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Galatz Recaptured.

Passes to Entente.

COUNTER-ATTACK SUCCESS

Pralea Throw Enemy

Back in Disorder.

village of Vadeni, in Rumania,

six miles southwest of the

Danube town of Galatz.

Rumanians Southwest

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EMDEN'S SUCCESSOR PLAYS HAVOC WITH ALLIED SHIPPING

GREEKS ACCEPT ALLIES' GERMANS ADMITTING **VADENI AGAIN** IN HANDS OF

Rumanian Village South of VIOLATING NEUTRAL ZONE

TEUTONIC OFFENSIVE ENDS King, Keeps to Old System.

For First Time in Months It

Petrograd, Jan. 17, via lies was received here today in a absent from the Rumanian campaign, later London.—The war office an cablegram from Sir F. E. H. El-

> change Telegraph Company says | cat plays with a mouse. that the Greek Government has' accepted the Entente's ulti- and for all?" matum without reservation.

The official statement reads:
CARRIED BY STORM,
"Our detachments, after artiflery preparation, gained by storm the village of Vadeni, ten versts southwest of Galatz. The enemy, having received reinforcements and assisted by an artiflery drumfire, himself took the offensive with the object of regaining the fensive with the object of regaining the village. His dense formations which ame under our concentrated fire, suf- patch, and was at once communi- days which King Constantine is allowed cated to the Entente ministers. to fulfill the ultimatum will decide. If

"In the region of the Bystritza-Kimpolung Railway the enemy under-took an offensive against our positions north of Height 4,285, but as the result of our fire was thrown back.

"The enemy attacked the Rumanians "The enemy attacked the Rumanians

southwest of Pralea, 19 versts south of the confluence of the rivers Kasino and CONFIRMS HIS PRESENCE. Trotus, but by a counter-attack was London, Jan. 17.—That General von Falkenhayn, and not Baron von Falk-enhayn, is on a mission to Greece is affirmed by the British accredited cor-INTENSIVE FIRE

ON WESTERN FRONT.

The following statement on operations along the front in Russia and Galicia was issued by the war office:
"Western front: The enemy is confident and intense infantry fire in the region of the Zborow-Zlochoff Kaliway, and the Greek Government promised to which the Greek Government promised to which the Borow-zlochoff Kaliway, and the Corespondent at Salonki, who cites information received in French official quarters there to the effect that confident quarters there is the enemy supposed. The dispatch, which is dated January and the confident quarters there is the effect that confident quarters there is the enhanced that the enemy supposed to the which the Greek Government promised to withdraw into Peloponnesus, are large to the entry of the censorship is strict in the effect of the machine gun was damaged.

"One of our companies which was a possible that t

tion are now mature."
AT LARISSA. Acrosdoed on January 14, near the Dalmatian archipelago, by a French sub-marine, according to an official com-grunication issued by the admiralty to-day. The text of the statement fol-

HEARST'S NEWS STEALS 'An Austrian ship was torpedoed on

January 14 by a French submarine at-tached to our fleet, near the Dalmatian Archipelago. The submarine was fruit-lessly attacked by an Austrian airplane." CASE IS POSTPONED

Associated Press Councel Requests Delay.

A Vienna dispatch, under date of Jansary 15, reported that the Austrian pasenger ship Seagreb, 537 tons, had been corpeded off the coast of Central Dalmatia with the loss of 26 lives.

According to the dispatch, the ship was sunk without warning.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
Following were the highest and lowest emperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 16; lowest, 13 below.
The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 10; lowest, 4 above.

TOMORROW—LIGHT SNOW.
Toronto, Jan. 17—8 a.m.
Forecasts.
Today—Strong west and southwest wines; fair.
Thursday—A little higher temperature cary 15, reported that the Austrian passenger ship Seagreb, 537 tons, had been torpedoed off the coast of Central Dalmatia with the loss of 26 lives.

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NEW BRANCH IN SASKATOON

\$25,000 Plant in West.

Today—Structure winds; fair.
Thursday—A little higher temperature and light snowfalls.
Temperatures.

A Vienna dispatch, under date of Jan.

LONDON FIRM WILL OPEN Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:
Stations. High. Low. Weather. Victoria. ... 40 32 Cloudy Calgary ... 30 14 Clear W. A. Jenkins' Company Decides to

DEMANDS, BUT TROOPS PINCHING RESULTING ARE MOVING TO NORTH FROM THE BLOCKADE

RUSS ARMIES Official Acceptance of Ultima- FRENCH SAY BRIAND TOO LONG-SUFFERING tum Announced. WITH GREEK RULER

> Army, Despite Promises of the Lobby Gossip Condemns Premier for Slowness.

> > HERVE ADVISES PATIENCE

FALKENHAYN ON THE JOB

Believes 15 Days' Grace by Ultimatum Will Settle
Question.

Powers.

London, Jan. 17.—The definite announcement that the Greek Government has accepted in their entirety the demands of the Allies was received here today in a cablegram from Sir F. E. H. Elliott, British minister at Athens.

HERVE ADVISES PATIENCE

Believes 15 Days' Grace by Ultimatum Will Settle
Question.

Paris, Jan. 17—(New York Sun Cable).

—Gustave Herve says in La Victoire that in the lobby of the Chamber the Briand Ministry, and the premier in particular, is being accused of being too long suffering with the King of the Hellenes. The lobby believes that Constantine is outwitting the Entente Allies and gaining time, while Gen. von Falkenhayn, whose name has been long and expenditures was established on the estimates, this was only in appearance, because many important fluancial questions had to be postponed until later. This means that after the war budget in the last years we have entertained the hope it would be the last with which we would have to deal. Again we submit a war budget in the last years we have entertained the hope it would be the last with which we would not like to abandon the same peace offer has been refused by our endemended with the Germany's fees would fail before the Briand Ministry, and the premier in particular, is being accused of being to a Reuter dispatch from Amster dam, made th following statement:

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Admits Force of Blockade think that Constantine is shrewd enough "The principal thing today is to An Athens dispatch to the Ex
think that Constantine is shrewd enough to outwit Briand, and thinks it more win the war," Dr. Lentze continued probable that the French premier is "The blockade makes itself felt more playing with the pro-German king as a and more.

He then points out to those who argue, Why not finish off Constantine once a policy, the danger of appearing to treat Greece as the Germans treated The decision was reached by Belgium, the danger of bombarding Athens and killing the wives and chilthe Crown Council on Tuesday dren of Venizelists who are with the

Orimp in Production,

London, Jan. 17-(New York Times

Gribble then shows that the number of workmen employed in German coal mines in 1913 was 405,182. They were reduced to 294,852 in the last three months of 1916. The output of iron ore of three leading companies for 1915-1916 decreased by 3,713,838 tons, compared with 1918-1914. Gribble concludes:

"Nor is that the only reason why the average output of workers in the German munition factory has declined. Under feeding of workers is a factor of scarcely less potency. The official report of a Government functionary attributes to this cause alone a decline of

Privations.

DENIES STORIES OF WANT

In One Breath Tells of Short. age, Then Calls Blockading Inefficient.

our trenches.

"Our detachments, by a night attack, succeeded in driving the Germans out of the mouth of the River Rimmili, capturing two machine guns, but as the result of a machine guns, but as the result of a computer attack by superior enemy forces we were obliged to withdraw from the appured village. German attacks southeast of Gerleschi were checked by our east of the Venizelists of the Venizelists of Constantine will have won. If within that time, as I believe will happen, Constantine will happ

Heavy War Reiler.

The new budget submitted to the Prussian Diet, according to the advices through Amsterdam, showed receipts and expenditures for the past year balanced at 5.160.765.000 marks. The railways showed a small surplus, of which 1,200,000 marks were made over to the compensation fund. State assistance for war relief organizations amounted to 200.000,000 marks.

The surplus of direct taxation over estimates amounted to 50,000,000 marks.

Cable).—Francis Gribble, in an article and this will be used to cover the dendermany's munitions published in the ficiency of 1914.

Georgic, Voltaire.

HUNT BROS. MOVING TO WINDSOR, STATES PRESIDENT OF FIRM

Deal Practically Closed, But Papers Not Signed.

INDUCEMENTS OFFERED

Free Site On Water Means About \$35,000 a Year, Says C. R. Hunt.

Hunt Bros., Limited, proprietors of the City Flour Mills at the foot of Talbot street, have practically closed a deal with Windsor parties for the removal of their local plant to the city, the reason being the added facilities

SLAVS RESUME OFFENSIVE ENTENTE SHIPPING PAYING HEAVY TOLL---19 TO 22 SHIPS---TO SOUTH ATLANTIC RAIDER

Minister of Finance Tells of London Official Report Acknowledges Loss of 10.

TWO MORE ARE CAPTURED

Sinking, Long Believed, Confirmed by Dispatches.

NO WORD FROM PRISONERS

Captured Crews, Placed On Yarrowdale, Still Missing.

OPERATIONS COVERED MONTH

Sinkings Transpired Between December 12 and Same Date in January.

CORPUS DESCRIPTION	
BRITISH BOATS LOST	5
Voltaire8,618	tons
Georgic	tons
Dramatist5,421	tons
Radnorshire4,302	tons
King George3,852	tons
Mount Temple8,790	tons
Minieh	tons
Netherby Hall4,461	tons
(CAPTURED.)	
St. Theodore4,506	t-ms

vessels are believed to have been 3, carrying a cargo composed largely

British and French merchant ships, which had long been overdue, had been sunk by a German ern waters, that others reported lost may have been in the same zone, and raider:

FRENCH—Nantes and As- ENFORCE MILITIA ACT, Georgic, Voltaire.

"Definite information has now been received from Pernambuco | Wants Canada Prepared for Eventuallconfirming this assumption. "On the evening of Monday

237 men of the crews of some of Guards for the Canadian Grenadies the lost vessels which were sunk on various dates between Decumber 12 and January 12.

"In addition, the steamer St. Theodore was captured and a prize crew was put on board, and the steamer Yarrowdale was captured and sent away with about 400 men, the crews of others of the sunk vessels, who were to be landed. No further news has yet been received of their whereabouts,"

RAIDER REPORTED OFF BRAZILIAN COAST.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 17.—Wireless warnings that a German raider was off the Brazilian coast last Friday were picked up here last night. The messages were addressed "to all ships," and were repeated in English and French. They piaced the raider in latitude 7 degrees south and longitude 25 degrees west, which would put her off the Brazillan coast near Pernambuco.

The German vessel was described as a ship of about 4,000 tons, well armed, and with torpedo tubes. She had one black funnel capable of extension, and two masts, and prob-

Last Reported in South Atlantic

The late. German sea raider, on the face of dispatches to date, apparently has set a record in destructiveness of commerce only exceeded by the exploits of the famo... Emden, Germany's prize raider.

The new German raider, whose name is said to be the Vineta, is credited in South American dispatches with accounting for nineteen merchant ships, and is still at

Most of the boats, officially reported lost by London, when last reported in the South Atlantic, indicating that the German raider has been at work the South American coast. At Norfolk last night there was picked up wireless warning that a German raider was off the Brazilian coast near Pernambuco last Friday. The message, addressed "to all ships," placed the raider a latitude 7 degrees south, and longitude 25 degrees west. The German veswas described as a ship of about 4,000 tons, well armed, and with torpedo

The Voltaire and Georgic, long overdue, had been virtually given up for lost. The Voltaire left Liverpool on November 28 for New York, and was not heard from again. She was believed to have been sunk by a mine or a submarine. The Voltaire was a ship of 8,618 tons gross. She was 485 feet long, 58 feet beam and built at Glasgow in 1907. She was owned by the Liverpool, Brazil and River Plata Steam Navigation Company.

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Given Up For Lost.

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The White Star freighter Georgio salled from Philadelphia on December 2 for Liverpool, with a general cargo. The White Star agents sail some time ago that her destruction must be conceded, as she had never taken more than fifteen days in the past to cross the Atlantic in winter. Her gross tonnage was 10,077. She was 557 feet long, 60 feet of beam, and was built in 1895. The Dramatist, 5,421 tons gross, and 410 feet long, was built in

IN PROBING OF "LEAK"

Session Until Tomorrow.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Today's gession of the leak hearing was sud-

denily postponed as it was about to open. Witnesses were notified to appear tomorrow morning. The postponement was made so the committee might ask the House for authority to employ counsel.

ALL ALONG THE LINE

REPULSE FOR GERMANS

MARINE MEN BELIEVE RAIDERS SWEPT ATLANTIC FROM NORTH TO SOUTH; THREE AT LARGE

Destruction of Georgic, Mammoth Freighter, Shows Operations Were Not Confined To South American Waters -More Sinkings Expected in New York.

[Special to The Advertiser.] would appear there are now possibly landing of survivors at Pernan buco. Yarrowdale4,752 tons the ships destroyed by the German

Sunk by a German raider.

The following announcement was given out here officially today:

"For some time past it had been assumed that the following British and French merchant was given the south because feat. They believe the raider and French merchant swent the south for Liverpool, it is observed the south of Liverpool, it is observed from the following announcement of the following was given out here officially today:

"For some time past it had been either sunk or captured from the south but the sinking of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters availed official Atlantic waters availed official Atlantic waters availed official waters. The operations of the Georgic was sunk in South Atlantic waters availed official waters availed official waters availed official waters. The operation water

DESIRE COUNSEL TO AID STORMS SAM HUGHES

ties and Conso-iption.

Sherbrooke, Que., Jan. 17 .- Sir Sar the Japanese steamer Hudson Hughes was the principal speaker at a Maru arrived off Pernambuco, huge patriotic rally held in His Majesty's having on board the m. ster; and Theatre last night, in connection with

recruiting for the Canadian Grenadier Guards.
Making a plea for universal service. Sir Sam asked why should a man send three or four sons to the front and his neighbor keep his boys at home earning good money in the shops. Enlistment was becoming a national concern, and should be no longer a voluntary institution. He had always maintained that the youth of the country should be trained even when not at war and not anticipating war.

trained even when not at war and not anticipating war.

Only 250,000 out of 1,100,000 single men of military age in Canada had enlisted. Montreal should have raised eighty battalions, where she only had eight of ten. As long as voluntary enlistment was going on and there was hope of early closing of the war nothing was said about conscription, but the time had arrived in his judgment when the militia act should be put into force as a matter of fairness.

Why not apply the act and call out fifty per cent of the men to train for the event of a mishap to the British navy, Germany would not make Canada another Belgium.

Somme and Verdum Attacke Fall, Reports Parls.

Paris, Jan. 17.—After a bombardment last evening, German troops attacked the French lines east of Clery, and south of Biaches, in the Somme region. They were repulsed, the war office announced today. A minor attack by the Germans at Les Eparges, southeast of Verdun, also was repulsed after hand-to-hand fighting. French patrols penetrated the German lines at several points on the heights of the Meuse, in the Verdun region, and in Apremont forest.

Some of the word and there was hope of the South of Song of VicTorky.

Berlin, Jan. 17.—Via Sayville.—Handled at dispatch said.

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"We understand that the editors' room in the office of the Field newspaper was raided on Monday morning by two officers in uniform, one of them representing the war office, and by two detectives from Scotland Yard, with a warrant stating their authority to search the place under the defence of the realm act. No reason was given.

"The editor of the Field is Sir Theodore A. Cook, who has occupied that

relief in Belgium.
The Moldavia, Captain Wadsworth Italian Paper Condemns Aspirations of

Party Sound... 25 18 Cloudy Toronto... 25 18 Cloudy Ottawa... 25 18

of 400 Lives. WERE GIVEN NO WARNING

Reports From Rio Tell of Loss

Passengers on British Ship Had No Chance To Escape.

VOLTAIRE LISTED AS SUNK

237 SURVIVORS LANDED

Some Were on Vineta for 28 Days.

Great Freighter, Long Overdue, Included in List of Victims.

[Special Cable to Advertiser.] Buenos Ayres, Jan. 17 .- A German raider, believed to be the steamer Vineta, has sunk nineteen merchant steamers. mostly British, and two French schooners, in the South Atlantic according to dispatches received here today from Pernambucc and Rio de Janiero, detailing th

An additional message from Rio declared that the raider ha sunk still another British sh without warning, causing th

able feat. They believe the raider swept the ocean from north to south after eluding the British patrol, that the Georgic was encountered in northern waters, that others reported lost may have been in the same zone, and that the raider then swept southward the raider came and St. Theodore were still at large and that the British admiralty, for naval reasons, might withhold announcement of the sinking of the German war vessel until these two ships had been captured.

The opinion held by some underwritters that it was not improbable that the landing the landing the landing the landing the Japanese steamer Hudson was not improbable that the sailors from five steam. "BRITISH—Dramatist, Radnorshire, Minich, Netherby Hall,
Mount Temple. King George,

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French and Allied merchantmen VOLTAIRE IS INCLUDED.

A subsequent message report ed the sinking of "English and French merchantmen off the Brazilian coast, including the Voltaire.

A dispatch from Rio added the steamships Samara, Drina, Or tega and Hammershus to the list of victims.

Somme and Verdun Attacke Fall, Re-In all, 237 survivors from the victims of the German raide were landed at Pernambuco, the

Among the sailors landed were many Indians. These survivor described the raider as armed with twelve cannon and four tor

Some of the survivors were aboard the vessel for 28 days. Berlin, Jan. 17—Via Sayville.—Hanover infantry troops yesterday entered
the French positions on the Combres
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beights and returned to their own e French positions on their own sights and returned to their own eights and returned to their own enches with several prisoners, after efeating the hostile garrison in their steating the hostile garrison in their canches says the official statement issued bands. The following ships to the list the following ships the sued today by the Germany army head- the following ships to the list

FOOD SO SCARCE, BERLIN POTATO RATION UNDER FOUR AND HALF POUNDS, SAYS CORRESPONDENT

Situation in Germany Growing Steadily Worse During Past Six Months-Burgomaster Complains of Larger Towns' Hardships.

The food situation in Germany has grown much worse during the last six months, according to experience of an Associated Press correspondent who has returned from a rip to Berlin. Potatoes are so ration in Berlin was less than four and a half pounds. This is attributed in part to the farmers withholding shipments until February 15, when it is not denied that the potato crop is insufficient to meet normal de-

mands. No cheese has been on the market since August, and eggs are unobtainable except surreptitiously at 16 to 25 cents apiece. Berlin's daily milk receipts are about 850,000 litres

against a normal 1,000,000, and it is impossible to buy clothing, shoes, stockings or blankets except by permission of the police. This latter however, may be merely a precautionary measure, as the shops appear well stocked with clothing. Chief Burgomaster Wermuth, as well as the heads of other cities,

complains that the larger towns are compelled to suffer unnecessary hardships because the system of dis tribution of foodstuffs has failed in many respects. In some cities the situation seems to be better than in others, and a Berlin businessman told the correspondent that he had spent Christmas week in a Rhine and bread without being required to show a bread card or meat card.