

TORONTO GREEKS DENOUNCE CONSTANTINE

HOPE THE ALLIES WILL RECOGNIZE VENIZELOS' GOVERNMENT.

Denouncing King Constantine and his followers, the Greek Brotherhood Karteria of Toronto held a rousing meeting last night in the Greek Church, Jarvis street. A resolution expressing their endorsement of the policy of the Venizelos Government in Greece, and their hope that the Governments of Great Britain and her allies will recognize that Government as truly representative of the Greek nation and take some measures to deal with the treachery of Constantine, was unanimously passed.

A committee of six was appointed to canvass the Greek community of Toronto in an endeavor to raise funds for the Venizelos Government. At last night's gathering five hundred dollars was subscribed.

Nicholas Kilismantzis of this city is going to New York to make arrangements to bring two members of the Venizelos Government, who are lecturing there, to deliver addresses in Toronto at an early date.

COLD SNAP AHEAD: SEASONABLE SNOWFALL

REAL TOUCH OF WINTER GIVES COLOR TO CHRISTMAS SHOPPING SEASON.

"Fair, and quite cold," is the cheerful dictum of the Weatherman for to-day. Moreover, the chances are that the cold will become more pronounced to-night. A couple of days of wintry chill are ahead of Toronto, at the very least, and probably more than that, because it is cold all over Canada, and particularly in the west.

Early yesterday morning was the coldest of the season, it being 11.1 above zero. A light fall of snow gave a seasonable appearance to the streets for Christmas shoppers, and old sleds were brought out in hopes that their decrepit condition would impress Santa Claus with the need of something better.

GERMANY DOUBTS U. S. STORY.

Lanao Sunk as Contraband Ship and Norse-owned.

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Washington, Dec. 13.—Germany's reply to the American inquiry on the sinking of the American steamer Lanao by a German submarine off Cape Vincent October 28, received at the State Department to-day, contends the sinking was justified because the vessel carried contraband, and was not in fact an American ship, but had been transferred to Norwegian owners.