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with the subject were decided be at prices not higher than are

The Order-in-Council provides truism namely, that the present of Lords will necessitate Earl two channels through which Government in its entire record, Curzon's absence from the council In the northwest in Carpainquiry may be instituted—the has striven faithfully and not frequently. So that, Mr. Lloyd thians, region near the Bukowine rail, is quoted as saying that he federal department of labour and unsuccessfuly to better the con- George, Lord Milner and Mr. frontier and along the Moldavia the municipalities. The former is to ditions of living for the great Henderson will be the chief front, the Russian offensive bedeal with the situation as it affects mass of Canadian people. the whole country. Municipal councils will treat with the cost New British Government a cabinet of four. Whether there success. In the Carpathians west of living in a more local sense as, price of milk or other sommodities summoned by King George to of local production. The Minister form a new ministery, as intimated of Labour, exercising his authority in our last issue, declined the under the Act, can call upon cold task and his Majesty then sent storage and other food supply for David Lloyd George and

for instance, the rasing in the establishments to furnish returns entrusted to him the task of as to their contents, when, where forming a Government. Lloyd and at what price secured and at George consented and official what price held for re-sale, announcement was made Sunday Examiners are authorized to go night that the new Government no return is made. Likewise, Lloyd George; Lord President of postponed untill tomorrow. When Serbs from the Bulgarians and municipal councils have the same the Council, Earl Curzon, who the House met yesterday it was Germans, according to the authority to call for returns and also will be government leader in adjourned until tomorrow. When to procure the information, which the House of Lords; Arthur the Prime Minister addresses the is to be forwarded to the depart- Henderson, minister without Commons tomorrow he will from positions near Gradeshnitza. ment of labour. The Dominion portfolio; Lord Milner, minister enforcement is the prerogative of Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, the provincial authorities. Because who has been asked by the preof this, the consent of the attorney mier to act as leader in the House general is necessary before any of Commons, and also as member election, which the law demands 304 near Avocourt. According prosecution can be instituted. The of the war cabinet, without being when a member accepts a position to Paris the attack was partially evidence, however, will be furnish- expected to attend regularly. el by the Labour Department.

There is distinct provision ministry who are not in the war against the accumulation of food cabinetare: Lord High Chancellor, price of food or clothing or fuel is Local Government Board, Baron life, or to enchance the price President of the Board of Agricul- making little, if any progress not yet become apparent. On cial communication issued to 0 t. 25th, 1916

thereof and to prevent or lessen ture, Rowland E. Prothero; Pre- While Petrograd announces the the Moldavian west frontier night. The communication London, Dec. 10-Little fight- ture by the Russians of a height any such commodity.

M. Mond; Chancellor of the Duchy Section 3, which is one of the of Lancaster, Sir Frederick height southeast of Voroneshka. No person shall accumulate or Albert Illingworth; Minister of everywhere have been without shall with hold from sale any pensions, George N. Barnes; At-avali. necessary of life beyond an torney-General, Sir Frederick E. mount thereof reasonably re- Smith; Solicitor-General, Gordon quired for the use or consumption Hewart, K. C.; Secretary for Government to Protect of his household or for the Scotland, Mr. Munro; Lord forces of the Central Powers ordinary purposes of his business. Advocate, James A. Clyde; Every person who shall at any Solicitor-General for Scotland, time hold any necessary of life Thomas B. Morrison, K. C.; Lord Teutonic allies in control of The Dominion Government's beyond an amount thereof reason- Lieutenant of Ireland, Baron about 50,000 square miles bold and effective measures to ably required and every person Wimborne; Chief Secretary for Roumanian territory, virtually protect the public from skyward who shall hold for purposes of Ireland, Henry E. Duke; Lord one-half of the kingdom-run food prices engineered by possible sale, whether as manufacturer. Chancellor for Ireland, Sir. Ignatius ning from the Transylvanian combinations has been universally wholesaler, jobber, retailer or J. O'Brien, K. C. Sir Robert Alps northwest of the capital to hailed as an earnest and courage- otherwise, any stock-in-trade of Bannatyne Finlay, in accepting large part of Dobrudja, and pro ous attempt to deal with the pro- any necessity of life shall offer for the office of lord high chancellor, bably still on the heels of the re blem of the high cost of living. sale the said excess amount or the stipulated that his right to a treating Russian and Roumanian The Orders-in-Conneil dealing said stock-in-trade as the case may pension be waived.

upon only after the most thorough "reasonable and just." In passing An important point in this ment of the fall of Bucharest and painstaking consideration. the Order-in-Council, the Govern- novel organization is that it con- came the news of the capture of The Government were forced to ment are not judging any person centrates far more power in the the important railway junction of the conclusion reached by the or class of persons guilty. The hands of the prime minister than Pioechti, north of the capital, the British authorities that any at abnormal rise in the cost of living the British system has ever known conquest of which places in the tempt to regulate by a general, is patent. Various theories and before. Mr. Lloyd George's proarbitrary order would, under pre- various causes are assigned for it. posals to Premier Asquith were them the head of a line running sent world conditions, probably The new enactment will facilitate for a war council, of which the northward to Jassy, where the result in defeating its own object, investigation to get at the real premier should not be a member, capital of Roumania is now situand probably be attended by facts, while at the same time although he should have the ated. No details have as yet serious consequences. But after defining as an offence the ac-power of passing on its work. making all possible allowance for cumulation of the necessaries of He has not hesitated to place decreased production, increased life or any agreement whatever himself in a position more and Field Marshal Von Mackenwages lack of shipping, high to enchance their cost unduly or closely resembling a dictatorship sen, or whether the Roumanians freight rates and other causes for otherwise. With the offence thus than he was willing to give his or Russians succeeded entirely increased prices consequent upon specified, wide powers of inves- predecessor. The war cabinet will in making their escape behind the war, the Government was tigation furnished and heavy hold daily sessions, directing the the Bucharest line. Previous to convinced that machinery for penaities provided, there seems prosecution of the war, and of Bucharest and of Ploechti, uninvestigating extra-normal ad- every necessary agency in reaching the freedom of Mr. Lloyd George, official advices had indicated that vances in the cost of certain a definite conclusion. If prices Lord Milner and Mr. Henderson four divisions of the defenders necessaries of life was desirable have been inflated artificially it from departmental duties will were in a hazardous position in for public protection. The new will now be ascertainable. The allow them to devote all their the region due west of Bucha legislation, based upon the War punitive remedy in that event is time to the war council. The rest and in danger of being enve-Measures Act, and having the such as should prove of salutary work of the exchequer and the loped. With the fall of Buchasame force in law as an Act of the Parliament of Canada, was from any standpoint the legislation is just one more strtking most of Mr. Bonar Law's time, being Brussels, Belgrade and example of what has become a and attendance in the House Cettinie.

cabinet rank is not yet known, but councils in which the ministers

was held on Monday for the Russians. swearing in of the Ministers. The over the books and papers of such had been constituted, with a war Prime Minister was to have made firms to verify the accuracy of Cabinet. The names of the new a speech in the House of Commons northeast of Budimirts, in Serthe statements or to ascertain if Ministers are; Premier David Yesterday; but this has been bia, have been captured by the makes the criminal law but its without portfolio; Andrew Bonar government and a bill will be gress north of Monastir, The to take their seats without going through the formality of a new under the crown.

Progress Of The War.

The other members of the

products save such as are required Sir Robert Bannatyne Finlay; the forces of the Central Powers In the Austro-Italian and Rusin the ordinary course of business. Secretary of State for the Home are continuing their drive which sian theatres the big guns are Under the Combines Act, it was Department, Sir George Cave; daily is bringing them appreciably nearer Bucharest. Already the work. The Russians have made an offence to "unduly Secretary for Foreign Affairs, almost encompassed on the south heavily shelled the Narayuvka enhance the price of commodities Arthur J. Balfour; Secretary of and southwest by the invaders, region in Galicia. Berlin, Dec. by means of combination. In the State for the Colonies, Walter the capital apparently is being 6, by wireless to Sayville.-Order now passed, as regards the Hume Long: Secretary of State rapidly approached from the necessities of life, "unduly" is for War, the Earl of Derby; west and the northwest, with the has been captured, it was offi eliminated and any combination Secretary of State for India, Austen Roumanians and Russians noor agreement to enchance the Chamberlain. President of the where able to stem the tide. The chti, the important railroad junction town 36 miles northencircling movement to the northwest of Bucharest, also have west from the region of Termade a criminal offence. Likewise Rhondda; President of the Board govisuela and Petrosita is dangerit is made an offence to agree to of Trade, Sir Albert Stanley; ously threatening the town of limit facilities for transporting. Minister of Labor, John Hodge; Plecehti and the only railroad producing, manufacturing, storing First Lord of the Admiralty, Sir running from Bucharest, except manian army at last reports was or dealing in any necessary of Edward Carson; Minister of to the east. If the press of the still falling back all along the life; to restrain or injure trade Munitions, Dr. Christopher Ad-

wooded Carpathians sector, of a any impression. An official

mania, is in the hands of the

Exactly one hundred days after

the declaration of war by Rou

mania against them finds the

the Danube south of it and a armies which have been endeavoring to hold them back. Simul taneously with the announce hands of the invaders the last railroad in the west and gives to climax to the drive of the armies of General Von Falkenhayn

gun as a diversion against the directors of the war. For practical Teutonic advance into Roumania, purposes the government will be apparently is meeting with httle is any plan for meetings of all of Jablonitza the Russians occuthe heads of departments of pied a height, but later were shelled off the position by the Germans. To the south they succeeded in penetrating to the of foreign affairs, war and the second line of the German deadmiralty participate with the fenses in the Trotus Valley, but others whose duties directly con- were held by the defenders from police, posts and telegraph, railcern war measures will be certain, further advance. North of the Oituz Pass and southeast of Kedzi Varsahely, the Austro-A meeting of the Privy Council Germans took positions from the

Additional fortified heights

Bulgarians are reported by Berlin to have expelled the Serbs declare the policy of the new A heavy bombardment is in pro introduced enabling the members Germans have again essayed a somewhat intense attack in the Verdun sector, launching bit ou the slopes east of the famous Hill successful, the Germans gaining a footing in some of the advanced French trenches. Other wise on the French front there have been on y bombardments London, Dec. 5-In Roumania and operations by raiding parties

London, Dec. 7-The Roucations are that they soon will be the Transylvanian Alps to the forest of Apremont, by an ator commerce in relation to any dison, Minister of Blockade, Lord at the doors of the capital. In Danube. Just where it will tack today succeeded in gaining necessary in life; to prevent, Robert Cecil; Food Controller the northwest, from the Carpath- stop and face about, and, with a foothold in French trenches limit or lessen the manufacture or Baron Devonport; Shipping Con- ians to the Moldavia frontier re- its Russian allies, make a stand but later were forced to give up production of any necessary of troller, Sir Joseph Paton MacLay; gion, the Russian offensive is against the Teutonic Allies has their gain, according to the offi-

the Belgian front."

s a sanguinary battle in progress, for the most part the artillery wings of the belligerent armies are doing the greater portion of the fighting. Berlin reports that the Bulgarians have forced back the British in the Struma river lowlands near Seres, in Macedonia and that the Bulgarians and Germans have compelled the evacuation . by th Serbs of positions they had previously captured near Trnovo, n the Cerna river sector. West of Lutsk in Volhynia, the Teutonic Allies have captured Russian positions and successfully Vienna war office reports that the Italians after a vigorous bompardment, launched two attacks on the Carso front of the Austro-Italian theatre, but that both of hem were repulsed. Artillery duels and exploits by raiding parties continue on the fronts in Belgium and France. The Germans and French are engaged in spirited artillery battle in the region of Hill 304, northwest of Verdun, where the Germans on Wednesday gained some ground. An explanation of the military

activity of the Greeks has been

emanded by the British, French,

Italian and Russian ministers at

Athens, according to au unofficial

own from all sides, being re-

Athens, via London, Dec. 7nanded an explanation of the Greek military activity. The French commander, Gen. Saran unsettled situation. The members of the Russian colony will leave here tomorrow. Only the Italian colonly of the Entente remains at Athens. The Allied diplomats, although they have received no instructions a yet, see no prospect of an arrangement by the Greek government, ways, ports, customs and pass-

Petrograd, Dec. 8, via London -Roumanian and Russian troops in Wallachia are continuing the retirement begun at the time of the occupation of Bucharest the war office announced today. Teutonic forces have attacked on the Moldavian front, in the Oituz Valley, but have been junable to break the line. The official statement reads: "Roumanian front: In! the Oituz Valley nemy attacks were beaten back. continued to retire. "In Dobrudia and on the Danube calm

The Russians have taken the offensive in the wooded Carpathians district, and a battle is in progress there, the war office announced today. The text reads: "Western front: On the Golunitza-Peniatti front the enemy bombarded our positions with mines of powerful destructive effect. "In the region of Potuteri and Bziakelany rifle and artillery fire of great intensity is proceeding. "In the wooded Carpathians our detachments have taken the offensive at the height of five versts south of Javornik. "The batttle is continuing with the result not yet known. "Eight versts northeast of Torong Mountain our scouts attacked an enemy ambuscade and dispersed it.'

ompetition in the production, sident of the Board of Education, capture of another range of and farther north along the says: "On the front of the ing, except by the artillery, is in south of the Trotus Valley. A sale, transportation or supply of Herbert A. L. Fisher; First Com- heights on the Moldavia front, Bukowina border the Russian Somme artillery activity of rath- progress on any of the fronts, ex- move by the Bulgarians which missioner of Works. Sir Alfred the Russian war office admits the attacks against the Austro-Gerrecapture by the Teutons, in the man forces have failed to make ported in the sector of Boucha- Teutonic Allies, according to Ber- manians retreating eastward from vesnes and in front of Biaches. lin, are still making progress the Bucharest region is reported communication from Berlin says "In the forest of Apremont, in against the Roumanians in East- by Berlin. This is the crossing vital clause, provides as follows: Cawley; Postmaster-General, Berlin says the Russian attacks Bucharest was captured without the course of an attack this ern Wallacia. Petrograd asserts, of the Danube, between Silistrie my fighting, except by the Rou- morning, the enemy gained a however, that the Roumanians and Tchernavoda, southeast and manian infantry, north and west foothold in some trenches. northeast of Bucharest along the east of Bucharest. If it was made of the capital. The resistance Through a spirited counter- road running from Ploechti to in large force seemingly an imwas quickly overcome, it is stated, attack our troops ejected the Buzen, have turned on the offen- pediment will be placed in the and the invaders entered the Germans immediately. "On the sive and driven the Austro-Ger- way of the retirement of the Rouremainder of the front there is mans back westward. To the manians, and possibly some of seived enthusiastically by the nothing to report." "Belgian north, along the Transylvanian- them may be caught between the opulace and decorated with communication: "Nothing of Roumanian frontier, Petrograd Austro-Germans moving east and powers. On none of the fronts especial interest has occurred on reports progress for the Russian the Bulgarians driving porth troops, and Berlin admits the cap- (Concluded on page three.)



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approximately 112,000 men prisoners since Roumania's into the war, and suffered alties estimated at about 30 Petrograd, Dec. 10, via Lo

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across the line of retreat.

official advices from Berlin

that the Roumanians have

been retreating in Eastern acia before the Teutonic ad have made a stand to the en Ploechti, the war office annor today. They assumed the sive on the road from Ploec Buzen, and drove the Austro man forces back to the west On the Moldavian frontie Russian advance is continu the river valleys, despite resistance. The official state reads: "In the Putna Valle north of Dorna Watra fig continues. Our detachments ing their advance, encoun strong resistance. We are tinuing to advance in the T Salty and Cheboia (Csobain valleys. On the Roumanian the Roumanians assumed offensive along the Buzeu and drove back the enemy position behind the Gri

Teach from the N

It is an old and trite that familiarity breeds con and its truth can be illustrate the fact that we little reali great value aud pontentiali things and conditions with we are surrounded, and to we have, consequently. accustomed.

For instance, the present is teaching us geography teaching it far more thorou and to more people than ever taught in the school Why can it not be utilized in direction? It is true that a of our school teachers are the war despatches as the of their lessons, but their nu could be greatly added profit to the children. Hi and other subjects are similarily taught but this s is not used as generally might be. The daily newspapers

despatches which could be with advantage in teaching subject in the curriculum. for instance, instead of abstract question in arithm should not the trade return this country be used as a for such instruction? Why sh the announcement that the have agreed to give Const nople to Russia, not to be us a text to give scholars some of the history of the Tu Empire? And the great ever the eastern and western fronts. Where can a better for tion be obtained for the tea of geography, and geogr which is likely to be of val the future? If current n adopted as a basis of teachin scholars will feel greater int in their studies and, we be improved results and, we b Such a method should n carried too far, but up to tain stage its usefulness made very great. The matt well worthy of more than p attention from the educati of the province and for

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