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The orders-in-council will decree that the "long-range blockade" of Germany will differ from previous conceptions of a blockade of a belligerent power, in that ships bearing cargoes for Germany will not be seized and their hulls and cargoes confiscated, but will simply be held up and compelled to dispose of their cargoes for the benefit of the shipper at British or French ports, according to which nation makes the arrest of the vessel on the high seas.

Another phase of the orders will set forth the intentions of the allies with regard to mixed cargoes. Where ships are carrying cargoes destined in part to Germany and in part for one or more of the neutral nations, such as Denmark, Holland, Norway or Sweden, the portion destined for Germany will be removed from the ship and disposed of for the benefit of the captor nation, and the remainder will be permitted to proceed to its neutral destination.

What will be the effect of the stand taken by Great Britain and in turn of course by her allies will have upon the American position assumed in the notes to Germany and Great Britain dated Feb. 27, and which have not yet been made public in the United States is problematical. The orders are considered here as establishing a precedent in international affairs, "the long-range blockade" of Washington politicians, is in no sense the sort of a blockade which international law recognizes, and yet, on the other hand, the effects of its enforcement are by no means so drastic. Without exercising the powers of confiscation of the cargoes or ships which fall into the hands of the allies, the loss to the American must come entirely in the form of loss of his super-added profits from disposing of his products.

Where the demand is highest and therefore in turn the prices are the highest. He will not be made to suffer either a loss of his property or an undue loss of his profits, for both France and Great Britain can find ample use for their vessels shall seize and will pay for them, it is understood, the reasonable market price.

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Roosderdyk Said to Have Been Torpedoed and is Returning to Rotterdam.

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Material is Needed to Strengthen Islands in Sea of Marmora, But These Preparations Cannot Prove Effectual—Population of Constantinople Suffering and Hold Germans Responsible for Miseries.

GUEST OF HONOR TONIGHT

James Norris, President of the Central Conservative Association, in whose honor a dinner is being given tonight.

PROROGATION BY EASTER LIKELY

Government Orders to Have Precedence for Remainder of Session.

HUGHES GIVEN PRAISE

Wilcox of North Essex Complimentary—Liberal Press is Blamed.

By a Staff Reporter.

OTTAWA, March 5.—Upon motion of the prime minister, the house this afternoon gave precedence to government orders for the balance of the session after next Monday.

FAREWELL BANQUET TO MEDICAL MEN

Sixteen Who Join Clearing Hospital, Entertained by Comrades Last Night.

Members of the faculty of medicine and students to the number of 400 attended a banquet at the Walker House last night tendered to the members of the fourth year medical class who are going away to join the clearing hospital of the second contingent.

GERMANS CLAIM THAT THE THORDIS WAS SUNK

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ROTTERDAM, March 5.—The crew of the steamer Thordis will be interested to hear according to German papers, that their ship was sunk by submarines and not vice-versa.

IN AID OF RED CROSS.

A moving picture entertainment was given at the Grosvenor Street Presbyterian Church last night, under the auspices of the Young Men's Bible Class of that church.

SEVEN SUBMARINES LOST BY GERMANY?

Four Known to Have Been Sunk by British Warships.

PARIS MAKES CLAIM

Destroyer Fired and Craft Vanished—British Skippers Claim Reward.

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LONDON, March 5.—The sinking of the German submarine U8 as officially announced today, makes the fourth of these vessels to be sunk by British warships since the beginning of the war, the others being the U35, the U15 and the one rammed by the destroyer and the one rammer at the Belgian coast.

ADMIRALTY SATISFIED.

The admiral's statement expressed the opinion that the claim of Captain Bell of the Thordis was borne out by injuries to the vessel's keel and propeller.

Submarine Vanished.

The statement of the French ministry of marine today was to the effect that a German submarine of the U2 type had been fired on by a French cruiser in the English Channel yesterday. The submarine plunged and no further trace of her was found.

SEVENTY-EIGHT BODIES RECOVERED FROM MINE

Number of Victims of Layland Explosion Totals One Hundred and Fifty.

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