot be reconvened while the army is mobilized, there is no reason to believe the Greek ruler has changed his views regarding the entry of his country into the war. While he is

Election Returns.

Up to 2.15 o'clock none of the returns for any district were known. At 1.15 p.m. to-day the count began at Holyrood for Mr. Main District, and at the same hour at Brigus for Port de Grave District.

ST. JOHN'S EAST.
The work of checking off the ballots commenced at 2 p.m. to-day and the count will begin about 5 o'clock this evening.

ST. JOHN'S WEST.
Count commences late this evening.

At 2.30 this afternoon the following was received from Ferryland District:—

FERRYLAND COUNT.

For Yes	305
For No	381
Spoiled Ballots	14

credited with anti-Bulgarian sentiments and with the belief that Greece cannot afford to quarrel with the Allies because of her long and vulnerable coast line, those close to him assert he is irrevocably resolved to maintain neutrality.

S. S. PRESIDENT DEAD.

PITTSBURG, To-day. A telegram to-day from London announces the death there yesterday of Sir Robt. Laidlaw, the President of the World's Sunday School Association.

NAVY LEADER REMOVED.

AMSTERDAM, To-day. The 'Kruisung,' a copy of which has been received here, says Admiral Von Capelle, Director of the Administration Department of the German Admiralty, has been placed under half pay.

Sportsmen Return.

Dr. Unger, Messrs. Dinkey, Harris and Morrison, of the United States Steel Corporation, who were in the interior caribou hunting, returned last evening with their full number of heads, some of which are very fine. These gentlemen express themselves in the most glowing terms of our hunting grounds and return feeling quite delighted with their visit.

McMurdo's Store News

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MAN DROWNED.—Yesterday afternoon Walter Holmes, of Seldom, aged about 28 years, was accidentally drowned off Pogo Head by falling from a motor boat while towing a vessel. He leaves a wife and two children. The above information was received to-day by Deputy Minister of Justice Hutchings from the Magistrate at Pogo.

PRISONER AND WARDEN HAD REMARKABLE ESCAPE.

New York, June 14.—Hyman Leibman, a prisoner in the Tombs, who was to have been placed on trial to-day for murder, jumped from the fourth tier of the prison cells to-day, forty feet, into the arms of Warden Hanley. The latter heard the keeper's shout, looked up and "braced himself" to catch Leibman as he fell from possible or serious injury on the stone flagging. Leibman escaped with only a shaking up and a few bruises. Warden Hanley was bruised, but not hurt.

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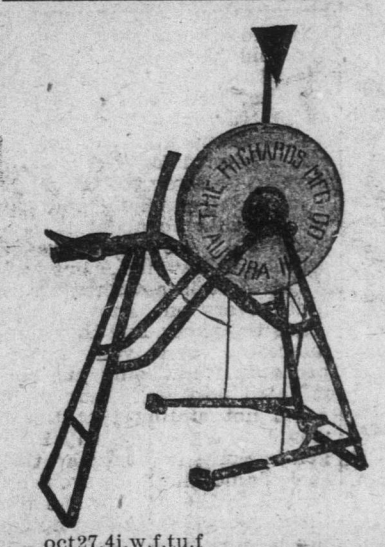
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KYLE'S PASSENGERS.—The S. S. Kyle arrived at Port aux Basques at 8.15 a.m. to-day with the following passengers in saloon:—Mrs. H. E. House, R. S. Rhodes, J. Doyle, Mrs. J. Doyle, Mrs. D. McIsaac, H. Bartlett, O. Currie, Mrs. O. Currie, J. W. Ingraham, T. J. Curran, George Penney, R. Cook, Mrs. George Kirby, D. McFarlane, Miss F. Gaulton, Captain Ewyate.

The Installation Meeting of Lieut. Colonel and Mrs. Otway will be conducted by Lieut. Colonel Smeeton of Toronto in the S. A. Hall, New Gover Street, on Friday, November 5th, at 8 p.m. A hearty invitation is extended to all—nov4,2i

DIED.

On Nov. 2nd, of acute bronchitis, Jackey, the darling child of John and Mary Coughlan, aged 3 weeks.

On Wednesday morning, after a painful illness, James White, aged 67 years, leaving a widow, two brothers, two sisters and a large circle of friends; funeral took place to-day, Friday, at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence No. 16, Notre Dame Street. Gilbert T. Gordon, 2nd Lieut. Gordon Highlanders, kill in action, Sept. 28th, at Chocque near Reims, France.

SAILS AGAIN MONDAY.—The Sagona is set down to sail for Labrador ports at 6 p.m. on Monday next. She will go as far north as weather conditions will permit.

CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind light and variable, weather fine. The s.s. Silkeborg passed east at 3 p.m. yesterday. Nothing sighted to-day. Bar. 29.75, ther. 41.