HE UNITED STATES MAY PURCHASE GERMAN SHIPS

TEMPTED GERMAN RAID HAD FATAL RESULTS-ONE SHIP SUNK, TWO MORE BADLY DAMAGED

GERMAN RAID THWARTED---BRITISH FLEET HAS VICTORY

ERMAN CRUISERS AND A FLOTILLA OF DESTROYERS EFEATED BY FOUR BRITISH CRUISERS - ONE GERMAN SHIP SUNK.

announced that a naval ok place in the North Sea

Running Fight.

e overtaken by the Brit-|ships returned to port. the Blucher was sunk and er German ships badly ithout injury.

nt issued today says that whom were lost.

during the advance of our armorn, Jan. 25.—It has been ed cruisers Seydlitz, Derfflinger, Moltke and Blucher, which were inday morning. Four accompanied by four small cruiscruisers, the Seydletz, ers and two flotillas of torpedo r. Moltke and Blucher boats steaming in the North Sea small cruisers, accom- these vessels became engaged by a flotilla of torpedo with a British detachment comere attempting another posed of five battle cruisers, sevthe British coast when eral smaller cruisers and twentye sighted by the British isx destroyers. The enemy dis-Lion, Princess Royal, continued the engagement after land and Indomitable. | three hours at a point seventy miles northwest of Heligoland on as the German ships and retreated. One British battle they were sighted they cruiser and the Blucher were and fled but in the chase sunk. All the other German

Modern Fast Cruiser.

The Blucher was one of the . The British ships es- Germans best fast cruisers. She was of 15,500 tons and had a what Berlin Says.

| speed of 25 knots. Her heaviest | ACTIVITY REPORTED |
| Jan. 25.— The official guns were 8.2-inch. She carried | ACTIVITY REPORTED cement of the naval en- 888 officers and men, most of

SE SEEK PEACE BUT END IN FIGHT

ecial to The Daily News) rancisco, Jan. 25 .- Three war which broke out here and extended to several ashes occurring here and es of the different tongs have practically ceased. nered here to patch up old and instead of peace as a big fight.

N RELIEF SHIP REPORTED IN DISASTER

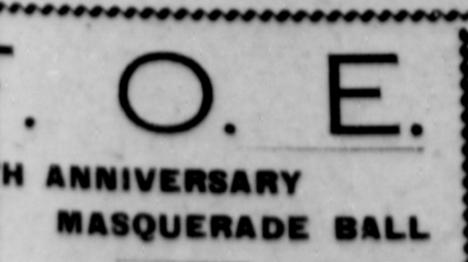
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an steamer Camiano lost lder in a storm south of sland and is in need of

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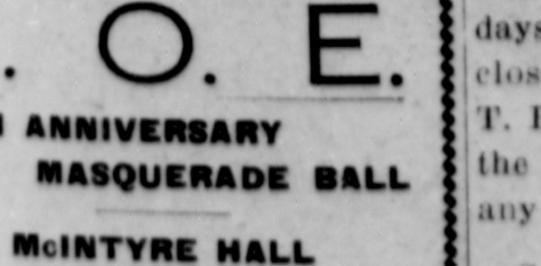
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to at reasonable price. Ap- has been heard from him.



VIENNA REPORT

(Special to The Daily News.)

Vienna, Jan. 25. - The official report says that quiet reigns in ading from the Lys to the Oise. Bukowina after last Austrian sucen are dead as a result of cessful battle. In the Carpathi-cept that a German counter at-were transferred to the other of several trenches they had push- Bac. ed forward south of the Passes. There are only artillery engage- of towing the Camino to port. and and Stockton. Repre- Russian assaults on Przemsyl ments in the Champagne and in

FIGHT POSTPONED

(Special to The Dally News)

New York, Jan. 25 .- The detachment of Bavarian troops White-Welsh championship fight were surprised and captured. scheduled for Tuesday has been There is heavy fog in the Vospostponed for one week because ges and in Alsace. White is unfit on account of influenza.

ax, N. S., Jan. 23.—The RICH HUSBAND MISSING BRIDE MAKES INQUIRY

Seattle, Jan. 25 .- Mrs. Mary A. nce, according to a wire- McCracken, now a resident of Seessage received from her. attle, but until recently a ranch amiano sailed from San owner of Geraldine, Mont., is sco December 5. She is searching for information conbe laden with supplies for cerning her husband, David Bengians. The Canadian gov- jamin McCracken, heir to a large it steamer Lady Laurier estate in Scotland, why by the the aid of the vessel. The terms of his mother's will is to of the Camiano was given be known henceforth as David

The importance of the search Camiano is bound for Rot- lies in the fact that McCracken, She came through the following his mother's death a Canal December 28, and jumped from the position of a at New York for fuel on rancher to that of a landed geny 8, sailing from there the tleman, with an income of \$800 a ng day. Her net tonnage is day, or approximately \$280,000 a year. With the exception of a letter written by him while en route to Scotland, where the Blair estates are located, nothing

> Substantial bank balances in his name are held in Geraldine and Butte and his bride of a few days awaits him in Seattle. The closest investigation by Attorney T. B. McMahon, who is aiding in the search, has failed to disclose any trace of McCracken.

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TRAIN WRECK IN GERMANY KILLS MANY SOLDIERS ON WAY TO FIGHT FRENCH.

An express train running at high speed and carrying many soldiers who had recovered from their wounds sufficiently to allow them to return to French battlefields was wrecked near Stendal when it ran into the rear of a freight train. Many of the soldiers were killed or mortally injured.

ALONG WESTERN LINE

(Special to The Daily News.)

Paris, Jan. 25 .- The official report says that slight progress was made east of St. Georges.

There is intermittent cannon-

the Argonne.

At St. Miehiel the German bridges across the Meuse were

destroyed. At Embermenil, in Lorraine, a

What Berlin Says.

Berlin, Jan. 25 .- The official report records artillery near Nieuport and Ypres.

The Germans lost a trench |*

southwest of Berry-au-Bac. In the Argonne the infantry * tonight in the Empress

fighting continues. All the French attacks on Hart- | mands made by this city mansweiler in Alsace were re- * for freer trade in fish with pulsed with heavy loss, 400 * the States. H. S. Clements, Chasseurs being found dead, and * M. P., will be there but a number of prisoners taken.

tillery duel on the front from * of the fence are expected Lotzen to Gumbinnen.

The situation is unchanged in * home. Tonight's meeting * northern Poland.

RUNS TO DOCTOR, DIES.

Spokane Official Chokes Following Removal of Tonsil.

Fairley, city commissioner in * the meeting should be charge of finance, died in a doc- * what the people have to. tor's office today of an acute * say and how they are goswelling of the larnyx. He had a * ing to insist on their detonsil removed yesterday, and * mands being granted. It while at home noticed that he was * might be a good time, too, slowing choking. He hurried to * to discuss the sending of the doctor's office, where he died * a delegation to Ottawa to in twenty minutes.

The trouble is that in real life * doubt assist with trans- * the fellow who holds the mort- * portation. Let every- * on gage on the farm never wants to | * body pull together. marry the old man's daughter.

BELGIAN RELIEF SHIP IS BEING RESCUED

(Special to The Dally News)

Ottawa, Jan. 25 .- The Canadian government steamer Lady Laurier and the steamer Kanaisha are desperately fighting to rescue the Belgian relief ship Camino off the Nova Scotian Along the Aisne all is quiet ex- coast. A number of the injured SHUGRUE GOES RIGHT ON ans the Russians were driven out tack was repulsed at Berry-au- boats and a powerful tug is proceeding to the scene with hopes

THE WEATHER.

By F. W. Dowling, Observer. (5 a. m., January 25, 1915.)

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We have a few more suits, perhaps one that will just fit you .-20-21 Demers.

TURN OUT TONIGHT.

A meeting is called for

* Theatre to discuss the de-* both he and all other local In East Prussia there is an ar- | * politicians on both sides * * to leave their politics at * * should be one of business-* men getting together for * the advancement of Prince * Rupert. Again, while the * people are anxious to * know what Mr. Clements * has to say about our de-Spokane, Jan. 25 .- Robert * mands, the chief part of * to support Mr. Clements.

SAYS SEWARD WILL

Seattle, Jan. 25 .- Major L. H. French, an Alaska mining man, German base. told friends here that Seward had been definitely decided upon as the terminus of the Alaska government railway.

CLEANING UP GOOD ONES

Joe Shugrue, of Jersey City, had the better of Leach Cross, of New York, in seven rounds of their recent ten-round bout here, both lightweights fighting cleanly and cleverly. In the seventh Cross was knocked down by a right to the jaw. Shugrue weighed 133 and Cross 131 1-2 pounds, ringside.

LAUNCH BIG SUBMARINE.

Quincy, Mass., Jan. 25 .- The ed further than the first reading.

WIFE'S PRETTY FEET DRIVES HUSBAND AWAY

Papillion, Neb., Jan. 25.-Because of notoriety gained by Mrs. Clara C. Houston, of Chicago, who is said to have the prettiest pair of feet in the world, her husband, Nat C. Houston, was today granted a divorce from her in Papillion. Houston lives in this county. Mrs. Houston was given \$3,500 alimony and dismissed the divorce suit she filed in Omaha some time ago.

W. H. Wark left last night for * Los Angeles, Cal., where he will * undergo an operation for appendicitis. His brother-in-law, a * skillful surgeon of that city, will * The G. T. P. would no * have him in charge.

Dresses moving rapidly, but still a few are left at \$7.50 and

SHIPS' PURCHASE BILL AGAIN---CONGRESS URGED TO ADOPT IT

REASON GIVEN IS ENORMOUS INCREASE IN COST OF TRANS-ATLANTIC SHIPPING-GERMANY PROTESTS AGAINST SELLING AMERICAN AEROPLANES TO THE ALLIES.

(Special to The Daily News.)

vances in transatlantic freight merce. rates since the war started, up to

Boost for Alaska.

cial announcement is made of the war vessels.

Idiscovery of a practical and nav-Washington, D. C., Jan. 25 .- | igable channel from Bering Sea Secretaries McAdoo and Redfield into the mouth of the Kuskowin today presented the Senate with River, thus opening the second evidence of extraordinary ad- greatest river of Alaska to com-

German Protest.

1,000 per cent. The report urges | Washington, Jan. 25 .- Gerthe adoption of the Ship Purchase many has officially protested against the shipment of American aeroplanes to the Allies on Washington, Jan. 25 .- An offi- the grounds that such craft are

BRITISH AVIATORS ATTACK ZEEBRUGGE

London, Jan. 25 .- Two British aviators dropped twenty-seven company, the Red Rose Developbombs on Zeebrugge on Friday morning and succeeded in dam- Boule Mountain and will begin laging a German submarine and development work at once. Mr. BE THE TERMINUS killing and wounding the gun Williams, of Williams & Murdoff,

> though at one time surrounded toria. The deal was put through by seven German airmen and by Mr. T. J. Vaughan-Rhys and slightly wounded, eluded his pur- he will be in charge of the desuers and returned safely.

WILL URGE ABOLITION OF CAPTAL PENALTY

Ottawa, Jan. 25 .- Robert Rickerdike, M. P. for the St. Lawrence division of Montreal, will once more urge upon Parliament next punishment. Mr. Rickerdike delivered an eloquent speech at the last session, characterizing the imposition of the death penalty as a blot upon civilization. He had many supporters in the House, but his bill never proceed-

submarine L-1, to be launched to- Mr. Bickerdike came back day at the yards of the Fore River again at the war session, believ-Shipbuilding Corporation, is the ing that though men were killing the price of New Wellington Coal largest submarine thus far built each other on the battlefront in will be as follows: for the United States navy. She Europe, there was no reason why is one of seven vessels of the the laws of Canada should permit same time which have been au- the State to take the life of even thorized. The L-1 registers 450 a murderer. His bill is again on tons and measures 165 feet over the order paper for the coming ery guaranteed .- Rogers & Albert.

> A few copies of the Pioneer Dinna forget the Burns Banquet Booklet remain unsold. To close the nict at 8:30 in St. Anthem out quickly the publishers drew's Hall. Gents, \$1.50. Ladies, have reduced the price. Get one \$1.00. A guid Scotch nicht wi at Orme's (either store) for 75c music, speeches, sangs and dancwhile they last. 6t ing.

STRONG COMPANY TO START DEVELOPMENT

New Hazelton, Jan. 25.—A new ment Company, has taken over a group of claims on the Rocher de crews mounted on the Mole to Vancouver, is at the head of the prevent an attack on the new concern, and with him are associated some of the leading bus-Flight Commander R. B. Davies, iness men of Vancouver and Vicvelopment work.

DIAMOND TRADE IS HURT.

De Beers Company Will Probably Pass Dividends, It Is Announced.

Kimberley, Union of South Afsession the abolition of capital rica, Jan. 20-"The past year was a bad one for the diamond trade and the De Beers Company probably will pass its dividends at the close of the fiscal year, ending June 30 next," said Chairman Francis Oates at the annual meeting of the De Beers shareholders.

REDUCTION IN COAL.

Beginning Monday, January 25,

No. 1 House Lump Coal, per ton\$10.00 Washed Nut, per ton...\$8.50 Full weight and prompt deliv-

In The Empress Theatre

MR. H. S. CLEMENTS And Others Will Speak About The Fishery Concessions for Prince Ruprert

EVERYBODY IS INVITED