

The most sensational of the Mann

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It is not expected they will now pro-pose material changes of policy, but the committee before reporting the bill to the house want it to have the

German Loan Is Success.

Berlin-(Via wireless to Sayville)-

Columbus, Ohio, residents are fleeing the lowlands because of the high water in the Se

The rainfall at Portland for March reached 10.91 inches, 1.85 inches less than March, 1878, the highest figure

capture him.

Mexican situation leaves the administration unhampered in dealing with

the number of cadets at West Point was ordered favorably reported by the house military committee, with a few minor changes.

States it was not a submarine of the Ottoman government which sank the liner Persia in the Mediterranean last winter with loss of American life.

trenches along a front of 600 yards at St. Eloi. The British official communication gives this information

The British steamer Manchester En-gineer, from Philadelphia March 11 for Manchester, has been sunk, according to information received by Lloyds. The members of the crew were taken aboard a tug.

publisher of the Merrill, Ore., Record, was arrested in Klamath Falls on a

of that law, involving William Rufus Edwards, a wealthy St. Paul lumber-man, as defendant and Miss Ada Cox as complaining witness, was begun be-fore United States District Judge An-

break was not discovered until day-

weight prisoners were detained.

light.

The literacy test, barring, with a few exceptions, all aliens over 16 years old, physically capable of reading, who cannot read the English language or some other language or dislect, was approved by the house working as the committee of the whole, by a vote of 225 to 82. This presaged the passage of the bill by an overwhelming major-ity despite the record of Presidential ity despite the record of Presidential vetoes of several similar measures on account of the literacy test.

Villa is reported to have held up a train and searched it for Americans, but found none.

One of the American columns penetrated 50 miles into Mexico before it was discovered by the natives.

but is ready to authorize war measures

from Bucharest says the chief clerk of the American legation at Sofia is re-ported to have been arrested by the Bulgarian authorities, accused of giving a present to an employe for using greater haste than ordinary in issuing

Men of the Hungarian landsturm born in 1868 and 1869 and also the men belonging to the classes of 1865 and 1897, who hitherto have been employed in making war materials, now are dismissed from this service and ordered to join the army on April 5, according to a Reuter dispatch.

Yuan Shi Kai renounces the throne of China and proclaims the restoration of the republic, but his opponents say the change is too late to save him.

Instructions to recruit the 12 Na

approval of the three departments

U. S. Navy for Second Place Advocated by Assistant Secretary

Washington, D. C.—Assistant Sec-retary Roosevelt recommended to the house naval committee that the United States navy be restored as soon as pos-blue to the stopped by a Twelfth Cavalry man, who advised them to go to the ranch house immediately so that the detach-States navy be restored as soon as possible to second place among the world powers on the sea. They were guarded at the house

powers on the sea. Answering hypothetical questions by members of the committee, who were interested in comparing the German and American navies, he said the United States could outstrip Germany in a race for naval supremacy. He personally favored a building program this year larger than recommended in the administration's five-vear uno-tin arreaded at the house all night by seven troopers who had arrived there from Hachita, N. M., in response to the alarm given when the three bodies had been found. The five civilians passed a sleepless night, sit-ting in the car, while the soldiers rain on guard. Peals of thunder and interretitest flashes of lichting in interretitest flashes of lichting in the administration's five-year pro- intermittent flashes of lightning in-

creased the apprehension of the wom-While the assistant secretary declined to discuss naval policies, which,

The soldiers told them that the bod-Congress avoids any unnecessary iscussion of the Mexican question, in aval upbuilding. In case of war, he said, the United States would need to m Bucharest says the chief clerk of the American legation at Sofia is rehe said, were within Secretary Daniels' ies of the two women and a man had

Big Guns Held Up.

London - The Parliamentary under-

promotion and what he described as a urday that the fourth German war loan deliberate, organized policy of holding up munitions of war, which, in the opinion of Sir Edward Carson, who followed him in the debate, might subscriptions abroad and at the front. justify the men involved being charged with high treason for assisting the king's enemies. James Henry Thom-as, labor member and union leader, al-ish loans have only totaled 19,000,000,-

so spoke, demanding that the men should be put on trial. 000 marks, and those of France 11,-944,000,000 marks.

3000 Acres to Be Opened.

La Grande, Or.-More than 3000

been removed by soldiers. A command of United States sol-idea of tapping much of the freight-papers had been asked, the President A command of United States sor lace of tapping much of the frequet diers stationed at the Gibson ranch was said to have crossed the line in pursuit of the slayers. The automobilists were on a pleas-

Mining Property Bought. Baker .- One of the most important

mining deals in the Sumpter district in many years has been consummated in the purchase of the Bald Mountain Portland-After striking a 30-foot unken log, which tore a huge hole in property by the Ibex Mining company. The Ibex mine has been idle several years because it was deemed unwise to run it until the Bald Mountain mine her hull at the port bow, the steamer Twin Cities, of The Dalles-Columbia line, began to sink near the mouth of to run it until the Baid Mountain mine could be secured, and the acquisition of the latter will insure the operation of both properties within a short time. A tunnel between the two has al-ready been started, and with the use of a gravity system both mines can be operated in an economical wannow Re. North Portland harbor Saturday night.

war.

Steamer Hits Log; Sinks.

operated in an economical manner. Re-ports say that the mine's equipment will be greatly augmented, and that both will be operated extensively this season. The price paid for the Bald Mountain mine has been kept secret.

Sack Offer Guaranteed.

Pendleton.-The first guaranteed sack delivery offer of the season was made this week to the Inland Empire expected to flood the passenger cabins. grain-growers at their meeting in Pen-

\$50,000 Hotel Deal Made.

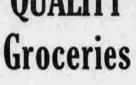
dieton by the Balfour-Guthrie com-pany at 14 cents. Heretofore war clauses have been attached. Although Shackleton Ship Is Safe. London-Reports received here Mon

secretary for munitions revealed to the bouse of commons a condition of strike promotion and what he described as a deliberate, organized policy of holding had been a brilliant success, the sub-that a carload of \$0,000 cotton sacks day stated that the auxiliary ship Aurora, of the Shackleton Antarctic expedition, which was damaged in the ice, is now proceeding to New Zealand for repairs and is not in distress or in be purchased at 11 and 12 cents each. Wesley Harrah, John Mumm, Henry Hudeman and other farmers are buildneed of assistance. The latest message indicates that the Aurora is proceed ing under her own steam. A Zealand wireless station is in com ing portable elevators to take care of A Nev the 1916 crop. The grain can be taken by the elevator from the field to the cars for loading. ication with her.

Sir Douglas Mawson, the Antarctic explorer, expresses the opinion that there is no cause for alarm. Dallas .- One of the most important

deals in this city for the past several Fires Worst In Oregon. Steamer Englishman Sunk. years was consummated on Saturday Washington, D. C .- More than 72 London-The steamer Englishman, Instructions to recruit the 12 Na-tional Guard companies of Arizona to wars strength immediately were trans-mitted to the company commanders by order of the War department. An army aviator was found by a wagon train after being lost in the Mexican desert for 48 hours. He re-paired his leaking tank, received a supply of gasoline and was soon on his way.







Caterers to the Public in Good Things to Eat.