Day's Losses Are 13 Vessels, 43,167 Tons, 7 Hollanders, 3 British, 3 Norwegians.

SEVERAL LIVES ARE LOST

Subsea Commanders Take Precautions to Save Crews on Craft Which Submit-Americans on Three Ships Escape.

VICTIMS OF GERMAN SUI	BMA-
RINES REPORTED YES	
TERDAY.	
Tor	nage
Zaandijk (Dutch)	4,189
Noorderdisk (Dutch)	7,156
Eemland (Dutch)	3,770
Jacatra (Dutch)	5,373
Menado (Dutch)	5,874
Bandoeng (Dutch)	5,851
Gaasterland (Dutch)	1,091
Grenadier (British)	1,004
Trojan Prince (British)	3,196
Longbirst (British)	3,057
Alice (Norwegian)	709
Skirm (Norwegian)	761
Blenheim (Norwegian)	3,140
Total known tonnage	43,167
Tonnage previously sunk 3	
Known tonnage since Feb-	1110
ruary 14	3,562
Summary Since February	1.
American	
Other neutrals	
British	
Other belligerents	

LONDON, Feb. 24 .- Reports of a sudden awoop on Dutch shipping by submarines in which seven vessels, six of them of more than 3700 tons, were torpedoed, together with continued suc-cessful action by submarines against British and other neutral shipping. made today's submarine question more vital than ever.

The total reported losses were 13 ves-

Unidentified 2

sels with a tonnage of more than 43,000 000 tons. Of these seven carried the Dutch flag, three were Norweglan and three British.

Loss Placed at \$11,600,000. Four of the seven Dutch vessels were homeward bound with full cargoes, estimates by the agents of the Dutch lines placing the monetary loss in ships and cargoes at \$11,600,000. The attack on these vessels took place in the vestern approaches to the English Channel. Reports received tonight are that all seven Dutch steamships were torpedoed but only three were sunk outright, the others-remaining affoat although severely damaged. One of these was towed into port. towed into port.

The crews of the steamers were landed yesterday. The steamers were torpedoed Thursday.

Three Sunk Outright. Following is the list of Dutch steamtity of the Gaasterland was not defi-nitely placed and it may yet prove that the sunken steamer was a larger vessel of 3917 tons, gross, engaged in trade between Holland and South Amer-jea but last reported as feaving Amster-dam January 15 for Buenos Ayres and consequently believed to have escaped

from the danger zone ere this. The Gaasterland, Jacatra and Noor-derdijk were sunk at once. Three British Ships Lost.

British ships lost were the steamer Grenadier, the steamer Longhirst, and the steamer Trojan Prince. The Gren-adier was torpedoed without warning and the captain and six men were killed. The remainder of the crew land-ed. The Grenadier may be either one of 1004 tons or another of one of 1004 tons or another of 357 tons. The Trojan Prince measured 2196 tons and was owned in Newcastle. Other vessels destroyed all carried the Norwegian flag. These were the steamer Skrim, a vessel of 751 tons gross and 210 feet long, which was sunk by bombs planted by Germans in the ship after warning had been given. The Skrim was marmed, in ballast and bound from Treport to Cardiff. 20 miles The Skrim was marmed, in ballast and bound from Treport to Cardiff, 26 miles from Cardiff. She was sunk February 10. The crow, 14 in number, included Louis Pinto, a Porto Rican. They were rescued after 20 hours in small boats.

Crew Removed From Blenheim.

The Norwegian bark Blenheim was sunk by shell fire after.

at Glasgow in 1877. She sailed from Pensacola January 19 for Greenock

And Combination of Troubles Relieved by a Combination of Medicines. by a Combination of Medicines.
A quotation from one recent letter:
"I have been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and Peptiron Pills as a course of medicine and find this combination has worked like a charm. They told me I had neuralgia, and certainly I was in a very low low and discouraging state of health I suffered extremely with nervousness and had neuralgia pains so I

ousness and had neuralgia pains so I could not sleep nights.

"Those nervous spells were awful!

"I heard about taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and Peptiron Pills—one before meals, the other after—the suggestion struck me favorably, so that I have taken the medicines carefully and califically with most pleasing results. taken the medicines carefully and faithfully with most pleasing results.

"It is a long time now since I have had one of those severe nervous spells. I can do a good day's housework, can work in my garden and walk a mile." Mrs. Fred J. Weekley, Bagdad, Fla.

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Superfluous Hair.



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She was sunk February 22 about 30

mediately after the submarine fired the first shot. The submarine towed the lifeboats until a British naval vessel appeared. The crew was landed at Baltimore, Ireland, the evening of the same day. Solomon Troche, a Porto Rican, whose parents live at San Fran-cisco, was aboard. The Blenheim was unarmed and without wireless.

Crew on Alice Imperiled.

The unarmed Norwegian steamer Alice, 709 tons gross, was the twelfth victim of U-boats reported. The enemy vessel attacked the steamer, which was engaged in coal traffic with Port Albert and Treport. More than 20 shells were fired, after which the crew of 14, including one American, Theodore Joseph, a negro, abandoned the ship which was then destroyed by bomba. The attack on the Introduction attacks on the Introduction of the Int The attack on the Dotch steamers came as an entire surprise. No in-

ers torpedoed: Zaandijk, 4189 tons, structions as to the routes were either gross; Noorderdijk, 7156 tons; Eemland, 3770 tons; Jacatra, 5373 tons, gross; miralty. All the arrangements were Menando, 5374 tons; Bandoeng, 5851 in the hunds of the Dutch authorities, tons; Gaasterland, 1091 tons. The idenasked for or given by the British Admiralty. All the arrangements were in the hands of the Dutch authorities. The Zaandijk, Noorderdijk, Eemland and Jacutra were in trade between Holland and the United States. The last reports of their movements are:

Zaandijk salled from Rotterdam January 30 for Philadelphia; Noorderdijk salled January 22 from Norfolk for Rotterdam; Eeemland, at Falmouth previous to January 30 on a voyage from Amsterdam to New York; Jacatra salled from New York January 25 for Rotterdam.

The Menado and Bandoeng plied be-The Menado and Bandoeng piled between Holland and the Dutch East Indies. The last report of the Menado was on January 24 when she arrived at Suez on her way from Batavia, Java, to Rotterdam. The Bandoeng sailed from Port Said January 16 on a voyage from Batavia for Rotterdam.

HOLLAND FEELS HUMILIATED

Declaration Made Germany Would Not

The Norwegian bark Blenheim.

Sunk by shell fire after the craw had abandoned the ship. None of the ships personnel was injured. The bark Blenheim was 1140 tons gross and was built at Glasgow in 1877.

our nation can be maintained longer by mere protests."

The Handelsblad says:

"The unrestricted submarine warfare has been opened with such complete disregard of the rights and interests of the Dutch people that everyone must come to the same conclusion, namely, that no nation could be thus treated unless regarded as of no importance or capable of having its indig-

treated unless regarded as of no importance or capable of having its indignation aroused by anything.

"Certainly Germany would not treat the United States thus. Everyone feels that the torpedoing of American vessels under similar circumstances would be absolutely impossible. We even believe that such an act would have been impossible against any country which very low low and discouraging state of impossible against any country which health. I suffered extremely with nervousness and had neuralgia pains so I or excuse this submarine warfare."

BREAK WITH BERLIN POSSIBLE

Holland Not Expected to Submit to Attacks on Shipping.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 .- The tremendous destruction of Dutch shipping during the last two days is regarded

here as the most acute phase of the international situation.

It is regarded as bringing nearer the probability of a break in diplomatic relations between The Netherlands and Germany. So far, Holland has only made protests against destruction of her neutral ships by German submermade protests against destruction of her neutral ships by German submarines, but the startling operations reported yesterday and today are expected to arouse a wave of popular indignation in The Netherlands which that government may find difficult to withstand even should it desire to

The situation for Holland in relation The situation for Holland in relation to Germany as it is observed from Washington is growing more and more difficult. Officials and diplomats here will be surprised if the government does not take some action.

The streets of one English city are vatered entirely by electric sprinkling

General von Ludendorff Virtually Is Dictator.

WAR PLANS UNRESTRICTED

Ruthless Submarine Campaign Due to Influence of Man Who Is Supposed to Be Hindenberg's Chief of Staff.

Prince of Pless where General von Ludendorff sits with Von Hindenburg at Imperial headquarters. Nothing is done unless "Ludendorff is for it." It was Ludendorff's fiat that organized the universal auxiliary labor service, converting German industry to an unmodified war basis, deported Belsians. Roumnians and Serbias works gians, Roumanians and Serbian work-men to Germany and tightened the regulations for food distribution.

In the final consideration it was Ludendorff's influence that committed Germany to the unrestricted submarine

Without Consulting British.

FALMOUTH, Feb. 24.—The fleet of seven Dutch vessels left Falmouth on Thursday, three being outward bound from Holland and four homeward bound. The steamers had come into Falmouth on various dates and had been released at the special request of the Dutch sovernment.

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No inquiry was made of the British authorities as to what was the best way of sailing or as to the proper precautions to take, as it was believed the ships were sailing under a safe conduct from Germany and the captains several developments which appeared to be hastening eventualities.

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The possibility duct from Germany and the captains received special private instructions from the Dutch government. An official of the Dutch legation at London came and interviewed privately the captains of the seven ships so as to be sure that they understood the instructions. The vessels bore the customary marks and lights.

When they were a short discovered.

When they were a short distance from Falmouth (at the western end of the English channel) they were attacked by a German submarine and three of the vessels were sunk and four damaged severely. Following is the list of the vessels:

Gaerstland, sunk, arrived Falmouth January 30, outward bound in ballast. Noorderdijk, sunk, arrived Falmouth February 4, inbound with mails, no passengers. Cargo 5000 tons of wheat and 300 tons of flour consigned to and 300 tons of flour consigned to the Dutch government.

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the Dutch government.
Jacatra, sunk, arrived Falmouth
February 7, inbound, no mails, no
passengers. Cargo 7500 tons of wheat
consigned to the Dutch government,
Eemland, affoat, arrived Falmouth,
January 25, outbound in ballast.
Bandoeng, affoat, arrived Falmouth
February 2, inbound, no passengers.
Cargo 500 tons fodder cake, 2200 tons
copra, 1100 tons oil seed, 150 tons coffee, and 680 tons of tobacco.
Zaandijk, affoat, arrived Falmouth
February 8, outbound in ballast.
Menado, towed to Falmouth, arrived
Falmouth February 11, inbound, no
mails, no passengers. Cargo 2700 tons
of copra, 400 tons fodder, 300 tons of
oil seed, and 450 tons of tobacco.

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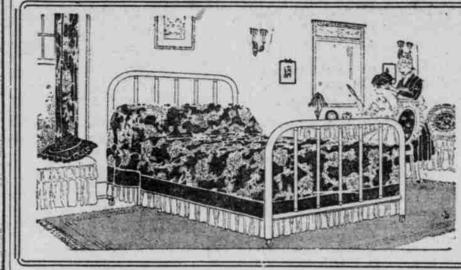
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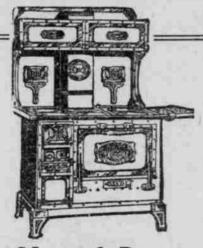




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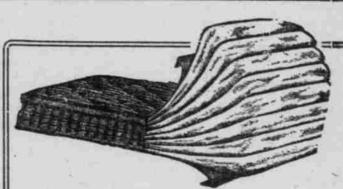


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OVERT ACT YET WAITED

Sarded under the new German policy.

A dispatch from Consul Oxborn at Havre said the Norwegian steamer Alice had been attacked and shelled without warning and that Theodore Joseph, an American negro, was among the survivors.

MAKES WAR SEEM SURE,

Washington Belleves Germany Will Disregard All Neutral Interests.

American on Unwarned Victim.

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President Wilson is understood to be particularly anxious that any request he may make for further authority have behind it incontestable proof that such authority is needed to protect American rights.

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WASUINGTON Feb. 24 —President

A dispatch from Consul Oxborn at Havre said the Norwegian steamer Alice had been attacked and shelled without warning and that Theodore Joseph, an American particularly anxious that any request he interest of this county. There was no speechmaking.

A dinner was given by the business cial.)—Clifton, Applegate & Toole Company, the same company that put in the street pavement last year, was awarded a contract to pave several block in the east end of town by the City Council this weef The contract work performed by the delegation of the excellent work performed by the dele



Flush the Kidneys Bow Oric Acid Causes Gout, Rheamatism, Lumbago

(BY L. H. SMITH, M. D.) (Br L. H. SMITH, M. D.)

It was not until the discovery by Sir
Arthur Gerod, in 1848, that the blood of
gouty patients contained uric acid in an
excessively large amount, that much
attention was paid to this subject.
Later scientific men learned that in
gout, also rheumatism, the kidneys do
not work properly to throw off the uric
acid poison; consequently uric acid crystals are deposited in and about the joints,

in the muscles, where an inflammation is set up in the nearby tissues.

Hague has said, that "gout is rheumatism, and rheumatism is gout."

If uric acid is formed in excess within the body it is passed on to the kidneys, which act as a filter to pass off this poison. If the excess is not excreted by the kidneys, it is distributed thru the tissues. The choice sites for such storage are in the joints, muscle-sheaths, where the circulation is weakest, and where also the alkalinity of the blood is lowest. Consequently we must do everything to quently we must do everything to throw off this uric acid poison, and simple methods are best. Flush the

simple methods are best. Flush the kidneys by drinking 6 to 8 glasses of water between meals. A pint of hot water a half hour before meals.

Take Anuric (double or triple strength), three times a day for awhile. Invigorate and assist the kidneys to flush out the uric acid poisons. Buring winter months the circulation is apt to be sluggish and the blood stream retarded. If uric acid is present it is apt to clog the capillaries. This accounts for many acute conditions, such as beadache, neuralgia, gastric disturbances, and dull mind. As the condition progresses, we often have lumbago, disease of the heart and arteries, breaking down of the kidneys, rheumatism and gouty symptoms. Eat less meat, drink more water, and take Anuric (double or water, and 'take Anuelc (double or triple strength) after meals and at bed time for several weeks at a time, and you will be free from uric acid and the diseases that follow.