DRIVE REPIILSED ON

THREE HENDRED KILLED IN SKODA DISASTER --- SWISS TRAFFIC IS SUSPENDED

WESTERN FRONT ALONG DNEISTER

Artillery Duel still raging-Swiss River Crossed and Town Taken-Frontier Closely Watched-All Frenght Traffic is Suspended.

(Special to The Dally News.)

Paris, Feb. 11 .- The artillery duel between the French and Germans on the western front is continuing in the Artois district. The Germans made a big drive on the French positions but were repulsed.

Swiss Frontier Watched.

The closing of the German-Swiss frontier is being watched along closer lines than ever. All persons crossing the border are rigorously searched, as also are the mails. Freight traffic has been absolutely suspended and merchandise is piling up at the frontier stations, as the trains are being used only for military purposes.

Swiss Trouble.

land, and that several Swiss of- American oil-tanker Petrolite. ficers have been charged with aiding the Germans.

Merchantmen as Warships.

clares that, hereafter, all mer- Greece by a Bulgarian force. chantmen will be treated as warships.

WILLIAMS AND MCMEEKIN RETIRE FROM BUSINESS

enlisting for the front, their deadgrocery business will be terminated and the partnership dis- MANITOBA EXPENSES solved. All affairs of the partnership will be turned over to Mr. Alex. Finnie, of Stewart & Mobley, Limited, who will collect accounts and adjust liabilities.

partnership with Mr. L. M. Ful- millions in the ensuing year. ler, and will appreciate the business and good will of all his for- PANAMA CANAL CLOSED mer patrons.

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BOXES FOR LADIES

RUSSIAN OFFEN-IS REPULSED ON SIVE RESUMED

Offensive Progresses in the Caucasus--Invasion of Greece.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Petrograd, Feb. 11 .- The Russian offensive in Eastern Galicia on the front in North Bukowina has been resumed.

The Dneister in that region has been crossed by the Russian forces and Usciezke has been captured.

The Russian forces are making progress in the Caucasus, and there is minor fighting on the other fronts.

Prussian Losses.

fighting.

American Request.

Washington, Feb. 11.-Secretary Lansing has asked Austria The Hotel Rupert bulletin says to explain the attack made by that there is a crisis in Switzer- Austrian submarines on the

Invasion of Greece.

Sofia, Feb. 11 .- The govern-

SIR RIVERS WILSON IS DEAD IN LOND

(Special to The Daily News.)

CUT BY TWO MILLIONS

(Special to The Daily News.)

Mr. McMeekin intends to con- cost of the civil administration of city. He states that the coming grease from sinks be collected. tinue in the grocery business in Manitoba will be cut by over two season is to be a record in the Advertisements in the papers give

FOR SIX MONTHS MORE

(Special to The Dally News.)

Panama, Feb. 11-It is announced that the Panama Canal will not be open for traffic for six terminal. months yet.

COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED

The city clerk has received ofand that Alderman O. H. Nelson cepted. and Mr. W. D. Moxley have been appointed Police Commissioners for the same period.

staff, has been notified from the nated by Albert & McCaffery, and * customers, and assure the * police department in Winnipeg the picture donated by Mr. Jacobs | * public of satisfaction in * that the finger prints of a man will be raffled. Generous dona- * quality, price and service. * McMordie Apartments, at bargain arrested there for house breaking tions of bread, cakes and pastry |* are identical with those of a man are earnestly requested, as more * who was convicted of attempting than is being sent in can be dis- * to steal in Prince Rupert.



FIRST BRITISH M. P. ELECTED ON CONSCRIPTION ISSUE

Mr. J. D. Gilbert, official coalition and Liberal conscription ance will be charged, all dealing candidate makes a round of his constituency and getting the with the alleged appropriation of London, Feb. 11 .-- Prussian cheers of his junior constituents on his election day at Newington, trust funds to purposes other than stroyed along with the plans an lists just issued show forty thou- England. He was elected on the conscription issue. His agent those for which the directors drawings which were contained sand more losses in the recent who is with him in the picture is wearing the Derby armlet.

NORWEGIAN DROPPED DEAD IN HIS SHACK

Herman Halverson, a Norwegian about 55 years of age, drop-Street about noon today. Dement organ, in a leading article, ceased had been visiting in th Berlin, Feb. 11-Germany de- foreshadows the invasion of shack next to his own, and, on leaving it, was followed out by taken from the effects of Captain of the claims. the bed and expired in a few itary attache in Washington who minutes.

London, Feb. 11.—Sir J. Rivers nounced life extinct. Heart dis- of his connection with certain As Mr. A. B. Williams, of the Wilson, the late president of the ease was the cause of death. Hal- conspirators. firm of Williams & McMeekin, is Grand Trunk Railway System is verson had been living in Prince Rupert for about a month.

NORTHERN PACIFIC OFFICIAL IN THE CITY

Winnipeg, Feb. 11.—The Norris liciting freight agent for the of food has compelled the augovernment announces that the Northern Pacific Railway, is in the thorities to demand that even the way of travel on this coast and a true index of conditions in the that Prince Rupert will receive Kaiser's domain. its share.

> the south are greatly interested take all the nice boys to the Oddin the development of Prince Ru- fellows' Leap Year Ball on Febpert, and are satisfied that there ruary 29th. is a great future for the G. T. P.

AMERICAN SECRETARY FOR WAR RESIGNS

(Special to The Daily Naws)

RED CROSS SALE

Mrs. William Manson and Mrs. * TELL-TALE FINGER PRINTS G. H. Arnold will conduct the Red * Cross Sale of home cooking on | * Both partners solicit the * Officer Bailey, of the city police Friday The half ton of coal do- * patronage of their former *

GERMAN CONSUL ADMITS

(Special to The Daily News.)

New Orleans, Feb. 11.—Dr. Paul its occupant. On entering his Von Papen by British agents at own shack, Halverson dropped on Falmouth. Von Papen was a milwas recalled at the request of the Dr. Cade, who was called, pro- United States government because

DESPERATE CONDITIONS OBTAIN IN GERMANY

(Courtesy Hotel Rupert).

London, Feb. 11.—Conditions F. S. Elliott, of Vancouver, so- in Germany are desperate. Lack

Mr. Elliott says that people in Wanted-All the nice girls to

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nounce that they are form- * render value. * cery, which are being en-* larged to accomodate the * extensive stock which will *

Watch for the Specials. Motor Delivery. Two phones, Nos. 56 & 572.

In view of the fact that the Cana dian Home Investment Company got hold of about \$17,000 of thei money of residents in Prince Rupert, we reproduce the following note of future proceedings in connection with the charges against the directors of the com-

Mr. J. G. Forrester, liquidator of the Canadian Home Investment Company, on consultation with his solicitors, Messrs. St. John and Jackson, has decided to pro- Bohemia is more serious than ceed against the late directors of was at first announced. that company for alleged mis- It is now stated that three hunfeasance. The summons will be dred were killed and several huntaken out under the Winding-Up dred were injured in the disaster. Act, probably before the end of The explosion was the work of the week.

Three particulars of misfeaswere bound to use them. Another in the draughting offices of the particular may be included re- factory. garding an alleged illegal delegation of powers by which certain hibited the publication of all news WRITING PAPEN LETTER gation of powers by which colden in the publication of the disaster in the newspapers Trust Company smash-up.

The amount of money claimed in the suit will be less than \$100,- GERMAN CONSPIRATORS ped dead in his shack on Fraser Roh, German Consul here, has ad- 000, but the exact sum is hard to mitted to the Associated Press estimate at this stage, owing to that he wrote the letter which was the peculiar nature of one or two

The Directors' Names.

W. Law, G. C. Hodges, J. A. render. Harvey, K. C., H. M. Hapley and C. A. Kahlen were all directors of LONE BANDIT HOLDS the company at one time or another during its history, but not all were connected with the company at the times that all of the alleged misfeasance were com- bandit held up and robbed twenty

How Business was Done-

pany issued were in 93 series and Rock Springs. He escaped, but in each series there was a fund is being pursued by a posse. created called the loan or reserve fund. This fund was built up out of a certain proportion of the monthly payments which the Seward, Alaska, Feb. 6 .-- The tract holders and which it con- night from Iditarod reported that tracted to set apart and use for when the mail was taken over the the purpose of making loans to trail at Takotna, the temperature * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * the contract holders in rotation, was 71 degrees below zero. The * and for settling with contract cold was so intense that the L. Murray Fuller and * holders who wished to cash their carriers had to turn back their Thomas McMeekin an- * contracts at their so-called sur- horses and set out a second time

* ing a partnership and in- * It will be alleged in the misficial notice from Victoria that Washington, Feb. 11.—Secre- * tend to carry on a grocery * feasance suit that the directors Alderman R. J. D. Smith and Mr. tary of War Lindley M. Garrison * business in Prince Rupert * who contracted to keep these funds J. G. Viereck have been appointed has tendered his resignation. It * under the firm name of * for the certain purposes ascribed, Licence Commissioners for 1916, is understood that it will be ac- * Fuller & McMeekin, in the * failed to do so, and in spite of premises heretofore oc- * their bargain with the contract cupied by Fuller's Gro- * holders, diverted the funds for * other purposes.

Two Sums of \$25,000.

In the first place it will be albe carried by the firm. * leged that the company diverted (Continued on Page Two.)

FURNITURE FOR SALE

For sale—Furniture of Suite 5 * prices. Call at once.

The Daily News delivered by carrier, 50 cents per month.

AGAINST C.H.I.C. OFFICERS THREE HUNDRED

Censor Suppresses News in Austria-Hungary-Guns Under Construction Were Destroyed.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Bucharest, Feb. 11 .- The damage resulting from the explosion in the Skoda armament factory in

criminals who were employed in making melenite.

All the cannon which were in course of construction were de-

The Austrian press censor proof Austro-Hungary.

READY TO SURRENDER

(Special to The Dally News.)

San Francisco, Feb. 11 .- German officials, who were indicted Colonel J. Duff Stuart, Dr. R. E. by a grand jury on charges of McKechnie, Messrs. J. J. Ban-conspiring to blow up munitions field, A. McKechnie, J. R. Seymour, plants, have notified the police C. Seymour, E. C. Mason, F. that they are prepared to sur-

UP PULLMAN CAR

(Special to The Dally News.)

Cheyenne, Feb. 11.-A lone passengers on the pullman of an eastbound Union Pacific train to-The contracts which the com- day, between Green River and

DEFIES 71 BELOW ZERO

company received from the con-mail carrier who arrived last with dog-sleighs.

WESTHOLME

OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

Some Class to Friday and Saturday's

"A ROMANCE OF THE NAVY." A fine story of Gallantry and Patriotism, set in superb surroundings. "SONNY JIM AT THE MARDI GRAS" Showing wonderful scenes of a great Carnival-Army and Navy, Peace, Mardi Gras Parade, the Landing of Columbus, etc. Don't miss this

wonderful picture. Beautiful scenes of water nymphs, Lots of fun in this one.

Thrilling modern drama. Coming next Monday and Tuesday.