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ALLIES RETAIN FIRM HOLD ON YSER CANAL

FRENCH AVIATORS DESTROY ZEPPELIN WORKS--TURKISH BATTALION CAPTURED

ZEPPELIN WORKS DESTROYED BY FRENCH AVIATORS YESTERDAY

DROPPED BOMBS ON WORKS AT FREDERICHSAVEN, SETTING FIRE TO BUILDINGS AND DESTROYING FIVE AIRSHIPS--ATTACKED RAILWAY STATIONS.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Geneva, April 29.—The Zeppelin works at Frederichsaven is in flames as a result of the attacks yesterday of French aviators. Five airships were destroyed. Returning to their base, the French dropped bombs on Metz, Haltingen and Lorraich, inflicting damage on the railway stations and buildings. The damage done will seriously affect the operations of the Germans and shows future possibilities along that line.

SOLDIERS DRIVEN INSANE BY WORK IN TRENCHES

Geneva, Switzerland, April 29.—Dr. Scherer, of Lucerne, returned to Geneva yesterday from a visit to the war asylum at Oberwiesenthal, near Munich, Bavaria.

"I never realized the depth of the war horrors," said Dr. Scherer, "until I saw there hundreds of men, mostly young, who had gone mad in the trenches. Some were quietly, oblivious to their surroundings, other with burning eyes watched every movement of the visitors and attendants.

"A percentage of insane recovered after some weeks of careful care and rest, and later return to the front," Dr. Scherer said, "but the remainder are sent to other asylums, because, their recovery being doubtful, their presence in the trenches might endanger their own comrades. Several such special asylums for madmen from the trenches have been opened in Germany. Something seems to break inside the soldiers under the prolonged stress of fighting and fatigue, sanguinary scenes and hand-to-hand encounters."

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JOHN BUNNY IS DEAD.

New York, April 26.—John Bunny, whose antics as a moving picture comedian have made millions laugh, died at his home in Brooklyn today. He had been ill for about three weeks of a complication of diseases.

THE WEATHER.

By F. W. Dowling, Observer.

(5 a. m., April 29, 1915.)

Barometer 29.946
Max. temp. 48.0
Min. temp. 34.0
Rainfall 1.30

Our fine lines of Ladies' Waists will be sold at a big discount tomorrow at Jabour's Sale. 99-10

WHALING COMPANY CLOSES ITS DOORS

(Special to The Daily News.)

Victoria, B. C., April 29.—Canadian North Pacific Whaling Company has closed its doors and offers its entire fleet for sale, as well as its plants at Rose Harbor, Naden Harbor, Kyukoqut and Sechar.

BATTALION OF TURKS TAKEN PRISONERS

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, April 29.—The capture of an entire battalion of Turks on Gallipoli Peninsula is announced. The Allies have a line of positions established across the peninsula and are supported by fifteen guns.

BASEBALL.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Seattle, April 29.—Seattle defeated Vancouver by 5 to 3; Spokane 8, Victoria 2; Tacoma 2, Aberdeen 1.

F. W. HART HAS GOOD TIME AT THE FAIR

F. W. Hart is having the time of his life at the Fair. Yesterday the following letter was received from him which gives some idea of his enjoyment:

"I have been royally entertained ever since I came here. These Americans are wonderful people.

"I will leave for home on the 24th inst. and expect to be home not later than May 4.

"Today was Society Day. The parade was very large and very fine—more especially as the ladies all appeared in white, holding white parasols with red tassels.

"Among many interesting experiences I have had, yesterday I had the most thrilling in a flying machine over the Pacific Ocean.

"The enormity of the Fair is so great that no one could grasp it, even though he would see it every day for six months."

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WEST SIDE OF THE YSER CANAL HELD FIRMLY BY THE ALLIES

ATTACK MADE ON EASTERN SIDE, TAKING PRISONERS AND TWO MACHINE GUNS—GERMAN ZEPPELIN FOUND WRECKED IN THE WOOD.

(Special to The Daily News.)

TRI-WEEKLY SERVICE FIRST OF JUNE

About the first of June the G. T. P. will start their tri-weekly service on both the trains and steamers, according to W. R. Hinton, the chief passenger agent, who is now here.

There will be three trains per week, leaving here on Mondays, Thursday and Saturdays, and arriving here on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. The trains will leave at 11 a. m.

There will also be three trips per week of the S. S. Prince Rupert and S. S. Prince George, making connection with the trains here and making the run to Vancouver in thirty hours.

Paris, April 29.—The official report says that the Allies are strongly holding the west side of the Yser Canal. Attacks have also been made on the eastern banks in which 150 prisoners and two machine guns were taken.

The enemy bombarded by flying machines and incendiary shells the unfortified town of Epernay, which was occupied exclusively by hospital detachments.

The Zeppelin which attacked Dunkirk eight days ago appears to have been damaged by our artillery. It was found wrecked in the trees between Bruges and Ghent.

In Belgium, progress continues to be made.

INDIAN COMMISSION AGAIN IN RUPERT

The Royal Commission looking into the Indian affairs in this province is at present in Prince Rupert, having returned from a trip to the Interior.

The commission consists of N. W. White, of Sheburne, N. S. (chairman); D. H. McDowell, of Victoria; G. Carmichael, of Montreal, and J. A. McKenna, also of Victoria. They are accompanied by J. McArthur, who holds the position of secretary.

It appears that British Columbia is the only province in Canada where a treaty has not been in force with the Indians. As a result, there are many difficulties, especially in the matter of the ownership of lands, in which the Indians contend they are not fairly treated.

The commission was appointed in 1912, and has traveled considerably in the southern portion of the province, but this is their first visit to the North. They will go south on Friday morning and return later to take in the Naas Indians.

They are accompanied by Andy Tyson, of the Indian Department.

INCENDIARY FIRES IN VANCOUVER POINT TO ACTION OF ALIEN ENEMIES

CONNAUGHT BRIDGE BURNED DOWN AT A LOSS OF \$300,000---ATTEMPT ALSO MADE TO DESTROY GRANVILLE STREET BRIDGE---FIRE SET DURING HIGH WIND

(Special to The Daily News.)

EXIT VON BOWSER

It's a rather lamentable state of affairs for a Minister of the Crown to have to admit that he is unable to get a hearing in his home town. Attorney General Bowser yesterday admitted that it was practically impossible for him to get a hearing at Vancouver. There must surely be a very good reason for this. He has been many years now in public life and has had ample opportunity to make his worth known. If he finds that everybody wants to howl him down whenever he appears in public it ought to give him serious heart searchings. It's a good indication that he has been following a bad course, and that he should endeavor to reform. But perhaps that could be best done in retirement or in opposition, and the country would be charitable to Mr. Bowser if they would leave him at home next time to review his faults. He is a discordant note at present in B. C. and a change is in order. Exit Von Bowser.

Vancouver, B. C., April 29.—Connaught bridge, across False Creek, was partially destroyed by fire last night. The damage already amounts to \$300,000 and it is still burning. An attempt was also made to set fire to the Granville Street bridge, but the fire was put out without great loss.

Germans Blamed.

Both of the fires are believed to be of incendiary origin and point to the work of alien enemies. It was started during a heavy gale about 4 o'clock this morning. The work of the fire-fighters was greatly hindered by the lack of hydrants near the bridge and the absence of a fire-boat. Two men were carried into the creek by a falling girder and had a narrow escape from drowning.

Enemy Rejoicing.

Further excitement has been added by reports to the effect that a number of Germans had met in a house in Point Grey to celebrate

the recent Canadian casualties. Everything is being done to locate the parties and developments are expected shortly.

TAKES LIFE BY GOING OVER NIAGARA FALLS

Niagara Falls, N. Y., April 29.—An unidentified man climbed over the railing at Prospect Point late yesterday and plunged into the river. He was swept over the American Falls. No trace of the body has been found.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT.

NOTICE.

The Telephone Department hereby notifies the public, that when the Police Department or Fire Department is required it will not be necessary to give a number but just to call FIRE DEPARTMENT or POLICE DEPARTMENT. This will avoid any error in getting the Department required, as in the confusion which arises in case of FIRE a wrong number is frequently given, thereby causing delay.

T. C. DUNCAN, Telephone Superintendent.

David Harum would scarcely have a chance in the horse-trading at Valcartier.—Ex.

Are any more patriots going to refund their pilferings?—Ex.

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WEAK EXCUSE

Attorney General Boswer said yesterday that the depression caused by the war was the reason why the Prince Rupert courthouse and other public works were not proceeded with. Perhaps he has forgotten that on the last visit of himself and the Premier it was announced that the courthouse and the road around the Island would be built at once and that the money was already appropriated. This was four years ago and only a fraction of this money has so far been expended. Since the money was then available the only explanation is that it was used in the South, as has been done with the millions already collected in the North. The explanation of the Attorney General will not hold water. He might as well come out and say that he has no use for the North since he has persistently practiced it.

St. Andrew's Society will hold another of their popular invitation dances tomorrow. A nicely blended program of Canadian and Scotch dances has been arranged.

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