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Snow

LA TOURAINE FIRE MASTERED; CRAFT ON WAY TO PORT

Blaze is Confined to One of Com-. partments of Hold and the Vessel is Proceeding to Port.

ROTTERDAM ACTS AS ESCORT

Fire Mastered, Passengers and Crew All Right and Steamer Moves by Own Power.

WILL REACH HAVRE TONIGHT

PARIS, March 7 .- The fire aboard the steamer La Touraine has been mastered, and all aboard are safe according to announcement by the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique at noon today. The fire is confined in one of the compartments of the hold. La Touraine proceeding to Havre under its own steam, and escorted by the steamship Rotterdam and is expected to arrive there tomorrow night.

Escorted by Rotterdam. line steamer La Touraine is being escorted to port by the Rotterdam, which has been standing by to give whatever aid was needed, and no further assistance is required, according to a wireless dispatch to Lloyds at Queenstown. The message gave no details, and did not state what port La Toursine would make with

Man Arrested by Own

within forty-eight hours of Hibbard R. is a fact you can't get away from. You Steeves of Parkman, arrested at the instance of his father-in-law, on suspicion the Mexican war, to politics or what you that he was Frank Grigware, a life con- will, the fact remains they are under the vict who escaped from the federal peni- weather. They say certain roads have tentiary at Leavenworth, Kan., on April been looted and the state commissions 21. 1910, was predicted today by county have reduced rates as punishment. But that comparisons of Steeves' finger any looters being hurt, you never see any prints with those of Grigware have con- looters going to jail. cinced him that the man under detention is not the Leavenworth fugitive.

the Leavenworth prison

Aument Kills Self; Writes to Miller

"I am quitting tonight: I want to say goodoye to you," said Harry A. Aument of New York, former manager of the United Typewriter and Supplies company in Omaha, in a letter received by V. W. pany, an old friend, several days ago.

Thinking that the statement read strangely, Mr. Miller wrote to New York for information concerning Mr. Aument and from a reply received yesterday learned that Mr. Aument committed sul-cide the same night he wrote the letter. road to make such improvements as cently he had been sales manager in money was steadily put into the roads

WOULD MAKE MILITIA SERVICE COMPULSORY

BOSTON, Mass, March 7.-State Adjutant General Charles S. Cole in his annual report, made public tonight, recommended that militia service be made compulsory and that the federal government instead of the states should raise and equip the troops.

It is conceded by all persons," said the report, "that the nation is in a state of unpreparedness in case of an attack Goethals Will Leave by a first, or even a second-class, power, A federalized militia would be the proper system and would provide an efficient army of citizen soldiers."

The Weather



Local Record.

Precipitation T T 00 .01

Temperature and precipitation departures from the normal:

Normal temperature 31

Deficiency for the day 5

Total deficiency March 1 5

Normal precipitation 0 inch

Heficiency for the day 64 Inch

Total rainfall since March 1 1.55 inches

Excess since March 1 1.30 inches

Deficiency for cor. period, 1914. 77 Inch

Deficiency for cor. period, 1913. 37 Inch

T indicates trace of precipitation.

L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

he was from Baltimore.

WITH THE WAR ON THE EAST FRONT -- Germans loading cavalry at Lodz, preparatory to their advance on Warsaw.



"UNDER WEATHER

LONDON, March 7 .- The French Frisco Receiver Declares State Commissions Have Been Reducing Rates as Punishment.

INNOCENT ARE SUFFERERS

CHICAGO, March 7 .- James W. Lusk, one of the receivers of the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad. testified today in the Interstate Comapplication of forty-one western railroads for increased freight rates. He Pa-in-Law as Frank said that one reason why railroads were not earning sufficiently was be-Grigware Has Alibi cause various state commissions had Wholesalers and Manufacturers All reduced their rates "as punishment."

"The railroads of the United States are DOVER, Mc., March 7,-The release under the weather," said Mr. Lusk. "It may attribute it to the European war.

Innocent Suffer. "The innocent ones are hurt, the em-

"Isn't it a fact that the continued talk a little shopping. by railroad officials about depression in There will be entertainment for the Grigware was one of the men taking husiness has tended to depreciate rail- visitors every evening. posed rates.

"That is not true," replied Mr. Lusk. My belief is that the railroads have not They have not been candid enough. That's why I say let's get together and give the roads a fair deal."

Mr. Lusk said his own road had defaulted on \$143,700,000 worth of bonds, but Miller of the Remington Typewriter com- of bonds. On February 1, last, he said, the total cash on hand was \$27,000.

Earnings of Road.

The earnings of the road amounted to 1.7 per cent on a valuation of \$50,000 a mile of the 5,000 miles, he said, and with Mr. Aument shot himself on a ferryboat seemed necessary for the public welfare. between New York and Jersey City and L. E. Wettling of Lincoln, Neb., statislcaped into the water. Ill health was tician for the railroads, submitted tables said to have been the cause. Until re- purporting to show that while more South America for the Royal Typewriter in the last seven years, their earning power at the present freight rates was steadily decreasing

On a 7 per cent basis, said the witness, the roads were earning only on \$2,761,000,-1000, leaving an investment of \$2,317,000,000 upon which there was no income what-Two sets of tables were introduced, one showing the income and outgo of the roads for the seven years prior to 1908, and the other showing the income and outgo for the latter seven years; the comparison, the witness said, showed the position of the roads to be less favorable now than they formerly were,

Isthmus Within Year

PANAMA, March 7 .- Major General G. W. Goethals, governor of the Panama canal zone, in a speech tonight at the annual banquet of the Society of the Chagres, announced his probable retirenent as governor within a year. He said that he had requested that he be retired in favor of a younger man and that his request undoubtedly would be granted.

ATTEMPT TO ARREST MAN IS FATAL TO POLICEMEN

WILMINGTON, Del., March 7 .- In running fight with a man whom they attempted to arrest on suspicion that he was a bank robber, Frank Tierney, a policeman, was killed, and another policeand met his pursuers with a fusilade of in that country. builets. The desperado, with a com-

Tierney died in a hospital a few min-

McPhersons Will Move to Maryland

T. B. McPherson and wife and daughters, Misses Louise and Margaret Mc-Pherson, have made plans to remove to an old family estate near Frederick, Md., it was announced yesterday.

Their decision will remove from Omaha one of its most prominent families. Mr. McPi erson is well known in business and financial circles. Miss Louise McPherson is especially prominent in charitable work while Miss Margaret McPherson's dramatic and musical work has been

merce commission's hearing of the MERCHANTS MARKET WEEK OPENS TODAY

Prepared to Entertain Their Business Visitors.

EXPECT LARGE ATTENDANCE

Merchants' Market Week opens today. Wholesalers and manufacturers in officials. Sheriff Charles H. Norton said who does this huit? You never hear of favorable replies to the invitations sent Carpathian passes to clear the first part they therefore look for the largest athas ever seen in Omaha

A record of Steeves' services in the playes are laid off and the stockholders. All the wholesalers and manufacturers army received today from the War de- rail to get dividends. Government control are preparing to take care of these partment at Washington corroborated of railroads has come to stay, and the pecialty across the western section he due to the cabinets dissent from the willing to show them their stocks of pecialty across the western section he due to the cabinets dissent from the willing to show them their stocks of pecialty across the western section he due to the cabinets dissent from the willing to show them their stocks of pecialty across the western section he due to the cabinets dissent from the willing to show them their stocks of pecialty across the western section he due to the cabinets dissent from the willing to show them their stocks of pecialty across the western section he due to the cabinets dissent from the due to the cabinets distent from th local examination and asking for further another. You should not attempt to elaborate entertainments long enough to instructions was sent to the warden of strangle the roads."

manship.

"What does a professor know about Neystrom of the University of Minnesota teric sickness. were not also a practical man of business. For while he is a professor who can talk had met obligations on \$92,500,000 worth principles of economics until the last word

Intruding Negro Shot by Owner of Victoria Hotel

Awakening early Sunday morning to ind a negro bending over her bed, Nellie Flood, chambermair at the Victoria hotel, 1908 Dodge street, acreamed for help and then fainted.

Herman Ferer, proprietor, heard her cry and dashed to the room, where at the point of a revolver he forced the man down the stairs to the office.

The negro, proceeding before Ferer stooped quickly at the foot of the stairway and picked up a heavy cuspidor, but before he could make use of the improvised weapon Ferer fired three shots. One

The police were summoned and PI Charles W. Howell, the night clerk, air gion i ters. The wounded man, whom the police recognized as William Walker, alias 1847,261,000. Legal tender notes, silver recognized as William Walker, alias 1847,261,000. Legal tender notes, silver refribates and subsidiary coin, 222,292,000. Total, \$270,542,000. Bills discounted and loans. Maturities within thirty days,

GLOUCESTER, Mass., March 7 .- A letter received here today from A. P. Piatt man was mortally wounded and two Andrew, former secretary of the treasury, others injured severely here today. The who is doing hospital and ambulance officers had pursued the man several work at Dunkirk, France, says that there blocks when he took refuge in a barn are now 600,000 wounded in the hospitals

panion, was arrested. He gave his name Man Found Dead at Pacific Junction No. 54, which gives Ornaha a municipal issued this evening: as Frank Melba, his age as 22 and said | GLENWOOD, Ia., March 7.-(Special.)-Martina Savoyja, a Mexican extra la-borer, was found dead in the railroad Dodge explained that it has

DUAL CROWN HOSTS ARE IN FULL FLIGHT

Army of Archduke Joseph Fleeing the Porte, while Count Mirbach, the Before Russ, Leaving Guns and Baggage Behind Them.

DEFEATED ON GALICIAN SOIL

Copyright, 1915, by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON. March 7 .- (Special Cablegram to New York World and says: Omaha Bee.)-A dispatch to the Daily News from Petrograd, dated oday, says:

"Archduke Joseph's army is now in pursued by the Russian army, which occupied Stanislau on Thursday. The roads.

"On the other extremity the Austrian army has been driven from Nauborna in Gaillein. It is partly broken and dis-Omaha say they never had so many persed. Austrian efforts from the midout as they have had this year, and that of the road toward Prezemysl, which were maintained furiously in the early tendance the merchants' market week part of the week, have now been abandoned in despair.

Hundreds Captured. "The Russian northern atmy has be-

"The Russian middle army from Praasnyaz has now a great quantity of un part in the Lane Cutoff train robbery road credit rather than lack of revenue?" Tonight is to be educational night. A from the Germans, including twelve field damaged goods and ammunition, captured asked Luther Walker, representing the real professor is to talk to the visitors and twenty-nine machine gurs, besides meat packers, who are opposing the pro- at the Commercial club rooms on "Sales- aeroplanes and hundreds of supply wagons.

"The Germans are now surrendering in salesmanship?" someone has asked. Well, large numbers. Prisoners say that the painted the situation bad enough. They do not some professors know enough to infantry companies, which three weeks have been afraid to hurt their credit, sell their knowledge for \$10,000 a year. | ago numbered 240 men, now number about That would be enough to prove they eighty only. About a quarter of men are salesmen-even if Prof. Paul H. still in the ranks are suffering from en-

Parallels the Border

"Raving abandoned the offense along the northern front, the Germans now is said, he has also a fund of practical are seeking merely to fortify the Russian business information and pointers on territory taken in the advance from East salesmanship, that has at times made the Prussia and establish a defensive line. keenest of salesmen sit right up and This line roughly parallels the border, extending from Simno to Seree, Augustowo, along the Bobr river and on to Mlawa.

"The Russians apparently have been able, however, to interfere seriously with this plan by the advance of the Tenth army, which the Germans asserted was virtually destroyed as a result of the German victory in East Prussia. The successes of the Tenth army in the Lomza district threaten to compel the withdrawal of the Germans from Grodno or imperil maintenance of their communications between these two portions of the German forces in the north,

Five Million Raise in Discounts and Loans By Federal Reserve

WASHINGTON, March 6.-Loans and struck the negro in the back below the discounts by Federal reserve banks for waist while another passed through his the last week increased nearly \$5,000,000, feft arm. pard. The statement

"Fishhouse," was ordered removed to St. Joseph's hospital by Dr. J. A. Tamisica. His condition is critical.

Ferer was registered at police headquarters with "shooting with intent to kill, while his companions were booked as state witnesses. All were released on bond.

Walker, or "Fishhouse," is well known to the police, and, according to them, has served time in the county jail.

OVER HALF MILLION IN

HOSPITALS OF FRANCE

Certificates and subsidiary coin, £2,292,000. Total, £25,721,000. Maturities within thirty days, \$3,424,000. Other, \$9,895,000. Total, \$25,731,000. Investments, £26,167,000. Due from Frederial reserve banks. Hems in transit. \$47,182,000. All other resources, \$26,184,000. Total resources, \$28,057,000. Liabilities: Capital paid in \$26,000,000 reserve notes in circulation (net liabilities, \$257,832,000; federal reserve notes in circulation (net liabilities, \$257,832,000; Total liabilities, \$257,832,000; Gold reserve against net liabilities, \$61,000. Due from Frederial resources, \$26,184,000. Total resources, \$26,184,000. Total liabilities: Capital paid in \$26,000,000; reserve notes in circulation (net liabilities, \$257,832,000; Total liabilities, \$257,832,000; Frederial reserve against net liabilities, \$61,000. Total liabilities, \$257,832,000; Frederial reserve notes in circulation (net liabilities, \$61,000. Total liabilities, \$61,000.

OMAHA MUNICIPAL COURT BILL MOVED ON NOTCH

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, March 7 .- (Special.) -- The senate committee of the whole this morncourt.

TURKS THREATEN MASSACRE UNLESS GREEKS KEEP OUT

Porte's Minister Says There Will Be Butcheries if Athens Government Breaks with

KING ACCEPTS RESIGNATION

Constantine Requests Premier to Form a New Ministry After Cabinet Resigns.

CONSULTATION IS ASKED FOR

PARIS, March 7 .- A dispatch to the Havas agency from Athens says: the resignation of Premier Venizelos and his cabinet, and has requested M. Zaimis, governor of the National bank to form a ministry. M. Zaimis morrow to consult with his friends.

Threat of Turks "The Turkish minister, Salih Bey, few days that massocres would take campaign. place in Turkey if Greece broke with Germany would immediately declare ward the Carpathian mountains. war on Greece the day that Greece

moved against Turkey." Accintmed by Crowds.

"This morning when the king, accompanied by Premier Venizelos, left the of the rocky slopes at a time, cathedral, where a Te Deum on the eve of taking of Jania was celebrated, they try between the Dniester and Pruth, having the affect of the accord of the nation in its traditions. The newspaper are very strong on this river. La Fatris, in this respect says:

Austrians have been forced to dis- adoration for their king, have no doubt back to East Prussia and prevent them card many guns and baggage trains, he will safeguard the rights of the nation from entrenching in Russian territory leaving them stuck on the heavy and will lead them to the way of vic- as they have done south of the lower Vis-

Greek Cabinet is Out.

Venizelos presented to King Constantine sian offensive,

For Fall of Turkish Capital; Asks U.S. Aid

WASHINGTON. March 7 .- Germany has asked the United States to care for its diplomatic interests in Constantinopie should the allied forces occupy the capi-

tal of Turkey. Ambassador Mergenthau has been Fistructed to assume that duty when the German minister to Turkey leaves with the Ottoman government for Eskiehehir. the newly selected temporary capital for the porte. The minister is arranging to place the German legation in charge of the American ambassador.

There is every indication from the official dispatches received here both at the Turkish embassy and the Washington in Berlin, stated that up to Saturday made extensive preparations to defend all the attack by the allied fleet had met approaches to Constantinopie. Should the allies move closer to the capital, it is had 250,000 troops on the Gallipoil peninpractically certain that the government departments will move, but this will in no way affect the intention of the milftary to make every resistance against the invaders.

Reports of a contemplated evacuation of Constantinople are not mentioned in any official dispatches which are given over for the most part to a description of the claborate measures of defense.

Colonel Nelson Of Kansas City Is

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 7 .- (Special Telegram.)-A change for the worse occurred on Friday in the condition of Kansas City Star, and his condition is cure of an English treach south of Ypros critical. His son-in-law and daughter, on March 6. In the Champagn district Mr and Mrs. W. R. Kirkwood, who were the French continued their attacks near sas City by special train after a record tack and occupied the small wood north run tonight.

There had been little or no change in the condition of the veteran newspaper publisher during the day, it was said at the offices of the Star tonight. Colonel puties Sunday that as the king did not Nelson rallied only slightly after the attack on Friday.

The fact that Colonel Nelson was 74 The fact that Colonel Nelson was 74 carlier dispatch has the statement that years old was referred to in connection it was the general opinion that if the with the statement that any relapse, however slight, must be regarded as more in the war the cabinet would resign. younger patient

Colonel Nelson has been ill since last Thousands Wait to December and since that time he has been confined to his home. The news of his filness was not made public until a

ONLY ONE MAN HIT WHEN THOUSAND SHELLS FIRED

PETROGRAD, March 6 .- (Via London.) --

The Douglas county delegation The garrison at Prezemyst no longer utes after the shooting. Horace McDan- yards at Pacific Junction at 3 o'clock of the Omaha Bar association and was firing an enormous quantity of heavy fortress have only wounded one man. | March 17.

AUSTRIAN ARMIES FLEE BEFORE SLAYS

Suffer Severe Defeat in Eastern Galicia and Are Now in Full Retreat Toward Carpathians.

FURIOUS BATTLE FOR RIDGES

LONDON, March 7 .- Having, as Petrograd claims, successfully countered the Austro-German attempts to outflank him in eastern Galicia and from East Prussia, Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian commander-inchief is said to be thrusting again at the center of the Teutonic allies in Poland.

A few onys ago the Russ are were said to have gained a little ground on the Bunta and Rawka rivers. Yesterday the reports mendoned a Russian attack near "King Constantine has accepted Skierniewicz and today Vienna says the Muscovites made partial attacks east of Piecteokow

Where Armies Linked.

Talk is about the point where the German and Austrian armies are linked and asked the king to give him until to- a successful thrust here would, according to military observers, compel a general retirement in central Poland and enable the Russian generalissimo, to resume his offensive against Cracow, which has declared openly during the last always has been foremost in his plan of

From all accounts received from Petro grad, which at present is the only source of information, the Austrians have suf German minister, informed the fered a very severe defeat in eastern diplomatic crops that Austria and Galicia and now are in full retreat to-

In the mountains to the westward, the fighting, which has been continuous and intense for weeks, still is in progress. The two armies are contending desper-The Athens correspondent of Havas ately for the ridges. The losses in these agency, in a dispatch dated Saturday, battles are declared to have been as serious as any in the war, but neither side has conceded more than a few yards

Attack Along River.

The Russians also have been attacking both were acclaimed by the crowds along the Dunajec, in western Galicia, full flight through the woody coun-, This manifestation was interpretated as but apparently without making any impressions on the Austrian defenses, which

In northern Poland the Russians are The Greek people, who have a real still striving hard to drive the Germans It is said at some points this Saith Bey, the Turkish minister, drive is meeting with considerable sucvisited Premier Venizelos this afternoon. cess and that at places the Germans actually are on their frontier; but at other WASHINGTON, March L-The resigna- points the Germans are declared to have tion of the Greek cabinet under Premier succeeded in checking the impetuous Rus-

vesterday was accepted. The Greek A little more liveliness is evident along result according to an official Turkegation here was so advised officially the western front where the French continue their attacks against the Germans No comment on the announcement was and where, according to Paris, the French made at the legation. News dispatches have made progress in the Champagne have indicated that the resignation was and the Argonne regions. The Germans forts on the Smyrna coast for three due to the cabinet's dissent from the baye, however, delivered some sharp

the French have made progress in the Champagne region with which they credit themselves, military observers believe it will doubtless bring about a big battle, mine sweeper was sunk. such as a similar advance did at Solssons, or a readjustment of the German killed and seven wounded,

front in this region. As the allied fleet slowly progresses in is being reflected in the grain markets danelles either yesterday or today." England where prices steadily are In some markets today wheat dropped fifty shillings a quarter, but the price averaged from 62 to 55 shillings

per quarter. A Turkish official statement refers to yesterday's (Friday) failure," in porting the situation and Djavid Bey, the Turkish minister of finance, who is with no success. He added that Turkey

Continue Their Attacks,

Cruisers from the aided fleet are con inuing their attacks along the coast of Asia Minor from Besika to Smyrna, and says: Vice Admiral Sir Richard Peirse, has brought up his East India fleet and un- beth, posted in the Guif of Saros, bomtications at Smyrna.

In the west the French claim to have inflicted a serious check upon the Germans to the north of Arras, in the regon of Notre Dame De Lorette.

repulsed. The French was office claims side. Extremely Sick that the progress made by the allies in the Vosgez at the Hartsmanns-Wellerkopf, extends over 225 yards of German The latest official statement from the

Colonel William R. Nelson, editor of the German general staff reports the capat San Antonio, Tex., were advised of Perthes and Le Mesnil, but were rethe fact by telegram and arrived in Kan- pulsed. The Germans made a counter atof Perthes and the Piro trench of the French position near Le Mesnil.

Eliutherios Venizelos, the Grecian premier, anounced in the Chamber of Deapprove of the policy of the government the cabinet had tendered its resignation, according to a dispatch from Athens. An crown council decided to remain neutral

Step on English Soil

LONDON, March 7 .- A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram company from Flushing, Holland, says an easier feeling with regard to the German submarine blockade is indicated by the announcement that beginning March 9, passenger service to recommended for passage house roll The following official communication was England by the liners of the Zeeland company will be considerably extended. At present, the British authorities permit is attempting sortles, but the fortress only 200 passengers to leave England daily, train from Rapid City went into the ditch Dodge explained that it had the backing artillery is developing great activity and The rush of passengers in Flushing nell, another policeman, was so severely yesterday morning. Savoyja was 22 years aimed at the present justice court system, shells. The fire, however, is quite harm- sands are awaiting accommodations. All the coaches did not even turn over and wounded that his death was expected mo- old, and had been employed at Pacific which, he said, was fairly scandalous at least. A thousand heavy shells from the available cabins have been booked up to no one was injured, but all traffic to the

NARROWS FORTS CRUMBLE IN FIRE OF ENGLISH GUNS

Two Positions on European Side Damaged and Magazine of Third Blown Up by Cannon of Warships.

DEFENSES STRONGEST OF ALL

British Suffer Nineteen Killed, Twenty-Five Wounded and Three Missing.

SMYRNA FORTS ARE SHELLED

The Day's War News

vided inegely between the operations in the eastern theater, where fighting of a more or less violent vature is proceeding throughout the territory from Northern Russinn Poland to the Carpathians and the bombardment of the Dardanelles strongholds by the ailted fleet, which has met with further successes, according to the British admiralty. The engagements in France and Belgium are charactertred by fighting of a lively nature, but no vital announcement is

forthcoming from that section. RUSSIANS ASSUMED the offensive in most of the operations in the great eastern territory. In the extreme north they are still hammeing away, with the idea of driving the Germans back to East Prussia, and the latest Petrograd official statement claims that the Russians have forced the Germans back somewhat at Simno and in district of Leipouny.

PETROGRAD DISPATCHES May that the Austrians under Archduke Joseph have suffered defeat in Eastern tinlicia and are now in full flight toward the Carpathians.

RUSSIAN ARMY which occupied Stanislau Thursday is pursuing the defented forces, it is said. Vigorous fighting continues in the Car-

BULLETIN.

CONSTANTINOPLE (Via London), March 7 .- Bombardment of forts on the Smyrna coast by an allied fleet Saturday was without communication issued today which says:

"Two enemy warships bombarded hours yesterday without result.

"At 8 o'clock, one French and three British warships accompanied by five large mine sweeps again have not succeeded in materially chang- bombarded Smyrna forts for an hour ing the positions of the two armies. If and a half. Seven shells fired by our batteries struck the warships which had been first to open fire. One

"Our casualties stand today, four

"The enemy's fleet undertook no its attack on the Dardanelles the effect serious action against the Dar-

> LONDON, March 6.-The British battleships Queen Elizabeth and Prince George and the battle cruiser Inflexible, with their eight fifteen-inch guns and an even dozen twelve-inch guns, opened an attack yesterday on the principal forts on the European side of the narrows in the Dardanelles.

Two of the forts were damaged and the

nagazine of a third was blown up. Shelling Continues. PARIS, March 7 .- (Via London.)-The ombardment of the Dardnelles fortifications continued Saturday by the allied fleet, according to an official statement issued this evening. The communication

"The British battleship Queen Elizadertaken the bombardment of the forti- barded by indirect fire two big works on the Asiatic side alongside of Chanak and defending the straights (Forts Hami-

dieb and Hamidieh Sultanieh). "At the same time cruisers inside the Dardanelles continued airect fire against In Champagne northwest of Beause- the works of Dardanus, on the Asiatic jour, a German counter attack has been side, and Souain Dere, on the European

Vienna and Columbia Professors Will Not Exchange This Year

VIENNA (via London), March 7 .- The 'niversity of Vienna announced today that the arrangements for the exchange of lecturers with Columbia university, New York, would not be carried into effect this year. The arrangement provided for an exchange between Prof. Eugene Oberhummer of Vienna and Dean John M. Burgess of Columbia.

Prof. Oberhammer, who is president of the Imperial Geographical society of Austria, added to the announcement of the university a personal explanation of his wish to forego his trip to America. He said the original arrangements for the exchange lectures had been made before the outbreak of the war, and that now an entirely different situation prevailed owing to "the illegal treatment of neutral vessels by England and the political at-titude of the United States." For this reason he informed the ministry of education that he must consider it impracticable to undertake his mission to Amer-

SNOW SO DEEP DERAILED CARS DON'T OVERTURN

PIERRE, S. D., March 7 .- (Special Telegram)-The Northwestern passenger this morning about three miles west of west was tied up for today.