### TWO PARTY LEADERS IN TOILS AS RESULT OF ASSASSINATION

Letter From Leader of Portuguese Republicans Alleged To Have Been Found on the Assassin of President Paes.

LISBON, Dec. 15 .- (Havas Agency) .- Dr. Brito Camacho, leader of the Unionist group in the Portugese Chamber of Deputies, and Magalbaes Lima, leader of the Republican party, have been arrested.

Magalhaes Lima was taken into custody because, it is alleged, a letter addressed to him was found on the person of the assassin of President Paes.

### THE "DISASTROUS" GALLIPOLI VENTURE REALLY A SUCCESS

Annihilated the Flower of Another Strike the Turkish Army and Kept Bulgaria From Hostility During Six Critical Months, and Probably Saved the Allies' Cause.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—(British Wireless Service).—Lieut.-Gen. William R. Birdwood, commander of the Australian and New Zealand troops, and formerly commander of the British expeditionary force at the Dardanelles. and Winston Spenser Churchill, who as first lord of the admiralty at the outbreak of the war was officially identified with the Dardanelles operations, were the guests of honor this afternoon of the Australian and MONTREAL. Dec. 16.—The Montreal police and firemen who struck last week are now contemplating another sus-

comes to sum up the opera-this world-wide war, full jus-be done to what was accom-by the Mediterranean expedi-Flower of Turkey Crushed.

en and discouraged by the main which had been struck at him. In the second place, the fact that aria was prevented from joining the sof our enemies from March until ember, 1915, is one of the most signance, the true measure and imported of which it is not even yet posto judge. What the effect would been on the Eussian situation of the Eussian situation. ficance, the true measure and impornace of which it is not even yet possible to judge. What the effect would ive been on the Russian situation, allady beginning to crumble; on the Rusalan situation; on the Greek and arbian situation; if Bulgaria had pertrated her act of madness six months incellable. The first British armies in lose six months, raised by the genius id prestige of Lord Kitchener, came to the field as a new factor. But if ulgaria had changed over before we ad that million men available to take elr part in the struggle, it might well that a disaster of an irretrievable would have available to take provincial Legislature, thus completing the franchise granted in 1917."

INDICATIO HOUSE

TORONTO, Dec. 16.—The executive of the Ontario Woman Citizens' Association has passed the following resolution:

"Whereas, conditions in our country demand the combined consideration of both men and women to deal with the serious social and industrial problems confronting us, therefore be it.

"Resolved, that for the third time we ask the Ontario Government to grant women representation in the Provincial Legislature, thus completing the franchise granted in 1917."

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TAKES OVER LAND. ictoria, B. C., Dec. 17.—It was anneed by the minister of lands that Provincial Government has taken These lands belong to the South Okan-tan Land Company and run from a lint south of Penticton to the interna-onal boundary line. FULL VALUE PAID FOR

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Contemplated by Montreal's Cops

40,400 CASUALTIES AMONG U.S. TROOPS

FOR MILLING AND FEED AS IN PRE-WAR TIMES OTTAWA, Dec. 16.—By the omission in a telegraphic summary of the last clause in an order-in-council on December 11, repealing Section 2 of an order passed on March 7, prohibiting the feeding of wheat to poultry, a misunderstanding is prevalent. The facts are that wheat may now be purchased or sold for milling and for the feeding of poultry as in pre-war times. The later order-in-council was a definite repeal of the war-time restriction. The structure of the war-time restriction of the war-time restriction. The later order-in-council was a de-nite repeal of the war-time restric-

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#### CIRCUMSTANTIAL CANADA SEEMS WEB GROWS, BUT TO HAVE MADE PLEA IS ALIBI

Milo H. Piper Persists Another Government Is Pledged To Used His Name in Enormous Price for Five Marrying.

SIGNIFICANT ADMISSIONS HANDICAP TO COUNTRY

Michigan Man Arrested in Will Keep Prices of Plates Up Hamilton Owns to Traveling With Victim.

MUSKEGON, Mich., Dec. 16 .- Milo H. Piper, brought here from Hamilton, OTTAWA, Dec. 16.—The Government Ont. To face a charge of slaying Miss Freida Weichman. a Chicago book-keeper and golf player, to whom it is alleged he was married, although he had a wife and child here, was questioned for two hours this afternoon by Prosecuting Attorney Broek and other officers who have worked on the case for the last two years.

OTTAWA, Dec. 16.—The Government is commencing to feel some alarm regarding its \$24,000,000 contract with the Dominion Steel Company of Sydney, N. S., entered into shortly before the war ended. This contract provides for the manufacture of rolled plates for shipbuilding. The deliveries of Spies, per bbl. 200 Spies, per bbl. 200 Spies, per bbl. 300 Spies, per bbl. 300 Spies, per bbl. 300 Spies, per bbl. 375

WARM RECEPTION police and firemen who struck last week are now contemplating another sus-

> Imposing Military Ceremonies Arranged in Honor of British Chief

Haig, commander-in-chief of the British | hood of \$5.20 a to

in Ontario House Solf's Resignation

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 17.—After being ost without food in the Maiahat woods or nearly eight days, and after seeing is companion, Percy Peters, die from

THE LOCAL MARKET

Today's market was a disappointment of most poultry buyers. It was exected that today's poultry market would be one of the features of the Christmas season. Hay was brisk, sellwould be one of the features of the Shristmas season. Hay was brisk selling from \$19 to \$21 per ton. Vegetables and dairy products remained firm. Oats, per cwt.....\$2 05 to \$2 10 Wheat, per cwt.....\$51 to \$51 Grain, Bushel— 

to \$83, Against \$62 in Celery, per doz..... Spinach, per bu..... Lettuce, per doz.... [Special to The Advertiser.]

pot along the railroad tracks in Essay.

In Township near here.

Later this afternoon Piper and the fficers started for the spot where the ody was uncovered by a construction war times. The company gets \$83 a top for the plates, based on a price

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Demand for Seats

Duke of Connaught on benail of Angle George.

An imposing military welcome is being decree. From the station the field marshal, with troops lining the streets, will drive to Bucking-ham Palace, where King George will give a luncheon in his honor.

It is said that after the peace treaty is signed there will be a more formal and ceremonious welcome to Field Marshal Haig, his officers and his troops. OF HUN TROOPS;

Berlin Government General Mannerheim Takes

EXPOSURE IN B. C. WOODS

GEN. MANNERHEIM REGENT. HELINGFORS. Dec. 16.—(Havas Agency.)—The Finnish Diet has elect-ed M. Mannerheim regent of Finland ed M. Mannerneim regent of Finland.

Sometimes and the heavy snow which because and in the heavy snow which because for finland about all night, Peters died shortly after noon Monday.

SCHOONER WENT DOWN.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The sinking at sea of the schooner Wilfrid Marcus was reported to the navy department there, schooner was seen to go lock.

M. Mannerneim regent of Finland.

Gen. Mannerheim started from Newscastle, England, last Saturday for Finland. He said his policy was to secure recognition of the complete independence of Finland by all the powers, and establish a definite form of government there, based on the cooperation of all political parties. Good relations with Finland's Scandinavian neighbors and a friendly alliance with the real Russia, which must emerge from the present chaos, Gen. Mannerheim started from Newscastle, England, last Saturday for Finland. He said his policy was to secure recognition of the complete independence of Finland by all the powers, and establish a definite form of government there, based on the cooperation of all political parties. Good relations with Finland's Scandinavian neighbors and a friendly alliance with the real Russia, which must emerge from the present chaos, Gen. Mannerheim regent of Finland.

PETTY ROBBERY CASE

TORONTO, Dec. 16.-Frank McCul-

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS ad-

R. C. DESROCHERS,

Department of Public Works.

Paris, Dec. 17.—Several groups of French women suffrage advocates have joined in issuing a manifesto demanding that the political rights of women be recognized by the Government before the next election is held. ACCUSED MURDERER MOSTAL CONTRACTOR

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THE LOCAL MARKET

officers who have worked on the case for the last two years.

Piper admitted, according to the prosecutor, that he had traveled about the state with Miss Weichman, introducing her as his wife. He insisted, however, that he knew nothing of the girl's death, and maintained that a man he knew as John Sheldon had used his name in marrying her at Renssaelaer, Ind., in March, 1916.

He also admitted, the prosecuting attorney declares, that he left Grand Rapids with Miss Weichman in September, 1916. It was in May, 1917, that the body of a woman identified as Freida Weichman was unearthed at a lonely spot along the railroad tracks in Eggleston Township near here.

Later this afternoon Piper and the Later this afternoon Piper and the contract ontinues for several years thereafter.

Apples of Spies, per bbl. 200 to 325
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Live Stock—
Hogs, dressed, cwt. .23 00 to 24 00
Fat sows, cwt. . 14 50 to 15 00
Live hogs, cwt. .17 50 to 17 50
Small pigs, pair. .18 00 to 20 00
Beef, per cwt. .15 00 to 16 00
Veal, per cwt. .20 00 to 23 00
Heifer beef, cwt. .19 00 to 25 00
Lamb, per cwt. .23 00 to 25 00
Hides and Wool—
Calfskins, per lb. . .25 to 50 Calfskins, per lb. 25 to 30 Country hides, lb. 15 to 16 City hides, lb. 17 to 17 Sheepskins, each. 100 to 2.50

London, Dec. 16—(British Wireless Service).—Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, commander-in-chief of the British hood of \$5.20 a ton.

\$21 Below Canada's Deal.

| Winnipeg. Dec. 17.—Oats opened ½c to ½c lower for May at \$2½@82½c. Barley ½c lower for May at \$1.08. Barley ½c lower f WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Gen. Pershing cabled the war department today that unreported deaths in action among the expeditionary forces should reach the department by December 20, and of severely wounded by December 27.

The number of unreported casualties in process of verification at the central records office of the expeditionary forces where a civic address will be presented the field marshal. Later Sir Douglas is processed to the expeditionary forces the expeditionary forces should reach the dockyard in Dover the field marshal. Later Sir Douglas and Canadian shipbuilders hope to compare the field marshal. Later Sir Douglas and Canadian shipbuilders hope to compare the field marshal. Later Sir Douglas and Canadian shipbuilders hope to compare the field marshal. Later Sir Douglas and Canadian shipbuilders hope to compare the field marshal. Later Sir Douglas and Canadian shipbuilders hope to compare the field marshal. Later Sir Douglas and Canadian shipbuilders hope to compare the field marshal and his party will drive to the town hall Lady Haight states of the United States It is to the field marshal and his party will drive to the dockyard in Dover the field marshal and his party will be presented the field marshal. Later Sir Douglas are contract of the Dominion the five-year contract of the Dominion down to \$62, as against \$83 agreed to in the five-year contract of the Dominion down to \$62, as against \$83 agreed to in the five-year contract of the Dominion down to \$62, as against \$83 agreed to in the five-year contract of the Dominion down to \$62, as against \$83 agreed to in the five-year contract of the Dominion down to \$62, as against \$83 agreed to in the five-year contract of the Dominion down to \$62, as against \$83 agreed to in the five-year contract of the Dominion down to \$62, as against \$83 agreed to in the five-year contract of the Dominion down to \$62, as against \$83 agreed to in the five-year contract of the Dominion down to \$62, as against \$83 agreed to in the five-year contract of the Dominion down hill said: "Although we did in gaining astonishing re-would have followed from event was one which from point of view was fruitful, a definite part in the attain final result. The heart and ken out of the Turkish army tech Australian force which in the central records office since

LIVE STOCK

Toronto, Dec. 17.—Trade at the Union stockyards this morning continued slow, with cattle prices easier. Good butcher cattle were in some cases it lower than last week, and medium butchers 25c to 50c lower. Common cattle and canners are unchanged. Sheep, lambs and calves were steady, while hogs were a little easier. Receipts, 746 cattle, 75 calves, 847 logs spring, \$2.0202.10, fo.b. shipping points, while hogs were a little easier. Receipts, 746 cattle, 75 calves, 847 logs and 765 sheep. Quotations:

Cattle—Exporters, choice, per cwt, 300@110; \$10@11.25; do, medium, \$12.50@13.25; do, cows. choice, \$2.21½; No. 3 northern, \$2.21½; No. 4 wheat—Ontario, No. 1 winter, \$2.10@2.19; No. 3 spring, \$2.0202.10, fo.b. shipping points, according to freights; Manitoba, in store. Fort William (not including tax)! No. 1 northern, \$2.21½; No. 3 norther

@1750.
Sheep—Ewes, cwt, \$9@10; bucks and culls. \$4@8; lambs, \$1450@15.
Hogs—Fed and watered, cwt, \$18; f. o. b., \$1725.

East Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 17 .- Cattle-Calves-Receipts, 125; market steady Hogs-Receipts, 9,600; steady and unchanged. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,400; lambs 25c higher, at \$12@16; others unchanged.

PROVISIONS.
Liverpool, Dec. 17.—Beef—Extra In Liverpool. Dec. 17.—Beef—Extra India mess, 370s.
Pork—Prime mess western, 330s.
Hams—Short cut, 137s.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 152s; clear bellies, 160s; long clear middles, light, 160s; do, heavy, 159s; short clear backs, 157s; shoulders, square, 128s.
Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 149s 6d; American refined, in palls, 152s; do, in boxes, 150s. Chicago, Dec. 17.—Provisions con-linued the recent daily performance of ropping at once the maximum allowed nder the rules. Rallies failed to last.

OILS.
Liverpool, Dec. 17.—Tallow—Australan (in London), 72s.
Turpentine Spirits—125s.
Rosin—Common, 64s 6d.
Petroleum—Refined, 1s 65/d.
Linseed Oil—62s.
Cottonseed Oil—62s. Cottonseed Oil—68s 6d. War Kerosene—No. 2, 1s 2:44. London, Dec. 17.—Calcutta Linseed—£32 10s.
Linseed Oil—58s.
Sperm Oil—£54.
Petroleum—Unchanged.
Turpentine Spirits—105s.
Rosin—Type G, 55s.

lay in the trial of Edward Herman, harged in the sessions with receiving 84 worth of stolen tobacco.

McCullough stated that he had sold in tobacco to Herman, and had told im at the time that it was stolen. In cross-examination McCullough admitted having committed six robberies in the last year. The last "job" he did before the shooting, he said, was a \$4,000 robbery in Ottawa. The case goes on tomorrow. COTTON.
Liverpool, Dec. 17.—Cotton—Futures closed steady; December, 20.63d; January, 19.59d; February, 18.46d; March, 17.58d; April, 16.42d. LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, Dec. 17.—Closing prices day were:
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Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul.
De Beers

be, will be received until 12 O'CLOCK NOON, FRIDAY, DEC. 27, 1918, for the construction of a Recreation Building, and Officers' Hospital, Military Orthopedic Hospital, Toronto, Ont.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, the Clerk of Works, Postal Station "F," Toronto, and of the Superintendent of Military Hospitals, Toronto, Ont.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein.

Each tender mus' be accompanied by an accepted check in a chartered bank payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the tender. War Loan Bonds of the Dominion will also be accepted as security, or war bonds and checks if required to make up an odd amount.

By order. 

MONEY. London, Dec. 17.—Bar silver, 48 7-16d Money, 3 per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills and three months, 317-32 per cent. low, not quoted; No. 3 yellow, \$1.62; No. 4. \$1.57; corn-feed, \$1.48, on track, Toronto.
Barley—New crop, 98c@\$1.03.
Peas—No. 2, \$2, according to freight, outside.

Paykwheat \$1.42 Buckwheat—\$1.42. Rye—No. 2, \$1.58.

MONTREAL Montreal, Dec. 16 .- The trade in oats n spot continues very quiet, and prices rule about steady Oats-Extra No. 1 feed, 91%c.

FLOUR

Toronto, Dec. 16.—Flour—Ontario, war quality, \$10.25; Toronto-Montreal, \$10.25, iew bags; Manitoba, war quality, \$11.35, Foronto. Thomson & McKinnon, brokers, Royal ank Building, report fluctuations in ew York stocks for The Advertiser Millfeed-Carlots, delivered, Montreal Shorts, \$42.25 per ton; bran, \$37.25; feed lour and middlings not quoted.

Montreal, Dec. 16.—There has been no The demand for rolled oats was quiet and the condition of the market was unchanged.

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Moullie—\$68@70.

New York, Dec. 16.—Flour—Dull; springs and Kansas, \$10.75@11; winters, \$10.40@10.50.

Rye Flour—Steady, fair to good, \$8.50@9: choice to fancy, \$9.05@9.65.

White Corn Flour—Dull; \$3.85@4.25.

Barley Flour—Dull; \$7.50@8.

WHEN DISASTER CAME

Opinion Voiced That Campass Went Bad or Some One Erred.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Dec. 16.—The officers and crew of the wrecked C. P. R. steamer Corinthian, with the exception of Capt. David Tannock, who is standing by the ship, arrived here today rom Brier Island. The officers of the Corinthian refused to discuss the mine.

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