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Fifteen are Killed in Air Raid Over England

LIQUID FIRE USED BY THE HUNS IN VAIN ATTEMPT ON FRENCH POSITIONS

Zeppelins Beaten Off, But Airplanes Penetrated Defences of London

LIVESIN

Zeppelins Beaten Off in Attacks Over Yorkshire Coast.

DESTRUCTION LIGHT

Two Foe Planes Penetrated Action of G. N. W. Operators London Defences, Doing Little Damage.

CALL FOR REPRISALS "Hit the Germans and Hit Hard," Urges London Daily Mail.

By Courier Leased Wire London, Sept. 25 .- Fifteen persons were killed and 70 injured in last night's air raid over London. The Zeppelin which crossed the Yorkshire and Lincolnshire coasts did not penetrate inland, being driven off by gunnre. Three women were injured. Only two airships at the most penetrated the de-fences of London last night it is

reported officially.

raid show that the group of raiders which approached London was driven Only one, or at the most two machines, penetrated the defences. The casualties in all the raided districts reported by the police up to the off by the fire of anti-aircraft guns.

'Killed 15: injured -70. The material damage was not great.

"Airship raid: Enemy airship crossed the Yorkshire and Lincolnshire coasts between midnight and three a.m. There is no evidence of their having penetrated to any distance inland. They were driven of by gunfire, from various defended localities, which they attempted to approach. Bombs were dropped a one coast town, three women bein-slightly injured. Little materia damage was caused."

London, Sept. 25.—Reports from a Kentish town say that about eight bombs were dropped in last night's

commenting on last night's air raid, calls for reprisals, saying;

"The British people would view these attacks with entire indifference if they knew that every one of them was followed by an attack in which twice the weight of bombs dropped here was showered on German towns. Let's hit the Germans,

that the Zeppelins which appeared early this morning off the Lincolnshire and Vorkshire. shire and Yorkshire coasts dropped bombs and aerial torpedoes. The amount of damage has not been ascertained. The signal that all was clear was given at about 5 o'clock liberty loan have reached 3,900,000,this morning.

WEATHER BULLETIN

THEY SHOW A FELLOW HOW WELL THE BOSS CAN GET ALONG

Fy Courier Leased Wire Montreal, Sept. 25-In addltion to several charges against Henri Monette, alias Girard, arrested last week, including an attempt to murder Lord Atholstan and family, is a charge of attempting to Detective Bissette of the Thiel detective agency, when Bissette attempted to arrest him.

This latest charge of attempted murder was made yesterday Monette is also accused of attempting to murder Conrad Therrien, a chauffeur, whose automobile Monette is said to have taken for the use

STRIKERS HAVE NO JUSTIFICATION

which he was associated

of the dynamiting gang with

Reprehensible, Says High Official.

Sy Courier Leased Wire

Montreal, Sept. 25.—Senator G. D. Robertson, vice-president of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers, when interviewed in connection with the Great Northwestern Strike, said the company's action was, in his opinion, wholly indefensible under the circumstances, because it had become quite a well established principle in ooth Canada and the United States that industrial disputes should, during the continuation of the war, be settled by arbitration methods, and all concerned respect decisions or awards rendered. The company's refusal to respect the recommendaion of the board of conciliation made t responsible for all inconvenience

The Senator was further of the op-The following official report was first her of the option out by Lord French, commander of the Home defenses:

"Airplane raid: The latest reports concerning last night's airplane raid show that the group of raiders

AGAIN IU IKY

Political Excitement in Helsingfors and Vicinity is Renewed.

DIET TO SIT FRIDAY

Soldiers' and Workmen's

of military works.

Petrograd, Sept. 25.—Counsel for General Soukhomlinoff, former min-ister of war, who is being tried on

perature. Wednesday, moderate to fresh south easterly to south westerly winds, fair and a little warmer, some local showers at night.

STRIKE IN NAVY YARD

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Fy Courier Leased Wire Leased Wire Leased Wire Leased Washington, Sep. 25—The situation was unchanged to-day at the Norfolk yard, where the first general strike ever called at a navy yard because effective yesterday.

STRIKE IN NAVY YARD

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FOE TAKES TO LIQUID FIRE AGAIN

Used By Huns Without Avail Against French Lines Last Night.

ATTACKS REPULSED

Teuton Assaults Repulsed, With Heavy Losses Inflicted.

Paris, Sept. 25.—Liquid fire was used by the Germans in an attack on the French lines in the Beaumont region, north of Verdun, last night. The French have repulsed the assault with heavy losses to the Germans, the War Office announced to-

day.

The bombardment that has

The bombardment that has been in progress on the east bank of the Meuse in the neighborhood of Chaume wood, was kept up by the German guns during the night.

The Statement follows:

"There was active artillery fighting on the Alsne front, in the sectors of Hurtebise and to the south of Juvincourt. We checked surprise attacks on our small advanced posts east of Teton and north of Hill 304. On the right bank of the Meuse (Verdun front) the enemy continued the bombardment in the region north of Chaume wood and renewed his attacks on our trenches, near Beaumont. Notwithstanding the intensive employment of flame throwers, he was repulsed with heavy losses without obtaining any advantage.

In the Vosges there was reconnoitering patrols.
"Three German airships were brought down yesterday by our pilots."

BRITISH OFFICIAL BRITISH OFFICIAL
London, Sept. 25.—"We carried out a successful raid last
night, east of Epehy and captured a few prisoners," says today's war office statement, on
the Franco-Belgian operations.
A hostile attempt to rush one of
our forward posts, northeast of
Lens, was repulsed after a
bombing fight."

"The enemy's artillery was active during the night, east and north of Ypres. **HUNS SEEK TO ESTRANGE**

FRIGHTFULNESS

Ey Courier Leased Wire
London, Sept. 25.—Details
concerning the treatment by
the Germans of British prisoners in German East Africa,
are contained in a white paper
just issued. The paper contains a mass of testimony recited by prisoners and others
including a number of women,
to the effect that the Germans
deliberately adopted a policy
to lower the prestige of the
British in the eyes of the natives, forcing them to do all
manner of degrading work and
subjecting them to terrible
hardship without proper food
clothing and shelter, Bed linen
was offered to the prisoners,
but they were forced to lodge
in native huts which were
damp and all became ill. The
commandant, according to the commandant, according to the testimony, declared the prisoners, had no rights, and that anything was good enough for the British.

IMPOSSIBLE TO ENFORCE DEMOCRACY

Germany Will Not be Ruled By Foreign Dictation Says Cardinal.

IS IMPRACTICABLE

Imperial Rule Could as Soon Be Established in the

y Courier Leased Wire Montreal, Sept. 20.—A spe-cial cable to the Gazette from

cial cable to the Gazette from Rome says;

The proposal of President Wildson to enforce democratic government in Germany is impracticable says Cardinal Gasparri, discussing the reply of the Censtral Empires to Pope Benedict's note. He adds;

"You will understand the impossibility of any country submitting to foreign dictation in regard to its internal affairs. It is sufficient to imagine the position reversed. Suppose the Cen-

DECEMBER **ELECTION**

Impression Prevails at Ottawa That Delay Will Not Be Great.

BEFORE CHRISTMAS

Work of Revising Election Lists to Be Undertaken at Once.

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—The impression still prevails in government circles that the general election will not be delayed. longer than the month of December. No definite decision will be reached in regard to the dis-solution of parliament or the fixing of the date of the election until after Sir Robert Borden returns to the capital early next week, but official opinion still inclines to the view that an effort will be made to have the vote taken before the Christmas

Owing to the counting of the Owing to the counting of the soldiers' vote in England and France, a month will elapse before final results are known in all constituencies. This is believed here to be what Sir George Foster meant when, speaking in Toronto last night, he said that it would take four and perhaps five months to preand perhaps five months to pre-pare for and decide the election.

The work of preparing for the revision of the election lists as provided for by the war times election act, will be commenced as soon as Hon Archive. thur Meighen, secretary of state returns to the capital.

land becomes a republic, or, worse still, until America is ruled by an emperor.

"This could only be obtained by force of arms, but the mo-ment the last German soldier crossed the Channel or embark-ed from America. King George would be again the most popular ruler who ever existed, while tral Powers insist that they will not conclude peace until Eng-

NO PEACE By Courier Leased Wire

Petrograd, Sept. 24.-Minister of Foreign Affairs, Torestchenko to-day issued the following statement:

"Rumors published recently by the newspapers in various by the newspapers in various countries, regarding peace associations said to have been initiated by certain powers are entirely false. Equally devoid of foundation are reports attributing any particular importance to the conference in Berne, which has been convoked by the co-called 'Alliance for the Realization of Durable Peace' with which nei-Durable Peace' with which nei-ther the Russian Government nor her allies had anything to do."

ITALIAN AIRMAN FLIES TO ENGLAND

Capt. Laureati Makes Flight of 700 miles in 722 Minutes.

By Courier Leased Wire London, Sept. 25.—Captain Laureati, one of the most daring Italian aviators, twice decorated with military medals for valor, accompanied by an observer, made the first Italyto-England flight to-day, repeating the feat of 1910, of the late George Chavez, in crossing the Alps. Captain Laureati covered 700 English miles ion was planned at the same time, n 722 minutes. His machine, of a the anti-draft riots occurred in new type, started from Turin this southern Oklahcma, was the burden morning. Captain Laureati flew at a height of 10,000 feet. He encountered high winds, fog banks, rain here yesterday. storms and clouds on the route, which lay over Modane and Culoz in outheastern France, thence over the French battle lines in northern French battle lines in northern France to Cape Grizner and across the English channel. He brought mail to the American ambassador.

On May 30 last, a British biplane, with five persons on board, arrived in Rome, direct from London, having stopped only at Paris, Turin and Pisa, on the way.

Board of Selection Given Another Week to Complete Its Appointments

DETAILS DISCUSSED

Conference of Authorities

tary service council, the general of-cally beaten to death for alleged ficers commanding the eastern disdangered by German airmen, who ferences is to reach a uniform under-

tribunal under the act, will probably death has cast a gloom over the cared for in one of these hospitals.

The War Situation

The double air raid on England by German Zeppelins and airplanes last night resulted in the death of last night resulted in the death of fifteen persons and the injury of suppersons and injury of suppersons are suppersons and injury of supperson plete its selections. It is anticipated to gather recruits, is said to have that with very few exceptions, the yelled: tribunals will be completed by that

OF PAPER

POPE'S NOTE

On the French front in northern France, the Germans are keeping up their activities north of Verdun. Their guns are still bombarding General Petain's Chauns wood positions, where the German infantry attacked wire aucouver, Sept. 25.—The audian News, a Japanese guage paper, published here, received a cable from Tokio, ing that the Japanese Governt the Japanese Governt that the Japanese Governt the Japanese Gove

Labor Agitators Planned Nation Wide Strike Last July.

ANTI-DRAFT PROTEST

Arrest of I. W. W. Leader and Followers Put an End to Plans.

OFFICER IS KILLED Crowd Beat Naval Com-

mander To Death in Riot Against Traitors. Enid, Okla., Sept. 25-That a gen-

eral uprising in all states of the un-

Witnesses testified that Rube Munseon, state organizer, and Home Spenz, state secretary of the Working Class Union, which they said was irectly affiliated with the Farmers and Laborers Protective Organ tion in Texas, had told them that the organization was 35,000 strong in Oklahoma and fifty thousand strong

Forty eight organizations, according to the testimony, were to join under the head of the I.W.W. in a nation-wide revolution, in which was included plans to seize small towns, attack cities, loot banks, burn bridges and cut telegraph wires. Spenz told the members of the union that two carloads of rifles would be ready for their use, it was testified. Stores were to be burned after being looted for provisions, according to the plan said to have been outlined, and railroads were to be seized for mobilizing the rebellious organizations which, members were told, would greatly outnumber the troops left to protect President Wilson and Gov-

defend the Mexican lorder. The uprising against the government was set for July 27, witnesses declared. The anti-draft rioters in Seminole, Hughes and Pontoco counties began their raids August 2. Co-incident with the inception of the riots, Spenz was arrested at Heldenville and his activities are now being investigated by a federal grand jury

rally in Brooklyn Sunday night, is the confident prediction of his fel-

death has cast a gloom over the Union Square battleship, died last

"To hell with the United States, the flag and the President. Hurrah for the fatherland." The crowd picked Gunn as the man who had uttered the unpatriotic

Soldiers' and Workmen's from an Essex coast town, the first intimation of the raid came about 7.30 o'clock when anti-aircraft gunched fire and the droning of the airplanes could be heard. The bombing over this town continued for as could be learned, only three has could be learned, only three bombs, were dropped, and apparently there was no great property damage. The Dally Mail, in an editorial commenting on last night's air raid. Soldiers' and Workmen's by Courier Leased Wire British Headquarters in France learned wire for them in the class room at home. Or, Crile of Cleveland, Dr. Cushins, of Harvard, Dr. Brewer, of New fork, Dr. Harte of Philadelphia, Dr. Grie of Cleveland, Dr. Cushins, of Harvard, Dr. Brewer, of New fork, Dr. Harte of Philadelphia, Dr. The British on the other hand, reported in the possible of them in the class room at home. Or, Crile of Cleveland, Dr. Cushins, of Harvard, Dr. Brewer, of New fork, Dr. Harte of Philadelphia, Dr. The British, on the other hand, reported in the spreading broadcast on the continent of the many form men who have have arisen between the British medical service and the American surgeons with big present working night and day in present working night and day in conference to-day between the British room and his activities are now being from the class room at home. Or, Crile of Cleveland, Dr. Cushins. The British Headquarters in France and Belgium, Sept. 14—(By mail). Dr. Brewer, of New fork, Dr. Harte of Philadelphia, Dr. Murphy of St. Louis, and Dr. Beesley of Chicago, they call them may be the opportunity of learn about base hospitals, and they are having the opportunity of learn about base hospitals, and they are having the opportunity of learn and headium. The british continuent the class room at home. Or crile of Cleveland, Dr. Cushins. Lettish workmen, who have escaped from occupied Russian terricaped from occupied Russian territory, report that six members of a local council of soldiers and workmen's delegates, have been shot for refusing to assist in the construction associated Press accredited to British work being done by the March of the local council of soldiers and work being done by the American units has frequently been the subject of the most complimentary registers where the local council of soldiers and work being done by the American units has frequently been the subject of the most complimentary register teams have had one fixers commanding the eastern that the local council of soldiers and work being done by the American units has frequently been the subject of the most complimentary register teams have had one fixers commanding the eastern that the local council of soldiers and work being done by the American units has frequently been the subject of the most complimentary register teams have had one fixers commanding the eastern that the local council of soldiers and work being done by the American units has frequently been the subject of the most complimentary redominanting the eastern that the local council of soldiers and work being done by the American units has frequently been the subject of the most complimentary redominanting the eastern that the local council of soldiers and work being done by the American units has frequently been the subject of the most complimentary redominanting the eastern that the construction is a subject to the local council of soldiers and work being done by the American units has frequently been the subject to the local council of soldiers and work being done by the eastern the form that the construction is a subject to the local council of soldiers and work being done by the american units has frequently been the subject to the local council of soldiers and work being done by the construction is a subject to the local council of soldiers and work being done by the american that the construction is a subject to the local council of soldiers and their w

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and French Armies-R umors of Discord in Medical Ranks is Given the Lie.

tish general headquarters, has made marks by all ranks of the British a careful investigation of the facts, medical organizations.

They realize that they have much to | der them in the class room at home

ALLIES ON WEST FRONT

erican medical units, but casualty clearing stations in which American surgical teams are working. Here is the truth:

hospitals conducted by the Americans have beds for about 1,500 patients each, and there are many times when they are filled to overflowing, for which have been taken over by Am-hospitals conducted by the Americans

By Courier Leased Wire
Vancouver, Sept. 25.—The
Canadian News, a Japanese
language paper, published here,
has received a cable from Tokio,
saying that the Japanese Government has rejected the Pope's
peace proposal.

units has frequently been the subject of the most complimentary remarks by all ranks of the British medical organizations.

Roughly speaking, the six base hospitals conducted by the Americans

TER BULLETIN

Toronto, Sept.

25. — Showers have occurred locally in Saskatchewan and Sheekeen a more than seventy. Nearly all the cancies. While, however, no official casualties were caused by the airplane division, two of the machines of which reached London. The bombs of the airplane fleet accounted for all the killed and all but three that the selections. It is anticipated to gather recruits is said to have