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THE SOLDIERS' LOT.

The *Arbeiter Zeitung* (Vienna, Socialist), March 16, quotes a **letter from a young aviator**, describing a flight over Verdun. He writes: "I felt like a king, loaded with my bombs. . . . I flew over Saint Privat quite low, so that I could see all the houses, and if I had dropped my bombs there, I should have been able to destroy half the village. . . . Over Verdun I was much shot at. . . . I threw all my bombs with good aim and saw how they sprang into the air. . . . I have never had such a glorious time in all my life. Raised above all the earth, flying safely and peacefully above, **one feels like a god**. . . . Like a god one sails above the horrors of the battle and casts one's lightning darts upon the enemy."

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