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Norfolk --- Three passengers were killed and several injured when this express to Liverpool Street was involved in a collision near Downham Market. The engine struck a lorry loaded with straw --- and although the lorry was completely wrecked the driver escaped without serious injury. The train left the rails and also collided with a number of goods trucks on a siding.

SASSOON.

London --- Sir Philip Sassoon has died at his home in Park Lane while still in his early fifties. From 1915 to 1918 he was Private Secretary to Earl Haig and later to Mr Lloyd George. For many years he was Under Secretary of State for Air.

BRITISH LEGION.

London --- On the Horse Guards Parade a memorial Service by the British Legion, was attended by the Duke of Kent. After the parade the royal duke marched at their head to the Cenotaph in Whitehall, to pay homage to the memory of fallen comrades.