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HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
W. J. Bragg, auctioneer, will sell by public auction on Saturday next, May 11, at 67 Murray street, commencing at 1.30 p.m. sharp, the following goods, oak sideboard and table, 4 leaves, 6 leather seated oak chairs, tapestry rug, 14 x 18, large couch, coal heater, tapestry rug 10 x 12, walnut rocker, hall rack and chair to match stand, 2 tubs, china ware silverware, pots, pans and all kitchen utensils, also bedding, anti-ques, walnut sideboard, 100 years old, walnut chair, same age, walnut rocker, old; sofa, oval walnut table, 6 leaves; walnut writing desk, 2 card tables, mirrors mahogany frame, steel engraving of Queen Victoria and Prince Consort, antique bronze ornaments and a great many other articles on Saturday next, May 11, at 67 Murray street, commencing at 1.30 p.m. sharp and continuing until 5 p.m., commencing again at 7 p.m. and continuing until all is sold.
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Allies have Discovered Many Signs of Treachery In the Balkan Campaign

PERSONS in this country must have been surprised by the first announcement that Gen. Sarrail was mixed up in the charges of treason that are now shaking France. The case against him is rather unique. It will be remembered that Vigo, one of the alleged conspirators, died in his cell while awaiting trial. It is supposed that he was murdered at the instigation of his alleged accomplices, who feared that he might give evidence against them in order to save his own neck. But though Vigo was put out of the way, the authorities secured a number of documents which constitute the famous "Oriental Question." These papers are said to consist chiefly in exact copies of the confidential reports sent by Gen. Sarrail from Salonica to the head of the French Government. They were not entrusted to the mails, of course, but were carried by Capt. Matthieu, Gen. Sarrail's most trusted aide-de-camp. It is alleged that Matthieu, either on Sar-



GEN. SARRAIL.

rail's order or his own initiative, showed all these despatches to Caillaux and to Malvy, at that time Minister of the Interior, and acknowledged to be Caillaux's representative in the Government.

It is alleged that copies were then made, which were handed by Malvy to Vigo, the editor of a Paris newspaper, and a close friend of Malvy's, and by him turned over to a German named Goldschmidt, masquerading as a naturalized Frenchman of Polish birth under the name of Goldsky. Then Goldsky, provided with all necessary passports by Malvy, went to Switzerland, where he met a German agent, to whom the documents were given. It is said that these reports of Gen. Sarrail all dwelt upon the wonderful strength of the Bulgarian positions, and urged that no attack should be made upon them. Despite Sarrail's recommendation, however, the allied Governments were determined upon an advance, whose purpose was to aid the Roumanians, then known to be on the verge of entering the war. Nevertheless, Sarrail's army did not move, and while Sarrail may be able to give sound military reasons for his failure to follow the instructions he had received from headquarters, his enemies say that he is responsible, jointly with German agents in Russia, for the disaster to the Roumanian army.

It is said that the Germans knew exactly what was happening at Salonica and exactly what Sarrail would do just as they knew what was going forward in Petrograd and what action their agents there would take to betray Roumania. What remains to be proved is the responsibility of Caillaux, Malvy and Sarrail for this state of affairs. Their intimate connection cannot be denied, for, according to Cunliffe Owen, who writes on the subject in the New York Sun, Caillaux has long considered Sarrail his particular representative in the army. At one time, when the Premier had more influence than he has to-day, when as the real head of the Socialists in the Chamber, he could command 200 votes, he planned to have Sarrail brought back from Salonica and imposed on the allied armies as generalissimo. What disasters might then have been expected one does not like to consider. Caillaux has long been a notorious hater of England, Sarrail shares these views, and his reports to the French Government are said to have been loaded with venomous remarks about his British colleagues. It is known that this sentiment was heartily reciprocated and that Gen. Sir Bryan Mahon insisted upon being recalled rather than longer associate with Sarrail.

Licking Stamps is Very Unsanitary. Use a dampened sponge to seal your letters and to moisten the stamps, advises the Popular Science Monthly. The glue used on stamps and envelope flaps is made of bones and hoofs of cattle, and all sort of germs are used in paper. Besides, although they may have been sterilized, the articles pass through many dirty hands while on their road to you.

Congressman Kahn, of California, told 2,000 Master Masons in New York that the U. S. had only begun to war.



GRAND DUKE MICHAEL Who Figures in the reported restoration of the Russian Monarchy.

BRITISH BRAVERY PRAISED BY TURKS

Ottoman Version of the Retirement by Allenby Over the Jordan

Constantinople, May 7.—The Turkish version of the evacuation of Es-Salt by the British, who subsequently crossed to the western side of the Jordan, reads as follows: "On Sunday the British made an attack on the eastern side of the Jordan, but were repulsed. They had made extensive preparations to capture the connecting roads east of the Jordan. On the morning of April 28 troops and artillery assembled on the heights and crossed the Jordan; others advanced near Ariha Aselt with the intention of attacking our rear, but our troops, in conjunction with the Germans, frustrated the enemy's intention. Col. Ali Fudai Bey's troops withstood for eight days the stubborn assaults of the brave enemy.

"In various engagements our orders were speedily executed and the reserves came up quickly. The British retreated toward the Jordan, suffering heavy losses in men and material. They are being pursued by us. The booty has not yet been ascertained."

Another Version.

London, May 7.—The version of the Turkish official statement as sent by the Reuter correspondent, after the reference to Colonel Ali Fudai Bey's stand, reads: "Our troops were brought up by forced marches to the battlefield under command of Colonel Boehm and Colonel Essad, who, at the head of his brave cavalry, charged forward until he was wounded, and completely defeated the enemy cavalry."

"Colonel Boehm's troops captured during these engagements the guns of an entire enemy cavalry division. (The abandonment of these guns was reported in the British official.)

"Thanks to excellent transport work and railway service, the orders of our commanding officers were transmitted to their destination, and reinforcing troops were brought up in good time. The British retreated across the Jordan."

The German official report said: "The advance by English brigades from Jerico across the Jordan (Palestine front) has been frustrated after bitter fighting, which lasted five days. The enemy was driven back into the positions from which he departed. Here German units distinguished themselves by the side of their Turkish comrades. The booty captured from the English was considerable."

Food profiteers in New York state will be stopped by a bill which empowers the Food Commission to fix prices.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA.



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Colonel Sharman believes that the Canadian Soldiers train best on boxing. He encourages all his soldiers to take active interest in the noble art. The photo shows Instructor Russell having a bout with a "Tommy" who is in training. Col. Sharman is watching the bout.

MARKETS

Grain	
Hay	14 00 16 00
Oats	1 20 1 20
Rye	1 60 1 60
Straw baled	6 00 7 00
Wheat	2 10 2 10
Barley	1 00 1 00
Vegetables	
Cabbage, dozen	0 50 0 75
Cabbages, dozen	0 00 0 75
Cabbage, head	0 10 0 25
Carrots, basket	0 00 0 25
Green Onions, b'ch	3 for 10c
Celery, 2 for	0 25 0 15
Parasols, basket	0 00 0 15
Potatoes, bus.	1 50 1 75
Potatoes, basket	0 65 0 70
Potatoes, bag	2 00 2 25
Turnips, bushel	0 40 0 50
Lightage, bunch, 2 for	15 0 0 0
Rhubarb, bunch, 2 for	15 0 0 0
Fish	
Hallbut, steak, lb	0 20 0 30
Kipper, herring, pr.	0 10 0 15
Salmon trout, lb	0 20 0 25
Beef, blnds	0 15 0 25
Mixed fish	0 10 0 12
Herring, fresh	0 10 0 15
Meats	
Dry salt pork, lb	0 30 0 35
Proch Pork, carcass	0 25 0 30
Bacon, back trim	0 45 0 50
Bacon, back	0 45 0 45
Beef, boiling, lb	0 16 0 30
Beef heart, each	0 25 0 50
Chickens, dressed	1 40 2 00
Beef, blnds	0 17 0 19
Chickens, per lb	0 00 0 35
Ducks	1 25 1 75
Geese	3 00 3 00
Fruit	
Apples, basket	0 60 1 00
Apples, bushel	2 00 2 00
Apples, peck	0 60 0 60
Apples, bar	2 50 2 50
Maple syrup	2 00 2 25
Duck eggs, doz.	0 50 0 50
Dairy Products	
Butter, creamery	0 50 0 50
Butter	0 50 0 52
Cheese, per lb	0 28 0 30
Eggs	0 35 0 38
Chickens, tire	0 75 1 00

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

By Courier Leased Wire.
Chicago, May 8.—Cattle receipts, 6,000. Market firm. Beavers \$10 to \$17.00; Stockers, feeders, \$3.30 to \$12.60; cows, heifers, \$6.80 to \$14.10; Calves, \$8 to \$14.45; Hog receipts, 23,000; Market, strong. Light, \$17.50 to \$18.05; mixed, \$17.25 to \$18.05; heavy, \$16.55 to \$17.90; Rough \$11.55 to \$16.85; Pigs \$14 to \$17.45; Bulk sales \$17.00 to \$17.95; Sheep receipts 9,000. Market steady. Sheep \$12.75 to \$16.75; Lambs, Na., \$15.50 to \$21.

TORONTO CATTLE MARKET.

By Courier Leased Wire.
Toronto, May 8.—The market at the Union Stock Yards this morning was generally steady. Trade was very slow. Sheep were firmer. Receipts, 1,155 cattle, 541 calves, 2,457 hogs and 89 sheep.
Export cattle, choice \$13 to \$15; Export cattle, medium \$12 to \$13; Export bulls, \$10.75 to \$12; Butcher cattle, choice \$11.25 to \$12, medium \$9.75 to \$11.25, common, \$8.50 to \$8.75, cows, choice, \$10.50 to \$12; medium \$9.50 to \$10.50, canners, \$6.00 to \$6.50; bulls, \$8.75 to \$9; Feeding Steers \$9 to \$10.50; Stockers, choice, \$9 to \$10.50; Stockers, light \$7.75 to \$8.75; Milkers, choice \$9 to \$10; Springs, choice \$9 to \$10; Sheep, ewes \$16 to \$18; Bucks and culls \$8 to \$12; Lambs \$19 to \$21; Hogs, red and watered, \$20.75; Hogs, r.o.b., \$19.75; Calves \$18 to \$15.

Formal opening of Kinsman Hall, at London, Ont., the Dominion and local headquarters of the Associated Kin of the C.E.F. was marked by a banquet and reception to the furloughed men of the First Contingent.

At Clitham, Arthur King, of Orilla, arrested on a charge of representing himself to be a returned soldier while soliciting subscriptions for a monthly publication, was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

The Standard Oil Co. of Indiana is accused of price fixing.

Rev. D. Langill, pastor of the Episcopal Presbyterian Church at St. Thomas for five years, has resigned his pastorate and leaves for Manitoba, where he will engage in farming.

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