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PRICE FIVE CENTS

War Veterans Will Demand Definite Bonus For Soldiers

Minimum of 1000 and Maximum of \$2,500 Payable to
Every Man in Canadian Forces; Discussed For
Two Days.

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

MONTREAL, March 26. After two days of discussion, which times became somewhat sensational, the Great War Veterans' association of Canada, at their fourth annual convention here held last night to adopt a definite bonus plan, which fixes a minimum of \$1,000 and a maximum of \$2,500, subject to no deduction and payable to 100 per cent of the Canadian forces. The cash re-establishment bonus is based on an additional \$60 a day for the total term of their enlistment, to men who were in service on a belligerent front.

ARMENIA SUPPLY ARMS TO ARMENIA

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

WASHINGTON, March 26.—A recommendation that the United States Government supply to the republic of Armenia sufficient arms and ammunition to equip a stable army" was made by a Senate sub-committee, which has conducted an exhaustive investigation of conditions in the Near East.

PROPOSED TO BE POLICE SPY

Man Was Killed When Crossing
Street in Broad Daylight
in Dublin.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

DUBLIN, March 26.—In the absence of information to indicate other motive, the popular belief prevails here that the unidentified man who was shot and killed in a downtown street in broad daylight last Saturday, was a police spy.
The man who was killed was about 25 years of age and well dressed. He was crossing the street when three men approached him, one of them drawing a revolver close to the victim's face and firing three times.
None of the three men have been arrested.

POLE WHISKEY WHILE OWNER AT CHURCH

When Luke McGuire, a citizen of Baltimore, was at church the other Sunday night three men with a small automobile truck made three trips to his home and hauled away his five barrels of whiskey. McGuire places the conservative value of \$1,250 on his best stock. A neighbor sat in the room of his home and watched the entire proceeding but as all of the lights in the McGuire home were burning it was thought that McGuire was home. When McGuire returned from church he found the gate was open so he started to investigate. The kitchen door was unlocked but he found nothing disturbed until he went to the cellar and then—

BENEFIT DANCE HAD BIG CROWD

The benefit dance held in the St. Andrew's hall last night under the auspices of the O. B. U. in aid of Mrs. Herbert S. Green was a largely attended and well enjoyed affair. A considerable sum was netted for the benefit of the unfortunate widow. Graw's Orchestra provided the music, much to the delight of the many dancers.

Ladysmith Coal. The best. Prince Rupert Coal Company, Phone 15.

FORWARD MOVEMENT IS GOING STRONG

Committee Reported Last Night
That Already \$5,300 Has
Been Collected.

The Forward Movement Committee of the Presbyterian Church here had a meeting last night in the church hall when excellent progress was reported in the campaign. A total amount of \$5,300 has been subscribed to date which exceeds the total that has been collected by all the other congregations in the city which is \$4,800. The objective of the campaign is \$7,000 and the collectors are confident that this will be reached.

FAREWELL DANCE TO SMITHERS LADIES

New Hall is Scene of Great Gaiety,
Honor of Misses Doodson,
Kane and Kilpatrick.

In order to provide a fitting sendoff to three ladies who are leaving Smithers, Misses Doodson, Kane and Kilpatrick, a dance was given recently in Smithers Hall in their honor. One hundred residents of the district were present and the affair was enjoyed by everyone. The hall was gaily decorated and at midnight a tasty supper was served.
Regret at the departure of the ladies was expressed by Mr. Hutchison in a neat speech.

WORK ERIE MINE

W. S. Harris Expected to Extend
present Tunnel on the
Property.

It is understood that W. S. Harris has a contract to continue operations on the Erie mine at Hazelton. The tunnel which was abandoned several years ago is to be driven another 200 feet and the owners are hopeful that good results will follow.

WILLIAM FARNUM AS A MAN'S MAN

William Farnum puts one of the most dramatic and intense fights ever staged into the thrilling ending of his new photoplay, "Wolves of the Night," a fight into which Farnum throws himself with the agility of an athlete and the skill of a champion. As the desperate man, resolved to win back wife, child and fortune, from devilish schemers, he locks himself in an office, attacks three men who attempt to coerce him with a pistol, and there, in a stirring encounter as has ever been pictured, baffles them. This fight, which is just one of the many intense scenes in that compelling photoplay of love and finance, "Wolves of the Night," showing at the Westholme tonight is one more demonstration of the surprises Farnum has up his sleeve. It proves that Farnum—popular, handsome, magnetic though he is—is no mere matinee idol, but a man's man for all his charm, and a man of power into the bargain.

DORREEN SAILS SAFELY TO PORT

Left Skidegate at 5 O'clock Yesterday
Morning and Got in
Last Evening.

TOWN HAS BEEN ABUZZ
WITH UNFOUNDED RUMOR

The P. Dorreen sailed safely into port at 9 o'clock last evening and is moored today at the Boot Fisheries' wharf bearing little marks of mishap and according to her crew in better shape than she has ever been before. After having been repaired at Aliford Bay the little fishing vessel left there at 5 o'clock yesterday morning and had one of the best trips across that has been experienced by her sea-faring crew.

As early as yesterday morning wild rumors have been floating about town as to disaster that had befallen the craft. Towards evening the report grew and with each repetition it became enlarged and exaggerated until last evening it was the topic of conversation and surmise in all parts of town. The News office has been kept busy ever since yesterday morning attempting to answer queries and obtain definite information. Until the arrival of the boat last night nothing but conjecture was obtainable, so the reports were unheeded and the News refused to publish any of them.

Wild Stories.

The first story was that the boat was overdue from Skidegate and was supposed to have sunk in Hecate Straits. By noon the report was around that she had been seen to sink by another boat but this could not be traced up. Last night it had grown until it was quite freely stated that the flotsam had been picked up and one survivor, Peter Muse. The distress of the relatives can be imagined as three of the four members of the crew have families and the parents of the Doiron boys reside here. The crew consists of Henry Doiron, Stanley Doiron and Peter Muse, all of whom are married with families and a younger brother, Frank Doiron.

Hit a Rock.

"We hit a rock in Skidegate Narrows when our engine stopped," said Stanley Doiron to the News this morning, "and after staying there for a day, during which time our boat was partly under water we were picked up by the Nidaros and towed into Aliford Bay where repairs were made. We left there yesterday morning and after a fine trip across the straits arrived home last evening. We were forced to throw out all our ice, bait and supplies while on the rocks and had just enough provisions to make the passage home. The weather was so favorable that we were able to make the fifty miles of open water yesterday in six and a half hours.

Heard of Rumor.

"When we were 25 miles out of Rupert a passing boat informed us that we were reported lost, so we then made all speed to get in and immediately called up our families. All my wife was able to say when I spoke to her was 'My God!' We have a pretty good idea who started the rumor and, believe me, he's not going to get off unmarked."

The crew had nothing but good to say of the hospitality of the people on the islands during their distress. They were supplied with food, shelter and supplies when their own was gone, and they feel extremely grateful.

B. G. Undertakers. Phone 41.

LATEST PHOTOGRAPH OF GABRIEL D'ANNUNZIO



This photograph, which was taken recently in Fiume, is the latest of the famous aviator-poet, Gabriel D'Annunzio, in a very characteristic pose.

OIL MACHINERY IS AT DRY DOCK

Will be Taken to Skidegate Indian Village by Prince Albert
At End of Week.

The complete-drilling machinery for the new oil wells near Lawn Hill on the southern end of Graham Island is being unloaded from the freight cars at the dry dock and will be taken to Skidegate Indian village where it will be unloaded. It consists of a drill, engines and boilers which has been used in the Alberta oil fields near Calgary. The Prince Albert will take it over at the end of the week and will then continue to Vancouver. Four men are already engaged on the work at the scene of operations.

FIUME TO BE A REPUBLIC

D'Annunzio and Fiume Council so
Decide—Proclamation
Next Month.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
ROME, March 26.—Fiume is on the eve of momentous events, say dispatches direct from that city. Capt. Gabriele D'Annunzio and the Fiume National Assembly have decided to proclaim Fiume a republic, but will probably not take this action until after the meeting of the Supreme Allied Council at San Remo, Italy, on April 21.

WORLD'S HOCKEY

Third Game to be Played at the
Laurier Arena, Ottawa,
Saturday.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)
OTTAWA, March 26.—The third game of the world's series hockey between the Ottawas and the Seattle champions will take place on Saturday night at the Laurier Ave. Arena in this city. Should Ottawa win this third game they will take the Stanley Cup, but the visitors are still hopeful although twice they have been outplayed.

Pianos correctly tuned. \$6.00.
G. C. Walker. Phone Blue 389. tf

FISH PRODUCT OF DISTRICT VERY LARGE

Comparison With Other Districts
In Province is Most
Illuminating.

In answer to a question in the House of Commons by the member for this district, Col. C. W. Peck, Hon. C. C. Ballantyne tabled the official returns in regard to fish caught in the three districts of British Columbia with values in each case.

The southern district returns show the catch as valued at \$3,413,991; the Vancouver Island district, \$4,716,599, and the northern district, \$6,783,434.

While this district has not quite as large a catch as the other two districts put together, it came very near it.

PANAMA CANAL STILL STOPPED

Island Is Formed in Centre of
Culebra Cut Three Feet
Above Water.

MAY NOT BE READY
FOR PRINCE TO PASS

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

PANAMA, March 26.—It is doubted here whether a channel sufficiently wide to permit the passage of the British cruiser Renown can be cleared in the Culebra cut in the canal by Tuesday next, when the Prince of Wales will arrive aboard the warship on his way to Australia.

More than twenty ships are still tied up as the result of a slide in the cut last Saturday. An island fifty feet wide and three feet high is visible above the channel.

LIQUOR RINGS INVESTIGATION

Seattle Police Officers are to be
Tried for Smuggling on
March 31.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

SEATTLE, March 26.—Two Seattle police officers, Lieut. Roy Olmstead and Sergeant Thomas Clark, charged with smuggling liquor into the United States from Canada, will be given a hearing on March 31. They are at liberty on \$5,000 bail.

Investigation of the activities of an alleged ring, which operate between Seattle and Vancouver, was continued today by Captain Chester A. K. Lingel, federal enforcement agent and agents from Oregon.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY

Members of St. Andrew's Society are reminded of Judge Young's address tonight at 8:30. Good musical program.

Ben Self received a wire from Harry Anderson, the lightweight boxer who will meet Chet Neff next Wednesday, that he will be unable to reach here until next Wednesday morning.

Tonight & Tomorrow WESTHOLME THEATRE

William Farnum

"Wolves of the Night"

A story that carries the spectator into the great Northwest, into the heart of South America and into the whirlpool of Wall Street.

SUNSHINE COMEDY - "A TIGHT SQUEEZE"

FOX NEWS

EM PRESS THEATRE

EMMY WHELEN

"The Belle of the Season"

2 Reel Comedy. Mutt & Jeff

GERMAN CABINET

Gustave Bauer Again to Head
Government.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

BERLIN, March 26.—The German cabinet, reconstructed as a result of Wednesday's negotiations, will be headed by Gustave Bauer, the present premier, according to the Morgetpost today.

Special matinee at the Westholme tomorrow for the benefit of those who failed to see the great production "Back to God's Country." Admission 35c and 15c.