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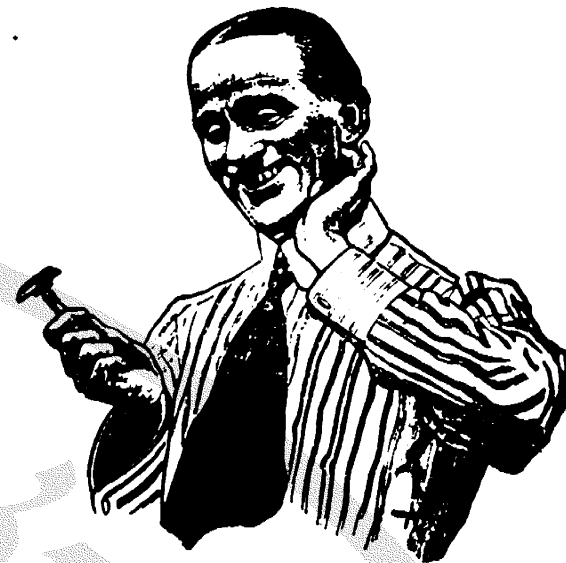
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**Russia Estimates Enemy's Forces at 370 Divisions.**

A despatch from Petrograd says that the following figures regarding the enemy's effectives are given by the Russian Headquarters Staff:—

On the front from the Baltic to the Black Sea, a line of 1,800 versts, 130 divisions are massed. One hundred of these divisions, composed of German troops and commanded by Prince Leopold of Bavaria, occupy the territory between Riga and Stanislaw. The other thirty divisions, made up exclusively of Austrian troops, are commanded by Emperor Charles I.

The Russian Staff estimates that the total number of German divisions on the whole theatre of war is about 250, of which 180 are operating on the French front, while 15 or 20 form part of the armies in the Balkan and reserve services.

The Austrians have 85 to 90 divisions, 50 of which are operating on the Russian front and about 35 on the Italian front. The Turkish and Bulgarian forces in the Balkans total about 30 divisions.

The full total of the enemy forces is thus estimated at roughly 370 divisions or a probable total of about 5,500,400 men.

**German Raider in the Atlantic.**

The Secretary of the Admiralty reported on December 8th that a report had been received that a German armed and disguised vessel of mercantile type was sighted in the North Atlantic on December 4.

There is no further information as to her proceedings, says a mail paper.

Thus a new menace to vessels on the Atlantic trade routes has made her appearance. Whence she came is a mystery, but it is hardly likely that she managed to run the gauntlet of our blockading fleet. The last raider of this type was the *Grief*, which, whilst apparently seeking a chance to slip through the British cordon on February 29 last, was sighted by the auxiliary *Alcantara* and *Andes*. A sharp fight ensued and the *Grief* and *Alcantara* both went down with their guns firing Germany's "star" raider, however, was the mystery ship *Moewe* which had a long and successful run in the Atlantic. The number of vessels she sank or captured was thirteen. Her Commander, Captain the Burggrave and Count von und zu Lohma-Schollen— to give him his full German title—after the sensational capture of the *Elder Dempster* liner *Apam* which his understudy Lieutenant Berg took into Norfolk, Virginia, closed the raider's career for the time being by a return voyage to Germany where he and his men were feted and Iron Crosses given to all.

He claimed the following as his victims:—

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Ariadne	3,035	Flamenco ... 4,629
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	Tons.	Tons.
Maroni	3,109	Luxemburg ... 4,322

The *Moewe's* chief also claimed to have 140 prisoners on board and £50,000 worth of bullion probably taken from the *Appam*. In his history of his adventures the commander claimed to have laid mines as "Easter eggs" round our coast, one of which the German Admiralty boasted, sank the battleship *King Edward VII*. The *Moewe* was a light vessel of 2,500 tons with a good turn of speed. She carried a crew of 240, and her armament included six 7in guns and two torpedo tubes. She carried a number of mines.

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**Germany Commandeering More Man and Iron.**

Paris, December 6.—Figures published here, showing how the weight of the war on the South Eastern Front is falling more and more on the shoulders of Germany, owing to the dwindling effectives of her allies, are taken to explain the German levy of labour for war work, as well as the raising of armies from a so-called autonomous Poland.

Before June 1, 1916, there were only three German divisions between the marshes of Philip and Mac-doula. Today there are 43.

In October, 1915, six German battalions were deemed sufficient stiffening for the Bulgarian army in Macedonia. To-day three German divisions are supporting the Bulgar's right wing. The Austro-Hungarian, Turkish and Bulgarian troops have suffered such losses that Germany can count on no more aid from them.

The Bulgarian companies, which were 250 strong last July, are now said to have been reduced to 150.

To-day Germany, realising that her only hope of counter-balancing the Allies' superiority in effectives is by obtaining a crushing superiority in material, is determined to strain every nerve to attain that object. Her aim is to possess by next spring a mass of artillery sufficient to enable her to make an offensive on any front it may please her to choose, and to hold in check the attack of the Allies elsewhere. She designs also to have at her disposal a great number of submarines, so as to interfere more and more with the Allies' communications. It is for the Allies to seize the initiative and ruin Germany's plans.

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## THE Great War.

### Allies' Naval Conference.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

London, Jan. 26.

An important conference of the Naval chiefs of England, France, and Italy began at the Admiralty on Tuesday and concluded yesterday. It included the French and Italian Ministers of Marine.

Paris.—The Allied Naval War Council in London reached a complete understanding and there is every reason to hope that the result will help in strengthening the Allies' sea power.

(Havas Telegram.)

Paris, Jan. 25.

London.—The French Minister of Marine M. Lacaze and the Italian Minister of Marine Sr. Corsi attended the Naval Conference on Tuesday and Wednesday.

### A German Success.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

London, Jan. 26.

Wireless German Official.—We attacked on a ten kilometre front on both sides of the river Aa and captured 1,714 prisoners and thirteen machine-guns.

### Saluting Allies' Flags.

(Havas Telegram.)

Paris, Jan. 25.

Athens.—The Royal Government has addressed written excuses to the Entente with regard to the events on the 1st and 2nd December. The ceremony of saluting the flags of the Allies is fixed for Saturday and will take place in the presence of the Ministers of the Entente and Admiral Gachet.

### Affairs in Greece.

(Havas Telegram.)

Paris, Jan. 25.

The Venizelists have evacuated the island of Corigo and the Allies will take control of same.

### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

To DAY's telegrams appear on page 8.

WE have received a pretty wall calendar from the Excelsior Ice Manufactory.

THE residence, formerly owned by Capt. Ivanich at Samsen, is to be sold by public auction on February 10th vide advertisement.

FRITZ Adler, the man who shot Count Sturgkh, the Austrian Premier, has been declared sane. His trial will be held in public.

THE sale by public auction of the machinery, godowns etc. of the two rice mills belonging to the Ministry of Finance will take place on the 19th February as is notified elsewhere.

NEW advs.—Bargains in handkerchiefs at Messrs. Whitaway Laidlaw and Co. The Phathanakorn is screening to-night the "Two Little Vagabonds," the greatest success of contemporary drama.

### The Kaiser's Birthday.

To-day being the anniversary of the birth of His Majesty the Emperor of Germany, who enters his 59th year of age, a reception was held at the Imperial German Legation from 10.30 a.m. till noon. Dr. E. Remy, the German Chargé d'Affaires, assisted by Mr. H. Bieschick, Chancellor of Legation, and Mr. J. Bruchhaus, Interpreter, received the guests. Mr. O. Sandreczki, Assistant of the Legation, was also present. Among the guests were:

Colonel Phya Surawongse Vivatana, Chief A.D.C. to H. M. the King, representing H.M. the King; H.R.H. Prince Bhisulok, the Heir Presumptive; H.R.H. Prince Paribatra, Minister of Marine, with Adjutant Lieut. Luen Sarabhaya Vanija; H.R.H. Prince Devawongse Varoprakar, Minister for Foreign Affairs; H.R.H. Prince Narser Varariddhi; H.E. Chao Phya Yomraj, Minister of Local Government; H.E. Chao Phya Surasit, Minister of the Interior; H.E. Chao Phya Bolidr Dejanujit, Minister of War, with Adjutant Phra Barophat; H.E. Phya Sri Kridakara, Director in the Ministry of Royal Household; Phra Dithakar Bhakdi, Director of the Consular Department; Foreign Office: Luang Visut Kosa, 1st Secretary Ministry for Foreign Affairs; Luang Rajbancha, Secretary Dika Court; Mr. Wolcott Pitkin jr., Adviser in Foreign Affairs; H.E. Mr. F. J. Domela-Nieuwenhuis, Minister of the Netherlands and Doyen of the Diplomatic and Consular Corps; Mr. E. Keil, Charge d'Affaires for Austria-Hungary; Mr. F. D. Arnold, Charge d'Affaires for the U. S. of America; Mr. H. B. Borgersen, Consul General for Norway; Mr. A. Mohr, Consul General for Sweden; Mr. O. von Holck, Consul for Denmark.

From the German, Austro-Hungarian and neutral communities in Bangkok were present: Messrs. C. Ammon, H. Bartels, A. Bermann, F. Bierwirth, H. Botcher, E. Brande, W. Brehmer, H. Bullermann, L. Bohensky, E. Bock, W. Claesen, V. Doring, E. Dorow, H. Ficker, Dr. O. Frankfurter, W. Fuhrhop, G. Geiseler, A. Gerber, H. Geyer, Captain C. Gosswich, W. Gottsche, K. Greve, E. Groot, W. Hausing, J. Hechler, H. v. d. Heyde, C. Horbach, E. Jurgens, O. Kniepf, K. Kohl, r. W. Kornatz, A. Kraft, H. Krudop, C. Kruse, Capt. C. Kumpel, W. Lamm, A. Link, H. Meng, Captain O. Malitz, G. W. Meyer, F. Moebius, F. Mulder, O. Neidhardt, K. W. Nordmann, A. Petersen, H. Raab, G. Reixlaussen, H. Ringelmann, C. Roehelen, H. Rudolph, L. Krummet, J. Ruttermann, G. Schaarschmidt, O. Schafer, Dr. O. Schneider, Th. Schnetter, H. Schutt, R. Schult, H. Schungel, A. Staengle, V. Strauss, Captain A. Struve, Captain W. Taubert, H. Tobias, K. G. Weber, H. Wilkens, L. Weiler, F. Zabel, C. Zissawiller.

The following left cards: H. R. H. Prince Svasi, Lord Chief Justice of the High Court of Justice; H. S. H. Mom Chao Sukparapra; H. E. Chao Phya Dharma, Minister of the Royal Household; Phya Boriraks Chaturong, Acting Under-Secretary of State for F. A.; Mr. N. de Berg, representing Danish diplomatic interests; Dr. Carl C. Hansen, Vice Consul General U. S. Legation, Messrs. H. Scheele, W. Siegert, E. Soerzen (B. Grimm & Co.); Engineer R. Caspers (Norddeutscher Lloyd); Mr. P. Schalhofer (A. Boker & Co.); Mr. Forjan (Barmer Export-Gesellschaft); Mr. E. Florio, Director General Financial Inspection Department; Mr. M. Mannsfeldt; Mr. P. Cramer. Telegrams were received from Hua Hin from Messrs. E. Eisenhofer, A. Hertzka and E. Rosenberg.

Mrs. Hy. Gittenis having resigned the position of Hon. Sec. and Treasurer of the Bangkok Library Mrs. G. Kenneth Wright has been elected to take her place and all communications should be addressed to her from this date.

THE following passengers left by the s.s. Kuala:—Mr. G. S. Sanderson, Master Sanderson, Mr. C. D. Jackson, Mr. Cochran, Mr. W. Morrison, Mr. M. A. Edgar, Mr. and Mrs. Gunatilaka, Mr. Wijeyekoon, Miss Marion Parsons and Mr. M. Saiboo.

THE Great Winsom Company of illusionists, acrobats, magicians etc. are putting on a complete change of programme for to-night. This Company which is to be commended for their excellent performances will close their season on Tuesday next.

OWING to the increase of small-pox in Hongkong the Minister of Local Government has issued a further notification regarding the quarantining of vessels arriving from that port. All passengers and crew on board these vessels will have to be re-vaccinated or produce evidence of having been recently vaccinated.

THE Hearst newspapers publish a report, which is said to emanate from a very trustworthy quarter, that in her peace proposal for the restoration of ante bellum conditions Germany does not seek the retrocession of Tsingtao. The news is given in a San Francisco despatch to the Osaka Mainichi.

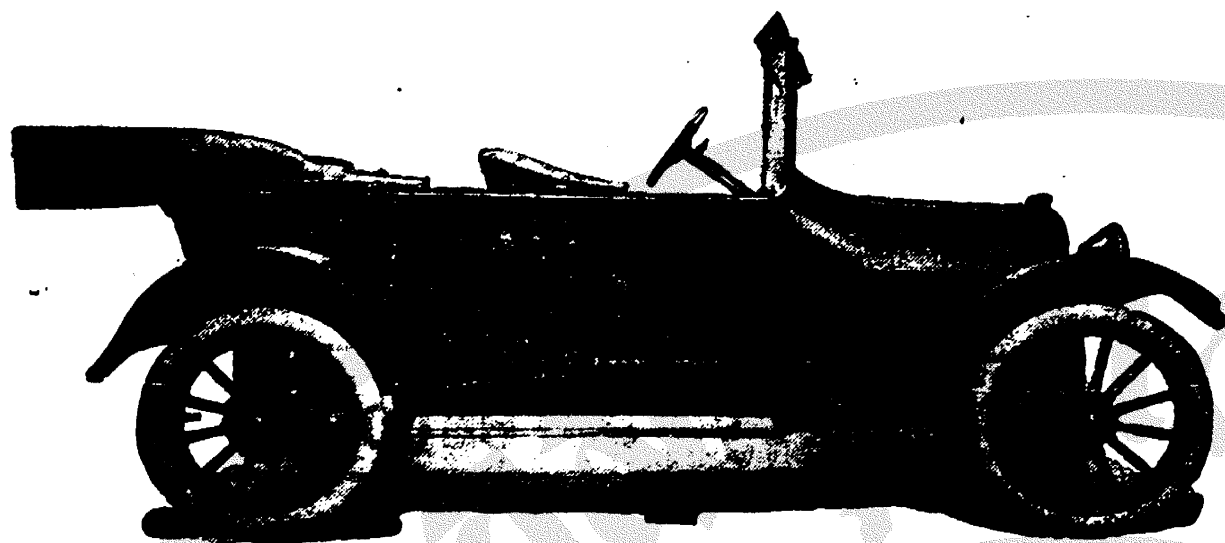




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**Rumanian Losses.**

Commenting upon the situation in the Rumanian theatre, M. Marcel Hutin, writing on December 3rd in the "Echo de Paris," says:—

"The enemy exaggerates the number of prisoners just as he likes. But we believe that during the last eight days the Rumanians have lost at most 38,000 men—that is, 20,000 at the battle of Tirgu Jiu, 10,000 of the Orsova troops, and 8,000 north west of Bukharest."

"Now, according to reliable indications, the Rumanian army numbers 600,000 men, of whom 300,000 are in the depots. Counting the maximum losses at 100,000, there yet remain 500,000 men a number which constitutes undoubtedly an imposing military force, which, retired upon the Russian reserves echeloned between the Bug-line and that of the Sereth, will be heard about."

Berlin, December 8.—Following the miscarriage of the big Russian offensive in the Carpathians, they have been confining their activities to local movements. Yesterday they attacked repeatedly by the Ludova and in the Trotus valley, but were thrown back with heavy losses.

Our advance on the Ploesti-Bukharest line was so swift that the Rumanians had no time to organise a retreat in the mountainous country, and a great number was captured. Between the hills and the Danube the pursuit is being pushed forward. Yesterday alone 10,000 prisoners were taken by the 9th Army.

From a strategical point of view, the capture of Campina and Ploesti is as important as the taking of Bukharest, for the Kronstadt-Bukharest railway forms the shortest and most direct line of communication between Hungary and Wallachia. The possession of the line will be invaluable for purposes of transport.

The captures in the Rumanian theatre have been increased to 123,000 men, 500 guns and some hundreds of machine-guns.

Reports from Mackensen's headquarters in the Dobrudja give a striking picture of the difficulties of the campaign there and of the brilliant manner in which his composite forces have surmounted them. Strong Russian reinforcements are being sent to this field of operations, but the Centrals maintain their ground.

**Rumanian Supplies.**

The "Times" correspondent says:—"If the disasters of Rumania, deeply though we feel them, do not materially affect the ultimate issues of the war, and even in a sense are stimulating because they substitute hard facts for baseless visions, the assistance which our enemies will receive from the seizure

ure of the corn crops of Rumania also promises to be much less than is generally supposed."

"The average yearly consumption of cereals by Germany and Austria is about 60,000,000 tons and the total amount of grain believed to have been in Rumania last month was under 6,000,000 tons, more than a third of which at least is required for the consumption of the Rumanian population."

"Of the residue much will have been destroyed, a good part has been shipped to Russia, and another important part is stored upon the Lower Danube and at present out of harm's way. The amount of grain in Rumania last month was approximately equal to the import of Germany and Austria from abroad in a year of average crops, but we have also to remember that the enemy's crops are not average now, that his people are hard pressed for food, and that of the Rumanian corn crops not a very large amount will remain for the enemy's consumption."

**The Army's Escape.**

"Even if this amount is 3,000,000 tons, which may be taken as an outside figure, it represents only 1-20th of the total annual consumption of Germany and Austria, so that we can well understand why the German Press is made to publish a warning that the people must not expect a double ration of bread. Indeed they must not."

"Neither the defeat of the Rumanian armies nor the seizure of Rumanian supplies will influence materially the result of the war. The defeats are disagreeable, but the Rumanian armies have broken clear, and the chief gain of the enemy is moral and political, while on the supply side the success achieved, though of some importance with regard to wheat, fodder foods, cattle, and oil, will not do more than assuage for a few weeks the hunger of our enemies."

**A Month's Shipping Losses.**

The monthly statistics published by the Bureau Veritas concerning shipping losses during the war are as follows for October: Steamers sunk by submarines 110 (tonnage 235,284); sailing ships 28 (tonnage 9,296); steamers sunk by mines, 5 (tonnage 12,241). In addition one sailing ship, of 167 tons displacement, was destroyed by a mine, the total number of ships lost being 144, and the tonnage 257,088.

As an indication of the growing extent of the submarine campaign it is worthy of note that during thirty days of October, 138 ships were destroyed by submarines, and during the first ten days of December 79 steamers or sailing craft.

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phesying and encouraging the idea of an early peace were erroneous in their opinions and mischievous in their action.

be prepared to join in a general attack. These are rumours freely circulated in Vienna and Budapest.

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THE RAINFALL.					
Rainfall for the 3rd week in January 2459					
Locality.	Rainfall recorded during the week.	Rainfall of corresponding week of last year.	Total rainfall for present year to date.	Total rainfall for last year to corresponding date.	Remarks.
	Millimetres.	Millimetres.	Millimetres.	Millimetres.	
Ministry of					
Agriculture	... None	None	1141.1	1233.6	
Dhanyaburi	... No report	None	—	1253.3	
Samudprakar	... No report	None	—	1372.6	
Krung Kao	... None	None	1214.8	1073.5	
Angtong	... None	None	1541.8	1450.3	
Lobburri	... None	None	1508.6	1269.0	
Jalnari	... None	None	1413.6	1282.2	
Udairhane	... None	None	1475.1	1415.2	
Bianuloke	... None	None	1809.1	1171.1	
Xhaxerngeao	... None	None	1257.8	1213.1	
Prachin	... No report	None	—	1591.4	
Nagor Pathom	... None	None	1458.9	1564.3	
Rajaburi	... None	None	1229.7	1256.0	
Xiaaraburi	... No report	None	—	1722.4	
Bejngmai	... None	None	1401.6	863.9	
Singora	... 26.5	2.8	1807.4	2190.0	

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Thurs. Sats.		daily	daily	daily	daily	daily	daily	daily	daily	daily	
a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	
Bangkok Noi ... Dep.	7.30	8.25	1.20	2.10	Chunpon ... Dep.					7.45	
M. Nakon Patom ...	8.56	10.13	2.15	4.27	Praehup Kirikan Arr.					p.m.	
Ban Pong ...	9.33	10.55	3.26	5.38	Pran Kao ... Dep.				9.5	2.41	
Potaram ...	9.56	11.22	4.—	6.17	Wang Phong ... Arr.		6.5			4.59	
Rathuri ... Arr.	10.26	11.57	4.31	6.59	Hua Hin ... Dep.		6.10	10.59		5.5	
					Hua Hin ... Arr.		6.13	11.14			
							6.57	11.46			
							7.5	11.54			
					Petchaburi ... Arr.			p.m.			
Petchaburi ... Arr.	12.—	1.15	6.29				9.37	1.43			
							7.10	9.52	1.56		
					Rathuri ... Arr.		9.10	11.40	3.18		
								p.m.			
Hua Hin ... Dep.	12.12	2.17					6.5	9.22	1.30	3.28	
Hua Hin ... Arr.	1.59	4.47			Potaram ...		6.59	9.56	2.6	4.1	
					Ban Pong ...		7.43	10.19	2.43	4.25	
Wang Phong ... Arr.	2.35	5.37			M. Nakon Patom ...		9.2	11.—	3.17	5.6	
								p.m.			
Pran Kao ... Dep.	2.48	5.42		6.25	Bangkok Noi ... Arr.	11.12	12.23	4.53	6.28		
Praehup Kirikan Arr.	4.38	5.17		6.33							
				8.46							
				8.56							
Chunpon ... Arr.				p.m.							
				3.3							
Chunpon-Tung Song on Tuesdays, Thurs. & Sats.					Tung Song-Chunpon on Mondays, Weds and Fri.			Tung Song-Trang daily			
a.m.					a.m.			Trang-Tung Song daily			
Chunpon Dep.	6.15	Tung Song Dep.	6.45		Tung Song Dep.	2.20	Trang Dep.	a.m.			
Langsuen Arr.	9.18	Surashtra Dhari Arr.	11.37		Trang Arr.	5.30	Tung Song Arr.	11.22			
	9.28		12.2								
Surashtra Dhari Arr.	1.4	Langsuen Arr.	3.37								
	Dep.	1.23	Dep.	3.47							
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a.m.					a.m.			Singora-Tung Song Tuesdays, Thursdays & Sun.			
Nakon Sriharumar daily except Monday	a.m.			a.m.	Tung Song Dep.	11.50	Singora Dep.	a.m.			
Tung Song Dep.	6.30	N. Sriharumar Dep.	11.—	3.—	N. Junction Arr.	12.40	Patalung Arr.	7.30			
N. Junction Arr.	7.37	N. Junction Arr.	12.12	4.18	Patalung Arr.	12.55		10.48			
N. Sriharumar Arr.	8.50	Tung Song Arr.	5.20			2.47	N. Junction Arr.	10.58			
					Singora Arr.	6.13		12.50			
								1.5			
								1.53			

## THE Great War.

### Wilson's Speech Coldly Received.

("S. O." SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)  
Singapore, Jan. 26.

President Wilson's speech on foreign relations in the Senate advocating peace without victory was coldly received by the London Press which points out that this was not the policy in the Civil Spanish-American wars. The hope of ending the war without bitterness has been destroyed by the Central Powers' atrocities.

Paris papers say Wilson's high ideas conform with the aim of the Allies but can only have impressed the enemy forcibly.

### Greeks in Egypt Indignant.

Allahabad, January 7.—The Greek colony is aghast at the outrages perpetrated against the Allies at Athens. Its leaders have called at the Entente diplomatic agencies in order to dissociate themselves from the treacherous action of the Hellenic Government and to express their heartfelt sympathy, and the opinions one hears from the rank and file are very much to the point. Especially indignant are the Egyptian Greeks at the treatment meted out to M. Emanuel Benachi, the venerable mayor of Athens, who was formerly president of the Hellenic community at Alexandria and who has always distinguished himself by his fearless patriotism and his open handed generosity. Expression was given to the community's feelings at a solemn requiem mass which was held in honour of the Athens victims in the Orthodox Greek church of the Annunciation in Alexandria on Sunday last. The service was attended by M. Sachtouris, representative of the provisional government, M. Rousseau, president of the Liberal League, M. Sinadino, president of the Greek community in Alexandria, all the principal members of the colony and a strong detachment of volunteers of the National Defence Army. The service closed with cries of anathema against the king and royalists, and subsequent-

ly patriotic speeches were delivered from the church steps by the National Defence Army recruiting officer and M. Sachtouris, who denounced the Athens murderers in no measured terms. The speeches were punctuated by outbursts of execrations against the king, whom several stigmatised as Nero. To the ordinary mortal, judging by the public demonstrations of the community, there would appear to be no doubt as to the latter's whole hearted sympathy with the Entente cause. Unfortunately such is not absolutely the case. The majority of the colony is Venizelist, that is, pro Entente, but there are certain well-known members who are rabid royalists, and who while feigning to be in sympathy with the rest of their compatriots in Egypt continue to work against them and for their king.

### Turkish Outrages in Arabia.

Allahabad, Jan. 7.—The Cairo correspondent of the Pioneer in the course of a letter, dated December 15, says: According to the Alkibla, the official Sherifian organ published at Mecca the Turks behaved most disgracefully at Attai. As soon as the town was besieged, they destroyed the houses of the family of the Grand Sherif. They then entered private houses on a plea of searching for provisions and took all money and jewels they could lay their hands on. Every family had to pay a daily tax of from three to twenty oaks of cereals, besides monthly subsidies. When the price of wheat rose to two dollars the oke, they confiscated all they could find and flogged the people to make them say what they

possessed. They sent the Cadi of Taif and Mufti of Hedjaz and many ulama to prison and placed sixty of the notables in a position where they formed targets for the besiegers' guns, whilst one prominent resident was flogged three times in one day until he was covered with blood and finally died under the lash. The Turks told their troops that they would be allowed to assault all women as soon as reinforcements arrived and in fact some of the women suffered considerably before the town capitulated.

### The Armenian Massacres.

Madras, Jan. 5.—The Armenian Bishop Thorgom of Egypt and his staff arrived in Madras on Saturday from Bombay. His Grace solemnised mass at the Armenian church of St. Mary in

George Town and delivered an impressive sermon relative to the massacres in Armenia. His Grace has been sent by his Holiness the chief Archbishop and Catholics of all Armenians to tour through India for the benefit of Armenian refugees and to obtain alms for the Armenian relief fund. His Grace left at night for Calcutta.

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