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## TERRIFIC SLAUGHTER ON RUSSIAN FRONT

### FOUR THOUSAND GUNS DEAL OUT DEATH--FIRST GERMAN TRENCHES CAPTURED

#### 4,000 BIG GUNS PLAY HAVOC ON RUSSIAN FRONT

Most Terrible Slaughter on Both Sides—Hundreds of German Machine Guns are Smashed.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Jan. 11.—The Berlin papers describe the slaughter on the seventy-mile Russian front in Galicia and Bukovina as the most reckless of the war. The Berlin press has just awakened to the desperate character of the Russian offensive. It is estimated that the casualties on both sides, in the recent fighting, number 175,000.

#### Four Thousand Guns.

Four thousand big guns have been incessantly in action for a week, and hundreds of German machine guns have been smashed by the Russian artillery.

#### Electrical Defences Gone.

The Russians now occupy the first line of German trenches, which were protected by twenty-four rows of electrical barbed wire. The Russians tore out the wires by means of insulated grapples attached to armored motor cars.

#### THE WEATHER

By F. W. Dowling.

For 24 hours ending 5 a. m. January 11th.  
Barometer ..... 29.842  
Maximum temperature ... 18.  
Minimum temperature ... 12.  
Precipitation ..... -20

#### CHEAP FUEL

Good wood cut to any length, \$5.00 cord, 2 feet—\$4.50, 4 feet—\$3.50. Also best lump coal, J30.

#### PONY EXPRESS.

Halibut boat arrivals during the night were the Seattle, with 45,000 pounds, and the Director, with 15,000 pounds; both American bottoms.

Vote for the "Gilt" Edge.

#### THE MAYORALTY

To the Electors of the City of Prince Rupert,  
Ladies and Gentlemen:—In response to the wishes of a large number of ratepayers, I have consented to again become a candidate for the office of mayor for 1916. In the past I have made it a point of always being on the job in carefully guarding the affairs of the city along the lines of impartiality, practicability, economy based upon efficiency, and the preservation and success of our public utilities. If these efforts have met with your approval, might I again solicit your support as a means of the continuation of such a policy for the next year?  
Yours truly,  
S. M. NEWTON.

#### LONDON CAFE

And Grill

DAINTY MEALS AT REASONABLE PRICES  
Hart Bk. Third Ave.

BOXES FOR LADIES

#### MORE DUPONT POWDER MILLS ARE BLOWN UP

German Agents are Still Busy in America—Guns Roar on Italian Front—Aero-Encounters.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Washington, Jan. 11.—Two more mills of the Dupont Powder Company at Upper Hamley have been blown up. One man was hurt. A searching investigation is being conducted.

#### Italian Guns Busy.

Rome, Jan. 11.—There is severe artillery fighting along the entire Italian-Austrian front.

#### Aeroplane encounters.

London, Jan. 11.—There are almost continuous aeroplane skirmishes on the Saloniki front, one of which recently lasted for two hours. The Germans have already lost six aeroplanes in this region.

#### Consuls Still Interned.

The Teuton consuls, who were recently arrested by the Allies, have not been released, but are still interned on board a French auxiliary cruiser.

#### MAJOR HUNTINGDON ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Major S. A. Huntingdon, of the 102nd Overseas Battalion, arrived here yesterday to take over the command of the Prince Rupert company, and to aid in the bringing of the company up to full strength. The major states that the Prince Rupert contingent will maintain its identity as a distinct unit.

Major Huntingdon was an officer of the 72nd Highlanders before being transferred to the 102nd. He expects to leave in about a week for Prince George, where he will meet Lieut.-Col. Warden, the commanding officer, who is to arrive from the south.

Major Huntingdon, who has been an enthusiastic militia man all his life, was in Alaska when he decided to offer his services to his country, and has a son serving in the 102nd.

D. H. Morrison has given notice of his withdrawal from the aldermanic contest.

The shortest road to happiness is to be content where you are and with what you have.

The report of the city market clerk for December showed commissions paid over to the treasurer of \$65.85 and profits on beef and poultry of \$85.50, showing a total profit of \$149.35.

Virtue's violations scars a conscience, persistence burns it, neglect consumes it.

Meetings of Mr. McCaffery's supporters will be held in the committee rooms, corner of Second and fourth, on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.



KITCHENER AND GREY IN PARIS

Photo shows the British Ministers of War and Foreign Affairs on their way to attend a War Council in Paris recently.

### M. P. McCaffery Realizes Task Ahead

To the Editor of The Daily News,

Dear Sir:—In a published letter from Mayor Newton to the Electors of the City of Prince Rupert, I note the following: "The big problem which will confront the next council will be the refloatation of the Treasury Certificate issue."

With reference to this statement, I wish to state that if elected, I will spare no efforts to provide for a favorable disposition of these certificates, and the ratepayers of the City of Prince Rupert can rest assured that I will be absolutely certain as to whether the money is costing them six, eight, or ten per cent. Very truly yours,

M. P. McCAFFERY.

#### TO THE ELECTORS OF PRINCE RUPERT

Your Vote and Influence solicited for

**GEO. H. MUNRO**  
AS ALDERMAN FOR 1916.

Mr. McCaffery's committee rooms are at the corner of 2nd Avenue and Fourth St. Come in any time.

Best quality of household lump and nut coal—Prince Rupert Coal Co. Phone 15.

### POLICY

Believing the time has arrived for public-spirited interest in civic affairs, I contend that, during the present crisis, with little in sight to be done, the indemnity granted the city council for their services should be eliminated, or substantially reduced. The support of those favoring such a policy is requested on behalf of T. McClymont for Alderman.

#### FOR MAYOR

FOR 1916

### M. P. McCAFFERY

SOLICITS YOUR SUPPORT

PROMISING TO DEVOTE HIS ATTENTION TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE CITY'S AFFAIRS ALONG LINES THAT WILL TEND TO MAKE PRINCE RUPERT A PROGRESSIVE CITY.

#### ELECTION NOTES

Mayor Newton has been a mayor who has gone down with the current. He has initiated little or nothing.

Mayor Newton's flourish of trumpets about his great work during his terms of office is merely the piping of a tin whistle. He may discover right now, by listening to public opinion, that the people want the city hall for service and not for providing individuals with fat jobs.

When the day arrives that he is called upon to make himself useful, Mayor McCaffery may go as far as he likes.

It has been found necessary in other Canadian cities, and for that matter in British cities, to occasionally select, in the interests of good government, a mayor who shall be uninfluenced by existing conditions in the councils of those cities. That state of things exists in Prince Rupert today, and the electors are quite right in going outside their existing councils and select a man who is in no way connected with the exasperating muddles of the past two years.

Mr. McCaffery has been a very successful man in his own private business enterprises, and the inference is all in favor that he will be equally successful in public life. Business acumen, forethought and integrity of character are the essential features in both cases and Mr. McCaffery possesses them to an eminent degree.

With the sounds of battle growing more emphatic every day, the dark horses in the aldermanic stables can hardly be kept in their stalls.

#### WESTHOLME THEATRE

This week's episode of "The Diamond from the Sky" is one of the most exciting and amusing screened yet. Marmaduke, as usual, provides the fun, his antics being exceedingly amusing. The conclusion sees the much-sought-for diamond transferred from Marmaduke to Esther. One of the finest features of the show is the Animated Weekly, which depicts some most interesting scenes in connection with the war, and concludes with a series of cartoons by Hy Mayer. "The Comeback" is an interesting two-act drama, while "The Schemers" is a most laughable story of the patching up of a feud.

Vote for the "Straight" Edge.

#### COLD SNAP AND FIRE EPIDEMIC IN VANCOUVER

Firemen are Kept Busy Around the Vancouver Apartments—Fifty People Escape in very Scanty attire.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Vancouver, Jan. 11.—A cold snap, in which the thermometer dropped to six degrees above zero, caused an epidemic of fires here. An outbreak at the Norfolk Rooms, on Granville Street, resulted in Galloway's Book Store being gutted. Four guests, who were overcome by smoke, were rescued by the firemen.

There was also a fire at Hornby Mansions, on Hornby Street, from which fifty guests escaped in their night-attire at 2 a. m., and from which a sick woman was rescued by the firemen. The Berg Machine Shop, next door to the apartment house, also caught fire, and a slight outbreak occurred at the Gilford Mansions.

#### Volume of Accounts.

Judge Murphy is conducting an investigation into the Dominion Trust liquidation, which reveals the fact that the auditing firm of Marwick, Mitchell, Peat & Company have a bill of over \$40,000 for their services.

The legal bill of Cowan, Ritchie & Grant for one year is now being bound in book form for entry. The investigation will continue until Thursday.

#### MAJESTIC THEATRE

There is a good seven-reel show at the Majestic tonight, which is a nice blend of comedy and drama and has a variety which should provide something interesting for all. "The Knaves and the Knight," a most amusing comedy, is worthy of special mention. The gentleman in armor reminds one very strongly of the inimitable James Welch in "When Knights were Bold." His efforts to get around in a suit of armor provoked no end of merriment last night.

#### TO THE ELECTORS

Ladies and Gentlemen, Having again consented to offer myself as a candidate for alderman for the coming election, your vote and influence will be appreciated by your obedient servant.  
JOHN DYBHAVN.

#### Your Vote and Influence Solicited for

**WILLIAM ANGLE**  
Candidate for Alderman



Follow the crowd to Self's Cafe. There is a reason. Next Majestic Theatre.

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