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The Situation.

The Russians have scored another big success in the Caucasus and the Turks have been badly routed there. The troops of the Czar are now manifestly thoroughly well equipped in the matter of munitions and of their fighting qualities there has never been any question. The "falling-back" days are

over for them. It is now clear that a determined attack upon Saloniki is soon to be launched, and very hard fighting may soon be expected in this direction. Albania is being evacuated by the Allies, and the great struggle will be

stant pressure which is going to first tor? break the monster German military

thus within the city's gates, and it can be most unreservedly said of them that they have proved a credit to the uniform which they wear.

There have been a few cases of lack of discipline, which have had to be considered as a case and to the city's gates, and it can be most unreservedly said of them that they have proved a credit to the uniform which they wear.

There have been a few cases of lack of discipline, which have had to be considered as a considered as a care and count on this line. No court, in view of the engineer's report, would give the city as ympathetic hearing in any case. Who but our blood cousin John Bull. There he stands with planted feet sweating and sore beset; his muscles the heavy rain during the last two days filled the lower Otay dam for days filled the lower Otay dam for the first time in its history Realizing the first time in th

and their country, and citizens are as proud of them personally, as of the cause which they represent.

Railway By-Law.

The Railway By-law has at last received its third reading. There was Possibility of Revolution no reason whatever why there should have been any delay with regard to that. It is only common-sense for holders who purchased the road had ADVANCE COMING the say-so for the disposal of same or the city is thoroughly well rid of this Albanian Situation Not Alwhite elephant.

Mr. Henderson, in his capacity as city solicitor, was quite right in telling the aldermen that unless this end of the With the nearer approach of spring municipal line was put in proper shape the municipality would have no legal status in the case of damage suits for accident. Mayor Bowlby seemed to accident. Mayor Bowlby seemed to give a paragraphy nor indicative of spring indications are multiplying of preparations for active campaigning on the various fronts. Such actual fighting as is going on, however, while important, as that in France and Belgium is apparently nor indicative of

cel of the Hydro-Electric system.
Surely he was joking. That junk line had no more chance of such a thing had no more chance had no more chance

firming the will of the people entitled to vote as expressed at the polls. Mr. Minshall has also now resigned the chairmanship of the Board of Works. In like manner he was going to run for Mayor, then he wasn't, and then he didn't. Ald. Minshall is, of course, for Mayor, then he wasn't, and then he didn't. Ald. Minshall is, of course, the best judge of his own actions, but to the average onlooker they look decidedly contradictory.

Liner Can Clear.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Washington, Jan. 29.—Italy has Coincidentally there are revived reconstantly there are revived reconstant a speedy advance on Salon, to Borneo.

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date for President.

"John Bull Number."

It is significant of the feeling which exists among the thinking portion of the people of the United States at his time, with regard to the position of Great Britain in this war, that New York Life should issue a special ediion under the title of the heading uoted above. Here is the opening

'John Bullikins, my jo, John,, We've known each other long. I've sometimes thought you right

And often thought you wrong. We've had our little tiffs John; Yet, whether friend or foe, I've nursed a high regard for you ohn Bullikins, my jo.

John Bullikins, my jo, John When all is said and done, A better friend than you, John not beneath the sun. ou've planted noble realms, John Where men may freely grow; an't lose you for the world, ohn Bullikins, my jo.

What bunglers we have been!-For I'm a bungler, too John Which makes us closer kin. We'll somehow blunder through

Then hambly we will go
To school together hand in hand, John Bullikins, my jo." The leading article says in part as

Heavy fighting continues on the "The backbone of the United States two miles wide. The property damis made up precisely of the same maage, it is believed, will reach \$1,000,-

Empire. It's English, Irish and an interview, when asked if he mought the war would end in a deadlock, said rivation with somewhat more asmissing, and it is believed that a number of the level level level benefit to wear our English dean interview, when asked if he thought a summons to wear our English desertion. The Irish here love Ireland ber of bodies were carried out to sea. openly and are not expected to Rescue parties are striving to reach such a thing was not to be thought of. openly and are not expected to words, it is the maintenance of con- sprung from her loins may not care

Surely not we whose English derivation is all the root we have, who are lawful heirs of a tradition and literature the greatest, all counted; since Rome and Greece. We have been too For some months now, Brantford modest. Poll us in these states and we are a greater company by much than the had a large part of the 84th all the rest, the longest planted here

WILL BE ACTIVE

Breaking Out in Greece.

ON SALONIKI

stopped.

During the discussion Ald. Wiley
expressed the opinion that the people
might be ultimately sorry for the sale
—that the road might be part and parcel of the Hydro-Electric system.

Surely be was joking. That junk line

there is increasing attention being given to developments in connection with Greece. The allies, for their part, have made a new move in making a landing on the Karaburun peninsula, near the head of the Gulf of Saloniki, occupying the Greek for a week.

Carranza is says the Respent ten year dictated by strategic reason, it being

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Washington, Jan. 29.—Italy has given assurances that the full properties of the control of th ing the Austrians.

fore forced to accept their opinion.

for the by-law. Coroner Places It at 50, and Many Bodies Washed to Sea.

ANOTHER DAM NEAR BREAKING Hundreds of Families Are

LOSS OF LIFE

Famine. San Diego, Cal. Jan 29-The Coroner early confirmed estimates that had placed the loss of life at 50 by the flood Thursday when the lower

Threatened With Food

out to sea. When the lower dam of the Southpany broke late Thursday, it re-leased a flood of eleven billion gal-lons of water into the populous valley tating an area fifteen miles long and the point of view of safety.

iolent assaults.

Lloyd George, during the course of ninterview, when asked if he thought in the summons to wear our English deninterview, when asked if he thought in his opinion, put the breaking point, threatening additional ruin to the valley.

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"It may take a long time," he remarked, "but we must crack the nut before
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love their fatherland under any sun.

We get at the kernel." In other ed, "but we must crack the nut before love their fatherland under any sun. Is it only to be England that men sprung from her loins may not care by the flood waters of the last two weeks. All roads are virtually im-

n ample amount. Telephones and telegraphic cominication with the valley has been cut off since the gale and rain storm this city early Thursday morn-

NEWS NOTES

Meridan, Miss., has dedicated new city hall costing \$125,000.

Mr. Hermanus B. Duryea, a prominent New York sportsman is dead. Mrs. Woodrow Wilson has placed her former New York home on sale.

New York House passed \$25,000,000 good roads "pork barrel" bill, by a vote of 281 to 81.

Levi Clifford and Lillian Nesser, of Denever have terminated a 25 year enhad and had not. Part of the road was

Railway By-law (Continued from Page 1)

He had been a member of last year's council. He had opposed the sale hen, and he was against it now. But it had been left to the people, and he was going to do as the people wanted. Therefore he intended to vote

MR. HENDERSON'S ADDRESS. Mr. Henderson then addressed the and the entrance to Paris. council, explaining why he had asked for a special meeting. The way the matter had been left over at the last council meeting. council meeting was not a safe way. Whether the road were sold or not, the evidence was overwhelming that should not be operated in its pre-

TWO COURSES OPEN. of the right of way were private, in the Otay valley gave way. He said other parts were on the highway. The many of the bodies had been washed road bed was cheap, the ties and culverts were not in good condition and

there was no ballast.

Mr. Henderson referred to the report of Engineer Royce on the road. Two things in that report were significant from his standpoint. One was the roadbed was unsatisfactory from by the city solicitor and put before other was the bad condition of the other was the bad condition of the rails, trestles and culverts. Since Monday night there had been an action of the chair, the Mayor continued interpretable the chair, the Mayor continued interpretable to the chair continued interpretable to the c Another dam continues to-day near cident on the line, which might have, in his opinion, put the city in for

NO DAMAGES. As legal adviser of the city, de-clared Mr. Henderson, he felt that the heavy responsibility of conducting this road as it was, should be placed altogether on the Council. If an accident took place, the people could blame the council for The responsibility for quite rightly blame the council

that delay he did not want to accept. passable.
Hundreds of families cut off from communication from the outside world are believed to be threatened to be threatened world are believed to be threatened world are believed to be threatened to be threatened world are believed to be threatened to ago. The road bed was in good condition and the car was in good con-

be most unreservedly said of them that they have proved a credit to the uniform which they wear.

There have been a few cases of lack of discipline, which have had to be dealt with by the officers, and it would be impossible to gather some fifteen hundred men anywhere out such lapses.

Taken in the aggregate, however, it may be safely affirmed that they have comported themselves in a manner to bring honor to the color's and their country, and citizens are and their country, and citizens are and their country, and citizens are days filled the lower of cases and the first time in its history Realizing the days suffice first time in its history Realizing the days weakening under the dam was weakening under the first time in its history Realizing the dark ever what should be council to assume the council to assume the council to assume the first time in its history Realizing the dam was weakening under the first time in its history Realizing the dishered the sum the first time in its history Realizing the terms the first time in its history Realizing the time house of water, warning was care treated by a what should be consciously of the property.

Alth Wiley concluded the bear of water them the responsibility. There were two what should be council to assume the first undil to he may the property as t

"you are arguing strongly for "The Mayor is so biased he can only see one side," was Mr. Hender-and they were the ones to be constant.

Mr. Henderson,
"Only to give your opinion" explained Mr. Bowlby
Mr. Henderson did not agree with that. Whenever he thought it was proper to give legal advice on city matters, he did so without waiting to be asked. That was his conception

city have a franchise.

BETTER THAN FRANCHISE Mr. Henderson explained the city accident. Mayor Bowlby seemed to resent Mr. Henderson's course of action. Perhaps that was why he did not consult him with reference to the renewed gas outrage, luckily stopped.

Important, as that in France and Belgium, is apparently not indicative of any operation on a large scale.

Representative Mann urges preparedness on a far greater scale from the Wilson than provided for in the Wilson programme.

The situation in the Balkans continues to excite marked interest, and there is increasing attention being stopped.

Twenty or more lives have been the realway from the Hydro commission, and would have to go on paying for that even if the road of the Board of t a private right of way. Part of it was

Twenty or more lives have been taken by storms of rain or snow which have swept the Pacific coast for a week.

Carranza is a true Mexican patriot, says the Rev. S. G. Inman, who spent ten years as a missionary in that country.

Commission, and would have to go on paying for that even if the road of Works.

It will be remembered that Ald. Ward resigned the post in order to make way for Mr. Minshall, and now he doesn't want it.

Some other member of the Aldermantic Board will now have to be selected.

Ald. Wiley asked if the city had a anchise in Galt. The city had a franchise in Galt. The city had, was two seriously.

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white elephant. Why was it a white elephant? Because it had been made one. If repaired, the question of paying or not paying would drop

NOT EVEN JUNK PRICE Then there was the matter of mi cipal ownership. We should not get out of touch with the Hydro Radial. It would be the worst of policy to get rid of the possession of the railway. Furthermore, the price was not enough. It was not even the junk price. And what did the L. E. and N. get in return? The entrance to Galt

Ald. Hess inquired that when the people voted on the by-law, did they vote to sell it for what could be got for it or for \$30,000. He was told \$30,-

Ald. Dowling explained the action of last year's council. The matter came up before a special committee in April, and it was decided to sell There were two courses open; to the road, and to conform with the sell the road, or put it in repair. How proposition put up by the railway much it would take to repair it, was commissioners. Following that was a a matter of some difference of opinion. But everybody knew the road had been built as cheaply as possible to the countour of the ground. Some parts of the right of way were private, voice of the people on the matter. "It didn't get the voice of the peo ple; it was the voice of the property

holders," said the Mayor. SOMEWHAT STORMY All the Mayor's objections, pro

jecting remarks in a sotto voice tone, until the Alderman became irritated. "Mr. Mayor, I have the floor," protested. "I do not wish to forget the respect I owe to the chair." "I'll make you respect the chair,

whether you wish to or not," retorted "I do not wish to forget the respec I owe the chair or to yourself," said Ald. Dowling. "I am addressing the chair. I have the floor, and maintain I have a right to be heard without

Proceeding, Ald. Dowling claimed that on the matter of the legality of the by-law it was the Mayor's opinion against the City Solicitor's, and with all due respect to the Mayor, he preferred to take Mr. Henderson's.

Ald, Minshall asked Mr. Henderson about the power the road bought from

and they were the ones to be sorry. In face of the facts given by the city solsaid the Mayor.

"As City Solicitor, I have certain responsibilities in the matter" and property solicitor we should get rid of the road.

We could not afford to put it in responsibilities in the matter" and City Solicitor, I have certain sibilities in the matter," said pair; the people would not vote the money. In view of all the facts—almoney.

her former New York home on sale. Omaha is to have a new Masonic Temple at Nineteenth and Douglas streets. New York House passed \$25,000,000 the Charter or franchise, or did the good roads "pork barrel" bill, by a city have a franchise. REFUSES TO HEAD

had no more chance of such a thing than making the Brantford canal a part of Canada's great canal system.

Ald. Minshall, who had favored going to the people, voted against consing to the people, voted against consing to the people, and the constant of the war eventually be dragged into the war eventually seven hurt in a crash of Chicago, Mil-

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James Berry, a painter, has been employed 60 years around the Capitol in Washington. He is 80.

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is ternal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It tarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best phywas prescribed by one of the Country for Country for Country for Country for Cannot Statement and Auditors' Report, to elect tarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best phywas prescribed by one of the pusiness as may be considered.

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HAVE CITIZENS RIGHTS In orders from headquarters morning, the Minister of Militia desires to give all ranks the pr vilege of using their rights as citizens as signing the prohibition petition not as desired.

OFFICERS' TUECTED. The local branch of the Women's Emergency Corps met on Monda January 24th and elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Mosty: Cutclife; vice-presidents, Mesdame Gordon Smith, Lloyd Harris, Frank Bishop, Geo. Watt and Alfred secretary, Mrs. N. D. Neill; Tre Mrs. W. T. Henderson; Mesdames Harry Cockshutt, Hurley, M. F. Muir and Miss Van



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