from New York to-day says:—Mem-awa College hockey team, who arrived from Boston, were up early to-day to uctice for to-night's game against Cres-ne St. Nicholas Rink. Both Dartmouth ston A. A. teams were defeated by the the Brooklyn players, with whom they to-night, have gained the impression visiting team will prove a faster bunch h came down last year. The Victorias nother fast team, will also play here having a scheduled game with the St r League Champions

on is said now to have only one ambi-best biscuit maker in the world. Every ning he bakes a panful.

orisingly good hockey for the first of N. H. A. champions, the Torontos, dedians at the Arena on Satruday night to 3. The Toronto players cut out om the start, and the Flying Frenchrst to crack.

nnson lostfi fteen pounds in the three that \$6,000 advance money of the Fedhe has turned it back is it not likely ort to Griffith next spring a mere sha-er self?

egiate Amateur Athletic Union was cial meeting of the governors held in a College withdraw from the Ru ago, after playing two games at home and evidently their action has not

former Athletic here, predicts that ext two years. "All he lacks is cor

The score was 4 to 1, a pretty fair play. This is the first time the Sena-

Sporting Club have arranged a me for their holiday time offering to-nce Arthur Hall. Johnny Lustig and s, 4 rounds: Clevers vs. Dempsey. Ryan, 8 rounds: Brown vs. Murphy, vs. Doherty, 8 rounds

loved easy for the Wanderers at the Saturday night. The visitors fairly the game, and finished with a score

world's lightweight champion, has weeks in February

keystone - \$65,000 as the purchase

to the front for the Allies, if the would give him "150,000 frames, win,

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"A FOOL THERE WAS."

FECRUIT THIRD NTINCENT IN MONTREAL

ne third Canadian Overseas Con-norning Divisional Militia Headal received a list of the various to to the front. This division is to hiree regiments of infantry, one of artillery, the greater part being al and the surrounding districts. have been issued in a few places nd it is expected that instructions formation of the next contingent soon. This indicates the departure igent in the near future, as there nmodation for the two forces to

be drawn from here for the be drawn from here for the third the 42nd Battallon, a Highland by Lieut.-Colonel G. S. Cantile, under Lieut.-Col. F. W. Fisher, a second French Canadian bat-lao be a regiment of cavalry, and of artillery. The particulars of ssued yet, however.

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GERMANS VIOLENTLY BOMBARD

tacks of the Germans have been repulsed.

san cruiser Askold which threatened to shell the VII- South America, and particularly one lage of Banais, near Tripoli, not the United States German raiders were informed concerning the moveNicholas Bawif, of Winnipeg, whose death occurrance of

een sent on a reconnaissance.

No shots were fired by the Russian vessel as the tain German experts, who became naturalized. Turkish authorities did not carry out their threat to

Syria. He reported everything as quiet at Beruit.

DETAILS OF TURCO-GERMAN TREATY. Rome, December 29.—A despatch from Sofia gives
the details of the Turco-German treaty which was
signed in mid-December.

AMERICAN BANK CLEARINGS.

They Have Forced a Temporary Contract to be Given to E. H. Rollins Not Only Greatest in History but Greatin Vosges Mountains

NEARING MUELHAUSEN

Austria Admits Forces Retreating—Petro-grad Statement Hopeful.

(Special Cable to Journal of Commerce) Paris, December 23.—Storms of unabated severity and the Dattle lines in Planders and nearly all of Northern France, compelling a cessation of agreesive operations by both Allies and Germans. Some advances were reported by the French in the Argonne. The Allies maintain their position in the Argonne. The Allies maintain their position in the Argonne. The Allies maintain their position in the Eventual Plance of the Bank of and accorded interest. On the Meuse and in Alsace the Germans at like up to trenches they took from the Germans are being pressed in spite of unfavorable weather.

A despatch from Basel, Switzerland, reports a battle lasting from Thursday through Saturday along. he whole front of the German and French armies in he works. December 29.—The waf of 1914 is not only the greatest war in history, but the greatest in the political and economic seiences. In the presence of Mayor Martin and the four members of the Board of Control representing the city. Frederick Williams-Taylor, manager of the Board of Control representing the city. Frederick Williams-Taylor, manager of the Board of Control representing the city. The offers were: Messrs. W. A. Reade and In Alsace the German and French armies in he whole front of the German and French armies in he whole front of the German and French armies in he whole front of the German and French armies in he whole front of the German and French armies in he whole front of the German and French armies in he whole front of the German and French armies in he whole front of the German and French armies in he present in the City Hall to-day, four bids of the the offers; but it is practically assured that the contract will go to know took form the German form the German form the four members of the Board of Control representing the city. Frederick Williams-Taylor, manager of the Board of Control representing the city will be freezed in the Mayors office, in the present on the German form the ward will be freezed that the contract will be freezed in the City Hall to-day, fou Paris, December 29 .- Storms of unabated severity

Features of the Petrograd report are reflected in PREPARING ANOTHER ATTACK

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Allied fleet is preparing for another terrific attack
against the Turkish forts. n the Forest of Courtechausse we made some pro- The Austrian Staff admits that its forces are refailed further to the north on the Dunajec and that against the Turkish forts.

The Forest of Le Bouchot, to the northeast of Tione, the enemy, who had captured our trenches near the redoubt of the Forest of Brule, to the west of Apremont, have been forced to give up the captured positions after three successful counter-attacks made by our troops.

"In the Upper Alsace, after a violent battle, we are investing Steinbach and we have captured the ruins of the Chateau to the northwest of the village."

The report from the Russian southern front says that the Austrians began advancing on December 23rd from Tynbark, thirty-five miles southeast og Cracow, their apparent object being to circumvent the Russian left northward of Tarnow and to effect a junction with the army of General Boohn Ernolli, which was proceeding along the railroad from Sanek and of the Chateau to the northwest of the village."

To illustrate the success that the noted diad there is no mention permitted in the Emissh press of such a ship as the "Audacious." Yet American papers with photographs of the "Audacious." Sir Horace Archambault, who has been appointed Administrator of the Province of Quebec during the illness of Lieutenant-Governor Sir Francois Langeller, was born at L'Assomption in 1857. He was educated This word "finish" would be appated in any news, was born at L'Assomption in 1857. He was educated This word "finish" would be appated in any news, appear or well-informed financial office in London, December 29.—The depart of the people know any that the finish provided and the continent. Outside the finish of the fini

Washington, D.C., December 20.—It was the Rustins notes on the subject of German influence in the King's Bench since 1968. He is now third Justine and Colors and Col an cruiser Askold which threatened to shell the vil- South America, and particularly the means whereby tice in the Court of Appeals.

American Government it was found necessary to reThe Rev. Dr. Symonds, who was fifty-four years have no personal knowledge and re-

AMERICAN BANK CLEARINGS.

Cago clearings, \$47,963,520; decrease, \$4,758,395.

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and Accrued Interest

BETTER THAN LAST ISSUE

Russians Progress Towards Cracow-Von Hinden- City Treasurer and General Manager of Bank of Montreal Expressed Satisfaction With the Offers Received—Financial Conditions are Evidently Improving.

Tenders for the next Montreal loan of \$6,500,000 (First article on the European war, by C. W. Barron, Paris, December 29.—Storms of unabated severity still grip the battle lines in Flanders and nearly all of Northern France, compelling a cossquing of as

Swiss border, the report says.

On the motion of Controller E. N. Hebert, Sir Frederic Williams-Taylor, City Treasurer Arnoldi, Compfithe French to the city of Muchausen since their troller Pelletier, and City Attorney Laurendeau were this war gossip is erroneous.

This war is so vast and wide If the French to the city of Ameliausen since their retreat last August. The French, at the outbreak of the war, advanced into Alsace for the purpose of resilieving the pressure upon Belgium. The movement for 3 o'clock this afternoon, when the tender will be and deep and will be so far-reaching in its effects that no ill-considered or partial statements concerning it should be made by any responsible writer.

Furkish authorities did not carry out their threat to mprison the sailors.

Captain Oman said that since December 9th no American merchant vessel has been south of Aiexandria, Syfa. He reported everything as quiet at Beruit.

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the details of the Turco-German treaty which was signed in mid-December.

By the articles of this treaty Germany agrees to supply the necessary material and money throughout the war for the prosecution of the war by Turkey, besides officers, expert artillerymen and engineers. In event of victory Germany is to pay Turkey one lift of the war indemnity and in case of defeat Germany will defend the integrity of the Ottoman Emple. On the other hand, Turkey agrees to declare pire. On the other hand, Turkey agrees to declare to the presidents of the feet off the western and the pire agree and to the feet off the House Naval After a thorough dedication, he became a lecturer of the University, lands the measure of the House Naval After a thorough device of English fishing-boats fail with the as

knitting machine manufacturers in Canada and find themselves deluged with orders for machinery from woollen companies, who in turn are busily engaged with Government orders for soldiers' supplies. Young Harley is an enterprising Canadian, who has worked his way up from the bottom, and is making good in his present field of operations.

St. John, N.B., December 29.—Farquhar Robertson and Col. E. A. Labelle, members of the Montreal Harbor Commission, arrived here to-day on the in-determinent of the Hon. J. D. Hazen, Minister of Marine and thereby be of assistance in determining the cause. But to-day the Germans have their doubt as to where the "Audacious" is, and as to whether or not she was ever really sunk.

John Ross Robertson, publisher of the Toronto Telegram, has just celebrated his seventy-third birthday. He was born in Toronto in 1841, and educated at Upper Canada College. He is probably the best known and most outstanding figure in Canadian journalism, his paper, the Toronto Telegram, being one of the most profitable and influential journals in the Dominion. He has represented his native city in the House of Commons, but is chiefly known through House of Commons, but is chiefly known through his many gifts to the Sick Children's Hospital of Toronto. He is also prominent in Masonic circles, having been Grand Master of the Grand Lodge.

Sciences

THAT "AUDACIOUS" AFFAIR

Until They Are Needed .- Kitchener Keeps Enemy Guessing. Three New Elements in Warfare. Praises Canadians.

French army was forced to evacuate Muelhausen.

With the Russians surging towards Cracow and Von Hindenberg stopped short in the centre the only remaining menace to the Russians is deemed to be the strong German offensive from the region of Mlawa. Notwithstanding the raising of the sign of the art of the situation, according to observers.

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the standpoint that a million facts had better be sup The retrogression was due to the discovery of Austried by our troops who have established themselves there.

The retrogression was due to the discovery of Austried by our troops who have established themselves the Russians retreated and engaged these units in detail. One of these Austrian armies is now reported interest at 5 per cent.

The loan is one of \$6,900,000 in three year gold bonds dated December I, 1914, and maturing December I, 1917. The bonds are to be for \$1,000, bearing interest at 5 per cent. continually of the battle of the Marne, of the Programme and the Argame we made some advances. In the Argame, in the Forest of Le Grurie, in the Forest of the Petrograd in the Internation to the Le Grurie, in the Fore

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SHELL VILLAGE OF BANAIS.

The December issue of "The Wireless World" contact the King's Bench since 1908. He is now Chief Justices with an accident recommendation of the King's Bench since 1908. He is now Chief Justices with an accident recommendation of the King's Bench since 1908. This word "finish" would be depended in any newspaper or well-informed finish and office in London, where it is daily declared that altrogich the "Audiana in check along the Lower Vistula and the Pilica.

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The German armies are shattered by their furtile constitution. lage of Banais, near Tripoli, not the United States cruiser North Carolina, according to a cablegram from cruiser North Carolina, according to a cablegram from ments of British ships.

The explanation given is that the great majority of the coast wireless stations in South America were, until 1912, constructed by German contractors, whose death occurred by German contractors, whose death occurred to the coast wireless stations in South America were, until 1912, constructed by German contractors, whose death occurred to the coast wireless stations in South America were, until 1912, constructed by German contractors, whose death occurred to the Monarch Life Insurance Company, a director of the Bank of Toronto, vice-president of the Monarch Life Insurance Company, and connected with various other financial and cruism to the "Audacious." Indeed, I was informed on "good authority" that the "Audacious." was affect, had been on the Wood into Birkephead and that the repairs to her bottom were nearly finished. Does can hear similar store anywhere that the "acceptant" and selection of the Monarch Life Insurance Company, and connected with various other financial and industrial institutions. He went west in 1877.

See If one hundred people separately and individually announcement issued at 2 p.m., says: make assurances concerning

Later I learned that the "Audacious" was too far strong Russian attacks were repulsed."

It is still unsettled in British Admiralty circles as to Fred Harley, president of Harley-Kay Limited, of Georgetown, Ont., has been in Montreal for the past day or two, and reports that the month of December is proving to be the best month in the history of the company. The Harley-Kay Company are the only limited the month of December is proving to be the best month in the history of the company. The Harley-Kay Company are the only limiting machine manufacturers in Canada and first limited to the perisone of a submarine showed above company. The Harley-Kay Company are the only limiting machine manufacturers in Canada and first limited, of the montreal for the past or torpedo from a German submarine. Two of her crew report that they saw the wake of a torpedo. Reports that the periscope of a submarine showed above the water I have reason to reject.

English reports were suppressed—the admirality and Col. E. A. Labelle, members of the Montreal

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