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### **ASQUITH CONFERS** WITH LABOR ON COMPULSORY BILL

Discusses Amendments Which Can Be Incorporated Into the Measure.

OPPOSITION IS HELPLESS

Fails to Secure Modifications Except on One Point.

LONDON, Jan. 17-12:28 p.m.-The proceeding in committee in the House of Commons today resulted in no Wheat, per bu...... bill. The Government strongly resisted an attempt to include married

men in the scope of the bill. The most important amendment sought to include Ireland. This also was negatived after a not very exciting debate, in which John Redmond, eader of the Irish Nationalists, elomently appealed to the House not to endanger Ireland's lovalty, displayed by her splendid recruiting campaign, by an attempt to employ force. The only amendment accepted was one providing that men married before November 22-the day Premier Asquith gave his pledge-should be regarded under the bid as married men. An amendment that the bill should not apply to single men above the age of 30 years was defeated. Premier Asquith was again in communication with the Labor party tonight, with a view to arriving at an builder—Teacher artistic singing and interpretation. Studio (residence), 445 Colborne. Phone.

ernment and the Laborites, providing safeguards against the bill being and diplomas. Teaches all instru-ments, harmony, transposition read-ing. Music arranged. Terms moder-ate. 512 Talbot. utilized for industrial compulsion. Amendments Fall. NORA LITTLE, TEACHER OF SING-ING. Studio, 279 Hyman street. Phone 2757. RERT WEIR, ORGANIST CENTEN-NIAL Methodist Church, teaches piano, organ, theory all subjects. 492 Adelaide street.

f being incorporated in the bill. The small anti-compulsion band showed itself still intent upon mani-EARN GARMENT CUTTING AND secure a first-class position. Our grad-uates design advanced styles to meas-sure or stock size. Cutting School. 227 festing its opposition to the measure despite the crushing defeat of their cause in the recent division and the signs throughout the country that labor Pay Water Rates was not disposed to accept without protest what some of the resolutions passed term the misrepresentation of

Tenders will be received by the Secretary, Board of Education, up to Friday, 21st inst., for the building known as the Grand Avenue School, same to be removed within two months of time of sale; also for a frame cottage on the Riverview School grounds, Wharncliffe road, the same to be removed at once. about been reached here.

Will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, the 1st of February, 1916, under power of sale contained in a mortgage, at the auction rooms of D. H. Porter, No. 110 Dundas street, London, at the hour of 2:30 p.m., the following property: Situate on the north side of Stanley street, London, and known as street No. 61, formerly belonging to W. A. Hourd, described as being composed of part of lot No. 8, on the north side of Stanley street, commencing on the north RAKENREED CHARGED

at Sulcide. of lot No. 8, on the north side of Stanley street, commencing on the north limit of Stanley street, at the southeast angle of the lot; thence north along the east boundary to the northeast angle; thence west 52 feet; thence south 43 feet 6 inches; thence west 14 feet; thence south to the north limit of Stanley street; thence east to the place of beginning. The property is well situated, and has a frontage on Stanley street of 66 feet, and on the property is a frame cottage in excellent condition, and a barn. Title perfect. Terms of sale: One-quarter of the purchase money on the day of sale balance in 30 days thereafter. Arrangement may be made to carry part of purchase money on mortgage. For further particulars apply to Gibbons, Harper & Gibbons, Imperial Bank Chambers, London. [Canadian Press.]

Myrtle Pillison, the 12-year-old daughter of Naomi Pillison, with whom the man of Naomi Pillison, with whom the man had lived for a year and a half, was returned yesterday afternoon by a jury which sat under Coroner Jeannette.

Both Rakenreed and Mrs. Pillison have been removed to a hospital in Sherbrooke. Chief Coutere of the Sherbrooke police has a man on guard over Rakenreed. The man's condition is serious, as is also that of the woman, both suffering from the effect of the exposure they endured after sustaining their wounds.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Higher cable quotations put strength today into wheat. Stimulus for buyers was found also in reports of cold weathre damage to the fall-sown demestic crop, and in the fact that receipts were decreasing both northwest and southwest. A gain in the European visible supply total had but a temporary bearish effect. Opening prices which ranged from ½c to ye, with May at \$1 29½ to \$1 29½, and July at \$1 22½ to \$1 22½, were followed by a moderate reaction and then a fresh upturn.

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P. J. EDMUNDS, REGISTERED AT-TORNEY and Solicitor of Patents, Central avenue, London. Ont. VETERINARY SURGEONS.

having any claims or demands against the late Richard Hammond, who died on or about the 21st day of July, A. D. 1915, at the said City of London, are required to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver to the undersigned solicitor herein for Abram Bending and Alfred Westman, the executors under the will and codicil of the said Richard Hammond, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them. And take notice, that after the 25th day of January, A. D. 1916, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof to any person sets, or any part thereof to any person of whose claim they shall not then have received notice. Dated at London this 17th day of December, A. D. 1915. W. G. R. Bartram, solicitor for said executors, 59 Dundas street, London, Ont. Dec.18, Jan. 8, 18

DERMATOLOGY.

**TENDERS** 

will be received by the undersigned solicitor for Abram Bending and Alfred Westman, executors of the estate of Richard Hammond, deceased, up to the 25th day of January, 1916, for the purchase of the following houses, subject to a reserved price for each house. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted, viz.: 19 Wharnoliffe road, 52 and 84 Dundas street, 12 and 16 Wilson avenue, 9 and 11 Walnut street. Dated at London this 17th day of December, A. D. 1915. W. G. R. Bartram, solicitor for said executors, 59 Dundas street, London, Ont. Dec.18,Jan.8,18

### FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

# SECOND GRADE HAY

Good Quality Remains at \$14 to \$18-Advance in Hides Forecast.

Some of the hay brought in to the local market today was second grade, and sold for as low as \$12. Good hay brought \$14 to \$18 per ton.
Oats are still scarce and remain There were no vegetables in today, owing to the cold weather.
There was some poultry offered, the price remaining firm.
A shipment of live hogs tomorrow is expected to bring from \$8.60 to The hide market is steady at present, but an advance in prices is looked

Oats, per cwt....\$1 25 to \$1 30
Barley, per cwt.....\$1 0 to 1 10
Grain, Per Bushel, Potatoes, wholesale... 1 65 Potatoes, retail..... 1 75 Potatoes, per peck... 25 Reets per bu..... 50 Beets, per bu...... Cabbages, per doz.... Radishes, per bu.... Turnips, per bu..... Orions, per bu.

Dry onions, bu.

Lettuce, per doz.

Celery, per doz.

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Celery, per doz. Beans, per bu...... Butter, creamery, ib. Butter, dairy, lb.... agreement on amendments which Butter, rolls, lb..... Butter, crocks, lb.... would be acceptable both to the Gov-Butter, store lots, lb. Eggs, basket, doz.... Eggs, crate, doz.... Chickens, nor lb Chickens per lb..... Old towi, per lb..... Turkeys, per lb.....

Ducks, per 11 .....

Ducks, per lb...... 11 to Geese per lb...... 11 to Poultry Dressed, Retail.

Fat sows, cwt...... 5 75
Small pigs, pair.... 8 00
Export cattle, cwt... 7 00
Milch cows. each... 75 00

Hides and Skins.

Cow hides, No. 1... 16 to
Cow hides, No. 2... 15 to
Cow hides, No. 3... 14 to
Lambskins, per lb... 35 to
Calfskins, per lb... 14 to

GRAIN.

LIVE STOCK.

Hogs-Fed and watered, cwt, \$9 25 to \$9 50.

Chicago, Jan. 18.-Cattle-Receipts

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

There were three days of debate on the compulsion bill in prospect when the measure, which has entered upon the committee stage, was taken up today, and there were signs of a emporary slackening in interest in it. Many amendments, mostly of a hostile haracter, emanating from the faction led by Sir John Simon, the former home secretary, had been placed in the order paper, but none except those proposed by the Government in fulfillment of Premier Asquith's pledges to the trade unionists has any prospect

the attitude of labor towards compul-

20 Per Cent Discount BANKS REACH LIMIT By order, 65--tyw O. ELLWOOD, Secretary.

lease more or their employees for active service, the London managers of Canadian banks consider that the limit has The Bank of Montreal has released 60

per cent of its eligible men, and is considering further cases, although its west end branch is doing a great deal of extra work in connection with the Canadian pay office and Canadian officers' private accounts. The Canadian Bank of Commerce and Dominion Bank have also done equally well, but they find it impossible to replace certain members of their staffs by women.

### WITH GIRL'S MURDER

In Critical Condition From Attempt

Sweetsburg, Que., Jan. 18 .- A verdict charging George Rakenreed of the township of East Bolton with the murder of

COL. HOUSE LEAVES LONDON. In the matter of the estate of Richard Hammond, late of the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, plasterer, deceased: LONDON Jan. 18-Col E. M. House President Wilson's personal represent ative, has left London for the continent, according to the Times,

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Detroit United 98

Dominion Canners 31

Dominion Coal, pfd 104

Dominion Telegraph 100

Dom. Steel Corporation 46

Dominion Telegraph 100

Lake of the Woods 135½

Mackay, com 80

Mackay, pfd 72½

Maple Leaf, com 72½

Maple Leaf, com 72½

Maple Leaf, pfd 82

Nova Scotia Steel 99

Pacific Burt, com 60

Petroleum 1255

Porto Rico Railway 46

Rogers, com 95

Rogers, pfd 99

Poultry. Dressed, Retail.
Chickens, per pair 1 20 to 28
Turkeys, per lb 26 to 28
Geese, each 1 50 to 20
Ducks, per lb 14 to 16
Butchers' Meats.
Dressed hogs, cwt. 12 50 to 12 75
Veal, per cwt. 14 00 to 15 60
Beef, per cwt. 9 00 to 11 50
Cow beef, per cwt. 10 00 to 11 00
Mutton, per cwt. 8 00 to 10 00
Spring lambs, lb 13 to 14
Live Stock.
Hogs, per cwt. 8 50 to 8 60
Fat sows, cwt. 5 75 to 6 00

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Crown Reserve Mines 54
Dome Mines

Cannot Let Many More Go to the Front,
Say London Officers.

[Canadlan Press.]
London, Jan. 18.—Referring to the pressure being brought by Sir Sam Hughes upon Canadian banks to reease more or their employees for active

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 17.—May wheat made a new high level of \$1.26\% on the local grain market today, and closed at \$1.25\% or 1\% cover Saturday's close. July was 1\% c higher, closing at \$1.25\%. Oats were up \% c and flax about 1\% c up. May flax closed 2c under the high of the morning. From start to close it was a big bull market with considerable profit-taking at high spots and a little speculative trading.

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The cash demand for everything but
No. 1 northern, which did not seem to
be much wanted. There was considerable trade in low grade wheat for erable trade in low grade wheat for hospital elevators and mixing houses, and in Nos. 3, 4 and 5, for eastern mill account. Export houses bought wheat. There was a considerable profit-taking at each stage of the advance, but every offering was easily and quickly absorbed. There was buying by all big export houses to some extent, but some classes of buying suggested direct British orders to meet the Government requirements of double stocks to be carried by all mills in the United Kingdom. Selling pressure, which was never heavy, lessened as the day advanced, and by closing time there seemed to be only one side to the market. 

Province of Ontario bonds ... 92 91
Morning Sales: Maple Leaf, 747 at 72
to 75; do. pfd. 12 at 97%; Steamships,
372 at 19 to 19¼; do. pfd., 30 at 72¾;
Mackey, 20 at 79½; Crow's Nest, 20 at
78½; F. N. Burt, 10 at 78; do. pfd., 25
at 92% to 93; Cement, 1,796 at 49% to
52; do. pfd., 40 at 91¼; Monarch, 2 at
25¼; do. pfd., 13 at 82; General Electric,
15 6at 112¼; Standard Bank, 5 at 215;
Royal Bank, 4 at 221¼; Coniagas, 100 at
\$5: Smelters, 173 at 137½ to 138; Hollinger, 10 at \$29 90; Steel of Canada, 20 at
38 to 38¼.
Unlisted—Dominion Steel Foundry, 100
at 106 to 110; do pfd., 25 at 81 to 82;
West Dome, 1,000 at 16; Ames-Holden,
5 at 23¼; Temickaming, 500 at 70%;
McIntyre, 100 at 101. ket.
Cash grain:
Wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.21%; No. 2 northern, \$1.19½; No. 3 northern, \$1.16%; No. 4, \$1.12\) No. 5 \$1.05; No. 6. 95c; feed, 85c.
Oats—No. 2 Canadian western, 42%c; extra No. 1 feed, 42%c; No. 1 feed, 41%c; No. 2 feed, 40%c
Barley—No. 3, 64½c; No. 4, 59c; feed, 52c. 52c. Flax-No. 1, N. W. C. \$2.18½; No. 2 Canadian western, \$2.15½.

McIntyre, 100 at 101.

MONEY MARKETS. New York, Jan. 18.—Bar silver, 56% PRISONEPS OF SERBS

ON SHORT RATIONS Captors Not Much Better Off During

the Retreat. [Canadlan Press.] Rome, Jan. 17.—The diplomatic representatives of the Allied and neutral

states accredited to Servia, who are rived at Brindisi yesterday from Scutari, came on to Rome today. The 40 members of the Servian Government, with whom they traveled, remained in Brindisi. In the party which came to Rome we

LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, Jan. 18.—Receipts at the Union stockyards today were 662 cattle, 400 calves, 543 hogs and 79 sheep. Prices were generally firm and hogs were stronger.

Cattle—Exporters, choice, cwt, \$7.75 to \$8; butchers, choice, \$7.40 to \$7.65; do. cmedium, \$6.50 to \$7.25; do. common, \$6.50 to \$7.25; do. common, \$6.50 to \$6.50; do. cows, choice, \$6.50 to \$6.60; do. medium, \$5.25 to \$5.75; do. canners, \$3.25 to \$4; do. bulls, \$4.50 to \$7; feeding steers, \$6.50 to \$6.50; stockers, choice, \$5.75 to \$6.25; do. light, \$5.50 to \$5.50; milkers choice, each, \$60 to \$90; springers, each, \$60 to \$90; calves, \$4.50 to \$10.50.

Sheep—Ewes, cwt, \$7.50 to \$8.25; bucks and culls, \$4.40 to \$6.50; lambs, \$10.50 to \$11.75.

Hogs—Fed and watered, cwt, \$9.25 George Lorillard, the American attache and Robert Maverick, his assistant who were sent at the request of the Austrian Government to protect interests of Austrian prisoners of war held by the Servians. The number of these prisoners, at one time 60,000, has diminished to 15,000. Mr. Maverick said there had been Chicago, Jan. 18.—Cattle—Receipts. 5,000; market weak; beeves \$5.50 to \$9.70; cows and heifers, \$3.30 to \$8.40; calves, \$7.25 to \$10.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; market was strong; light, \$6.90 to \$7.40; mixed, \$7.10 to \$7.60; heavy, \$7.05 to \$7.60; roughs, \$7.05 to \$7.20; pigs, \$5.75 to \$6.85; bulk of sales at \$7.15 to \$7.50.
Sheep—Receipts, 16,000; market was steady; wethers, \$7.25 to \$7.75; lambs, native, \$8.25 to \$10.75.

some suffering among the prisoners on account of lack of food, but that the Servians had not been much better off, and that he could not blame them for putting the Austrians on short ra-tions. Mr. Maverick said that he was compelled to eat horseflesh. It is believed that the Servian of ficials, including Premier Pachitch, will leave Brindisi shortly for the Island of

TUSCANIA SAFE WITH BULLION CARGO

[Canadian Press.]

East Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 300 head; steady. Veals—Receipts, 125 head; steady, \$4 to \$11.25.
Hogs—Receipts, 12,000 head; active; heavy, mixed and yorkers, \$7 75 to \$7.80; pigs, \$7.20 to \$7.25; roughs, \$6.50 to \$6.75; stags, \$4.50 to \$5.50.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3,000 head; active; lambs. \$7.50 to \$11.10; yearlings, \$6.50 to \$10; wethers, \$8.25 to \$8.50; ewes, \$4.40 \$7.75; shep, mixed, \$7.75 to \$8. New York, Jan. 18 .- The liner Tus cania arrived today with a large amount of bullion and American securities, estimated by passengers to be worth several million dollars. Great precautio was taken to prevent the steamship be pool, and the vessel passed north of NICK BAWLF, ATHLETE.

### Small in Cotton; Market Holds Firm

British Government Threatens

New York, Jan. 18—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Few features of interest developed in today's early trading, prices showing no material change, except in the special group. Bethlehem Steel rose 5 to 493, American Coal Products 3 to 173, and Mercantile Marine issues gave promise of retaining all their recent prominence and strength, the common shares advancing over a point to the new record of 23%. Fertilizers, particularly Virginia-Carolina Chemical, also supplemented yesterday's gains but elsewhere the list manifested irregular tendencies. United States Steel and leading ralls were moderately lower.

Noon.—Trading in Marines comprised over one-third of the first hours light operations. The preferred shares were inclined to react, in common with the general movement, most leading stocks either repeating or falling under yesterday's minimums. Among the more striking exceptions were Central Leather, American Hide and Leather, preferred, National Lead, Tennessee Copper and the sugar group. Bethlehem Steel fell 15 to 478, and United States Steel, while relatively inactive, and sunder effective pressure. The war group, notably Crucible Steel and Studebaker, were lower by 1 to 3 points Ralls as a whole manifested increased heaviness. Bonds were steady.

1:30 p.m.—Prices hardened again in the early afternoon on a rally in ralls, New York central and New Haven recovering their early losses. Bethlehem Steel, however, made a further decline of 475, and General Motors rose 14 to 489.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE. [Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.] New York, Jan. 17.—Cotton market was a trading affair with corresponding fluctuations, but at the same time it was firm even if it did not fully respond to Liverpool. That market is cornered conductive to the spending of the second conductive the second conductive to the was firm, even it it did not tuly respond to Liverpool. That market is connered and of course New York is not, as the British Government threatens to make the blockade more complete than ever. It will be harder to export to the continent where cotton has managed to get in somehow or other to a certain extent in spite of the paper blockade. Nevertheless, it is a fact that orders here are in the main absorbed by Liverpool and trade interests. A good many feel, too, that the technical position has during the last few weeks greatly improved, particularly by the weeding out of a good deal of long cotton and partly by the increase in the general short interests. Besides the Liverpool straddie, short interest is still unduly large. That of itself acts as a sort of brake on declines, It remains a trading market with good many bearish, while others prefer to buy on declines.

Futures ranged as follows:

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January 12.84 12.38 12.32

March 12.55 12.57 12.50

May 12.77 12.79 12.72

July 12.89 12.90 12.85

September 12.76 12.78 12.75

October 12.78 12.80 12.74

December 12.87 12.92 12.85 113 148 78 9216

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, Jan. 17. — Cotton futures closed quiet; January, 8.01½; January-February, 8.01½; February-March, 7.99; March-April 7.96½; April-May, 7.92; May-June, 7.88; June-July, 7.83½; Juny-August, 7.19; August-September, 7.65; September-October, 7.41½; October-November, 7.40½; November-December, 7.34; December-January, 7.29; January-February, 7.25.

Cotton—Spot, good business; prices firm; American middling, fair, 9.08d; good middling, 8.57d; middling, 8.24d; low middling, 7.84d; good ordinary, 7.18d.

The sales of the day were 12,000 bales, of which 1,500 were for speculation and export, and included 8,200 American.

Receipts were 3,000 bales, including all American. TRAVELERS FROM LONDON TELL OF ZEPP RUMORS

[Canadian Press.] New York, Jan. 18.—Some of the pas-sengers of the Tuscania, which arrived today, said that when they left London for Liverpool on the night of January they heard rumors that a fleet of Zeppelins had been sighted from the British coast. A number of armored cars were seen leaving the station, attached to a high-powered engine. The rumor of the air raid could not be confirmed and some of the passengers said they thought the wind was too high for a raid on this particular night.

#### PRESIDENT TENER WILL SEE DEAL PUT THROUGH

the National League is expected to crashed through the window and reach Chicago today to witness the smashed against the stove. A note final move in the transfer of the Chi-cago Cubs from Charles P. Taft of floor. Cincinnati to Charles H. Weeghman and his associates tomorrow. Tener, it is said, will remain in Chicago for the meeting of the major league schedule committee later in the

Charles Schmalstig, a stockholder in the Chicago Nationals, will represent Mr. Taft at tomorrow's meeting, when Mr. Weeghman's certified check for \$500,000 will be turned over in exchange

#### PARIS TEAM EVENS UP FOR PREVIOUS DEFEATS

PARIS, Jan. 15 .- Paris evened up their two defeats by Brantford, giving the visitors a severe walloping and defeating them by 12 goals to 3. The score of the first period was Paris 4, Brantford 0; second period, Paris 8, Brantford 2; third period, Paris 12,

Brantford 3. The teams were: Paris-Walters, goal; C. Wooden defence; Gibb, defence; J. Wooden rover; Gill, centre; E. Wooden, right wing; G. Gill, left wing. Brantford-Summers, goal; Loys, defence; Slemin, rover; Lloyd, centre; Klersey, right wing; Freeman, left

Referee-H. Sproule, Toronto. ELMIRA HAD NO TROUBLE WINNING FROM PRESTON

PRESTON, Jan. 17 .- The locals were trimmed hands down here tonight by this message rather disproves the rethe Elmira septette. The final score port that this well-known Western Onwas 7 to 1, with Elmira leading all the way. Neither team scored in the first period. Elmira scored four in the second period and in the last, while the locals got their lone tally in the third period. The locals worked hard, but the visitors defence was a stone have mentioned this in his cable, and wall. The lineup:

Preston. Short ...... goal ..... Heimbecker they are to be sent. Bowman.....r. defence ......Otto Ranv........... defence ...... Weichel Walker..... rover ...... Ruppel Schlagel..... centre ...... Ruppel A. Bowman ... r. wing .... Heimbecker Von Ende ..... wing ......... Ruppel

TED LEWIS OUTPOINTS "KID" GRAVES HANDILY

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 17 .- Ted Lawis of England was awarded the decision here tonight by critics at the ringside, over "Kid" Graves of Cleveland, in a slow, uninteresting ten-round boxing bout. Lewis outpointed his opponent in the

fifth, ninth and tenth. Graves took the

seventh. The rest were even. In the

round Lewis split Graves' nose with his McDONALD GOT PAPER DECISION OVER ENCK

Sporting Editor, The Advertiser: Did referee give a decision in Mc Donald-Enck fight at Windsor, and, if so, who was awarded the decision? ans.-Referee gave no decision in this bout. Detroit newspapers and the to be the tool of other people, as it Windsor Record, however, credited McDonald with winning the bout.

GOING TO FRONT

[Canadlan Press.] Ottawa, Jan. 18 .- Nick Bawlf of Ottawa, who figured on the Wanderer team in last night's N. H. A. game here, has enlisted for overseas service, and will join his battalion, the 154th, at Cornwall tomorrow. He has been

### WASHINGTON HEARS ALLIES WILL SOON TIGHTEN BLOCK

Announcement of More Rigid Application of "Ultimate Destination" Doctrine Expecte d to Arouse Neutrals, Big and Little.

[Canadian Press.] Washington, Jan. 18.—The right to way, between the diplomats and state declare a formal blockade of the central department officials. The object is to powers by a more rigid application of the "ultimate destination" doctrine has been agreed upon by the entente allies, It is regarded. according to information in diplomatic tain that application of the blockade to circles here today.

ing attributed to the reluctance of Sweden and possibly Norway. It is France, and possibly Italy, to enforce so | pointed out by one of the interested dipbroad an interpretation of the rights of lomats here, however, that promulgation a belligerent in this respect. Sounding Sentiment.

atives of the Allies, and, in an informal sound out public sentiment in the It is regarded here as virtually cer-

The doctrine is expected to be pro-claimed in the near future, the delay be-bitter protest of Holland, Denmark and of a blockade really would not very materially change present conditions so Exchanges on the subject are taking far as the admission of American goods place between the diplomatic representinto the Teutonic countries is concerned.

### Greece to Proclaim Martial Law

ATHENS, via London, Jan. 17 .- 10:10 p.m .- The Greek Government, in agreement with the king, will proclaim martial law this week, according to the newspaper Kairos. The parliament, which will meet next Monday, is expected to ratify this measure.

## TRYING TO SCARE OFF RECRUITS OF

Sarnia Window by Unknown Persons.

SAYS "GET ON THE JOB" EXPLANATION IS

of Recruiting Officers.

SARNIA. .fan. 17 .- Another attempt o frighten off the recruiting officers for the 97th American Legion was made just before midnight tonight. The attempt was put up in bomb form and administered in bomb form. While Lieut, Heator and Sergt, Hodgins were sitting in their recruiting office

[Special to The Advertiser.]

It was a hand-printed warning and read:

"Cut out this recruiting for the

American Battallon and get off the job. "COMMITTEE OF NEUTRALITY. "B - Y Y Y." The hieroglypnics at the end of the

note are supposed to be a kindly in-It is presumed that two people paricipated in the cute "bomb bund," and that they had approached by way of the old outside waiting-room of the ferry dock, the covered waiting-room and through the ticket office. The police took up the scent at mid

34th Commander Cables "All Well" Likely at London

Lieut.-Col. Oliver at Least Does Not Seem to Have Left for Saloniki.

[Special to The Advertiser.] GALT Jan. 17 .- "All well, London These three words were contained in a cablegram received today by the manding officer of the 34th Battalion now in England, and the receipt of tario unit was on its way to Saloniki From the cable it is interred that Col. Locally it is thought there is nothing to the report of the 34th going to Saloniki, as it is felt Col. Oliver would

receive any advance notice as to where The wife of a London soldier, member of the 34th Battalion, also expresse a doubt that the letter of Pte. Ross received in Stratford, should properly have referred to the Western Ontario Battalion as having gone to Saloniki The lady thinks the word should have been Salamanca, at which barracks her susband and others of the 34th Battalion are training. It is the Alder

old soldiers claim that battalions never

shot training school. GODERICH BACHELOR'S FRIENDS ARE COSTLY

Fined \$50 and Costs for Having More Liquor Than He Personally Needed. [Special to The Advertiser.]

second, Graves drew blood from the GODERICH, Jan. 12 .- County Con-English boxer's mouth. In the next stables Pellow and Wallis took a trip into Goderich Township one day recently and made a search of a young pachelor's home, of which there had been some suspicion, and they found more liquor than was needed for personal use. As a result the young man pleaded guilty before Magistrate Kelly and was fined \$50 and costs for violation of the C. T. A. The magistrate warned the

man that he should not allow himself was against the law to bring liquor into a C. T. A. county unless pur chased for one's own personal use. SEEK SOCIALIST CONGRESS.

[Canadian Press.]
Rome, Jan 18.—With a view to pro noting the holding of an international Socialist congress at Berne, Italian Socialist members of parliament are at present holding a conference at Bologna. During the session speakers have criti cised fraudulent speculation in grain and what they term laxness of the Government in the war and in other direct

# **AUSTRIA DENIES** SINKING ANCONA

Warning Note Hurled Through | Declares Lifeboats Were Not Shelled as Charged by British.

Missive Crashes Into Presence Holes in Lifeboats Due to Flying Splinters Is Excuse.

[Canadian Press.]

Vienna, via London, Jan. 18. Government has issued a lengthy refutation of charges made in England during the week just past that the steamer and the survivors and lifeboats shelled. The statement declares that the life-Chicago, Jan. 18 .- President Tener of on the old ferry dock, a pickle bottle boats filled with Ancona passengers were lowered while the steamer still which it had contained fell upon the was in full flight in a zig-zag course. The submarine then, according to the report was fully 4.000 metres distant.

and fired 16 shots, three of which hit. Austria's Explanation. "It is only human," says the account, the shots directed at the Ancona striking in their vicinity should assume that they were directed against them and their boats particularly. Also it is not mpossible that splinters from shells ex loding upon the water may have hit this or that boat. It is, however, out of the question, according to every responsible expert, that the submarine should attempt to be foolish enough to shoot its valuable ammunition on such tiny targets as boats in water when a vessel a thousand times greater was not an easy mark. It is highly probable that the deck of the Ancona struck boats stored there, and put them out of commission. The most primitive methods of stuffing holes would have put these lifeboats in order again. It is a pro found secret how boats in the water could have been penetrated below the

water line, while holes above it would have been inconsequential.' The English reports are the more remarkable since they claim that the life. boats were shot at after the torpedoing submerged as the result of the approach of a strange vessel and watched the sinking Ancona through its periscope. The only possible truth in the English report is the discovery of life hoats with holes stopped up.' The statement concludes with a bitter attack of the alleged falsity of the English reports and the credulity of the

## UPDIKE REFUSES TO BAIL SONS

Charges They Are Equally uilty of Felonious Conspiracy.

[Canadian Press.]

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 18 .- Further investigation into the alleged conspiracy their parents was undertaken today b the police, who are co-operating with the Updike family in clearing up the mystery still surrounding the case. Furman D. Updike, millionaire retire roker, today still refused to furnis bail for his sons, both of whom are custody charged with conspiracy to co mit a felony. Although it was said a the time of the arrest that Herbert Ul dike was held only as a witness, a state ment by the boys' father that he considered his sons equally guilty, and th

cago cabaret entertainer, influenced the police to investigate further. According to the police, Herbert Up dike on January 8 married Miss Nellie De Onsonne, at Crown Point, Ind. The authorities say a marriage license is o file at the county clerk's office in Crown Point, showing that the ceremony wa erformed by a justice of the peace The young woman and Herbert, however, deny that they are married.

report that Herbert had married a Chi-

STEAMER ARRIVALS

New York... Roma ...... Barcelon Kirkwall.... Jnited States... New Yor Liverpool..... St. Louis..... New Yor London ..... Sicilian .... St. John N. Bordeaux .... Rochambeau ... New Yor

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