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GERMANS REGAIN OLD TRENCHES.

Paris, March 29.—The following official communi-ue was issued by the French War Office to-day:

At Eparges the enemy tried to re-take trenches lost

THE AMERICAN NOTE.

wk, 62%, up 1/2; Lake, 12, up 3/8.

goes into effect.

rman observation post."

ley decided not to close.

Lancheon, \$1.25, Dinner, \$1.50

Turk Protection re of Christians

KITCHENER in Dealing With Strikers.

n a large village near Ur-hot by Kurds, the women ionary beaten, and sixtyhe French and American on gibbets erected in the a cablegram received by Foreign Missions in New s of atrocities, stirred up ther efforts to obtain pro naries and refugees in the a, where an uprising of Christian massacre. Ambantinople, has been twice yan in the last few days ment to send protection

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LL THIS WEEK 18s-15c to 75c

Rome, March 29.— Russian embassy received a spatch from Petrograd stating that Austro-Geran armies in the Carpathians and northern Hunry are in full retreat.

AUSTRIANS IN RETREAT.

THE MOLSONS BANK ITALY OFFERED PART

Defers Reply and Continues Preparations Establishing Rigid Four Month's Censorship

CAPITAL BETWEEN FIRES

Constantinople Now Between Two Fires, While "Intense Activity" of Russian Black Sea Fleet is

(Special Cable to Journal of Commerce.) London, March 29.- In a last hour attempt to peruade Italy to remain neutral, Austria has offered to cede her a portion of the province of Trent, according to the Rome correspondent of the Petit Parisenne. The proposal was made, he says, on Thursday, but the government deferred making a reply, continued, and, beginning Wednesday, a strict cen- man in daylight from in front of the German trenches. sorship over publication of military and naval af-fairs has been decreed. A despatch to the Morning Post tells of a report that the Kaiser made a trip to Schonbrunn in an effort to persuade Emperor Franthroughout (taly on April 1st. White no processing throughout (taly on April 1st. White no processing the state of the make territorial concessions to Italy. bombards the entrance to the Bosphorus. The outer \$302,450,000.

After midnight on March 31, no information rethe engagement a Turkish torpedo boat flotilla made a dash out of the straits, but were beaten back. A established in March 15, at \$367,598,000. On that the favorite stocks of the interests referred to and been ordered by Royal decree. While the decree covers only the period up to July 30 it will be extended hostile vessel, whose character has not been disclose This is one of Italy's final steps in its war plans. ed, attempted to run by the Russians and enter the \$455,781,000, caused her to blow up and sink. The Russian aviators not only directed the fire of the fleet, with suc cess, but, braving the heavy fire or the Turkish bat-teries, dropped bombs on the forts.

Allied Fleet in Action.

While the Russians were hammering at the east-Milwaukee, Wist, March 29.—Otto H. Falk, President ern gateway to Constantinople, an Anglo-French

contract with any European country or the citizen aeriai service has been ordered in Italy. The publiof any European country for projectiles or material of cation of military and naval movements, composition of forces, sanitary conditions among the troops we have an order from Bethlehem Steel Co. for and statements relating to the condition and charme machine work on certain forgings which they acter of defence works are prohibited. Even scienacter of defence works are promoted. Lavis stead artish to us, and which we return to them in a artish to us, and which we return to them in a artish completed condition. We have no knowledge or information as to the ultimate destination of the complete of the ultimate destination of the ultimate destination

note forgings as the contract ends with their return made that Italy take Trent, Trieste, and Dalmatia by force of arms. A resolution demanding the government to take "the frontiers of Italy" was unanimously

New York, March 29.— Directors of the Virginia-Arollas Chemical Company have decided to again A semi-official statement issued in Petrograd says ass the dividend. According to the following offi- that the Russian fleet has developed intense activity over work, is one of the best known steel men in the sequently galvanized the railway list into life. that the Russian fleet has developed intense activity over work, is one of the best known steer men in the classic fleet has developed intense activity over work, is one of the best known steer men in the classic fleet has developed intense activity over work, is one of the best known steer men in the classic fleet has developed intense activity over work, is one of the best known steer men in the classic fleet has developed intense activity over work, is one of the best known steer men in the classic fleet has developed intense activity over work, is one of the best known steer men in the classic fleet has developed intense activity over work, is one of the best known steer men in the classic fleet has developed intense activity over work, is one of the best known steer men in the classic fleet has developed intense activity over work, is one of the best known steer men in the classic fleet has developed intense activity over work, is one of the best known steer men in the classic fleet has developed intense activity over work, is one of the best known steer men in the sequently galvanized the railway list into life.

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Boston Mass. March 29.—Trading was broad and arate peace tive in the Boston market to-day with the copper. The Free

Rock. ew York, March 29.—Little change is noted in the

teel market over the week end. Rail orders for the RUSSIANS ATTACK THE BOSPHORUS k totalled about 18.000 tons, while cars totalled

me April 1, when new prices for plates, shapes and us. only 18 miles from Constantinople. It opened a

"In the region of Ypres we blew up with a mine a man observation not."

March 27 and after a violent conflict our gain was Government had decided to try the New Haven directors on a second indictment, and would move for

the members on the floor, and by a viva voce vote

VON KLUCK WOUNDED.

Berlin, March 29.—General Von Kluck has been



MAJOR HAMILTON GAULT

Of the Princess Patricias. Letters from the front cent. such are the outstanding features of the economic patricias. Since then the Italian military preparations have state that he was wounded while rescuing a wounded mic position on this side of the Atlantic.

BANK'S DEPOSITS HAVE INCREASED.

New York, March 29 .- National City Bank, in its

date the total assets also touched a record figure of notwithstanding their recent profit-taking I under

Men in the Day's News

Missure, Wis. March 29.—Otto H. Fair, President of Allis Chalmer Mfg. Co. makes the following state-ment regarding the company's war orders: "My attention has been called to an article appearing in a Elwaukee paper containing what purports to be a There were no president of the Bulair line of fortifications on the Gallipoli order, is a direct descendant of Sir Walter Scott, the peninsula shelling them from the guif of Saros.

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ary grasp of affairs.

the world as cabin boy. After ten years "before the the world as cabin boy. After ten years "netore the mast" he returned to New York where he began to write short stories on sea life. In all he wrote over 200 ON A SECOND INDICTMENT stories which have been collected and published in 14 volumes. His invention of the periscope followed the development of an idea which came to him when "In general the enemy has gained a foothold in general the enemy has gained a foothold in earl Swacker, appeared before Justice Huntin in the years of age. Among his best known stories are the politics."

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THE AMERICAN NOTE.

Washington, D.C., March 29.—The American governments note to Great Britain on her order-in-council aloopping commerce of neutral nations with Germany will be despatched to Ambassador Page at Londom would be quite imbossible for the defendants to go to trial early in the May term. In the case of his ministration quarters.

MARKET OPEN ON GOOD FRIDAY.

New York, March 29.—The question of closing the Stock Exchange on Good Friday was submitted be wished an opportunity to move for the sock Exchange on the floor, and by a viva voce vote of the members on the floor, and by a viva voce vote.

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Former Attorney General Wickersham declared it would be quite imbossible for the defendants to go to trial early in the May term. In the case of his client, Lewis Cass Ledyard, who has been on the board on two occasions for limited periods, he stock Exchange will reproduct to the introduction, but his death supervened. On his deathbed he requested Mr. J. G. Colmer to perform the task. Major-General Sam Steele, who was injured a few days ago in Toronto as the result of a fall from his horse, has just budded forth as an author. His book, asked for a bill of particulars.

Former Attorney General Wickersham declared it would be quite imbossible for the defendants to go doubled and Stewart, is a most interesting publication. The late Lord Strathcona promised to write into an above vice will result that there should be a separate trial, and he wished an opportunity to move for the severance of his case.

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OF ITS OWN VOLITION

Nearly all the Big Operators at New York Lent the List a Helping Hand

RISE IN AUTO STOCKS

Expansion of Trade in This Line, Together With Conservative Management of Companies, Basis For Movement New in Progress.

New York, March 29.—An indicated favorable trade diance of a billion dollars July 1, an export excess nearly \$600,000,000 for 8 months, wheat exports are the start of the sta balance of a billion dollars July 1, an export excess of nearly \$600,000,000 for 8 months, wheat exports since the start of the crop year of nearly 300,000,000 pushels, 6 months money in liberal supply at 314 per

Revival of Speculation. They are also the basis, though not wholly, of the

month's buying of stocks. Recognition, at first by forward looking operators and then by the public, of the change in conditions and the attitude of the Ad house report last Saturday, crossed the ministration towards business has revived speculation The Russian guns are thundering only eighteen shows from Constantinople as the Black Sen fleet new record in this item. The exact figures were After mining to district mining ests have been lined up on the market's constructive stand the latter and the much larger factors repre sented by the Morgan house, the First National Bank financiers and their entourage, to say nothing of the coterie of capitalists, still feet that speculatively and commercially an uplift is on which has some distance to go. They think April will be a period of pro-gress and constructive accomplishment in finance, in Captain Walter Maxwell-Scott, of the Cameron- dustry and marketwise with the dawn of peace a posin the European war. This report in the main is a labeling factor of the general and absolute misrepresentation of the general factor.

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Hence of another great winter wheat harvest in June. These incentives are expected to continue potent. Hency Clews once remarked, "stocks do not only to receive the D.S.O. but is to be promoted abundance of moisture in that section there is an excellent work at the front.

Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan, who is now in London negotiating with the British Government for the excitating with the British Government for the excitabilishment of a credit fund in New York, is a son of the late James R. Keene said: "Union Pacific with all its earnings and splendid dividends would dent of Bethlehem Steel Company, will probably results from Hot Springs in the latter part of this week. tablishment of a credit fund in New York, is a son of the late J. Pierpont Morgan who was regarded as the silest financier of his time. The present head of the firm was born in New York in 1867 and was carefully educated and trained by his father to succeed him as head of his banking business in New York and London. Mr. Morgan is not as important a figure as his late father, but is, nevertheless, regarded as a safe, conservative business man with more than an ordin. conservative business man with more than an ordin-Bethlehem over 70, Judge Burrill and his friends ad- ward an initial dividend on the common. vanced Rubber common to the highest level in several Houses operating in Bethlehem Steel common, have years. And it is no secret that these and other in, met with extraordinary success. They have been Mr. Charles M. Schwab, who has proken down from terests also contributed to the activities which sub- helped largely by the fact that less than 150,000 shares

Took 1,000 RUSSIANS, SAYS BERLIN.

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Rock. ector, a position he retained until his death. Mr. missions of North Dakota and West Virginia all go to by the syndicate of banks and trust companies as a Brock was not only prominently indentified with the show, coming so closely on top of one another, the commercial investment. The remainder will be offer-AND SINK A TURKISH SHIP.

AND SINK A TURKISH has begun its long threatened attack on the Bosphorus, only 18 miles from Constantinople. It opened a
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FOR BANK OF ENGLAND ACCOUNT

original gold shipments from New York have been quarterly dividend of 1½ p.c. on preferred stock, pay-

Grand Pre, March 29.- Mrs. Borden died at 3.10 O "IT'S DIFFERENT, AND CARRIES THE Mrs. Borden's death was due to paralysis, from O

London, March 29.-The sinking of the West Afri- O closed list of business men. ther having fought under Nelson, while six uncles can steamer Falaba, off the mouth of Bristol Channel, has been confirmed.

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The Public Service Co. of Northern Illinois declared regular quarterly dividends of 1½ p.c. on preferred,

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