French Army Enters Germany.

Amalgamation of Cable Companies -- How the Czar of Russia Was Killed-Germans cargoes to Peruvian ports to return Leave Aeroplanes as They Retreat.

9.00 A. M

WAYS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4. President Wilson has no immediate intention of returning the railroads under Government control to private ownership, but intends to wait a reasonable time for Congress to formulate and present some future policy.

WITHOUT INCIDENT.

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN GERMANY, Dec. 3 .-- The Tenth French Army, on its way to the Rhine and frontier of 1879, occupying the Valley man territory has been without incident, and appears likely to be carried out in perfect order and quiet. The population of the districts, thus far reached, appears to be more astonished than downcast, and those that come

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4. Amalgamation of the Marine Cable System of the Western Union Telegraph Company and Commercial Cable Company, under the direction of Commercial Cable Company, was authorized to-day by Postmaster General Burleson. The amalgamation was announced in the following letter from Mr. Burleson to Clarence H. MacKay, President of the Commercial Cable Co. Mr. George G. Ward, Vice-President with you and our Fatherland." of the Commercial Cable Company and who, I understand, has direct charge of your cable system, assume the management and operation of both the Commercial Cable system and the dressed a proclamation to his troops, Allies are picking them up. cable system operated by the Western in which he says that the returning Union Telegraph Company. I trust warriors will receive the thanks of that I will have the hearty co-opera- the country for their more than four tion of the officials of both Companies years work in a thousand battles in WILL GUARANTEE FUTURE PEACE in carrying out these directions. I am which they were unbeaten. sending a copy of this letter to Mr Ward, also to Mr. Newcombe Carlton President of the Western Union Tele graph Company."

FLEET FOR TRANSPORT. PARIS, Dec. 4. which will escort President Wilson in- Kiev newspapers publish a story, givto French waters, will turn about im- en by the valet of the former Emperor mediately after their arrival to carry of Russia, of the murder of the entire homeward a large party of American Romanoff dynasty by the Bolshevik soldiers and sailors. The trip will be According to this story, the once royal so timed that the men will arrive at a family was compelled to live in a sinhome port by Christmas. The opera- | gle room of a Convent at Ekaterintion will constitute one of the most burg, for weeks before the murder, extensive movements of battleships, under guard of Boishevik soldiers, for transport purposes, ever under- who insulted them shamefully. The party of fifteen. taken. The fleet will reach Brest about valet said in July, 1917, all the mem-Dec. 11, and it will probably be pos- bers of the family were taken to the sible to complete the work of coaling cellar of the Convent, and placed and provisioning the ships, and em- against the wall and shot one after the Brest, is now making arrangements the former Emperor Nicholas, that his mation, by Governor Lister, announ for the movement, and determining wife, who was ill, should die in his cing the passage at the November electhe transport capacity of each battle- arms. ship, which at this time is less than usual, because of the regular crews aving been increased, so that recruits night be trained. A large number of ng steel beds will be mounted behe extra aggregate capacity of the publication." This was the former Great Britain from Germany, Winston ions of the city are being sorely as orderly, formerly Governor of tionalization of the railways. "We en-following first class passengers are

GOVERNMENT WILL HOLD RAIL. age of minor importance was done.

FRATERNAL AFFECTION.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 4. Prince Henry of Prussia has addressed anannouncement to all the members of the Prussian Royal ung of Berlin, in which he says: "I am forced to recognize the King's abdication, and will assist in the policy for order and the constitutional government. But on the other hand, shall do everyting to preserve him from harm, and shall recognize him absolutely as the sole family head."

SUNKEN SHIPS CAUSE TROUBLE.

As an instance of difficulties under which the fishermen of Nova Scotia into direct contact with them, French are working this winter, says a Canofficers and men, show more politeness, ada Food Board statement: "The loss than displeasure. The Imperial func- of gear on the codfish banks by trawltionaries, still in charge, receive the ers, catching their trawl nets on ves-French military authorities with cool- sels sunk by German submarines last ness, but without rudeness. Town and fall, may be cited. Many cases have country life are proceeding, to all ap- occurred since fishing was resumed pearances, undisturbed by the momen- on the codfish banks off the Nova Scotia coast, and fishermen are very bit-CABLE COMPANIES AMALGAMATED | main these banks will be impossible to fish. When trawls are lost in this way it means an amount of about \$3,000. Despite this discouragement, however. Nova Scotia fishermen are edeavouring to increase production George G. Ward, Vice-President of the of codfish this winter and the Canada Food Board urges a greater consumption of this staple Canadian fish.

WILLIE'S GUSH.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 4. The German Crown Prince's last public service during the present resignation from his command was emergncy, necessitate the unification necessitated by the Emperor's resig- kovskaya, "Grandmother of the Rusin operation, to the fullest extent pos- nation, and thanking the troops for sian revolution," arrived here to-day sible, the cable systems leading from their heroism and self-sacrifice, is from Vladivostock, on her way to the this country to Europe, so that the published to-day by the Tayelische United States. Madame Breshkovsfullest capacity of all the cables may Rundschau of Berlin. In this pro- kaya said that on her visit to Washbe made available to the public and clamation Frederick William who is ington she desired to meet President press. It is manifest that this can now interned on the Island of Wilson, to whom she will narrate the only be accomplished through the op- Wieringen, having fled to Holland, conditions in European Russia and eration of the two systems under one says: "My army group is unvanquish- Siberia. management. I have made a survey ed by arms: hunger and bitter need of the situation, and am satisfied that conquered us. We can quit the soil of the object sought can best be ac- France proud, and with heads erected complished by placing the cables with Your shield, your honour as soldiers the operating head of the Commercial are unspotted. Deeply moved I sep- of German airplanes, as was at one over. Cable Co. I therefore direct, as far as arate from you, bending my head for time expected, because it has been I am authorized by the joint resolution your mighty exploits, exploits which found impracticable to assemble two of Congress, under which the cable history will relate to the coming gen- thousand airplanes at one place, and kerb, as—in cities at least—all traffic systems are now controlled by the erations with indelible characters. Be it is doubtful whether Germany has a will be coming from that direction.

IT IS TO LAUGH.

AMSTERDAM, Dcc. 4.

1.00 P. M.

BOLSHEVIK REGICIDES.

LONDON, To-day. A despatch to the Exchange Tele-The ten American dreadnoughts graph from Amsterdam, says the a permanent understanding between

REALISES HIS POSITION.

AMERONGEN, Holland, Dec. 3. (By the A.P.)-"I am a private citizen, and while in Holland will not decided that it will be unnecessary to seen decks, however, thus making make any statement whatever for tleship fleet many thousands of Emperor's message to the Associated nen. Brest is already crowded with Press correspondent, when he called oldiers and sailors, awaiting the at Count Von Bentinck's Castle again, night. Mr. Churchill also said the neward trip and the accommeda- to-day. The German General, acting Government has decided upon the Na-

and Vallenar, important damages threatened on all sides with criminal were caused. In other localities dam- charges, which if brought, I must face. Therefore I must reserve any state ment until charges are actually brought. Also I owe a certain loyalty to the present German Government and cannot make a declaration which might compromise others." The correspondent required the General to House, according to the Kreus Zeit- ask the former Emperor, whether he would confirm the Crown Prince's assertion regarding the Kruger telegram, and the General brought back the an swer. "The Crown Prince is absolute consider myself personally attached already written was laid before me to n.y King vo the end of my life, and for signature. I refused to sign it for 'hree days, but finally did so under pressure of the German diplomats, and my political advisers, who advanced many reasons for sending the despatch. Of course having signed it, take full responsibility." The for-

THE LABRADOR BOUNDARY,

ing a very quiet life.

mer Emperor and Empress are lead-

MONTEAL, Que., To-day. A despatch to the Gazette from Otawa, says the task of determining the boundary line between Ungava, now a portion of the Province of Quebec, and that part of the Labrador Coast belonging to Newfoundland may be referred to the Judicial Committee of the Imperial Privy Council,

RESTRICTED ARRANGEMENT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4. Conclusion of a trade arrangement between Holland and Associated Governments, whereby Holland will be icense, was announced to-day by th War Trade Board.

GRANDMA ENROUTE.

(By the A.P.)-Madame Bresh-

PIECEMEAL SURRENDER.

LONDON, Dec. 4. There will be no formal surrender render, in history, of an airfleet, is same reason. being effected piecemeal. The Germans are shedding their wings in the going at any speed can pull up in the dramatic climax of this hour.

LATEST!

PARIS, To-day. (Havas.)-Representatives of the Polish, Jugo Slav, Rumanian and you. Czecho-Slovak National Councils are in session here, to study the reorganization of Central Europe. State ments issued declare that only through these four nations can future peace be maintained.

> CHINESE ENVOY ON WAY. PEKIN, Dec. 2.

who will head China's delegation at the Peace Conference at Versailles, left last night. He was accompanied by a WASHINGTON BONE DRY. ' OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 3. barking the troops, within three or other. According to the story, the "bone dry" State at midnight, last four days. Vice Admiral Wilson, at murderers granted the last request of night, with the issuance of a procla-

> tion of the probihition referendum. DON'T WANT HELIGOLAND.

LONDON, To-day. The British Naval authorities have demand the return of Heligoland to Churchill, the Minister of Munitions announced in a speech at Dundee last Metz, brought the message direct from ter the Peace Conference," said Mr. on the incoming express: Capt. F. To-day's east bound express is William Hohenzollern, who last evenChurchill, during the course of his Winsor, Miss A. Barron, E. C. Garleaving Port aux Basques after arriving was inclined to make a public deaddress "with the determination that land. C. Facey, J. P. Ponder, E. T.
al of Gloncoe.

nts and appeals are addressed to is, to lend ourselves in any way to any fettering restrictions, which will prevent the British navy maintaining its well tried and well deserved su-

NOT SETTLED YET.

o-day for Santiago, stating that his fendant overnment had advised him to take the archives with him. The boycott session against Chilean vessels continues. forcing these which have brought

NEWFOUNDLANDER REPATRI-

Infantry prisoner repatriated: W. Scott, Twillingate, Nfid. TO RECEIVE WILSON

PARIS, To day. It is stated in Vatican circles that Monsigner Gerrotti, the Papal 'nder Secretary of State, will await the arrival of President Wilson in London. to arrange with him for his visit to the Pope, according to the Rome orresondent of the Echo de Paris.

GERMANY MUST HAVE KNOWN. NEW YORK, To-day,

was to have been bombed by a squadron of eight to twelve super Handley Page and De Haviland airplanes, on the night of November 11th. the date of the signing of the armistice, according to a number of American aviators, who returned yesterping tons of T. N. T. on Ber!in.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 4. Kurt Eisner, the Bavarian Premier, is reported to have privately declared tional Assembly has regulated the ich despatch. Addressing the soldaration from Germany as a whole, the security of which he regarded as obtainable only by the creation of Feder-

allowed to import commodities under How To Avoid Being Run Down

While there has been much blame nights for the number of accidents they cause, surely there is something to be said on the other side.

What motorist or driver hasn't come across the pedestrian who starts to cross the road without getting quietly out of the way. Pedestrians should bear in mind

They should always look to the

Government of the United States, that true to your leaders as before. Cod be sufficient number of reliable pilots Then, when the middle of the road for that purpose. Hence, the first sur- is reached, look to the left for the Also, remember that no vehicle

Field Marshal Hindenburg has ad- course of retreat and the advancing two feet, however efficient the brakes One by one the arch-criminals of may be. When, however, a pedestrian has day the Kaiser and his son are fugi-

miscalculated things, and finds him- tives in Holland. The downfall of self in danger, it is fatal for him to William II. is one of those events start dodging wildly. Endeavour to which speak with a voice of thunder get out of the way, but keep cool, and make the spinning of words and move in the direction which will about them a mere futility. So ends leave the vehicle most room to avoid the great pagan and mediaeval ad-

But, first and foremost, be careful, and keep cool.

Eighth Wonder

To fully realise the wondrous beauty of the Zambesi Falls, Rhodesia. one must have time to linger and vaster scale than any the world has Lu Chang Hsiang, former minister, watch the ever-changing scene. The depths of the chasm below are veiled from sight by the rising col-Washington formally became a ing flood as it emerges from the Boil-you have to reckon with me." The to the plaintiff. ing Pot, rushing on down the zigzag gorge between towering cliffs of rock, a sense far beyond the writer's innarrow fierce, and of unfathomable

> One feels that Rhodesia is indeed thrice blessed to possess within her erritories the Eighth Wonder of the

Here and There. WEATHER ACROSS COUNTRY.

EXPRESS PASSENGERS. - The SANTIAGO, Dec. 4. Claration, but to-day changed his mind. the determination shall be imposed on our right to maintain our naval defence.

National Relation, Dec. 4. Claration, but to-day changed his mind. The message continued, "You must right to maintain our naval defence.

National Relation, Dec. 4. Croir, E. M. Cardy, MINARD'S LINIMENT RELEVENS.

NEURALGIA.

Supreme Court.

The hearing of this case set for Saturday, Dec. 14th.

W. F. Lloyd vs. Commercial Cable Co. In this case the Government claim \$112,000 taxes from the Company. Mr. Morine, K.C., is heard for the The Chilean Consul General left Crown. Mr. Howley, K.C., for the de-

> Concert in Kilbride Hall.

A most enjoyable entertainment was held last evening in Kilbride Hall by a number of city friends in aid of the New Church Fund, the performers being Misses Forsey, Fiander, Walsh and Green, and Messrs. Wiseman, Hodder, Power, O'Brien Morrissey and Doyle. A programme of songs, choruses and dances was rendered, ending with the comic sketch "The Tables Turned". Mr Gus Hodder acted as accompanist during the evening. An enjoyable social was held till midnight, refreshments being served and vocal selections rendered. The singing of the National Anthem brought to a close one of the most enjoyable eranings

spent in the parish for a long time. A Good Joke.

day on the transport Lapland. Ac- the night, when suddenly they heard cording to the story of three aviators an awful racket at the door. It's putall plans had been made for drop- ting it mild to say that they were scared. As the noise continued, the man got up and armed with the poker made his way to the porch door. Opening it a little he beheld a sight that outside was his own dog, of the crackie himself ready to resign when the Na- breed, and round its neck was a tin pail with a couple links of chain fascountry's affairs according to a Mun- tened to it. Presumbably some mischievous boys had so dressed the dog, iers' and workmens' council, Premier and it was the dog's request for ad-Eisner declared the Bavarian Govera- mission and relief that had aroused ment was opposed to any idea of sep- such fear in its master's household.

> Changes at G. P.O.

Big changes have been made in the General Post Office, and henceforth, instead of being tied down to one specific position, every clerk will have an opportunity of getting an inplaced on the drivers of motor vehic- sight into every department of the system. It is expected that this change will work well and that bet-

Two Holidays.

Many people are saying that, as the troubling to see if it is clear? This war has come to a successful conclass of people also start dodging clusion, we should have greater faciliwildly in front of vehicles, instead of ties of celebration this Xmas; in other words, that instead of having one holiday there should be two. We conthat drivers of horsed or motor sider this request right and proper, vehicles are no more anxious to run and if the right way to apply for it over them than they are to be run is adopted, we have no doubt but that the Importers Association will grant the extra holiday.

> Prophetic Insolence.

(From the Westminister Gazette). 1914 are swept from the scene and to venture in the heart of modern Europe, and it is now for all the nations to see that it is last of its kind. There is at this moment no one so poor as to do reverence to this fallen monarch; his claims, his Of The World. trappings, his shining armour, and his mailed fist are like faded tinsol from a discarded theatrical wardrobe. Yet the play has been a tragely on a known, and scarcely Aeschylus himself could do it justice. Years ago an American who visited Bismark at insolent words now seem prophetic in tentions, for he was destined not only

Train Notes.

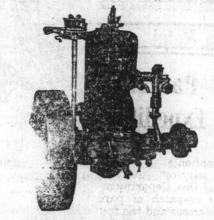
Yesterday's east bound express left Quarry at 8.40 a.m.

NOTICE!

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Reids Boats.

The Argyle left Placentia at 9.30 p. a. yesterday. The Clyde not reported.

The Dundee not reported.

The Ethie not reported. The Glencoe is due at Port Pasques to-day.

The Home not reported. The Kyle left Port aux Basques at a.m. The Meigle is due in port.

The Sagona not reported. The Petrel is due at Port Union The Fogota left Burgeo at 8.30 p.m.

Police Court.

esterday coming east.

Two assault cases were heard. The umns of opalescent mist, and above Varzin related how the old man show- defendant in the first was fined \$5 or the yawning abyss the sun glints and sparkles, weaving the drops in a magnificent rainbow. Three hundred william, and inscribed with the one had to give his personal bond for feet below roars and boils the swirl- words "Cave, adsum!" "Look out, \$50. The fines in this case were to go

> S. Marshall wishes to thank the offito depose the founder of the German | cers and members of the C. L. B., also Empire, but to bring his whole life Rev. E. Mouland, Mrs. H. M. Winsor, play. It was evident that Mr. Perry, Mrs. Thos. Moores and family, Mr. W. Foster, Misses Anthony of the military police arriv and Boyd of Pilley's Island, who kind-scene and separated the oply sent wreaths to adorn the casket of Tuesday's West bound express ar- J. Brinton, Mrs. G. T. LeMessurier, rived at Port aux Basques at 1.50 a.m. Mr. and Mrs. A. Tooton, Mr. P. Black-Yesterday's west bound express arrived at Millertown Junction at 9.50 W. G. Tulk, Mr. H. Foster, Misses Helena LeMessurier, E. Morris, M. Hunt, M. Morrissey, G. and K. Neville, Mr. A. V. Duffy, Mr. E. Lucas, M. J. Le- fax with a load of apples. Drew; also the following from New- The S. S. Mascawange town, B. B.: Mr. and Mrs. J. Keats, Bell Island at 7 o'clock this Mrs. W. A. Green, Miss A. Tulk for with a load of ore for

Dog Attacks Girl.

Last night as a young lady The ing home by way of Cabot Street large dog sprang at her and hold of her dress. Her screams tracted some of the passers-by immediately came to her ass and beat off the animal by blows on its head. The girl very much frightened but other was uninjured. It is plain to all we have too many of these dog ! in our city and the authorities

Soldiers Fight

Last night while two sol chap, accosted them and called

messages of sympathy and kind help forced to harbor here by in her time of sad bereavement.—advt. stress of weather.

Boys' An

We are now opening and we have marked them at

> The H These days, as never b

good quality, but the tailoring Roys' Tweed Su

f customers we would have

Fit 3 to 17 years; designed ored to give the man of tothe grown-up air he seeks to-

Parcel Post Nfld. Expeditionar

The attention of the public gent necessity of strictly observ lished by this Department from rning the despatch of parcels regiment overseas and the following be strictly observed:

(1) Parcels must not exceed (2) Parcels should be address mental number, rank, nan addressee, followed by the dress of the Unit with w

was serving; for example No. 0978 Cpl. John J. I 2nd Battalion The Royal Nev

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(3) Parcels should near the na second addressee to who be delivered or forwarded; impossible to deliver to the address should be written the parcel where the pos customs declaration are a

ond or alternative address on the BACK of the parce (4) If second address is not fu of posting and delivery the contents of the parce tional value or of a perso turned over to the Milita

distribution. (5) Parcels containing articles ture or of special value request for their return, livery, is made by the se to be written on the cover of time of posting.

The procedure outlined in adopted at the suggestion of Office, to prevent the waste tity of perishable food stuff contents of 90 per cent. soldiers.

B. E. F. should be posted in

the Pay and Record Office.

(7) Parcels should be packed (8) Attention is drawn to the Christmas parcels recently Postmaster General. All

> than the end of November. J. R. Min

We Should W

Not You About what you are going

HIM Xmas. We are used to cate ts. Try how easy Xmas S when we do the thinking fo

GEO. KEARNEY, Man

ertise in the