



# NO HOPE OF PREVENTING AUSTRIAN-SERVIAN WAR

## LOCAL MEN GIVE OPTION ON CLAIMS TO EASTERNER FOR IMMENSE SUM OF MONEY

### ALL HOPE ABANDONED OF PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF ADRIATIC TROUBLE

War Will be Matter of Hours Only Between Austria and Servia---  
Five Army Corps Are Mobilized on Servian Frontier---  
General Conflagration is Feared

(Special to Daily News.)  
Berlin, Nov. 25—Relations between Austria-Hungary and Servia are so strained that the diplomatic circles have abandoned all hope of preservation of peace and look for a commencement of hostilities at any hour. Every effort has been made to preserve peace but apparently without avail. The press of both countries is clamoring for war and hurling insults at the other.  
Servia persists in her intention of holding a port on the Adriatic coast, and is hostile to Austrian protests. Roumania has taken a hostile attitude toward Servia, while Russia is mobilizing troops on the Austrian frontier in support of the Balkan state and her demands.  
It is anticipated that immediately Austria declares war against Servia Russia will commence hostilities in aid of her allies and pour Cossacks into Austria.  
Austria has mobilized five army corps on the Servian frontier and it is expected that within a few hours war will be declared and they will at once cross the border.  
The final culmination of the threatened war is one that diplomats are loathe to discuss, as it is feared that Germany will back Austria in her demands, while Great Britain will join hands with Russia and Servia. Italy and France may also be drawn into the conflagration, Italy be-

### LARGE NUMBER FOLLOW REMAINS TO CEMETERY

Funeral of Late Alfred Thomas Largest Ever Held in Prince Rupert

Probably the most largely attended funeral ever witnessed in Prince Rupert was that held yesterday, when the remains of the late Alfred Thomas, were laid in their last resting place in Fairview Cemetery. The body of deceased was removed from E. L. Fisher's undertaking parlors to his late residence on Borden St., at ten in the morning, from whence the funeral took place at two o'clock. The Rev. F. W. Kerr was the officiating clergyman, the following friends of deceased acting as pall bearers, James A. Smith, R. Walker, W. H. Sherman, Sr., City Engineer W. McG. Mason, Olie Crosby and James Smith.  
Beautiful floral tributes were sent by the following, The Mayor and Council, the City Fire Department, the Water Works Department, Dr. and Mrs. McNeill, G. McKeen, Sweder Bros. staff, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Macdonald, F. V. Cameron, W. H. Sherman, Sr., J. A. McDonald. The interment was under the direction of E. L. Fisher.

### Hurt His Legs

A little of the name of Johnny York, while riding on an empty wagon on Saturday evening last, when just opposite the Smith Block on 3rd Ave., fell off, hurting his legs pretty badly. He was immediately taken up in to Dr. Eggert's office, who attended to his injuries, which did not prove of a very serious nature.

### Returns Home

Dr. Spencer, Methodist missionary at Skidegate, arrived in the city yesterday after a short visit to Vancouver. The doctor is returning immediately to his home at Skidegate, and is most enthusiastic about the future prospects of the Queen Charlotte Islands.

### DRUNKEN INDIANS

Natives get Moch from a Red-Haired Half Breed Boy

Dominion Constable Pat Philipson had an array of Indians lined up in the Police Court this morning on charges of being drunk. McMillan, an Indian, was the cause of all the trouble, has for the time being vanquished. He is accused of giving money to a lad, who claims his age to be eighteen years and a half, to purchase whiskey at one of the city hotels. This the boy did, giving it to McMillan, who caused it to be circulated among the Siwash.

The Indians in court this morning were each fined \$5 and costs. The boy Walter Ryan, who is of very prepossessing appearance with a shock of auburn hair, although his mother was a straight native, is being held by the police today, in order to get him to point out the man who supplied him with liquor.

### TEN DOLLARS DAMAGES

Conroy vs. G. T. P. Results in Small Damages for the Plaintiff

In the Supreme Court on Saturday morning the civil case of Conroy vs. the G.T.P. Railway Co for \$1500 damages came up for hearing. Acting upon the advice of the Chief Justice the counsel for the opposing parties came to an agreement, the defendant company being assessed in damages to the amount of ten dollars.

Messrs. Williams & Manson represented the plaintiff and L. W. Patmore the defendants.

### Xmas Giving

#### An Easy Problem

In order to solve the ever perplexing problem, "WHAT SHALL I GIVE THIS XMAS?" your easy and correct method is simply to let us show you our new stock. It is "sure" the "best ever." Whether you live in Prince Rupert or out of town a visit to the store or a letter to us will receive every attention. Call or write today.

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### REV F.W. KERR SPEAKS ON THE MORAL PLATFORM FOR A MAYOR

Would Have Proper Observance of Sabbath---Advises Civic Control---Abolition or Greater Regulation of Segregated District

In outlining his ideals of the platform in the coming mayoralty contest at the Empress Theatre last night, Rev. F. W. Kerr, pastor of the Presbyterian congregation, very wisely emphasized the fact that a moral mayor was of far more importance to the city than a moral platform. He distinctly stated that he would never be a party to a delegation that would demand pre-election pledges from the candidates. He did not want promises from the candidates, but was anxious to see the city elect men that can be trusted to advance the moral welfare of the city. "Promises look too much like bribes," he remarked.  
The principal plank in the moral platform of Prince Rupert's next mayor should be, according to Rev. Mr. Kerr, to lay the foundations for an industrial city, profitable employment for the residents being one of the greatest moral safeguards of any community. In connection with this the reverend gentleman advocated municipal employment bureaus, municipal lodging houses and a fair wage commission.  
"The absolute annihilation of the segregated district," is the deal policy, said Mr. Kerr, but the ratepayers should at least demand that the denizens of that district be prohibited from parading the streets, that delivery boys should not be allowed to enter the district and that a side walk be constructed direct from Fulton street to 9th Avenue, so that respectable people and especially young boys and girls would not find it necessary to pass the very mouth of the pit.  
The recent action of the City Council permitting the pool rooms of the city to keep open on Sunday was discussed at considerable length. Rev. Mr. Kerr said he could not understand the council's action in the matter, thus permitting an infraction of the criminal code of Canada. He believed that every true Canadian respected the Sabbath and that all are interested in maintaining its proper observance. The opening of the pool rooms had been instigated not by those who patronized them, but by the proprietors themselves. The opening of the pool rooms on Sunday he considered a dangerous step and that it was difficult to say where it might end. If the pool rooms are open why not bars, skating rinks, picture shows, etc?  
In introducing the subject the preacher made it clear that theory and practice are two different matters. It might be impracticable to carry out his ideals to the letter, but he was confident that much moral progress could be effected by compromising over ideals.  
A large congregation listened to the address with interest, nearly every seat in the theatre being occupied.

### RUPERT MEN BOND CLAIM FOR BIG SUM TO EASTERN EXPERT

MESSRS. CHAPPLE AND CAMERON INTERESTED IN CLAIM ON PORTLAND CANAL WHICH OPTION IS TAKEN FOR \$100,000

Mr. E. F. Cassels, a mining man and capitalist from New York, has taken an option on the Silver Tip group of claims, at Salmon River, near the head of Portland Canal. The properties are owned by Mr. J. W. Chapple and Robert Cameron of this city, and two prominent Stewart pioneers. The sum for which the option calls for is reported to be in the neighborhood of \$100,000.  
Mr. Cassels is no stranger to the north. Away back in the late eighties he first struck Juneau, Alaska, remaining in that district for over seven years. Three years ago he came to Stewart on the top of the mining excitement that prevailed there for a few months.  
In conversation with a Daily News representative on Saturday afternoon, he reiterated his firm belief in the great future in store for this district from the mining point of view. Salmon River, he says, is destined to become within the near future, a great mineral producer, the ore being there without a doubt; all that is necessary is to get things in shape to get it out, to where it can be turned into a commercial commodity.  
FIFTY DIE IN PANIC AT SPANISH PICTURE SHOW  
(Special to Daily News.)  
Bilbao, Spain, Nov. 25—A cry of fire in a moving picture theatre caused a panic which resulted in 50 persons, mostly children, being killed. The number of injured is unknown as many were taken home by friends while dozens were taken to the hospitals.  
The show was being held in a large tent at a small admission and consequently the place was packed with women and children.

### DEEP PURPLE TONIGHT

Griffith Stock Company Will Present Strong Social Play Tonight

Tonight the Griffith Stock Co. present for the first time in Prince Rupert that great social play "Deep Purple." It is a heart of compelling heart interest. The gamut is run from the lowest type of human to the higher class of intellect. It is a play that is educational, showing as it does how the "other half lives," and proving the old saying that in everyone, no matter how bad there is some redeeming quality.  
In Vancouver the theatre war of several months ago started over this play. One playhouse booked it while the other had been preparing for it also, so where the previous week announcement was made that Deep Purple would appear at one house the other one produced it for the same week. Such an intense interest did the play create that both theatres were packed nightly.

### 10 KILLED IN STREET SMASH

Many Injured When Two Suburban Cars Crash Together—Ten Killed

(Special to Daily News.)  
Montreal, Nov. 25—Ten persons were killed here today in a terrible collision between two suburban cars. Apparently the motorman did not see the danger in time to stop and the two heavy cars crashed together, killing 10 and injuring many. Both cars were crowded at the time of the accident.  
Immediately the accident occurred the hospital ambulances responded to the emergency call and the injured were at once taken to the hospitals, while the dead were removed to the morgue. Some of the injured may die.

### PIONEER YUKONERS IN RUPERT ON WAY SOUTH

Dr. Thompson, M.P., and Arthur Treadgold, the Great Mining Promoter South on the May

Amongst the passengers going south for the winter on the Princess May Saturday were Dr. Alfred Thompson, M.P., for the Yukon, and A. N. C. Treadgold, a prominent mining man of the north.

Dr. Thompson had just time during the short stay of the boat here to visit his brother, Mr. J. H. Thompson, one of the leading business men of this city.

The doctor, who has a large number of friends here amongst old time Klondikers, was looking in the best of health and extremely fit after the summer spent in the northern metropolis. He is very enthusiastic about the future of the mining industry in the north, and says the output of gold for this season will be about \$5,000,000, well up to the average.

Arthur Nation Christian Treadgold, the man who became famous away back in days of 1900 and 1901 as the great commissioner of the Klondike, is one of the most remarkable men who ever wended his way North.

An old country University man of no particular private means following the profession of a school master, he went to the Klondike during the original rush of '97, and soon jumped into prominence as a daring and successful mining promoter. The story of his operations during the last twelve years in the north would fill a volume. It was he who first caused the Guggenheims to be come interested in the Klondike. Today he is engineering a huge mining proposition in opposition to the Guggenheim interests. The company at his back is no other than the South African Consolidated Co., Ltd.  
Mr. Treadgold will return north again in the spring, when operations upon an extensive scale will be undertaken.

### Basket Ball

Royals vs. Callies, Tigers vs. Men's Own at Auditorium, Nov. 26th. Game called at 8 o'clock sharp. Admission 25c. ... 278

### DOCTORS ARE ARRESTED FOR CRIMINAL OFFENCE

Mis-use of Mails for Quack Cure and Mal-Practices Causes Many Arrests.

Washington, Nov. 23.—Post office inspectors and United States marshals in 72 leading cities of the country began today practically simultaneous raids for the arrest of 173 physicians, questionable medical and surgical practitioners and proprietors or agents of drug concerns, charged with criminal medical practice or the sale of drugs and instruments used for criminal purposes.  
All of the arrests are to be made for alleged violation of Section 211 of the Penal Code of the United States, which bars from the mails any vile or obscene matter whether sealed or unsealed; any advertisement, letter or circular proposing or suggesting criminal practices; or any packet containing any substance, drug or thing intended to be used for immoral or unlawful purposes.

Chief Inspector Robert Sharp, of the Post Office department, and many of his force of 390 inspectors have been working upon the cases for many months. The development of the plans which culminated today is the most extensive raid in the history of any department of the government.  
Strict enforcement of municipal and state laws in the east, it is said by the postal authorities account for the comparatively few arrests in the large cities in that part of the country, but it is said by the postal inspectors that a hotbed of this sort of criminality is in the Pacific Coast states.

On the coast they had comparatively little difficulty in obtaining a mass of evidence against accused persons.

### Business Good

T. C. Murray, representing McKay, Smith, Blair & Co., wholesale dry goods merchants of Vancouver, left for the south last evening on the Princess Beatrice. Mr. Murray, who is one of the most popular travelling men in the north, reports business as exceptionally good this time of the year.

### NEW YORK GUNMEN WILL HEAR DEATH SENTENCE ON TUESDAY

FOUR GUNMEN WHO KILLED ROSENTHAL WILL RECEIVE SENTENCES ON TUESDAY FROM CHIEF JUSTICE GOFF—INFORMERS ARE FREED.

New York, Nov. 22.—Sentence on Harry Horowitz, alias "Gyp the Blood"; "Lefty Louie" Rosenberg; "Whitey" Lewis and "Dago Frank" Girofici, convicted of first degree murder for slaying Gambler Herman Rosenthal, will be imposed next Tuesday, November 26th.

This date was fixed by Justice John W. Goff in the state supreme court after motions to set aside the verdict and demands for a retrial had been denied.

The gunmen retained their nerve and were defiant and sullen throughout the proceedings.

Justice Goff granted a motion to release the wives of Horowitz and Girofici, who have been held in the house of detention here since the arrest of their husbands several weeks ago.

"Lefty Louie" said he was christened Louis Rosenberg was 21 years old, a native of Austria and married. His vocation was salesmanship, he said, was temperate and had served one jail sentence.

"Gyp the Blood" was recorded as Harry Horowitz, a clerk, 24 years old, a native of New York City, and married and temperate.

The state's informers, Rose, Vallon, Webber and Schepps, who have been held in prison during the trial, probably will be released this afternoon. The district attorney agreed today that there was no further need of keeping them behind the bars.  
Rose is going to London to complete a book on the underworld and later will go into the theatrical business. Webber, who is wealthy, plans a tour of the world. Vallon has announced his intention of going to the Argentine Republic, where he plans to open a gambling establishment. Schepps says he will go to Hot Springs, Ark., to recuperate from the effects of his long confinement.

William Shapiro, driver of the "murder car" and jointly indicted

with the gunmen and Becker, also will go free. In return for his testimony for the state the district attorney's office will move that the indictment against him be quashed. Of the seven indicted for the Rosenthal murder this leaves but one defendant to be tried. He is Jack Sullivan, "King of Newsboys."

Harry C. Evans, piano tuner is in town. Leave orders at Hayner's. 2771f

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Camosun	Wednesday, p.m.
For North	
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