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MONTREAL MARKETS. Montreal, Dec. 8-There were no prime beeves on the East End mar-

ket to-day, as these are being held over for next week's Christmas market. A few of the best cattle were sold at about 7c. per pound and from that down to 5 1-2c. for medium; common, 4 to 4 1-2 cents; canners 3 1-2 cents; cows \$40 to \$80 each; springers, \$35 to \$70 each.

Hogs, 9 1-4 to 9 1-2 cents. Receipts-Cattle 800; cows and springers, 75; calves 150; sheep and lambs 400; hogs, 1100.

TORONTO CATTLE MARKET. very weak. Receipts 927 cattle, 65 only too glad to accept."

calves, 2681 hogs, 438 sheep. ditto, cattle, medium, \$6.25 to \$6.50; ditto common, \$5.50 to \$5.75; butcher cows, choice, \$6.75 to \$7; ditto, medreplied the Premier. "We protest to the world, especially to America, also a neutral, that we cannot sanction violations of our territory. But what can we do? We have only a small navy and a vast coast line. We can springers, \$55 to \$75; bucks and culls, \$4 to \$55. Lambs \$6.25 to \$75; to \$75; calves \$7.50 to \$75; bucks and culls, \$4 to \$55. lambs, \$9.25 to \$10; calves, \$7.50 to

CHICAGO MARKETS.

heavy, \$6.30 to \$6.90; rough, \$6.30 the price in blood and devastation to \$6.45; pigs, \$4.10 to \$5.50; bulk following the crushing of the Serbof sales, \$6.25 to \$6.70. Sheep, re- ians. ceipts, 18,000; market firm; wethers, \$5.90 to \$6.50; lambs, native \$7 to

EAST BUFFALO MARKETS

LAND REGULATIONS.

LEAST Buffalo, Dec. 8.—Cattle—Receipts 250 head; fairly active and firm Veals—Receipts 100 head; slow and steady; \$4.00 to \$11.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,000 head; active: heavy, \$6.70 to \$6.80; mixed \$6.60 to \$6.70; yorkers \$6.00 to \$6.65; pigs, \$5.75 to \$6.00: roughs \$5.65 to \$5.75; stags, 4.50 to \$5.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,000 head; active and fivation of the land in each of three us. A homesteader may live withing a miles of his homestead on a farm of coast 80 acres, on certain conditions.

All able house is required except where dience is performed in the vicinity.

Certain districts a homesteader in a standing may pre-empt a quarterion alongside his homestead. Price if years after commits, head of a grant of cytars after commits, head of the course. By Special Wire to the Courier. Hogs-Receipts, 8,000 head; active: towards the Entente powers, says:

Christmas entertainment,

# **NEUTRTLITY AND**

This in an Interview to Journalist.

CONFERENCE BY MILITARY MEN

By Adopting Careful Attitude Greece is Saved Consequences of Failure.

the American people that the Government of Greece has only two aims—
to safeguard the sovereignty of Greece and not to abandon neutrality,

Mrs. Nelson and her brother and little daughter of Hamilton, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wells. no matter for what reason she may be urged to do so, no matter what inducements or pressures are brought to bear," said Premier Skouloudis to the said Prem the Associated Press correspondent ings to be held throughout the winter

in an interview yesterday. "I think I may say," continued the D. Chesney last Sunday evening. The Premier, "that the air, surcharged lesson was taken from Matthew the for months with misunderstandings, second chapter, the Birth of Christ, is at last clearing; that the Entente which seemed quite appropriate for the season. Miss Eva Smith presided that while we are immovable on the at the organ. The meeting was well two heads just stated, we are dis- attended and all spent a pleasant and posed in every other respect to give profitable time. The next meeting will material expression to the feeling be held at the home of Mr. Morris. every Greek has toward France, Mr. Rickerts who had his hand Great Britain and Russia, dating scratched by a pig some time ago, is still in the hospital. It is feared blood 0 12½ to 0 00 from Navarino poisoning has set in.

"Two points which caused the recent friction are now in the way of amicable settlement. As far back as November 10 I suggested the inappropriateness of non-military diplomatists seeking to arrange the details of a situation essentially military and of Mr. F. O'Riiey, is on the sick list We hope for a speedy recovery.

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0 15 to 0 authorized to study the necessities of to straighten out things for the comthe situation and report on them, giving the Greek Government and the Entente diplomatists the benefit of Thursday. their conclusions, from which a set-

tlement could then be reached. "To-day this was finally accepted. Mr. Lewis Buchanan wa and Col. Fallis of the General Staff Mr. F. O'Riley on Friday. is leaving for Saloniki to consult General Sarrail, the French Commander,

GREECE CONTROLS RAIL-ROADS.

the "Respecting the railroads, Sheep about 6 cents; lambs, 3 1-4 Greek Government has never been unaware that the personnel was inadequate for the handling of the im- recital, held in VanDusen's Hall on mense increases in traffic, due to the military uses to which the railways now are put, but M. Bouralli was We are sorry to report that Mr. now are put, but M. Bouralli was unwilling to surrender control of his own property. As General Serral A number from here attended Mr. Toronto, Dec. 8— Cattle trade was offered to assist in the operation of the railways, leaving Greek control unquestioned, the Government is Mr. Walter Hall who is on the sick

ery weak. Receipts 927 cattle, 65 only too glad to accept."

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Export cattle, choice, \$8 to \$8.25:

Utcher cattle choice \$7 to \$7.50!

What about hunting down Austroim Greek in Greek friends in Brantford. butcher cattle, choice, \$7 to \$7.50; territorial waters?" asked the interviewer.

"That touches our sovereignty,' replied the Premier. "We protest to By WAR'S UNCERTAIN OUTCOME.

Chicago, eDc. 8.-Cattle receipts spring when we were urged to do so, anese output has exceeded expecta-19,000; market weak; native beef, \$5 .- to-day we would have to bear the bulk tions. The new Japanese toys include 50 to \$10.50; Western steers, \$6.10 of the cost of the failure of the Gal- clockwork animals, such as jumping to \$8.10; cows and heifers, \$2.60 to lipoli venture. Had we joined at the dogs, and horses, cheap speaking dolls, \$8.10; calves, \$6.50 to \$10.25. Hogs, inception of the recent Austro-Gerand imitation skin animals. While receipts, 42,000; market, strong; light man-Bulgarian attack on Serbia we not a musical people in the European \$5.70 to \$6.65; mixed, \$6 to \$6.85; would now be bearing a large part of sense, the Japanese also manufactured

"By following the two principles we stand by as governing Greece's foreign policy we have been saved these two disasters. We should continue to follow them, for in them is our only salvation

URGE ALLIED BLOCKADE. Paris, Dec. 8—The Athens correspondent of The Matin, in a despatch relative to the attitude of Greece "The Government is simply play-\$6.70; yorkers \$6.00 to \$6.65; pigs, ing for time, hoping that the En-\$5.75 to \$6.00: roughs \$5.65 to \$5.75; tente allies will be forced to the sea by the Austro-Germans and Bulgars. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,000 It will be seen in a week or so that head; active and steady; prices un- an agrement between the Greeks and the allied staffs cannot be reached, and that the government will declare that, nothwithstanding the Entente powers, it cannot accede to

their demands." The correspondent affirms that the

day evening.

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Mrs. Peterson an Mrs. Peterson and family were week Some are constantly stationed there, others have arrived from Canada, and end guests of her sister, Mrs. George others have arrived from Canada, and ant taste. Full directions for babies, learning trade secrets, and then with mith.

Mrs. Tottle has been visiting her Mrs. W. Warren in the city.

Mrs. W. Warren in the city. daughter, Mrs. W. Warren in the city. Hopes are entertained that the steam-Mr. Miller has moved to the city.

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The teachers of Elm Avenue S. S. from Archangel till the end of January

The teachers of the city of "California Syrup of Figs;" then Mathias of Greensburg, Pa., Andrew are busy training their classes for the when the railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay see that it is made by the "California should be railway line to Kola Bay should be railway should be ready for use.

### CANNING

Mr. and Mrs. West Smith and son. have returned to their home in Annin near Hamilton, accompanied by the latter's mother, Mrs. E. Siblick, of North Burford.

Premier Skoulodis Affirms day. Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Crackenall, on the 9th when it is hoped a number of new members will be added to help in the good

Mrs. Given and Mrs. Edwards wen

The Sunday school teachers and Athens, (via Paris), Dec. 8—"Tell ing forward to having an enjoyable time.

### EAST OAKLAND

Mr. Orlando Lossing threshed for Earl Burtch on Friday. Mr. Lewis Buchanan was calling on

Mrs. Boosley who has been visiting friends in Brantford, has returned

### Toys From Japan.

WAR'S UNCERTAIN OUTCOME. English toy industries have since "What we want to avoid, what we started up, but could not fill all the shall avoid, is associating Greece orders from the shops. Then an imwith the uncertain outcome of the porting firm sent samples of German war. Had we joined the allies last toys to Japan. In some ways the Jap-

No matter what ails your child, gentle, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given.

If your little one is out-of-sorts, half sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that it's little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When their demands."

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Mr. Fred Pierson of Paris, and Mr. J. Fairbank of London, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Crackenall on Sunday.

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Mrs. Given and Mrs. Edwards went to Paris on Friday and took with them two quilts, one pair of sox, 3 face cloths, two hundred and fifty mouth wipes, twenty-six bandages, and some cotton, to be given to Mrs. Harold, president of the Red Cross

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Amsterdam, via London, Dec. 8-Despatches from Berlin state that Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German Imperial Chancellor, has gone to confer with Emperor William at army headquarters. It is said that the purpose of his visit is to discuss with the emperor the details of the chancellor's oming speech in the Reichstag, which is awaited with feverish interest by the public. Seldom has there been such a demand for seats in the galleries of the Reichstag, and the coming statement is the subject of

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