# 3 HOUSES, AT MOST,

Destruction by Invaders Systematic, Each Soldier Being Equipped With Hand Bombs, Reports

"Having always regarded war as the negation of all that is good," said Mr. Whitehouse tonight, "I desired to see what its ravages were in a country exposed to all its fury and what steps were possible to mitigate them. I do not think that anyone here has realized the plight of the civilian population of Belgium today and can attempt to give a picture of it only by describing some of my own experiences."

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"Eye witnesses of unimpeachable character described the sufferings of the women and children at Liege. As they fled from their houses, clinging to their husbands and fathers, they were violently pulled from them and saw them shot a few yards from them.

Food Sent Peasants Taken by
Germans, Says Briton Who
Has Returned:

WOMEN SEE MATES SHOT

Antwerp Is Dark at Night.

"I should supplement what I have said regarding the condition of Belgium with some reference to Antwerp itself, where the exiled government now sits. It is a wonderful contrast to the rest of the country and the first impression of the visitor is that there is little change between its life now and in the days of peace. I approached it by water and in the early morning it rose before me like a fairy city. Its skyline was beautifully broken by spires and towers, its churches including the incomparable Gothic cathedral, "When I entered its shops were open, its streets were crowded and everywhen I entered its snops were open, its streets were crowded and everywhere there was eager activity. By mid-day the streets became congested. Early editions of the papers were eagerly bought and great crowds as-

With Hand Bombs, Reports

Member of Parliament.

LONDON, Oct. 2.—A graphic picture of the desolation of Beigium was brought to London today by J. H. Whitehouse, member of Parliament from Lanarkshire, who has just returned from a tour around Antwerp to assist in relief measures.

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### BIG REINFORCEMENTS SENT

Russians Report They Have Foiled

emian and Moravian railroads are con gested with German troops and wa material which are being transported

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material which are being transported to the Russian frontier. Germany is making a supreme effort to face the Russian advance and all civilian transport has been forbidden.

Dispatches from Vienna say that the Austrian staff is entirely dependent on that of Germany, which has assumed supreme command in the campaign against Russia.

DIFTIGUE TOUR MADE

PARIS, Oct. 2 .- The Rome corresp PARIS, Oct. 2.—The Rome correspondent of the Havas Agency, says a dispatch from Petrograd to the Giornale d'Italia, says that in the great battle which is imminent in the region of Cracow, Galicia, the Russian strength will be 1.000,000 men, with powerful artillery, under the command of Generals Rozsky, Brussloff and Dimitrieff.

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antwerp when the bomb from the Zep-elin was thrown, killing mostly fomen and children." Mme. Vandervelde had a letter from secretary of Queen Elizabeth as fol-

'Her Majesty, the Queen, wishes me to tell you that she approves your project of putting before public opinion in the United States the sufferings which Germany has inflicted upon our peaceful people. Five of our provinces are devastated. Thousands of families have been driven out of their houses and are at this moment without homes.

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The best wishes of the Queen accompany you to that country which loves to help those in distress."

Mrs. Frederic C. Howe, J. G. Phelps Stokes, Mrs. Stokes, and Pierre Mali, the Belgian Consul, met Mme. Vanderveide at the pier in the morning and attended the reception also. Among others present were Mrs. Henry Villard, Mrs. J. Elliot Langstaff, Miss Ellzabeth Dutcher, Mrs. Arthur Elliot Fish, Mme. Carlo Polifeme. Mrs. Clarence Burns, Miss Madge Hoadley, Miss Alice Carpenter, Miss Rose Young. Miss Katherine Leckle, Miss L. L. Deaver, Mrs. John F. Yawger, the Misses Lewisohn, Mrs. Helen Hoy Greeley, Mrs. Horase Greeley, who lived for some years in Belgium; Miss Belle Greene, Mrs. A. M. Palmer, Mrs. Arnold Furst, Miss Annie Kenny, Mrs. Morris Hilquit, Miss Henriette Rodman, Mrs. Harriet Johnston Wood, and Miss Dorothy Black.

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