## War News.

#### Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

ALLIES SUCCESSFUL.

PARIS, via St. Pierre, Jan. 28. Yesterday was the Emperor of Germany's birthday. Our adversaries had announced on this occasion a it the appearance of success, that it heavy effort. It took place but did deserves, with the high-class not succeed. The day was favorable for us on the whole front. Every German attack was repulsed, and all of our attacks were successful.

In Belgium the enemy's positions were cannonaded and several of their trenches were dstroyed.

South of La Lys, British artillery swept the roads of German troops. In Arras, Albert, Roye, Noyon and Soissons sections, there was intermit tent cannonading and firing on several points. German infantry vainly tried to come out of their trenches but were thrown back by fierce fire. In the Craonne district the tota German losses on the 25th and 26th surely attain to the effectiveness of brigade. German prisoners show the impression of having suffered heavy defeat. Our losses during these two days are about 800 men, and this is easily explained by the fierce struggle and by the closing up of a quarry ported yesterday, in which two of anies took shelter and no doubt fell alive in the hands of the enemy. Our counter attacks gave us entire possession of the ground con

In Rheims section, and Rheims to Argonne, was an artillery duel, where our heavy artillery silenced the German batteries.

As reported last night, three Ger man attacks in Argonne at Fontaine Madame, between 6 a.m. and 1 p.m. were completely repulsed. The same German failure marked three attacks at Ailly Woods, southeast of St Mihiel. German detachments were de feated at Parroy and Bures.

In the Vosges we have advanced north of Senones on the slopes of the Mere Henry lookout. Our gain is estimated at 400 metres.

There was the same success southwest of Senones, and in Ban de Sapt we gained ground, coming in contact with German accessory defense line We also progressed in Alsace in Am-

In Burnhaupt district we captured and kept ground near Carnay, and re- session of two ruined villages west of pulsed an attack of a German bat-

gathered on the battlefields to the a corresponding loss of ground neareast of Ypres, La Bassee, Craonne, er to the coast due to exactly the Argonne, Woevre and Vosges, during 25th, 26th and 27th, the German loss- a trench near the Yser a mile from es during these three days appear superior to twenty thousand men.

After having concentrated large forces between La Bassee and Festhubert, says a Havas Agency despatch from Saint Omer, under date January 25th, the Germans attempted to break through the lines of the Allies in an effort to capture Bethune. The attack commenced early in the morning, and infantry supported the artillery and armoured trains. Five attempts were made, but all were unsuccessful. The Germans went so far as the church in Givenchy, west of La Bassee. Fierce bayonet fights were incidents of the battle. The carnage was great. Ver-

ATTEMPT TO KILL KING OF

LONDON, Jan. 28. A Central News despatch from Copenhagen, reports an attempt made several days ago to assassinate King Constantine of Greece. This report es with vividly colored suede belts.

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spatch from Constantinople, which says that its authority are statement of travellers arriving at Constanti cople. The attempt on the King's life was made at Patras, in Greece,

GERMAN ATTACKS FAIL.

LONDON, Jan. 28. A Daily Express despatch dated n the Belgian frontier, Wednesday says the German Army in Flanders thus far has celebrated the Kaiser' birthday by presenting to the Allies another strip of Belgian territory. The day, as the Emperor desired, was fraught with great significance but not in the way he expected. As far as it is possible to ascertain on the Northern frontier this afternoon. series of strong preliminary attacks y the heavily reinforced army of Germans against several points of the Allies' line everywhere failed The fighting, which continues to-day in even greater intensity, judging by the continuous cannonade heard in Belgian villages, shows the Germans still determined to gain by a desper ate effort at least one notable position occupied by the British, but if the continue to sacrifice troops in the ame lavish manner as during the last two days in the region of Ypres and La Bassee, their losses will be very heavy and not commensurate with any possible advance. Although strong artillery attacks during the last days of last week give them pos-

Schaarbokke, on Monday night, by a dashing infantry charge by Belgians which came as a climax to a long and GERMAN ATTACK UNSUCCESSFUL. accurate bombardment by the Allies heavy guns posted behind the Nieuport railway line. Their retreat was hampered by the mud and pools of water remaining from the floods, and numbers of them were made prison

previously been occupied by the, Al-

lies' outposts for six weeks, there is

# Vigorol

The latest medicine on the market is the Great French Tonic VIGOROL melles and Givenchy are covered with Every home should have it. VIGOROL bodies of Germans. According to a tones the whole system. Rundown prisoner, the message says, this at- men and women can be made strong tack was planned several days before, and healthy. It tones you at once Emperor Wilhelm himself going to La That tired, dragging, sleepy feeling is Bassee to study the disposition of the removed, and you become bight and cheerful. The blood is purified, pimples and blotches are removed and a clear skin is the result, and life becomes worth while. Do you need toning up? Well, then get a bottle of VIGOROL at all durg stores.

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Robt. W. Mills, Moreton's Hr. Wilf. Harbin, Twillingate. A. Harold Young, Twillingate. Alan Mercer, South River, John Mugridge, Amherst Cove. Mark B. Hicks, Bowling Cove, Bona

ountrywards for route marching and skirmishing. The first bathing paride was held yesterday; a squad of men under Lieut. H. Rendell vitising the swimming pool at the Seamen's Institute. Those who could swim went for a plunge in the pool, while the others took a shower bath. Last night about 25 who recentl enlisted, passed the required medical

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Mrs. Amelia Rendell ..... Nfld. Hockey Association, per J. M. Tobin, Sec. ..

> \$83,416.65 Yours very truly, JOHN S. MUNN,

Marine Disasters Fund.

Already acknowledged ....\$310,780.09 Proceeds sale of vegeta-bles in July from the United States and Canada, per E. J. Horwood and Hon. John Harris ...

#### N. B. S. Installation.

Last night at the British Society's lub rooms installation of officers sisted by P.V.P. Jas. Lawrence, con W. H. Hynes thanked the for again electing him. After the installation the new officers were dine by the retiring officers. The follow ing toast list was gone through:

The King.-Prop., the Chairman; Resp., "God Save the King." N.B.S .- Prop. W. J. Bugden; Resp.,

W. H. Goodland. Sister Societies.—Prop., H. Maunder; Resp., Jas. Rendell. The Land We Live in .- Prop., H. lowan; Resp., H. R. Cook. The Ladies .- Prop., M. Spurrell;

Resp., N. Munn. The Press .- Prop., M. Spurrell. During the evening songs were rendered by Messrs. T. Voisey and H. Maunder.

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#### Tabasco's Tedious Trip.

IMPEDED BY ICE AND FOG.

The Furness Liner Tabasco, Capt. Yeoman, arrived here vesterday evening from Liverpool after a tedious trip of twelve days from Liverpool, bringing a small mail, 300 tons of 1 00 freight but no passengers. In the 1 00 early part of the voyage the weather 2 50 was moderate and good headway was made. On approaching this coast strong westerly and northwesterly 5 00 gales, accompanied by heavy seas, were experienced, though they did 1 00 not last long. About a hundred and 2 30 fifty miles off St. John's field ice was met. Thick fog also prevailed, help-1 00 ship. Sometimes she made less than 1 00 the ice was found thick and closely 1 00 packed and the ship had a difficult 9 50 task forcing her way through. She reached the harbor before 4 o'clock 5 00 last evening, but owing to the ice-1 00 | blockade did not berth at the pier for 1 00 several hours afterwards.

#### **How to Grow** Hair.

The French are now placing on the market a preparation containing the extract from Henna leaves, which is having a phenomenal sale.

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#### W. C. T. U. Meeting.

Seamen's Institute was presided ly attended. Reports of the recent visits of committees to the Poor Asy im and Penitentiary were submited, and the question of relieving the listress, now existing in the city, was ssed. The matter of providing orts for our volunteers, now at

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A. & S. Rodger's

# From the Front. 10.00 A.M.

GERMANS LOSE 20,000 MEN. LONDON. To-day Although no big battles, as battles go in this war, have been fought of all the arenas from Asiatic Turkey to French reports, the attacks which th onne, that they repulsed all French attacks cost both sides dear, the with heavy losses. While it is ev ent these attacks and counte ttacks cost both side sdear, the which the Russians were holding strength, while naturally Russ giving up any ground gained, declare this is compensated the fact that their aggressive postpone the expedition which were preparing with the object crushing Serbia. Russia hopes Roumania with her financial pos guaranteed by the recent London of \$25,000,000, will soon send her my into the field and form the r The Turks, by bringing up their army corps have been able to sume their offensive in the Cauca but the Russian report says they suffered, another setback, Notl further has been heard of the T ish army, which is invading Eg The British Admiralty to-night, sued a formal denial of German ports that some British ships been sunk in the naval battle in North Sea on Sunday. The Admira adheres to its former statement

REPORT UNTRUE.

LONDON. To-day The Greek Minister here, decla the Constantinople report of an tempt to assassinate King Const

all British vessels engaged, retu

safely to port. The same departs

also denies the story from the S

that the German battle cruiser

cruiser Invincible in the South

lantic, and says no engagement

curred between these two vessels.

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#### 1.30 P.M.

TURKS DESTROYING VILLAGI

LONDON, To-Da despatch from Tiflis, Ru army headquarters in Transcausays that fifty villages around in the Southern Transcaucasia oeen laid in ruins by the Turks. he flight of Greek inhabitants, w and children suffered intensely he cold weather, and it is rep hat many of the men among Greeks were made prisoners, some were killed.

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e Morning Post's corresp