

M'BRIDE'S DAY IS DONE

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AUSTRIAN ARMY HAS BEEN CUT IN TWO PLACES

VANCOUVER MAY AGAIN LOSE ITS MAYOR--BYE-ELECTION WILL BE HELD HERE TOMORROW

INTERESTING LETTER TO HAND-- H. O. CREW WRITES FROM FRONT

MAKES A VIVID DESCRIPTION OF HIS LIFE IN THE TRENCHES
--APPEARS TO BE IN GOOD CHEER AND DOING HIS DUTY.

H. O. Crew, who was one of the recruits from this city the Princess Pats, has written a very interesting letter to E. V. Ling, of this city. The following is a selection from it, which gives an exceptionally good description of his experiences:--

Well, here we are at the front, have been in the trenches un-der fire. I am back again in the trench, being in bed all day; bed consisting of straw and a blanket, but quite comfortable. I have a terrible cold, and have not been able to eat anything for two days, after a good rest am now feeling better, and expect to be home tomorrow. The boom of the shells reminds me very much of the night in the blasting days.

Monday, we had a long march, bringing about thirty-five pounds of our last billet at the farm at 9 a. m. and arrived here at the farm about 5 p. m., and I arrived I was all in. We had a good rest Tuesday and

Wednesday, and Thursday we started at 5 o'clock for the trenches. They put us in for 24 hours so as to let us find out for ourselves what we have to put up with. The farm where we are is really on the firing line, if the artillery ever trains its guns this way. Well, we started out so as to arrive in the dark, as that is the only time that the relief can get in and out. After walking for about two miles we came to a village or small town, and it was the most pitiable sight I have ever seen. The church was a heap of ruins, and the old tower was standing with great holes knocked in it. Every house had the windows broken in it, and I think it would be impossible to find one that a shell had not either flattened to the ground, or the roof had gone, or one or two of the walls. One large house was

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BELGIAN SOLDIERS MADE GERMAN FLY

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, April 8.—Official dispatches state that the western side of the Yser Canal has been completely freed of the enemy by the Belgians. The Germans fled in disorder, leaving machine guns and ammunition.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

Tonight will be a big night among the local Knights Templar. They will be visited officially by Most Eminent Sir Knight Philip D. Gordon, of Montreal, the Supreme Grand Master of the Sovereign Great Priory of Knights Templar of the Dominion of Canada. He is expected to arrive on this evening's train and will be met by the local Knights. He is accompanied by Eminent Sir Knight A. A. Bittues, also of Montreal. An emergency assembly has been called for tonight by Presiding Preceptor Eminent Sir Knight D. H. Morrison. The visitors expect to leave for the South on the Prince George tomorrow.

MEETING SUCCESS.

A letter from H. V. Scott, formerly of Scott-Froud Co., says that "the boys" like their change of life and wouldn't exchange the ranch for the best business in Prince Rupert. At present they are preparing for the spring crops and hope to have a good yield this year. The ranch is on Cortez Island.



CANADIANS IN ACTION (NOT IN FRANCE BUT IN CANADA).
The above most interesting picture shows the infantry of the Second Canadian Contingent engaging in attack movements in Humber Valley, Toronto.

SUBMARINE BLOCKADE IS LOOSENING ITS GRIP

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, April 8.—The Great Eastern Railway announces that their bi-weekly passenger service from London to Hook-of-Holland will be resumed next week. This steamship service was stopped by the German submarines and its resumption indicates that the Admiralty has the matter well in hand.

DEPORTATION STOPS CHECKERED CAREER

"Son of English Lord," Out of Jail, Wants to Go Home and Join Army.

San Francisco, April 8.—Ronald True, who says his real name is Arthur Reginald French and that he is a stepson of Lord Glenfalloch, of England, was ordered deported to Great Britain yesterday by United States Commissioner Krull. The order was issued at True's request to escape being sent to Los Angeles, where the police are said to have a charge against him.

True was released recently from the Alameda county jail after service of a fifteen months' sentence for forgery. He said that if deported, he would join the English army, in which he says he once held a commission.

True says that after he gambled away his fortune in England his titled stepfather sent him to South Africa on a sheep ranch and that he afterwards drifted to Canada, where he entered the Canadian mounted police, then came to the United States, where he was a prizefighter until he was eliminated from such a career by several defeats.

CHANCE FOR LADIES.

Anybody who wants exceptionally good values in ladies' ware for their money should see the sale which Mrs. Demers is putting on, starting today. Prices are cut away down and there is a big choice among all her new stock.

Quality, satisfaction and economy. New Wellington Coal. Phone 116. 63tf.

Election Manifesto

Ex-Alderman Thomas McClymont Makes Full Statement and Asks for Support in Mayoralty Election.

To the Electors of Prince Rupert:
Ladies and Gentlemen,—I feel that in view of my action in resigning from the Aldermanic Board and offering myself for Mayor, I owe a full statement of my reasons to the public.

You are all aware that this election was brought about by the ex-Mayor having been found guilty of what may be called a technical breach of the law, and a law which is very wise one, and operative from the Imperial Parliament down to the smallest municipality in the Empire; and it is to the effect that a man holding a legislative position shall not have any monetary dealings, apart from his legal allowance, with the body which he serves. If ex-Mayor Newton didn't know he was breaking the law, he should have, for he is on record as attacking former members of the Council of a couple of years back on a charge of carrying city insurance, which, as a matter of fact, was not so. However, whether this be put down to a technical break on his part or to genuine ignorance, I do not care, as I do not base my case on this phase of the question at all.

I am opposing ex-Mayor Newton and making the Montreal trip the main issue. In the first place, I contend this trip should never have been made. It was not taken up in the regular way in the Council; so I did not have the opportunity to oppose it till the decision was already made. I did contend, however, that it was foolish to send two men, if the trip was decided upon, as one man would do as well. Also, in case two men were decided upon, I advocated sending the city solicitor, who has a much better understanding of these matters than either of the men who went on the trip.

Finally, however, ex-Mayor Newton and ex-Alderman Morrissey secured permission to proceed to Montreal and on arrival there interviewed the general manager of the Bank of Montreal, Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor. They continued there for several weeks negotiating over the re-floation of treasury certificates for the city, and after considerable delay returned and reported that they had been successful and that the certificates would be taken up by the bank at a total cost to the city of 6 per cent interest and 2 per cent for commission and flotation charges.

When the official letters were presented to the city, however, it was found that the extra of 2 per cent was not a commission, but a yearly charge of 2 per cent, making a difference of \$54,000 to the city.

Now, although I think that 8 per cent is by far too much for a city to pay for a large sum of money for three years, I am not even going to criticise that, but what I do strongly object to, is the fact that those men, after spending several weeks in negotiating with the bank, were not aware of the terms on which the deal was made.

Now, I contend that the most serious part in the whole transaction for this city, is not so much the loss of \$54,000, which is considerable in these hard times, but rather the very unfavorable impression that financiers have got about the class of men we elect to office. Everybody knows that bankers in lending money go largely on the character and ability of the man who will spend the funds and from their experiences with the men we sent to Montreal there is no doubt but what they will make up their mind that Prince Rupert is not worthy of very great confidences, and I have a mental picture of Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor when he got the

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JOE MARTIN TRYING TO UNSEAT TAYLOR

(Special to The Daily News.)
Vancouver, April 8.—Mayor Taylor announces that he will run as an independent for the Legislature.

Joe Martin has started proceedings to unseat Mayor Taylor for lack of qualifications.

T. H. Kirk was elected as alderman in Ward One over Clark. The seat was formerly held by Hepburn.

CONQUERING THE FOG.

It is to be devoutly hoped that the secret of fog annihilation as explained recently before the American Institute of Electrical Engineers will prove a correct one. Electrically caused precipitation is the principle depended on to clear the way for ships at sea, make London visible to visitors and even brighten up Pittsburg—for smoke is equally susceptible to this enemy of darkness. Ships will send out a small aeroplane connected with the vessel by a wire, and the electric current will banish fog for a third of a mile ahead; a system of wires will be installed all over London—this is the plan—to ward off fog banks; and the chimneys of great manufacturing plants will be wired to precipitate the smoke before it can escape.—Christian Herald.

NOTICE TO EARL GREY RIFLES

All members are requested to attend a meeting at 8 o'clock tonight. Subject: Formation of a Regimental Rifle Association.
W. S. MARSHALL,
Acting Adjutant.

THE WEATHER.

(5 a. m., April 8, 1915.)
Barometer 29.813
Max. temp. 50.0
Min. temp. 40.0
Rainfall02

The Girls' Chapter of the I. O. D. E. will hold a dance on Friday, April 16, in St. Andrew's Hall. The funds raised will be used for patriotic purposes. 79-80

Situation wanted by young man. Experienced salesman and business education. High class references. Apply Box 133, Daily News. tf.

AUSTRIANS CUT IN TWO--RUSSIANS IN CONTROL

(Special to The Daily News.)
Petrograd, April 8.—The Russian advance into the Carpathians has resulted in the cutting in two of the Austrian army at two places. The eastern wing is in a most precarious condition. The Russians have captured Smolensk, east of the Lupkow Pass, and are controlling the only road through the Beskid Mountains. They have also thrown back the Austrians at Bartfeld and in the Lupkow district.

SATAN REBUKES SIN WHEN IT HITS HIMSELF

(Special to The Daily News.)
Berlin, April 8.—The German press is incensed over the British admiralty withholding the details of the manner of the sinking of the submarine U-29. They believe that the secrecy indicates that the methods used were reprehensible. In other words, the Germans want the British to keep all international laws while they roam the seas as submarine pirates.

MORE BABY KILLERS.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Paris, April 8.—Twelve women and children were killed and forty-eight injured by bombs dropped by Austrian aviators at Podgoritz, Montenegro, yesterday.

Safety First—Use New Wellington Coal. Phone 116. 67tf.

Don't forget we sell raincoats for \$6.75.—Demers'. tf.

DO YOUR DUTY

Tomorrow the citizens of Prince Rupert will elect a Mayor and Alderman to complete the broken term. The candidates are all well known and their records are before the people. As there is no issue apart from a personal one, although very important, no comment is necessary. The people will elect their choice and if they do not choose the right men they will pay for it. One thing, however, should be pointed out: Every voter in the city should attend and cast his ballot. If you leave it to others to elect your candidate you may be disappointed. There should be a large vote cast and if this is done the choice will at least be a popular one. Prince Rupert needs the best man for Mayor. Do your duty.

To the Electors

Ladies and Gentlemen,—Being an Aldermanic candidate in the approaching municipal bye-election, I beg to announce my policy as standing for a square deal for the wealth producers of the city.
Respectfully,
GEORGE B. CASEY.

To the Electors of Prince Rupert

Ladies and Gentlemen,—As a protest to the way in which civic matters have been conducted of late and more particularly the Montreal trip fiasco I have resigned my position as Alderman of this city and offer myself as candidate for Mayor in the forthcoming bye-election. If you see fit to elect me I believe I shall be able to conduct the affairs of this city with competence and dignity.
Yours faithfully,
THOS. McCLYMONT.