THE STANDARD, ST. JOHN, N. B. TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1917.

## GREAT BRITISH VICTORY IN MESOPOTAMIA FRANK SANBORN, CUNARD KUT-EL-AMARA "There's Nothing So NOTED WRITER. Fickle as Memory." PASSES AWAY Big 18,000 Ton Steamer Sailed From New York, ton Gray, Faded That's why we say Hair with Sage Tea and again, don't forget our

Are Americans.

## Turks Routed Horse, Foot and Artillery, Apply Torch to Their Depots and Vast Stores at Many Points.

Whole of Enemy's Positions From Sannyiat to Kut-El-Amara Captured With Nearly Two Thousand Prison

ward boldly, maintaining close con-tact with the enemy. "Early the next morning the ridge across the neck of the peninsula, was in our hands, and it became evident that the enemy was in full retreat in the direction of Baghailah, twenty-four miles west of Kut-El-Amara.



Continued from page 1. "We carried out a successful raid this morning north of Arras and cap-tured 24 prisoners. We also entered the enemy's trenches during the night west of Monchy-Aux-Bois and west of Lens and rought back a few prison-ers. The hostile artillery was more

The announce- From reports from the commander of the Mesopotamian expeditionary force the course of operations on the Time assage of the stream at fifth line defenses, the Makhailat and first mutues. Throughout the fighting our air- plane squadron co-operated with in- valuable results, frequently using bombs and machine guns from mini- mutilitudes. Get 1,730 Prigoner- the sumple set of the peninsula, was a direction of Revent in adding Brown in his Samborn was one of those who took a leading part in alding Brown in his Samborn was one of those who took a leading part in alding Brown in his Samborn was one of those who took a difficult of Revent in the set of the peninsula, was a direction of Revent in the set of the peninsula was a direction of Revent in the set of the s

1,730 prisoners, including at least one Bost Turkish regimental commander and four Germans; four field guns, ten Mark 

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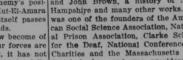
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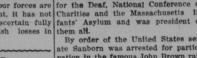
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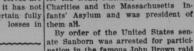
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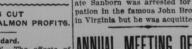
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and Emerson, Dead.

Friend of John Brown, Gar-

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Boston, Feb. 26.—Franklin Benjamin anborn, journalist, author, historian former, philosopher and sociologist concord, is dead at Westfield, N



Special to The Standard. Montreal, Feb. 26.—The effects of war conditions on B. C. Salmon Can-ning industry ar shown by the report of the British Columbia Packers' Association for 1916 received here CEDAR HILL CEMETERY

The report shows net profits of \$257,808, as compared with \$475,747 for 1915, a decrease of \$217,939. The balance carried forward from 1915 was \$1,072,845, making the total \$1,330.



Grandmother kept her hair beaut fully darkened, glossy and attractiv with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphu Whenever her hair took on that dul faded or streaked appearance, thi simple mixture was applied with woi derful effect. By asking at any dru of this old-time scipe, improved by th Compound," you will get a large botti of this old-time reipe, improved by th addition of other insredients, all read t this old-time respe, improved by ddition of other ingredients, all r b use, for about 50 cents. This r ixture can be depended upon t tore natural color and beauty to

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Queenstown, Feb. 26-The Cunard Line steamship Laconia of 18,099 tons gross, which sailed from New York on February 18 for Liverpool, has been sunk. The survivors are said to number 170. They were landed today. New York, Feb. 26-Twenty-six Maericans, six of whom were cabin passengers and twenty paid members of the crew, were on board the Cunard liner Laconia from New York, Feb. 18, for Liverpool, with seventy-five passengers and terew of 216, when the vessel was sunk by a German sub-marine Sunday night. Two of three casualties were report-ed by the Liverpool office of the line to officials here. Conseine Medi passengers and twenty paid members of the crew, were on board the Cunard liner Laconia from New York, Feb Is, for Liverpool, with seventy-five he vessel was sunk by a German sub-marine Sunday night. Two or three casualities were report ed by the Liverpool office of the line to officials here. **Canadian Mail.** In addition to cargo and passen free thousand sacks of mail were. The Laconia, sailing on the same date as the Holland-American liner Ryndam returned to port, after liner Ryndam returned to the Ryndam passengers. The Laconia, when she left here,

Feb. 18, With 100 Passengers, Ten of Whom

had on board has of the typestep passengers. The Laconia, when she left here, was armed with one defense gun, mounted aft. The report that she was torpedoed at night and without warning indicates that no opportuni-ty was given to make use of the de-base sum according to officials of the ronto. Of these Mr. Robinson was a pas-scnger on the Ryndam, which turned back when she was near the subma-rine zone and was transferred to the Laconia.

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PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B. Arrived Monday, Feb. 26, 1917. Motor barge Daniel M Munro, 1136, cDonald, New York, R P & W F

Stone, 1237 tons, Tampa to Baltimore, phosphate rock, p t; Augustus N Bac-cock, 1299 tons, Turks Island to Phila-delphia, salt, p t; Zeta, 336 tons, Be-lize to New York, logwood, p t; Jost, 299 tons, Gulf to Demerara, lumber, p t; Ruth B Cobb, 530 tons, Jamaica to North of Hatteras, logwood, \$9 and roots, \$10.50; Lydfia McL Baxter, Li53 tons, Virginia to San Juan, P R, coal, p t, thence Tampa to Baltimore, phos-phate rock, p t; Mytha Leaf, 236 tong cDonald. New York, R P & W p t, thence Tampa to Baltimore, phos-phate rock, p t; Myrtle Leaf, 336 tone, Coastwise—Sch Wilfred D; Grand arbor; Stmr Centreville, Meteghan, S. Cleared NS.

UNDERGOING REPAIRS. Fred P.Elkin, who went to Galve on, Texas, in connection with the chooner Irma Bentley, which was in

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clearance of odd suits.

for suits that were priced

Sale ends Wednesday.

Exceedingly good values in shirts at 20 per cent.

Gilmour's, 68 King St.

nd is now being rebuilt at San Fran-

RECENT CHARTERS. Schs Mary F Barrett, 1564 tons, St Ardrews Bay, Fla, to Boston, lumber, p t; Courtney C Houck, 1367 tons, Bal-timore to Tampa, vitrified hyidk, and back to Baltimore, phosphate rock, p t; E Marie Brown, 378 tons, Bruns-wick to New York to Sound, dry cy-press, p t; Geo B Cluett, 155 tons, New York to Norway, foodstuff, p t; Oli-vette, 180 tons, same; Ada Tower, 528 tons, New York to west coast Africa, general cargo, p t, March; Frederic A Duggan, 981 tons (previously), Gulf to W C Italy, lumber, \$60; Horace A Stone, 1237 tons, Tampa to Baltimore, phosphate rock, p t; Augustus N Bac-

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complish, in effect, German submarine wi accomplish, so far a cerned. We can only that the overt act wh tured to hope the Ge ers would in fact ave curred.

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MINIATURE ALMANAC February—Phases of the Moon. Full Moon 6th......11h. 28m. p. 1 Last Quarter, 14th..... 9h. 53m. p. h..... 9h. 53m. p. m. ..... 2h. 09m. p. m. th....12h. 44m. p. m. New Moon 21st...

