GERMAN CRUISER PREFERS SHELTER

Alleged Commerce Destroyer Interns in Pacific Ocean Port.

Twenty - Two Officers and 355 More Men Lost to Enemy.

Canadian Press.1

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15. - Voluntary interiment today of the German converted cruiser Cormorant, and her 22 officers and 355 men at haum, an American Pacific Ocean ON THE WAY TO WALES romises to be troublesome questions can neutrality in this case to a prompt and final adjustment. As soon as it was learned at the Navy Department that the Cormorant had but into Gram, short of coal, food and water, there was immediate disussion of the extent to which the

of the far-away naval station, was The Sharon left Sydney for New-

A Commerce Destroyer.

enemy is not obtainable. It is supposed the ship has been employed by the Government in England At first, this vessel was believed

here to be the unprotected cruiser. She was a new boat and cost in the Cormoran, a vessel of only 1,600 tons neight chood of \$150,000. displacement, but Captain Maxwell's later message announcing the decision of the craft to intern, corrected that impression. This if the second German warship to intern in Americal of the contract of the co isplacement, but Captain Maxwell's can waters since the outbreak of the war. The other, the Geler, interned t Honolulu some time ago. The officers and men of the vessels will be were two private wireless messels will be were two private wireless will be were tw her were two private wireless mes-lose of the war unless the Allies onsent to their parole.

The last heard from her were two private wireless mes-sages received at North Sydney, on Nov. 12, off Newfoundland.

Firing Over Line Must Stop, Or Reprisals Will Be Taken.

[Canadian Press.]

monstrations were made by the Un- derness, wireless operator. ring by the Mexican factions at Naco, well-known local hockey player. into American territory. President Wilson, after a brief dis-ussion with his Cabinet, instructed secretary Garrison to comply with the ecretary Garrison to comply with the equest of Erig. Gen. Tasker H. Bliss t Naco, Ariz., for reinforcements to ndle a possible emergency situation,

The general understanding tonight in laced in position on the international ne, the U. S. would return any rifle r artillery fire, which might come from he Mexican territory. As it will reuire three days for the troops to reach vaco, the Mexican factions have vir-

TO SEND WARSHIPS TO THE CANAL ZONE

se his land forces to prevent such settled in the settled grand fury who was the purchaser, and the jury voted a presentment against him, charging contempt of court.

The Olson and Mahoney is the third

the radio office at the canal zone ows that he is watching things LIBERAL MERCHANTS on with British cruiser from west ast I have dismantled radio of one collier at Balboa, canal zone.' at the British embassy it was stated at Great Britain has no objection hatsoever to the enforcement by the pited States of the wireless regulaion's which the latter has proclaimed nd has been in sympathy with the ensorship idea from the beginning of

GERMAN NOBLEMAN BANISHED TO SIBERIA

bague and London). Dec. 15.—11:33

p.m.—Baron Carl Von Manteuffel,
who owns a fine estate at Kardangen,
near Libau, and the most prominent
German nobleman in the Russian
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Rooms and the list of merchants was listed which which was listed which which was listed which which was listed which was listed which which was listed which which was listed which which was listed which was listed which which was listed which which was listed wh by the military chief of his district names of firms with Liberal leanings to Dwinsik near Tomsk, Siberia. The were crossed off as being ineligible to be bare dealings with the fitting out of excitement of the Bakic nobility be-cause of this incident is reported to the King's fighters.

Parisian Ivory and Ebony We have a fine stock to

Geo. A. McLachlan 390 Richmond Street.

CANADIAN BOAT

Believed To Have Struck Mine Off North of Ireland.

avolving the observance of Ameri- Intended For Govt. Work On the Hudson Bay

OTTAWA, Dec. 15 .- The Governwarship could replenish her supplies ment steamer Sharen has been lost In an American port.

In view of Guam's remoteness on board, and it is believed that it struck a mine off the north coast of meantime: Captain Maxwell, governor

instructed to observe strict neutrality in all his dealings with the Ger-She was heard from by wireless after leaving Newfoundland, but the Little is known of the Cormorant steamer is now a month overdue, and all hope of her safety has been all hope of her safety has been equired by Germany from Russia, abandoned. The steamer had a crew Information as to how Germany ac- of some thirty men, all from the

for work on the Hudson Bay route.

The steamship was commanded by Capt. Cochrane. Nearly all her officers and engineroom hands were Englishmen. The majority of the crew belonged to North Sydney or were ship-

Following are the names of the North men: James Cameron, native Scotland, leaves a wife and six fildren; Abraham Jeans, second steward, : arried; Wm. Bonner, fireman wife and seven children; George Pen-Field, married; Wm. P. Walsh, wife and three children; John Bryden, single; John Melnnes, single: Thomas Me-Lean, single; James Spencer, single: Henry Caswell, wife and family; Wm. Stirling, wife and four children; Thos wife and two children; Buffett, three children; George Tobic wife and family; Charles Dowe, mar WASHINGTON, Dec. 15. - Further ried; Leo Frank, married; Ted Hol-Field and Walsh were former policeermination not to tolerate continued men of North Sydney. Bryden was a

Three regiments of infantry and three atteries of artillery were ordered to

definistration quarters is that as soon is the additional American forces were Report He Bought Goods For Ships.

vally that period within which to com-by with the American demands or be shelled out of their positions.

of the Department of Justice, working here, informed the attorney-general that the German consul, Baron E. H. relled out of their positions.

Reinforcements ordered today will von Shack, supplied the funds with bring the total force of the American which a cargo of groceries, clothing and army at Naco to about 5,000 men. shipment to Valparaiso, aboard the honey. Clearance for the vessel was refused, and the cargo unloaded. Baron von Schack positively denied that he had any connection with the United States Government Will Protect purchase of the cargo of the Olson and Mahoney. The alleged evidence WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—

resident Wilson and his cabinet deided today to send American warided today to send American waroffered by the Government agent, conhips to the canal zone to guard Justice representatives, that Baron von gainst violation of neutrality there Schack drew against his account for Just how many ships, and whether estreyers, cruisers or battleships shall a dispatched, will be determined after full report has been received from of Goethals, military governer of the anal zone, and Cantain Rodman, mayal

william Haas, senior member of the grocery firm from which a portion of the grocery firm from which a portion of the cargo was bought, refused to tell the federal grand jury who was the purchaser, and the jury voted as the

erritorial waters the navy department vill ask for an explanation from its to the German Pacific fleet. One of the German Pacific fleet. "Whatever is necessary to be done," id Secretary Daniels tonight, "to other, the American steamship Sacramers out the executive order of the mento, is in the hands of the Chilean authorities.

WERE TURNED DOWN

Patronage Committee Alleged To Have Struck Names Off.

[Special to The Advertiser.] GUELPH, Dec. 15.-The likelih a company of infantry and some artillery being recruited here in the winter fair building has caused the patronage committee of the South Wellington

Association to be more than usually Ottawa a few days ago asking what Guelph firms should receive orders in OPENHAGEN (Via Berlin, The connection with the supplying of the

Baltic provinces, has been banished prepared, and it is understood that the

The greatest secrecy marked the whole proceedings; and for a few days nothing leaked out. However, the censorship was not of the Kitchener

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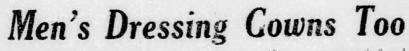
18 only, Baby's Carriage Rugs, White Lambswool, with pocket, slightly soiled from being displayed and handled, but are easily whitened and made fresh and new. Regular \$2.35 and \$3.00 rugs. On sale Thursday morning at \$1.98 each -Second Floor .-

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\$5, \$6.50, \$8.50, \$10.00 to \$15.00 Richmond Street Section.



NOTICE TO MEN---Sale of Fur Coats, \$12.95 and \$49.00 Continues This Week

Same coats as those sold last Saturday, in all sizes up to 48 and 50.

COON COATS, worth up to \$75.00. Sale price...

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A warehouse clearance, and these prices are below any regular quotations we can get from manufacturers. Get yours early. Every coat guaranteed.

Crepes. A few pretty models shown in the new combination of Shadow Lace sleeves, with either

Dainty Blouses, Prettily Boxed for Christmas Gifts

season, in Silk Crepe de Chene, Messaline, Chiffon, Ninon veiled with Shadow Lace and Georgette silk, crepe de chene or Dresden chiffon back and front of blouse. Handsome blouse of White Georgette Crepe, beautifully embroidered with chenille figure; vestee of white chiffon; shadow lace collar; sleeve. Colors white with rose design; or white with copenhagen designs \$13.75

Many beautiful styles in Fancy Blouses are shown for the holiday

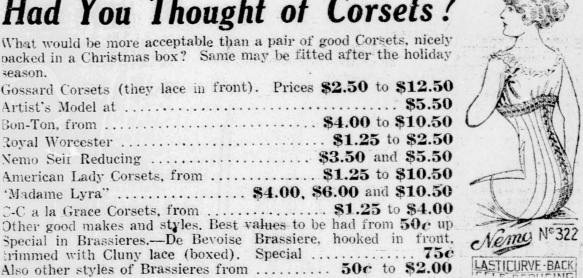


Very dressy blouse of Black Chiffon, figured with white; 3/4 sleeve; low neck; white chiffon vestee. Also Black Allover Shadow Lace over white ninon, long sleeves, high turn-Dainty Soft Silk Crepe de Chene Blouses in the new delicate shades, showing the contrasting vestee effect with belt, to be worn outside skirt. Also charming styles with hemstitching, long sleeves and low neck. In colors brown, tan, navy, grey, rose, pink, maise and copenhagen, also black and white. Prices range from \$3.50 to \$10.00 Pretty styles in Messaline Blouses, showing high or low neck, long or 34 sleeve. In brown, tan, navy, copenhagen or grey, also black and white. Prices range from \$3.25 to \$6.00

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What would be more acceptable than a pair of good Corsets, nicely packed in a Christmas box? Same may be fitted after the holiday

Gossard Corsets (they lace in front). Prices \$2.50 to \$12.50 Artist's Model at \$5.50 Bon-Ton, from \$4.00 to \$10.50 Royal Worcester \$1.25 to \$2.50 Nemo Seir Reducing \$3.50 and \$5.50 'Madame Lyra" \$4.00, \$6.00 and \$10.50 Other good makes and styles. Best values to be had from 50¢ up Special in Brassieres .- De Bevoise Brassiere, hooked in front,



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Here are three specials, picked from an endless variety of Christmas Novelty Robes, \$1.75, \$4.00 and \$8.50.

A most comfortable Lounging Robe of reversible relour, in beautifully blended tones of mahogany, green or rose. Neck, cuffs and down front trimmed with band of wide quilted satin. Finished at waist with silk cord and tassel. Sizes 34 to 46. Price \$8.50 A splendid robe of Imported Blanket Cloth, in soft warm shades of copenhagen, purple or cardinal. The long rolling collar, turnback cuffs and pockets are trimmed with band of wide Duchess ribbon. Cutaway front, fastening low on left side with fancy button. Sizes 34 to 46. Price \$4.00 An attractive Kimono Gown of warm, soft flannelette, in pretty floral patterns, with border. Daintily trimmed around neck and at cuffs with satin ribbon to harmonize with garment. Colors, navy, also black.



Sizes 34 to 46. Price \$1.75 AT JEWELRY CIRCLE

This section is sparkling with pretty gift things. Hundreds of exquisite examples of the jeweler's art will be found in this inexpensive jewelry stock, at prices from 50¢ up to \$8.50.
JEWEL BOXES.—Our Christmas stock of Jewel Boxes has arrived. Ormolu gold, Par-

isian ivory or the Butler silver finish. This is a gold-washed jewel box, and will not tarnish. Three very pretty designs in Burnished Brass, silk lined and padded. Special 25¢

Extra large size in Burnished Brass, with pink or blue linings. Special 50¢ Many pretty styles and shapes in Parisian iv ory, Butler finish or Ormolu gold. At 75¢ each A choice lot of extra large Jewel Boxes in silver, gold or Parisian ivory, pretty styles and

and key. In three sizes. Prices \$4.59, \$5.50 and \$6.00 PRIESTLEY'S BLACK DRE'S GOODS

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BRITAIN WOULD FOREGO

SEARCHING OF SHIPS

WASHINGTON. Dec. 15.—Sir Cecli Spring-Rice, the British Ambassador, and Secretary Bryan in its rights in exercising the right of the State Department today and Solon at home.

The department today received a note than a foreign to the State Department today received and the State Department today of the State Department today in its rights in exercising the right of the State Department in regard to the British Government i