DAILY COURIER. ANTF PROBS: Light snow; partly fair; little colder. ONE CENT CANADA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1915 r Sinking Of Her Boat aw Imminent In Greece rous of M en's Fine Speech in Gotham emi No Advance by Turks POLITE BUT nan Me ALA MED AT THE on the Port of Aden onside KAI ER'S ILLNESS London, Dec. 23-On being questioned in regard to the recent Turk-ish official statement to the effect that, after successful fighting, Turkish rk, Dec. 23.-T FOR EVASION New York, Dec. 23 .- A cable to troops were advancing on the British port of Aden, in Southern Arabia, J. Austen Chamberlain, Secretary for India, said in the House of Comhat Germany The Herald from London this morn. t and smash ing says: Despatches from Amsterdam and mons to-day, there had been no material change at Aden for the last two bluff. I am urco-German months Geneva agree that the kaiser's illness "On December 20 there was a skirmish between our cavalry scouts and an enemy patrol," he continued. "The enemy lost nine killed and one London Papers Regard Favhe Egyptian le to is much more serious than reported officially from Berlin. npeachable only a orably New Note , resum prisoner. Our casualties were one wounded. he great can The committee specialists have been hurriedly summoned to Potsdam and In the House of Commons this afternoon, Harold J. Tennant, Parlia-mentary Under Secretary for War, declined publicly to give the names of the officers relieved from the commands in connection with the landing s wastage the desperustro-German to Vienna. replaced by th the Crown Prince has been recalled The artillery ainst the Aust from the front. of British troops at Suvla Bay on the Gallipoli peninsula. It was sug-**NEW YORK PRESS** and is served by It is authoritatively announced that the kaiser's projected journeys to the western theatre of the war and to ussian forces : gested that the names were public property. Mr. Tennant replied that if that were so, an announcement would be more punitive than informative. He denied a report that one of these officers had been cashiered. 10 equal those **ALSO APPROVES** anople, is only ten runs from Varna direct hich is only 1 of the Roumani Constantinople, have been abandoned. It is said that his illness is due to only twenty one miles Roumania, the Reply to Austrian Arguin air line and for a recurrence of the malady which proved fatal to his father. MR. ROOSEVELT WILL ment is Complete and N STIRRED O'/ER Conclusive. AGAIN ENTER RACE New York Tribune Alone Appeal For SINKING C. HER SHIP Serb Refugees **Dissents**, **Disliking the** Will "Throw His Hat in the Ring" on March 1st, and Mild Tone. By Special Wire to the Courler London, Dec. 23-An appeal for Will Go After the Nomination. ed in the Mediter and in Without Warning, and funds for Serbian refugees, signed by **fokio is Greatly Excited About the Matter.** By Special Wire to the Courler battle that is to follow. Upon his re-By Special Wire to the Courier. the Bishop of London, Earl Curzon Boston, Dec. 23 .- The Boston Ad- turn, it is declared the former presi- London, Dec. 23 .- Few of the lead-Boston, Dec. 23.—The Boston Ad-vertiser, which is owned by Charles Summer Bird, the Progressive leader, publishes a despatch from New York dated December 21, which says: the former bird, the Progressive leader, publishes a despatch from New York the says the say ferred to the sinking of the ship as the Right Hon. Herbert L. Samuei, Special Wire to the Courier. Tokio, Dec. 23.-News of the sink- done by either an Austrian or a Ger- Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, Tokio, Dec. 23.—News of the sink-ing of the Yasaka Maru reached Tokio to-day, and caused great excitement. The advices received bere say the steamehic wes such the picked up the parameters and a submersible. The Yasaka Maru was sunk Tues-day afternoon. A French gunboat was issued here last night. "Ex-President Roosevelt will again "I know that Col. Roosevelt plans "The note is quite polite," says the Daily News, in an editorial, "but it leaves no room for evasion. Thus address throw his hat in the ring about March to become a candidate for the Re- Daily News, in an editorial, here say the steamship was sunk by a midhight and landed them at Port nual dinner r. Until that time he will remain passive." This statement was made to-day by LOSSES AT DARDANELLES society in New submarine near Port Said. Said Wednesday morning. The com-It was the first public address de-livered by Sir Robert in the United States since the beginning of the war, and it follows closely upon his visit is unk in the eastern Mediterranean is submarine while the steamer was SUNK WITHOUT WARNING This statement was made to-day by a close political and personal friend of the former president. Here is the manner in which the situation will likely shape up: London, Dec. 23.— 12.48 p.m.—Great Britain's loss of and it follows closely upon his visit to England and France for official conference as to Canadian participa-tion in the conflict. After reviewing his own intimate associations with New England life and ideals, and re-calling, among other things, how many thousands of Canadians fought there the Stars and Stripes." In New England regiments during the Civil War, and speaking of the phenomenal Mainter in which the view of the structure in th officers and men at the Dardanelles up to December 11, was 112,921. 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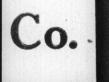
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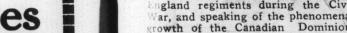
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Missing-Officers 337; men, Avery Quits .- See Bargain Bullefor three weeks, resting up for the a candidate himself. in on Page 4. On Eating HARTMANN'S WEILERKOPF IS RECAPTURED FROM FRENCH IS THE CLAIM OF BERLIN By Special Wire to the Courier. Vancouver, Dec. 23.—The C. P. R.

23,670. Wounded — Officers, 2,969;

men 72,222.

powers. "From the viewpoint of civilization, nothing better could happen than **Resumes Her** that America should be able, without an open breach, to force upon the Former Route central powers a public acknowledg-ment of their violations of the laws of humanity. No sensible man know ing America's great neutral services can desire a rupture between her and the central powers.' The Standard says: Empress of Japan arrived at Portland "The American government shows yesterday evening to resume her reno disposition to waste time in progular sailings. The Empress has been engaged more than a year in patrol work in the Pacific and elsewhere. a whit too strong, for the Washing-She carried eight 4.7 guns and was ton government has been treated by alongside the Emden after the latter was battered to pieces on Cocos Is-lence more galling than the more land. She took an active part in the fighting at Bab-el-Mandeb near the dent Wilson has resolved not to be the dent Wilson has resolved not to be played with by Vienna, as he was by Berlin, is due not to the deeper guilt entrance to the Red Sea. of Austria but to the conviction of Women Running the American people after the recent revelations, that there was but one

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persed in the pursuit of material delopment, there came little more han a year ago a call and a test which searched and tried the spirit Vienna, Dec. 23 .- Via London-A f the nation. Until then, Canada had nown little of the actualities of war ministerial decree has been issued for or a century. The course she should bidding the baking of rolls, biscuits ursue was entirely within the judg- and other rancy breads and permitting ment and disposition of her parlia-ment and people. From the first time bread. The order does not apply to ere was not the slightest hesitation. households CANADA WITH BRITAIN

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the European war. He said: To the Canadian people thus im-

Recalled hurriedly to Ottawa on to report the quantity on hand on the he first day of August, 1914, I took first and fifteenth of every monh. Thi he responsibility, in the absence of order authorizes the expropriation of mineral oils if such a step is necessary ny colleagues, of sending to the Brit-

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government a message which exressed our most earnest hope that a **RECRUITING LEAGUE** eaceful solution of international difulties might be achieved and our rong desire to co-operate in every

> Committee-Matters in Good Condition.

essary to insure the integrity and There was a general meeting of the aintain the honor of our Empire. executive committee of the Brant Re-The pledge thus given has been ost fully redeemed by the Canadian cruiting League held yesterday afternoon in the Y.M.C.A. There was a

good attendance including a represent-I do not propose to argue or af-The function of the ladies. The ation of the ladies. Col. H. Cockshutt occupied the chair and gave an interesting review by known. Upon these facts the peo-of what had been accomplished. He of the neutral nations must found mentioned that Brant county's levy eir own conclusions. The Canadian in connection with the Ontario Rc-ople are impressed with the most cruiting League was \$1,800 and this and intense conviction that had been paid. No county was doing r cause is just and that it will pre- better and few as well in recruiting, Undoubtedly it concerns the than this.

wers, influence and destiny of our Major McLean, speaking for Coi. has been punished and that mpire. But we are convinced be- Cutcliffe who could not arrive until dent is considered closed. Recrudes error of subm all question that this conflict is later stated that recruiting results for all question that this conflict is later stated that recruiting results for the descence of submarine activencies. The Germans admit retire vastly wider significance and that the Brant Battalion could be regarded in a startling many but the principle of the submit which they vastly wider significance and that the Brant Battalion could be regarded in a startling manner by the sinking assert they had occupied since April. determination must exercise a as good They now had over 500 and in a startling manner by the sinking assert they had occupied since April. of the Japanese liner Yasaka Maru. The French claim they have not only

orte et dure' of militarism and arma-county said that the results might be nents as during the past half century. In is is not an inspiring record after It he aspiration, the effort and the crifices of a thousand years. All the Vers said that the results might be trout and in the st incurred in any maritime disester of the war. The nature of the valuable cargo remaine undisclosed. VARNA BOMBARDMENT NOT SERIOUS lives sacrificed and all the treasure well covered and that those who had expended in the struggle will have enlisted should visit their own dis-

heen in vain if humanity must still tricts as recruiting agents. ndure so intolerable a restraint ad- The meeting expressed approval of

ded to the staggering burden which the plan. this conflict will itself entail upon all col. W. F. Cockshutt, M.P, suggested that in this Christmas period day night meetings at the Brant the warring nations. Such, however, would be the result of an inconclu-sive peace. The people of the British Dominions are animated by a stern to them.

Mr. W. F. Cockshutt informed Mrs. Livingston that steps had already high tribute to the ladies. A more The chief insignia of a civilized nation been taken to furnish a standard for noble band of workers it would be Interesting Experiences in for the law. A world civilization Mayor Spence, during the course

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Further order requires persons possessing raw oils, benzol and tar oil Martial Law in Greece Said to be Imminent Because of Uneasiness Over Possibility of Bulgarians Advancing on Saloniki-Varna Bombardment Only Minor Operation-Greek Cabinet in Important Council.

> of Varna which was at first depicted writing under date of Tuesday, sends By Special Wire to the Courier.

A Meeting of the Executive Berlin, Dec. 23, via London,-The as a formidable Russian attack on the following: war office announced to-day that the the chief Bulgarian port, has stirred "The cabinet is sitting in council summit of Hartmanns-Wielrkopf, cap- London. But according to reports from to-night and important decisions are tured earlier in the week by the both sides it was nothing more than expected. The aged premier (M French, had been regained by the a minor naval action among torpedo Skouloudis) finds the strain of office boats, in which the shore batteries very heavy and is anxious to resign Advance Guard of Female Force Germann

participated. However, a large Rus- now that the elections are over and sain fleet is said to be in the vicinity there is a majority for M. Gounaris. MARTIAL LAW

martial law in Greece is reported un-officially to be imminent. Although no confirmation of this report is Hartmanns-Weilerkopf is once rather continue the support of the By Special

available, there is evidence of grow- more a subject of contention. Po- present ministry, composed of leaders Berlin, Dec. 22.-Via London, Dec. ing uneasiness at Athens, over the session of the summit of this moun- of all parties. possibility of the Bulgarian troops tain has been disputed so closely by The only thing which has occurred who officially record their movements in southeastern Serbia), and are excrossing the border. to relieve the situation is the an-nouncement that the Bulgarian offi-ent was called upon last April to de-

cer in command of the force which cide the relative positions of the opclashed with the Greek in Epirus, posing sides. In the recent instance planting the French assert they have expelled Pleasing the Germans from their highest Recrudescence of submarine ac- trenches. The Germans admit retire-Apparently there was no loss of life, advanced their positions substantial but according to marine insurance ly, notwithstandia, the fact that the men, the property loss was the heavi-

London, Dec. 23 .- The Athens cor-The mystery of the bombardment respondent of Reuter's Telegram Co.,

nobly right from the start of the war. Young Men Wanted It was decided to continue the Sun-

gested that in this Christings period day night incertings at the Brant there were many old Brantford and Brant County boys visiting from var-ious points and that the claims of the Brant Battalion should be presented Brant Battalion should be presented plication in Sunday night at 8.30 at

in any way at any time. The chairman, in reply, paid a very the Brant Theatre.

impossible to conceive.

for the law. A world civilization which cannot establish and maintain an equally high international stand-ard will assuredly crumble. If it (Continued on Page 4) (Continued on

Street Cars Now in Hun Capital Which Will Displace Men

London, Dec. 23.-Proclamation of of Varna, and the action may be The latter, however, at the present

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of all parties. The central powers are concentrat-gan their duties on three of the Berlin pected to take the offensive this week. which will eventually displace all but

the oldest men on the lines if the war continues. The women have undertaken almost every conceivable male ccupation, but these twenty are vit-tually the first to be entrusted with the The World says: positions involving the saftey of the public.

Eventually.

For the next ten days the motor Custom physical strain and not lose their wits

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to Travel in their employ a fine Christmas tur-key with the Season's Greetings. The Brant Battalion leave shortly Wives and families of employees who Wives and families of employees who be Easy to Make

Undeniable Facts. Not only as regards imports are the thing else is available. Are you in favor arguments of the Local Optionists of "squirrel and bootleggers" or decent

German Prison Camp made frail; but take, for instance, the hotels and purely distilled beverages? amount of spirituous liquors taken out Your intelligence should compel you

way to deal with a government so deeply tainted with lawlessness and insincerity." New York, Dec. 23.—Commenting editorially on the latest American note to Austria, The Herald this morning

There can be no putting two interpretations upon the second note of the United States to Austria-Hungary dealing with the crime of the "Ancona." It contains nothing equivocal, nothing that even suggests a loop-hole. The issue is squarely joined. Austria must meet the demands of the United States, or the government of the United States, speaking undoubtedly for the great mass of Americans, will break off diplomatic relations. It is for Austria-Hungary to decide. The note made public to-day is a clear and clean cut reiteration of the demands

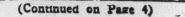
The American reply to the Austrian ote is complete and conclusive. One women will guide their cars on minor of two courses is open to the governlines under the supervision of exper-ienced men. If they can stand the the official demands. It can repudiate the official report of its own admirin crowds they will gradually be in-troduced on all routes. To-day's twenty beginners all stood the test well. They operated on the in crowds they will gradually be in-troduced on all routes. To-day's twenty beginners all stood the test well. They operated on the many accepted in the Arabic case. In that event not only must the United States sever diplomatic relations

with a country which repudiates the whole fabric of diplomatic relations, but Austria must proclaim herself an international outlaw.

What is inevitably the last word in defining the terms on which the relationship can continue has been spoker by the government of the United States.

The Sun says:

The reply of the United States is adequate and responsive. It answers the questions raised by the Imperial and Royal government with sufficient explicitness to establish the facts and principles on which our demands are grounded. It properly refrains from discussion of those principles, the ac-ceptance of which by all civilized na-



"squirrel." You know what "squirre." whiskey does to a community when no-

