TODAY; KAISER'S BIRTHDAY BLUECHER'S DEC GERMANS PLAN GREAT COUP

All Railroads of Belgium Bein g Used Exclusively for Military Purposes, Says Amsterd am Paper-Much War Material Sen t to Front.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 26.—Via London, 5:52 p.m.-Reports reached Amsterdam today to the effect that the Germans in Belgium are preparing a big military venture for tomorrow, Emperor Wil-

liam's birthday. Details of the expected coup have not been revealed, but all the railroads of Belgium are being used exclusively for military purposes. Great quantities of war material are being sent to the

BRITISH WIN IN FIRST ROUND

LONDON, Jan. 26.-7:52 p.m.-The official press bureau this evenng gave out the following statement dealing with the fighting between British and German troops yesterday in the region of La Bassee in France "Yesterday, in the neighborhood of La Bassee the enemy delivered several violent attacks against the first division. They were repulsed

"In one place alone on the La Bassee read 300 Germans Fifty-rive prisoners, including two officers, were captured, attack made on the French lines opposite Ypres was also re-

BELGIUM HAS MET TAKEN TO PORT IN SINKING CONDITION ALL ENGAGEMENTS

Possession.

Mary Collins, Port Lambton,

Only Saved By Mother's

Action.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

A lamp was upset off a table and fell

upon the child, throwing blazing oil over her clothing. Her mother immedi-

It is feared the eyes may be perman-

threw the blazing lamp out of doors

eyes and face had suffered.

and helped put out the fire.

ently injured.

Government Says Financing Is Cruiser Gazelle Badly Damag-Difficult With Germans In ed-Russo-German Fight In Baltic.

Special dispatches received here con-(Canadian Press.) firm the reports that the German cruiser according to a Havre dispatch to the Gazelle was torpedoed by a Russian Havas Agency, speaking in reference to men believed they were taking part in Gazelle was torpedoed by a Russian a German news agency's statement that a great naval action which was extending all over the North Sea. are said to have proceeded in the direction or the place in the Baltio direction or the place in the Baltio thing. Nevertheless up to the present

Some reports say that fights have try its situation naturally will not be is stationed. Russian submarines. They also assert built up again, notably, the factories, men assumed that it is virtually certain chicago, Jan. 27.—Squads of men better that Germany is showing great naval that Germany is shown to be great naval to be great naval to be great naval to be gre activity in the Baltic. A Swedish news-paper describes the attack on the Ga-German fleet. It says it was skillfully carried out, and that the Gazelle's stern post was seriously damaged and her

GERMAN COMMANDER KILLED BY ACCIDENT

[Canadian Press.]

pe Town, Jan. 27, via London.-Col. eydebreck, commanding the German ces in German Southwest Africa, has en killed at Windhoek, according to s received here. He was exam ning hand grenades when one of them cidentally exploded and caused

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elements as the gastric juices of the stomach. And when your stomach is sick and not working just right, it does not give out enough of the natural digestive juices to properly take care of the food you eat. So if you will only give the stomach a little help by taking a Stuart's Dysnensia taking a Stuart's Dyspepsia nelp by taking a Stuart's Dyspepsia relieve running expenses, as the Government's racine after meals you will relieve running expenses, as the Government's racine after meals you will relieve running expenses, as the Government's racine after meals you will relieve running expenses, as the Government's running expenses, as the Governm

sassy stomach.
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For 25 cents you can make ments you have doubled the beauty of crew.

your hair lustrous fluffy awaits those whose hair has been ne-

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your hair lustrous, fluffy

Immediate?—Yes! Certain?—that's the joy of it. Your hair becomes the joy of it. Your hair becomes but what will please you most will be after a few week's use, when you as a young girl's after a Danderine a cioth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt of excessive oil, and in just a few meglected or is scraggy, faded, dry brittle or thin. Besides beautifying

German Survivors Teil of the Awful British Fire In Engagement.

LION PASSES BLUECHER fight bearing undoubted marks of the

The Tiger and Princess Royal Also Go After Bigger Boats.

Scotsman today publishes a narrative of a German bluejacket, one of the survivors of the German armored cruiser members of the crew, the British Bluecher, who once fived in the United squadron sighted the Germans about man fleet was advancing at full speed light was good and the sea fairly to attack the English coast when the smooth. The Germans could be seen British warships were signified. There-upon, the Germans turned and made for the first shot from the starboard the port. The Bluecher, which was comparatively slow, made desperate efforts to keep up her maximum speed, but the British overhauled and opened were dropping mines as they steamed upon her at a range of about ten away."

fire was awful. Our guns were put out part in the action.

"Vice-Admiral Beatty's squadron ha our gun crews wiped out.

one shell next to me. Bluecher, as she was full of holes; but the Germans, cold water, which was full of dead men he received an ovation from and men with shattered limbs who were men. crying for assistance. After being rescued by the British, we were warmed, Paris, Jan. 27 .- One of the highest

during the raid on Scarborough the

direction or the place in the Baltic the German fleet thing. Nevertheless, up to the present thing. Nevertheless, up to the present thing. Nevertheless, up to the present thing gaged in it. They describe it as one of the greatest struggles in naval history When the Germans evacuate the coun-From the position of the German fleet Some reports say that again fleet and brilliant, for everything will have to be when it was first encountered, these

a long one before the guns began their disease.

leading, overhauled the slow Bluecher, pursuit of the fleeing Derflinger, Seyd- inated at the Chicago yards. The Tiger, which came next, also complete shut down, Dr. Houck said. litz and Moltke. Landton, Jan. 26. — Only the poured a broadside into theh Bleucher, but a market for immediate slaugh-Port Lambton, Jan, 20. Only the poured a broadside into then Bleucher. Into the market for immediate slaughof which were speeding in the chase ter under rigid inspection by state and

Mary from being burned to death while visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Jackson, at this time, according to the newspaper's informants, that the Bleucher, abandoned by her swifter consorts, was doomed ship. The chase already had continued for ly around the little girl, extinguishing the flames, but not before the victim's fleeing battle cruisers until the was hopeless, when they followed the

There was grave danger of the house example of the big cruisers, and devoted their entire powers to getting being burned, but Mrs. Collins' calls for help brought Bert Woodward, who Wrought Terrible Havoc. The bigger ships were now being steadily overhauled and pounded by the British cruisers. The Lion, which to the men interviewed, saw that are often of a severe character. the fight was likely to be prolonged right up to the mine fields. The Tiger,

appearing to American pusinessmen to ship staple food stuffs in exchange for were sweeping her forward deck, her were sweeping her forward deck, her were sweeping her forward deck, her medicine did not give me any relief. I decks were strewn with wreckage of medicine did not give me any relief. I the shattered upper works, and when used four boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, vices to the state department.

Liberia is not only experiencing difficulty in getting food for its citizens, but is also having a hard time in meeting running expenses, as the Government's income is almost entirely dependent loss of life.

the shattered upper works, and when many the shattered the shelter of the mines she reached the shelter of the mines she had no answer to give to the hall of projectiles which followed her home.

"She must have suffered serious similar names."

used four boxes of Doan's Ridney Pills, and they put me in good shape again."

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Doan's Ridney Pills are the original standard projectiles which followed her home.

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digests 3,000 grains of food, whether you place it in a glass jar with cooked food or in your stomach after you have eaten the food.

All druggists sell Stuart's Dyspensia Tablets and once you try them you will never again wonder what to do for a disordered, weak, sour and gassy stomach.

With Germany, France and England; but sibly was the Moltke. It suffered even worse. It came, under the Lirn's fire and besides receiving something from the fire of the Tigar, the Princess Royal and the Indomitable. She was in a terrible plight. One after another her guins were smashed and put out of action, and gassy stomach. [Canadian Press.] there was great execution among her trinidad, B. W. I., Jan. 26.—Via St. crew. She was a silent ship, steaming Thomas, Jan. 27.—The British steamer desperately for shelter with the winder Maraval, from New York for Granada. of her after-deck ablaze.

"The Bluecher made a gallant fight, but as ship after ship turned their guns upon her with deadly effect, her doom was sealed from the first. Her upper works were smashed out of all recognition, and virtualy every gun was put out of action. Shells had bee put out of action. Shells had bee put out of all quarters, spreading poured from all quarters, spreading devastation and death among her

"Just at the close of the action the Arethusa fire a torpedo at the Blue-cher which took effect. Her crew

might have been saved but for a new "From the direction of Heligoland came a huge Zeppelin and a number of aeroplanes, which began dropping bombs upon the destroyers engaged in the work of rescue, and which there? fore had to abandon their task. Thereupon the aircraft followed the disabled ships homeward.

"A slight temporary derangement in the running gear of one of the British warships may have led the observers in the air craft to the conclusion that serious damage had been inflicted, and given the Germans a basis for their claim that a British battleship had been destroyed. "The vessels have come out of th conflict, but in no case has the dam age been other than slight,

Could All Have Been Saved.
"It seems certain that the great losses sustained by the Bluecher were due to the terrible effects of the Brit ish gunfire. All the men thrown in the sea were provided with efficient LONDON, Jan. 27.—2:16 a.m.—The intervention of the air craft, all would

The blue acket said the Ger- thirty miles off the British coast. The

The accounts vary concerning the "We were under fire from first to air craft attacks." Some say one of last," the bluejacket continues. "The several aeroplanes took part, while British centered their fire on us. Their others state than an airship also took

a great reception on its return," says "One shell burst in the heart of the the correspondent of the Daily Mail, wiring from a port, the name of which ship, where many men who had collect-ed, were killed. I saw five killed with scarred, but not seriously damaged "I do not know what finished the Beatty, it is stated, had sworn to catch

I heard she struck a torpedo. So we "It was 8 o'clock Sunday morning can thank the torpedo for saving hun-dreds of lives from the murderous gun-air scouts. At the close of the battle When the ship was sinking I Vice-Admiral Beatty left the Lion and jumped clear of her into the terribly went aboard the Princess Royal, where

The sailor is credited with saying that uring the raid on Scarborough the OF CHICAGO YARDS

[Canadian Press.]

quickly ascertained, and as the entire raiding force sheered off immediately after it was discovered, the chase was Orders received by Dr. U. G. Houck,

Lion Passed Biuecher.

For forty miles the two fleets raced along over the shortest route for Heligoland before the guns did any real damage. Then the Lion, which was and, in passing, gave her a broadside, terday. The order was issued because causing frightful damage. The Lion it was suspected that a new case of did not wait, however, but continued in the disease found among cattle original There is no immediate danger of a

DOCTOR SAID SHE HAD BRIGHT'S DISEASE

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

Bright's disease is a term applied to one of the most serious of all diseases cruiser in the German line, accord- of the kidneys, the symptoms of which

Severe pains in the back appear at rincess Royal and Indomitable were first and are followed by disturbances

been seriously interrupted as a result of the war, the Liberian Government is appealing to American businessmen to ship staple food stuffs in exchange for

To Renew Complexion Without Cosmetics

Maraval, from New York for Granada, Port-of-Spain, etc., arrived at St. Kitts yesterday with her forward hold after. The flames were discovered there on January 22. The passengers, mail and sixty-five mules were landed at St. Kitts. The second engineer was killed while fighting the flames.

TOBACCO KING DEAD.

New York, Jan. 27.—William R. Harris, former vice-president of the American Tobacco Company and once chairman of the British-American Tobacco Company, died yesterday in Irvington. He was born in Carmarthenshire, Wales.

MIST TRYTHS!

Of her after-deck ablaze.

"Meantime the Lion was devoting between the light cruisers, using her speed and gun power with great effect.

"She worked in an endeavor to head off the German light cruisers and drive them down upon the British vessels which were in hot pursuit. It was a difficult task. Having regard for the large number of ships engaged, the large number of ships engaged, the battered. Many of them were seriously damaged. In numerous cases guns had been swept from their mountings and hulls were battered. Many of them will be unfit for active service for a fong time to come.

"The Bluecher made a gallant fight, but as ship after ship turned their guns but as ship after ship turned their guns the struggle between the light cruisers, using her speed and gun power with great effect.

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"She worked in an endeavor to head off the British vessels which eversely makes upon others, she worked in the light cruisers and drive the mer colized wax habit, disconhave entirely, and she will soon have the king power lead to the impression her artispant and complexion. Le If the excessive user of cosmetics only

Just Try This When Hairy Growths Appear

Last Days of Stock Inventory Sales

Stock listing has already begun in some departments. Only three more days-Thursday, Friday and Saturday-and our 1914 business year will end. Following out our merchandising policy and our half-yearly practice, the past week has seen the squaring up of all standard stocks for inventory listing and the grouping of all odds and ends and surplus lines for the final outpouring at reduced prices. Tomorrow brings us down to the last series of sales previous to stocktaking and in some sections the final clearings of many lines have been delayed in order that the final sales may clear up all odds and ends — COME EVERY DAY

THIS WEEK. INVENTORY CLEARING OF DOWN COMFORTERS UNUSUAL REDUCTIONS THURSDAY

Tomorrow will be a harvest for household buyers. To those who do not know our swift, radical, mid-winter price clearing methods—the quotations below might appear next to impossible for such merchandise. The proof, however, is here, and we think that every purchaser of Down Comforters tomorrow may well be considered fortunate.

62 Down Comforters, \$4 to \$25 To Clear at \$2.95 to \$14.95 each

As you will see by the list below the lots are small, in some cases some three, others six, and will be picked up quickly, as many are watching for this opportunity. Following are the quantities and prices:

10 only, Down-Filled Comforters, in cambric covers. Regular \$4.00 and \$4.50. To clear at \$2.95 each 9 only, Down-Filled Comforters in sateen covers. Large sizes, three frame borders. Regular \$5.00 and \$6.00. To clear at\$3.95 each 12 only, Down-Filled Comforters, in fine sateen covers, large sizes, extra well filled, three frame borders. Regular \$6.50, \$7.00 and \$7.50. To

clear at \$4.95 each 9 only, Down-Filled Comforters, in all satin top, medium size. 3 only, Maish-Filled Comforters in silk. Large size. Regular \$8.00, \$9.00 and \$10.00. To clear at \$5.95 each 6 only, Fine Down-Filled Comforters with silk, also satin tops. Colors blue, grey, mauve. Regular \$13.50 and \$15.00. To clear at \$8.95 each 3 only, Fine Satin Comforters, down filled, very handsome. Regular \$22.00

and \$25.00. To clear at \$14.95 each 10 only, Russian Down Comforters. Size 72 x 72, with three frame borders in red only. A very serviceable quilt, light and warm. Regular \$3.50.

Halt-Yearly Clearing Of All Remnants Today

Those who are unable to attend this great remnant sale, which affects almost every department in the store today, will, from the viewpoint of savings, miss the greatest number of the best opportunities of the first half of the year 1915.

This is Remnant Day (today). Come as early as you can and get your share. as remnants are the most profitable buying of all sale goods.

DRESS GOODS, SILKS, LINENS, COTTONS, FLANNELS, FLANNEL-ETTES, DRAPERIES, ETC.

LAST DAYS OF JANUARY SALE OF WHITEWEAR We have never felt more pleasure and pride in connection with our annual Whitewear events than we do in connection with this 1915 annual White-



Sale of

Off groups.

inventory Saturday.

of labor. At a meeting of the Birming-

Room Rugs

THREE MORE DAYS

One-Halt, One-Third

and One-Quarter Off

A re-arranging of prices has been made

for the final clearing days of this sale, and

many Rugs are now at Half-Price, that

were formerly in the Third and Quarter

This has been done in order to insure an

immediate clearance of all, as it is not our

aim to list one of these sale rugs in stock

Third Floor.

Blouses and White Wash Skirts at and below half-price. Corset Covers, Gowns and Drawers Specially Priced, 35c, 48c and 98c 5 dozen Ladies' Gowns, made of good strong cambric, slipover style, and trimmed with linen lace. Others high neck, long sleeves, trimmed

10 dozen Ladies' Slipover Cambric Gowns, strong cambric, kimono sleeves and neck trimmed with torchon lace: Special 49¢ 10 dozen Corset Covers, made of good quality cambric, front yoke of wide linen lace, neck and armholes trimmed to match. Special 35¢ 10 dozen Ladies' Drawers, made of good strong cambric and finished with Second Floor.

In actual money value, and in the count of the various styles we have

exceeded last year's figures. Having been able to buy at lower prices we

are selling at closer prices, and once more making an advance on past

There are still three days left, and if variety is not so great as during the

opening days of the sale, prices are in many cases much more attractive,

and in many cases special stock inventory lots will be discovered, and in

BUY YOUR COTTONS NOW

We offer this week some very special prices on Bleached and Unbleached Cottons, by the piece or yard. They are put up in short bolts, some 24 and others 40 yards. Specially priced for those who want a quantity. The following are offered this week at lower prices than has been known for such qualities for many months. FINE CAMBRIC SPECIAL 36 INCHES

WIDE, AT 121/2¢ PER YARD. Comes nicely boxed in 24-yard lengths. Extra soft finish. Just the thing for underwear. Price 121/2¢ per yard, or 24 yards for \$2.75 FINE MADAPOLLAM, 36 INCHES WIDE, AT 9¢ PER YARD.

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out her own cotton will be interested in this fine factory cotton. Special sale price 121/2¢ yard, 40 yards, \$4.75

HIGH-GRADE TWILL SHEETS, \$2.25 PAIR. Extra large Sheets, made of the very best English Twill Sheeting, to clear



AFTERNOON LUNCH, 15 CENTS. Oyster Pattie, Bread and Butter and Cup of Tea of Coffee, 15 Cents. 3:30 to 5:30.

AFTERNOON LUNCH Cold Roast Chicken, Bread and Butter and Cup of Tea or Coffee SPECIAL, 20 CENTS. CHEERS FOR LION A report to the Stepney Guardians |

unable to carry out certain repairing work because he cannot procure the BRITAIN NEEDS WORKERS Thousands of Men Required by Firms assistance of casual laborers, all in the Are Not Obtainable. district being now employed. [Canadlan Press.] New York, Jan. 27.-A London cable o the Times says: Reports from various parts of country indicate the increasing shortage

Do not suffer another day with Itchins, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. No surples. No surpl ham Chamber of Commerce, the chairman said the question was becoming more acute. Many firms could employ thousands of more men if the men were available. In Llanelly one firm clane progress of the charters are the control of the charters are the charters.

and New Zealan were already at their moorings. The Lion arrived at 11 o'clock, and was greeted with vociferous cheers the crews of the anchored warships. It was a spontaneous tribute of affection

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