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## TWO GERMAN CRUISERS REPORTED SUNK

(Continued from page one.)

### STORY OF THE RAID.

London, Dec. 16.—For the first time in centuries England has been struck by a foreign foe. A squadron of swift German cruisers crept through the fog last night to the eastern coast, and turned their guns against the Britons.

When day broke they began the bombardment of three important towns—Hartlepool, at the mouth of the Tees; Whitby, thirty-five miles southward, and Scarborough, noted as a pleasure resort, fifteen miles beyond.

Hartlepool suffered most. There were two battle cruisers and an armored cruiser engaged, and at this place the greatest loss of life occurred. The British war office fixes the number of dead at Hartlepool as seven soldiers and twenty-one civilians, and the wounded at fourteen soldiers and fifty civilians.

At Scarborough, where a battle cruiser and an armored cruiser shelled the town, thirteen casualties are reported, while at Whitby two were killed and two wounded.

Men, women and children, of the civilian population, were left dead or wounded—struck without warning while at breakfast or at work. In all the casualty list totals 110, according to the official estimates, of whom thirty-one are known to be dead.

Three churches were damaged; the gas works and lunger yards at Hartlepool were set afire, and the Abbey at Whitby was struck. The Balmoral hotel at Scarborough received the full effects of a shell, and a number of houses and shops were shattered and partly burned in each of the towns.

The hostile squadron escaped in the fog, after an encounter with coast guard vessels patrolling the neighborhood, which were reinforced as soon as the presence of the Germans were signalled.

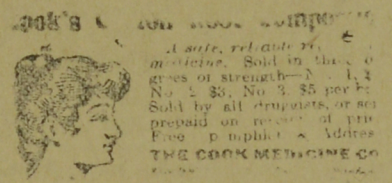
### OFFICIAL ACCOUNT

The official account of the attack, as issued by the press bureau, with more complete details from the war office follows:

London, Dec. 16.—The following is the official press bureau's statement on the German attack on the English coast:

"This morning a German cruiser force made a demonstration upon the Yorkshire coast in the course of which they shelled Hartlepool, Whitby and Scarborough.

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British patrolling squadron endeavored to cut them off. On being sighted by the British vessels the Germans retired at full speed, and, favored by the mist, succeeded in making good their escape.

"The losses on both sides are small but full reports have not yet been received.

"The Admiralty takes the opportunity of pointing out that demonstrations of this character against unfortified towns or commercial ports, though not difficult to accomplish provided that a certain amount of risk is accepted, are devoid of military significance.

"They may cause some loss of life among the civil population, and some damage to private property, which is much to be regretted; but they must not, in any circumstances, be allowed to modify the general naval policy which is being pursued."



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## A SUBMARINE'S DARING FEAT

New York, Dec. 15.—A London cable to the Herald this morning says even greater than the rejoicing which followed the victory of Vice Admiral Sir Frederick C. D. Sturdee in the South Atlantic last week was the measure of enthusiasm throughout the United Kingdom yesterday which greeted the official announcement of the daring exploit of the British submarine B. 11.

With the stealth of a panther and daring which surpasses everything hitherto recorded in British naval history, the B. 11, commanded by Lieut. Commander Norman B. Holbrook, of the Royal Navy, braved the destruction by five separate columns of mines laid in the most treacherous of currents and sent the Turkish battleship Mesudieh to the bottom of the Dardanelles.

As a just for such intrepidity Lieut. Holbrook and his crew escaped in their submerged craft, running the gauntlet of heavy gun fire from other warships of the Turkish fleet and the shore forts.

Elusive as a living thing, the submarine dived, manoeuvred, came to the surface and dived again, finally escaping unharmed from the guns, pursuing destroyers and difficult currents.

The feat of the B. 11 has served to convince the British public of one fact concerning which there might have been a lingering doubt. It is that the efficiency of the British submarine is as great as that of the German, and that when opportunity presents itself the British commanders may be relied upon to dare as great dangers as have hitherto been dreamed of.

## TRAIN SERVICE OF VALLEY RAILWAY

Announcement was made this morning that the St. John and Quebec Railway Company will operate a train service between Fredericton and Centerville until further notice. So far as the Gagetown-Fredericton section is concerned there will be nothing doing at present. Mr. Ross Thompson, when asked about the matter this morning stated that the road between the two points named was not yet ready for operation and he did not think that trains would be running over it before January.

In regard to the Woodstock-Centerville service the first train will leave Centerville at seven o'clock tomorrow morning and arrived here at twelve noon. A train for Centerville will be made up here and leave at three o'clock in the afternoon, arriving at Centerville at eight o'clock.

It is not known just how long the St. John and Quebec Railway Company will operate the road, but it will probably be for some months. The L.C.R. authorities will not operate it upon the terms laid down in the act, and it is understood that a new lease will be prepared by the local government. There has been a big outcry for the operation of the road and just at the present time the people are not particular who does the work so long as they are given a train service. People have become tired of waiting for the do-nothing local government to make a move and will appreciate the action being taken by the St. John and Quebec Railway Company.

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