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RUSSIA'S POLITICAL TASK. CONSOLIDATION OF THE NEAR EAST. A MIXTURE OF PEOPLES.

Mr. A. Weyss Thilly is chiefly known for his writings on political subjects... The "Caspian in Eastern" is his contribution...

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CONFESSIONE. While expressions of views are invited from all quarters... THE EAST AFRICAN STANDARD.

OCCUPATION OF FARMS DURING ABSENCE ON ACTIVE SERVICE. THE EAST AFRICAN STANDARD.

TO THE EDITOR, "THE EAST AFRICAN STANDARD." Sir,—We enclose herewith copy of correspondence we have had with the Land Department...

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PRUSSIAN GENERALS MISTAKE.

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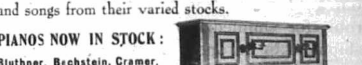
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EIGHTY-NINE THOUSAND ON SERVICE.

OUR PROGRESS IN WEST.

PORTUGAL ON VERGE OF WAR.

A BAVARIAN VIEW ON THE WAR.

FORCED OPTIMISM.

RUSSIAN STRATEGY.

ARMY GROWS STEADILY STRONGER.

ENEMY'S BATTERIES BEATEN.

COALITION CABINET PROPOSED.

FATHER TO THE THOUGHT.

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It is officially announced that the German occupied Lodz on Sunday morning, and the Russians on Saturday afternoon.

The Prussian representative of the Allies, says the Russians, of previous days, have now a sufficient force across the frontier. They will be long before they reach the German frontiers, if it may be, "without them to bring increasing numbers of troops to the Allies in the various theatres. The German army in Poland, says a strong source in the news, though they have not had their original numbers.

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SERVIAN SUCCESSES.

ENTERIC IN BELGIAN ARMY.

GIFT OF NEW HOSPITAL.

GEN. FRENCH HONOURED BY KING.

KARLSRUHE SCOUTS.

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It is officially stated that the Serbians have everywhere repulsed the Austrians, and have taken 2,400 prisoners, including two generals, and four colonels.

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THE KING'S FRENCH VISIT.

DESTRUCTION OF REIMS.

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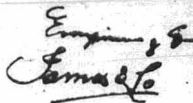
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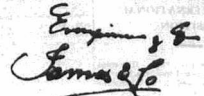
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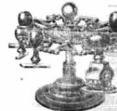


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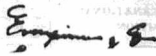
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TRENCHES CARRIED.

POSITIONS ORGANISED.

ALLIES DEFINITE PROGRESS.

A Paris communication states that there have been several attacks from the sea in the region of Arras. To the south, all the positions were lost during the last five days. There was an artillery duel in the district of Amiens in which we had the advantage. We have made appreciable gains in the Argonne, owing to the activity of our artillery and infantry. Several German trenches were carried. We progressed all along the front, except at one point, where the enemy mined one of our trenches. Our artillery on the heights of the Meuse has established a complete mastery. The Germans are equipped better than they were, and have progressed everywhere. We have also progressed in the wood of La Fère. The enemy's attacks in Vosges have been repulsed. The money has not been attempted seriously to attack the position against us recently.

London, Dec. 9.—British officials stated in Paris last evening that there was nothing to report except advance of our troops. The President and a German attack at Trazéval, which was repulsed.

SMART AFFAIR.

TURKS OUTWITTED.

PERSIAN CUFF OPERATIONS.

London, Dec. 9.—The Persians reported that the Persians had attacked the British position on the left bank of the Tigris. The British forces, comprising the Egyptian division, have captured the river with its levees and captured the British positions on the river. The British forces, comprising the Egyptian division, have captured the river with its levees and captured the British positions on the river. The British forces, comprising the Egyptian division, have captured the river with its levees and captured the British positions on the river.

BIG NAVAL HAUL.

FIGHT OFF FAIRLAND ISLANDS.

THREE GERMAN SUBMARINERS SUNK.

London, Dec. 9.—The British Navy has reported the sinking of three German submarines in the North Sea. The submarines were sighted on December 7th and 8th. The British Navy has reported the sinking of three German submarines in the North Sea. The submarines were sighted on December 7th and 8th.

GERMAN RANKS DECIMATED.

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KAISER STILL IN BED.

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BULLDOGS OF THE FLEET.

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SERBIAN ADVANCE.

AUSTRIAN FORCES ROUTED.

TWENTY THOUSAND PRISONERS TAKEN.

London, Dec. 9.—The British Army has reported the routing of Austrian forces in the Balkans. The British Army has reported the routing of Austrian forces in the Balkans. The British Army has reported the routing of Austrian forces in the Balkans.

JAPAN'S PEACEFUL INTENTION.

London, Dec. 9.—The British government has reported Japan's peaceful intentions. The British government has reported Japan's peaceful intentions. The British government has reported Japan's peaceful intentions.

USE AND ABUSE OF ALCOHOL.

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REPEATE OF ALCOHOL ON NAVAL AND MILITARY WORK.

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THE EARTH-HOG.

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OUR TRAWLER FLEET.

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EXPLODING A MINE.

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TRANSPORTED TRAWLERS.

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SUNLIGHT SOAP SERVICE.

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SWEETING THE TIDES.

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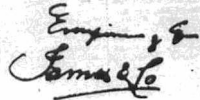
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More Trenches Taken By Allies.

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TRENCHES FALLING TO ALLIES.

SUCCESS OF OUR BIG GUNS.

London, Dec. 11.—
The British High Command
today announced that the
trenches in the vicinity of
the village of... were captured
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The capture of these trenches
is a most important step
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THE NAVAL VICTORY.

"NUREMBERG" ALSO SUNK.

London, Dec. 10.
Throughout the Empire there is a great
rejoicing over the naval victory. Much en-
thusiasm has been expressed in the United
States.
According to the Press Bureau, Admiral
Seydlitz reports that the "Nuremberg" was
also sunk on Dec. 8. The search for the
"Thouless" is proceeding. The main
signal boat for five hours, with intervals.
The "Schamberg" was sunk after three
hours fighting and the "Grosser" two
hours after. The enemy's light cruisers
scattered and were chased by our cruiser
HMS "Cressy." No loss on any British
ship is reported.

AUSTRIANS ADMIT DEFEAT.

Austria, Dec. 11.
An Austrian communiqué admits that the
Austrians were unable to penetrate the strong
trenches, and were compelled to retire.

GERMAN GULF CAPTURE.

London, Dec. 10.
The Press Bureau states that our
forces at Korea included 1,100 prisoners,
inclusive of the wounded, and nine guns.
The last portion of Korea only surrendered
after a bloody resistance.

KAISER IMPROVING.

Ambler, Dec. 10.
It is officially stated in Berlin that the
Kaiser's health has considerably improved.
The Kaiser is relaxing and the temperature
is normal.

IMPORTANT RESIGNATION.

London, Dec. 10.
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private grounds. It is rumored that Lord
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THE RUSSIAN FRONT.

THROUGH BRITISH'S AGENCY.

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NEW PATRIOTIC LEAGUE.

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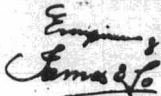
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The "Daily Mail" correspondent in Harbin... The capture of a cathedral in Harbin... The capture of another cathedral...

It is stated that the British... The capture of a cathedral... The capture of another cathedral...

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A communiqué states that nothing... The capture of a cathedral... The capture of another cathedral...

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NAVAL BATTLE. GERMAN STATEMENT. FRESH FIRING HEARD.

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A Berlin official statement... The capture of a cathedral... The capture of another cathedral...

The Japanese Ministry of Marine... The capture of a cathedral... The capture of another cathedral...

The Admiralty received... The capture of a cathedral... The capture of another cathedral...

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HEAVY GERMAN LOSSES. STUBBORN STRUGGLE FOR CRACOW.

THE WEIGHT OF RUSSIA'S MIGHT.

Turkish generals... The capture of a cathedral... The capture of another cathedral...

Patrolled Dec. 11. In the Miwa region a vigorous German offensive... The capture of a cathedral... The capture of another cathedral...

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Considerable Austrian forces have appeared... The capture of a cathedral... The capture of another cathedral...

Paris, Dec. 11. The Kaiser's physician... The capture of a cathedral... The capture of another cathedral...

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Mr. Robert Bacon, former United States Ambassador... The capture of a cathedral... The capture of another cathedral...

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AMERICA AND OUR NAVY.

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The failure of Germany's official campaign... The capture of a cathedral... The capture of another cathedral...

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TURCO-ITALIAN CRISIS. Porte's Shuffling Reply. VICTORIOUS SERBIANS. Allies Repulse Attacks.

GOEBEN'S FRUITLESS ATTACKS. TURCO-ITALIAN CRISIS. The Foreign Minister, speaking in the Chamber, said Italy had insisted upon a speedy repatriation in regard to the Hohenliedau communication between Constantinople and Hrodvia was interrupted.

ALLIES' GRIM CLUTCH. London, Dec 13. A Paris communique states that yesterday the "London" attempted to bombard Salonica, but upon the forts opening fire they rapidly retired, firing only three shots and inflicting insignificant damage.

TO HELP WAR VICTIMS. London, Dec 14. Belgians had accepted the Greek proposal for the appointment of a mixed commission to settle frontier disputes.

FRENCH PRAYER FOR PEACE. London, Dec 13. To-day had been observed throughout France as a day of supplication for speedy victory and peace. An impressive service will be held in Notre Dame.

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ALCOHOL AS MOTOR FUEL. PEACE RUMOURS. WILL ITALY JOIN?

REVIEWS. AGRICULTURAL REPORT. THE Annual Report of the Agricultural Department for 1913-1914.

THE "WELCOME" PHOTOGRAPHIC EXPOSURE RECORD AND DIARY. 1914.

London, Dec. 13. A Paris communique says that yesterday was particularly quiet. The enemy's activity was mainly shown in intensive sniping.

Boiss, Dec. 13. The Foreign Minister, speaking in the Chamber of Deputies, stated that the Italian ultimatum in regard to the Balkan situation had been received.

London, Dec. 13. The Serbian army has taken the enemy across the Ofen. They have captured the Austrians back in a northerly and north-westerly direction.

Petrograd, Dec. 13. It is officially stated that the Russian army has captured the enemy on the whole front in the Malva region.

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Petrograd, Dec. 13. A communique states that on Friday afternoon the "Goroden" announced by the general staff, "Berlin," attempted to bomb and shatter the city.

Copenhagen newspaper publishes a remarkable article written by a leading German socialist which gives clear information of the change of feeling amongst the German public is already noticeable.

The "Journal of the East Africa and South Natal History Society" has just issued up to standard of this month periodical.

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London, Dec. 13. Today a being observed for speedy victory and peace in the imperative service will be held in Notre Dame.

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Cottage, Dec. 14. The Montenegro army has occupied Vuchegrad, having captured many prisoners and horses.

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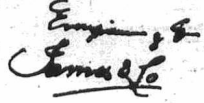
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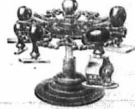
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