

CROWDS AT PLAY AS FLIERS COME

London Theater Audiences Not Disturbed by Zeppelin Raid, Says 'Appointed' Writer.

SUBWAYS ARE PENETRATED

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The following account of the Zeppelin air raid on Wednesday night was prepared by a writer appointed by the home office:

"On the evening of October 13 another aerial attack was directed against London which differed in no material respect from those made on previous occasions. The enemy's vessel or vessels flew high, at an altitude chosen, no doubt, to avoid fire from anti-air craft guns.

"The darkening of the metropolitan area, with the height at which the aircraft traveled prevented the enemy from discovering the exact position or positions of importance.

"As on the last occasion, the official report issued in Berlin proves the raiders to have been grossly in error in most cases as to where they were dropping their bombs and if we can suppose that they had really some definite objective other than mere haphazard destruction of the lives and property of non-combatants, then owing to the height at which they flew, they entirely failed to attain their objective.

"Except for one chance shot the damage was exclusively on property not connected with the conduct of the war. Of the twenty-seven persons killed or wounded, none, save one of two soldiers who were in the street at the time, was a combatant.

"Moral Effect Little. "As for the moral effect for which presumably the enemy was seeking, that was all to his disadvantage. The raid occurred at an hour when practically no one except children was in bed, and though the shops in the principal shopping districts were closed, places of entertainment were full and the masses of population were about their ordinary evening's pleasure or at business.

"A very much larger number of people therefore were aware of the enemy's presence than on previous occasions, but the population of London, though hundreds of thousands heard the sound of bursting bombs, and the guns remained free from panic. There was, in fact, even less signs of excitement than on the previous occasions. The official warnings to take shelter were better observed and when the aircraft passed and the guns ceased firing, most of the people who had been watching the bombardment went quietly to bed and were undisturbed by the second raid which took place about midnight in another part of the London area.

"No Panic in Theaters. "In the theaters from which the sounds of the firing and explosions could plainly be heard, there was a commendable absence of panic.

"When the results of the raids were examined next morning five distinct areas could be distinguished in which damage was done. The first of these is an area in which there is little or no residential property, some large buildings devoted to various kinds of business and comparatively wide streets. In this area bombs were dropped containing high explosives, which in four cases fell upon the streets, and in the fifth upon the back premises of one large building thronged with people.

"One of the bombs, which apparently was of large size, penetrated the street into the subway containing gas and water mains, and in exploding melted the gas pipes, setting alight a fire which, though slight in extent, lasted for several hours. The explosion of this bomb damaged buildings around about considerably and destroyed almost all the glass in the neighborhood. It also was responsible for a number of casualties, which will all be the subject of an inquiry. Those killed were either sitting in the front rooms of the buildings, or were working or walking in the streets.

"Fall in Gardens. "The second area contains a large block of residential flats, some of which are occupied as offices. Like many other blocks of flats in London, they have a stretch of gardens behind the buildings and one of the enemy's high explosive bombs fell in this garden close to the flats themselves. One or two rooms on the ground floor were wrecked and on the first floor considerable damage was done. Another bomb fell on the top of one of the buildings and demolishing the top story. In this area there were no casualties.

"The third area contains two damaged business buildings. On the first, a large modern building constructed of reinforced concrete and with steel skeleton, concrete roof and flooring, two bombs were dropped, one of them actually on the roof and one on the pavement immediately beneath the doorway. The bomb on the pavement appears to have exploded sideways. At any rate the damage done, which consisted chiefly of broken glass and plaster, occurred mainly in the houses on the other side of the street. The bomb which dropped on the roof of the building itself did little damage.

Hotel Blown Up.

"In the same area, a bomb was dropped on the roof of a small hotel, the ground floor of which was occupied as an office. In this case the strength of the building was entirely blown up. Fortunate to withstand the force of the explosion, and the whole of the hotel, which consisted of three floors of the building, were entirely blown up. Fortunately in this area these indoors had been warned by the sound of previous explosions and they expected injury.

"The fourth district in which the damage was done is one consisting entirely of working class property with small, low buildings, some of them used to house small shops of various business, but in most cases occupied and in many cases overcrowded by private residents of the poorer classes.

"In this area more bombs were dropped than in those previously described and the damage done was exclusively suffered by private traders or householders who behaved with the utmost heroism and coolness, and who suffered damage, and in some cases loss of life with no compensating military value for the society.

"One group of small houses in this area was entirely destroyed by a single bomb.

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Murder and Suicide Is Verdict of Jury in Schwichtenberg Case

"Murder and suicide" was the verdict of the coroner's jury, which sat in judgment over the death of Mr. and Mrs. John Schwichtenberg, found dead in their home recently. The verdict declares that Schwichtenberg first killed his wife and then shot himself.

Some additional light on the case, with a possible explanation for the act, was discovered when George Light, 384 S. 10th street, candidate for city commissioner in the last primary, appeared at the inquest and testified with reference to business dealings between himself and Mrs. Schwichtenberg.

Light declared that he had purchased some property from Mrs. Schwichtenberg when she was the wife of Mr. Charles F. Frye of Irvington. He declared that at the time the woman constantly quarreled with Mr. Frye and that she could not get along amicably with any of her neighbors. He further asserted that a day before the killing Mrs. Schwichtenberg had come to him and offered to give him a reduction on \$500 which he still owed on the property if he could give it to her immediately. She said, according to Light, that her husband had made some \$1,000 on the board of trade recently and that she wished him to speculate with the money Light owed her so that she could leave her husband, with whom she said she was having trouble.

Light said he was on his way with the money to pay Mrs. Schwichtenberg when he read of her death in the papers.

Red Light Zone in Springfield Closed

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 18.—The segregated district here was closed tonight at the order of Sheriff J. A. Wheeler, who declared it was one of the principal causes of the spread of disease.

Italians Storm Riva Position in Trentino

ROME, Oct. 18.—(Via Paris.)—The Italians have stormed Pregasina, an important advanced position of the Riva defenses in Trentino, according to an official statement issued today.

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WHAT WAR CAPITALS SAY

Berlin and Paris Report on Conditions on the Battle Fronts.

BULGARIA ISSUES STATEMENT

BERLIN, Oct. 18.—(Via Wireless to Sayville, N. Y.)—The following official communication was issued today:

"The hopes put by our enemy in their last offensive and the forces they employed in it are illustrated, aside from General Joffre's order of September 14, which has already been published, by the following order found on a dead French staff officer:

"East army headquarters: Third bureau No. 11, 975. General headquarters, September 21.

"Secret orders for army groups. "To all regiments must be explained, possibly in the following way, the enormous force of the blow which will be executed by the French and British armies:

"In the operations will take part thirty-five divisions under General Castneau, eighteen divisions under General Poch, thirteen English divisions and fifteen cavalry divisions, among which are five English. Further prepared to enter the battle are thirteen infantry divisions and the Belgian army.

"Three quarters of the French forces will participate in the central battle, helped by 2,000 heavy and 3,000 field guns. The provisions of munitions are now larger than at the beginning of the war.

"All the preliminary conditions for certain success have now been removed. It will be remembered that only fifteen divisions and 350 heavy cannon entered

into the last offensive near Arras. (Signed) "JOFFRE."

Sofia Tells It to Us. LONDON, Oct. 17.—The following official communication issued at Sofia last Friday was received here today:

"Yesterday, despite the bad weather in the theater of operations, rain and fog and snow on the mountain tops—our armies pursued the offensive slowly with great exertions all along the whole front. "On the western slopes of the great Balkan range our troops reached the line of Novokortis, Aidinata, Repuchitza, Ravnohoutche and Tzavrzh. In the valley of Nohava our forces occupied the important strategic point of Vraja.

"In Macedonia our advance proceeded rapidly. In the region of the upper Brezgalitsa valley our troops have attained the line of Dratsha, Tchoukaciale, Tchavjaka, Peak and Colok Plants and occupied Tzarevoelco, Pentchevo and Berovo.

"A heavy winter rain fell yesterday on the Austro-German theater. Nevertheless the German advance continues, the

Serbian being repulsed on the whole front south of Belgrade. "The armies of the allies have reached the line of Rouschani, Pinosava, Lechtani and Pitopek and in the Morava valley have reached the line of Goulovitch, Salakovalis, Smoliansz and Graoeva. The Serbians have evacuated the bank of the Danube and as far as Golubatz."

Story from Paris. PARIS, Oct. 17.—The following official statement was issued tonight:

"Violent artillery engagements continue before Loos the 'Bols-en-Hache' and to the east of Souchez. We have consolidated and enlarged our positions in the Glyenchev wood.

"On the Alsace close fighting with grenades is reported in the environs of Goetz.

"There has been a continuous artillery duel of an intense character in Champagne, particularly in the region of Tahures.

"On the Lorraine front we have repelled energetically to the cannonade of the enemy by an effective fire which caused outbursts of flames at several

points in the German lines near Leintrey, Amenecourt and Gondrexon. Violent and repeated German attacks and counter attacks against our positions to the north of Reillon were arrested by our barrier fire.

"The Germans, having again recently carried out aerial bombardments against English towns, and one of their aeroplanes having dropped two bombs on Nancy, a group of our aeroplanes today bombarded the town of Treves (Rhenish Prussia) on which thirty shells were dropped.

"The official communication from Belgian headquarters reads:

"The night and morning were relatively calm. In the afternoon the enemy displayed more activity. He cannonaded the region to the south of Dixmude and bombarded with artillery and bomb throwers the district between Steenstraets and the ferryman's house."

Korea on Prison Commission. WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—President Wilson today appointed John Koren of Massachusetts as a member of the International Prison commission.

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