

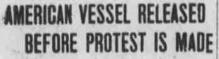
later it was declared the French were reinforced and recaptured the posi-

The Geman advance east of Rheims was reported to be checked, as were the assaults at Watwiller and Kloschlag and in the Woevre region. The French, it was asserted, were holding the woods three miles west of Altkirch and making steady progress in the fighting in Alsace.

BERLIN, Jan. 7 .- Though it was conceded there is heavy fighting in progress in Alsace, the war office denied the French have made substantial gains in that district.

It was denied that anything but minor engagements have occurred in the Carpathian passes. The most recent encounters along the Vistula, in Poland, were also said to have been on a small scale.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 7 .- The Danof 17 perished, it was learned.



## BUT ENGLISH GOVERNMENT ACTS QUICKLY.

LONDON, Jan. 7.-The American ITALY CALLS ON AUSTRIA folk to Bremen with a cargo of cot ton, which was held up by a British cruiser and diverted to the Orkney Islands was ordered released, the government having acted so promptly DETENTION OF ITALIANS IN BELthat the United States hadn't time to file a protest The vessel was laden under supervision of the British consular representatives and its detention was a surprise to the admiralty.

a greater hatred of war than has ever and detention of four Italians held been known before, which will be a as hostages at Beigrade during the considerable contribution to progress. Austrian occupation.



Gilbert K. Chesterton

ish steamship Shingolf was sunk in terton, journalist, humorist and authe North Sea by a mine. The crew thor is seriously ill here. Mr. Chesterton was born in Kensington in 1874. and was a son of Lord Chesterton. He was educated at St. Paul's school. His first literary efforts were book reviews for the Bookman and the Speaker. He has contributed to many magazines and newspapers and is the author of many books. His "Victorian Age in Literature" was published STEAMSHIP DENVER IS SEIZED in 1913. Since the war began Mr. Chesterton has written copiously of it.

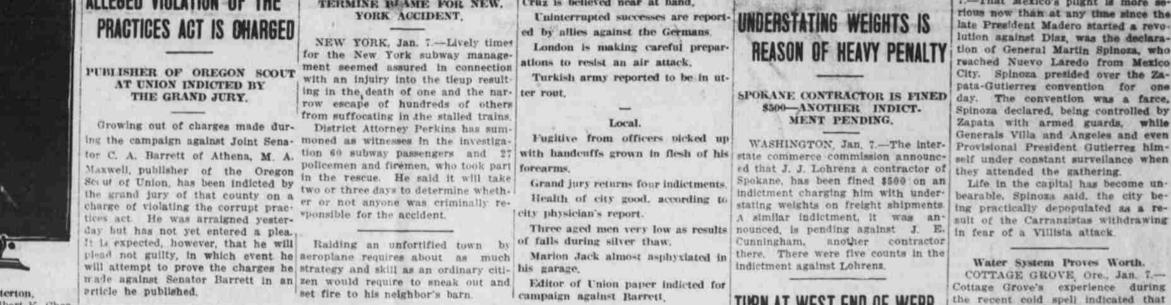
GRADE IS CAUSE FOR RE-

TURIN, Jan. 7 .- Italy has demanded explanations and a reparation from Austria, according to an asser-This year 1915 is going to generate tion in the "Stampa" for the arrest



The absence of all contagious dis-| During the year there were 68 eases in the city this winter and the deaths in the city and 119 births, acfact that there were but three cases cording to the incomplete records on of typhoid fever in Pendleton during file. Seventeen more boy babies than the whole of the year 1914, pointed girls were born. Dr. Temple, in his out in the annual report of City Physician I. U. Temple, again call atten- report, again advocates the closing of tion to Pendleton's healthful and san- the open sidewalk gratings and menitary condition. The epidemic of tions certain outdoor toilets as a smallpox, measles and chicken pox, source of much annoyance. His reprevalent a year ago in a mild form, port in full follows. appear to have been completely eradicated.

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LONDON, Jan. 7 .--- Gilbert K. Ches-

## TO MAKE EXPLANATIONS

## PARATION.



A German Machine Gun in the Tren chers in Flanders.

TURN AT WEST END OF WEBB STREET WILL BE CHANGED INTERSECTION WITH TUTUILLA

TO BE IMPROVED BY THE CITY.

In order to make the turn from the

west end of Webb street into Tutuilla road a right angle one, the city council has come to an amicable agreement with Mrs. Katherine Stover whereby a three cornered piece of her corner lot, 40 feet wide on Webb street and 120 feet deep on Tutuilla will be thrown into the road. The city agrees to assume the street improvement lien against it, amounting to perhaps \$175, and to move her house for her. This arrangement the grand jury now in session. Five will not only improve the street but men, Walter Gilman, Ed Kilgore. will permit the new steel bridge, be Dave Witmer, Harry Sheffield and C. ing built by the county and city, to D. Long, are involved in the true be placed in a more favorable loca- bills. Gilman is charged with stealtion. The street committee was au- ing a cow from an Indian near Caythorized to move Mrs. Stover's house use and Kilgore, who is said to be at once.

more or less associated with Gilman The meeting of the council was a in a number of deals, is indicted for short one last evening. The annual larceny from a dwelling owned by library report and the report of the an Indian woman. Witmer and Shefcity physician were read and placed field are jointly indicted on a charge on file. The city physician's report of larceny from a dwelling, it is alappears elsewhere in this columns, leged that they stole a number of arwhile a more detailed report of the li- ticles from a forest ranger's cabin brary board will be published in a on Meacham creek. Long is accused week. The city recorder's annual re- of forging the name of Gerald Stanport and also that of the city treas- field to a check passed in Echo. No urer have not yet been made, not true bills were returned. Another

report from the grand jury is expected soon.

there is little danger of the city ever

being without water. While in other

cities appeals had to be made to wat-

er users not to leave their faucets open

faucets all over this city were left

open to keep the pipes from freezing

and the city water never stopped run-

NO NOT TRUE BILLS RETURNED

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EXPECTED SOON.

this morning at the first report of

Four indictments were returned

IN BY THE GRAND JURY

**4 INDICTMENTS BROUGHT** 

ning from the overflow.

## BY MINE OFF SCARBOROUGH NEW HIGH FIGURE REACHED IN CHICAGO WHEAT MARK T

CAPTAIN AND 12 OF CREW ARE . MISSING-SEARCH IS BEING . MADE. · high figure for wheat was reg- ·

BRITISH STEAMSHIP SUNK

SCARBOROUGH, Jan. 7 .- The . dollar thirty eight and three . British steamship Alfredia was sunk . eichts; July a dollar twenty . by a mine off Scarborough. The crew . four and three sights. Heavy not off in boats and nine members . buying was responsible for the have reached here. The captain and advance. tweive others are missing. A search 1s in progress,

CHICAGO, Jan. 7 .-- A new .

· lstered today. May touched ·