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GERMAN WARSHIPS ARRIVE AT ZEEBRUGGE

RUSSIANS LAND AT ATINA IN BLACK SEA -- RUMORED RAIDER IN THE PACIFIC

GERMAN FLEET LEAVES CANAL IN SNOWSTORM

Has Arrived at Zeebrugge and still keeps steam up—Russian and British Navies are preparing.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, March 7.—Under cover of a snowstorm, the German fleet left Wilhelmshavn, at the entrance to the Kiel Canal, presumably to give battle to the British fleet in the North Sea.

Dutch Report.

Amsterdam, March 7.—It is reported that the German fleet has arrived at Zeebrugge from the Kiel Canal and that they are keeping up steam. The Russian and British Admiralties are in continuous communication with each other.

Germans Take Hill 265.

Paris, March 7.—The Germans have made progress west of the River Meuse towards Regneville, capturing Hill 265.

OLDE TYME CONCERT IN METHODIST CHURCH

The "Olde Tyme" concert in the Methodist Church last night was a pronounced success. There was scarcely a vacant seat in the building and every item on the program was enthusiastically received, and encores were plentiful. The performers were garbed as in days of yore and many of them looked as if they had stepped out of a Dickens novel. Mr. and Mrs. Brady, as Orlando and Rosalind in "As You Like It," gave a splendid rendering of a piece from this play. Solos were rendered by Mrs. Linnell, Mrs. Button and Mrs. Millar. Misses Ruby Dimmick, Madeline Nelson and Margaret Sherman sang well in "The Three Maids of Lee," while Mrs. Birch and Mrs. Derry made a decided hit in their duologue, "The Lady Interviewer." "Mother Hubbard," arranged as a chorus, was given by Mrs. Derry, Mrs. Dimmick, Mrs. Woods, Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Merryfield and Mrs. Kergin. Organ solos were rendered by Miss Eason and Mr. Lancaster, and Miss King gave a violin selection. Messrs. Jones and Clapperton garbed as "Weary Willie" and "Tired Tim," created no end of merriment with their humorous duets. Mr. W. V. Davies played the accompaniments very acceptably.

A most enjoyable evening was brought to a close with the singing of "God Save the King."

SUN AND TIDE

(March 7th, 1916.)

Sun rises.....6:29 a. m.
Sun sets.....5:31 p. m.
High water.....3:10 a. m.
Low water.....3:43 p. m.
High water.....9:39 a. m.
Low water.....9:42 p. m.

"The Goddess," the great serial at the Majestic, begins March 27, and 28. Anita Stewart leads.



COMPETITORS FOR DISTRICT CUP IN THE ONTARIO TANKARD

Gait's crack curling rink which defeated the Belleville rink in Toronto on February 22, by 30 to 13, the highest score during the Tankard cup series here. Left to right: J. A. Head, W. L. Anderson, J. Melvin and F. H. Chapple.

PROHIBITION DEBATE IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

Ottawa, March 7.—H. H. Stevens' resolution in favor of Dominion-wide prohibition is under debate today. R. B. Bennett will move an amendment to make prohibition effective by stopping the manufacture and the transportation of liquor in all provinces where prohibition carries.

Victoria.

Victoria, March 7.—A. H. MacGowan has been named Deputy Speaker of the Legislature. There is no decision in regard to the portfolio of finance, vacated by A. C. Flumerfelt. Hon. William Manson and Hon. W. R. Ross are mentioned in connection with it.

CAMOSUN ASHORE OUTSIDE OF DIGBY

While on her way to Massett from Prince Rupert last night, the Camosun, of the Union Steamship Company, went ashore outside of Digby Island in a blizzard during the night. Captain Babington has gone to her assistance with the Kwinitsa and, if the sea moderates, will take off the passengers. The Camosun is in no danger and is not damaged, so far as can be learned.

Later reports state that the vessel is high and dry and is lying on an even keel at Lima Point, opposite Holland Rock. Thorough examination of her hull will be made at low water. As she is double-bottomed throughout her entire length no serious damage is anticipated.

POOL TOURNAMENT

The pool games played last night in the inter-pool room tournament resulted as follows:

At the Royal.

Roi Barnes (Royal).....25 45
H. Scott (Iroquois).....39 45

At the Iroquois.

M. Borgess (Iroquois) 31 14 17
E. Anderson (Royal) 7 39 34
Sudan and Aldridge will play on Wednesday evening at the Royal Pool Room at 8:30. G. Brown and C. Sinnott will meet at the Iroquois at 7:30 the same evening.

A. M. Cameron, of Ocean Falls, is visiting in the city.

MAYOR M'CAFFERY TO PROCEED TO VICTORIA

The finance committee recommended to the council last night that the mayor proceed to Victoria without delay to assist in pressing for the passing of the city's private bill through committee.

Ald. Casey said he had no doubt that the mayor was needed in Victoria, but he considered that one official was sufficient and the solicitor was already there. He understood that the bill was now in regular shape.

The mayor assured Ald. Casey that he had no particular desire to make the trip.

Ald. Nelson said that there were many similar bills to come before the private bills committee and all differed in certain details. The inspector of municipalities was satisfied with the bill, but there was a danger of delay in committee. The idea was to get Prince Rupert's bill through first and that required close attention.

Ald. McClymont said that Burnaby had five representatives camped in Victoria, pressing the claims of their private bill. He thought that Mr. Peters required assistance in approaching the members of committee and it was essential that there be no delay in order that the bonds might be placed on the market at the earliest possible moment.

Ald. McRae said it was a case of "If you want something done, do it yourself." He believed that Mr. Manson would do his share, but he had also other matters to attend to.

Ald. Montgomery thought that no opportunity should be missed in assisting the bill through committee. It was a vital matter for the city, and if there was delay we might find ourselves in a similar position to that of last year.

Ald. Casey said he had no objection to the mayor going down but still he did not see what good it would do. The city solicitor had informed the council that the private bills committee approved of the bill. At the same time he realized the necessity of the passing of the bill as soon as possible. Ald. McClymont explained that it was a case of getting our bill through first as there was liable

GRAND FAREWELL TO THE 102ND REGIMENT

The big event of the week will be the grand concert in the Westholme Theatre on Thursday evening, when the 102nd regiment, which is expected to leave for the south on Saturday morning, will be the guests of the Red Cross Society.

The mayor will preside and His Honor Judge Young, president of the society, will deliver a short address. The program will include the talent of the regiment; the Kitchen Symphony, which created so much amusement recently, and the leading local artistes in song, dance and instrumental music. The regular picture show will be given. The charge will be 25 cents, members of the regiment being admitted free. Proceeds to the fund of the Carnival of the Allies.

GERMAN FLEET WAS SEEN IN NORTH SEA

(Courtesy Hotel Rupert.)

The Rupert Hotel bulletin states that a fleet of twenty-five German warships were observed in the North Sea on Monday. They approached from a northeasterly direction and steamed off towards the north.

Turks Seek Peace.

The sensational advance by the Russian leader in Asia Minor has so alarmed the Turks that they are now seeking a separate peace.

Italian Air Success.

Eight hundred Austrians in barracks have been killed or wounded by Italian aviators in a raid.

ALD. NELSON WILL BE ACTING MAYOR

On the Motion of Ald. Montgomery, seconded by Ald. Dybhavn, Ald. Nelson was last night appointed acting mayor and chairman of the license committee in the absence of Mayor McCaffery.

to be tangling up later over some of the others.

The mayor explained that the private bills committee had not yet met and had not been appointed at the time Mr. Peters wired. The recommendation of the committee was adopted.

EIGHTEEN MEXICANS KILLED AT EL PASO

(Special to The Daily News.)

El Paso, March 7.—Eighteen Mexican prisoners were burned to death and thirty seriously burned by an explosion which occurred in the disinfecting bath of the city jail. The bath, which was used for the destruction of vermin, was composed of gasoline, kerosene and vinegar.

The vapor from the bath became ignited from the flame of a match held by a prisoner and the flames spread throughout the jail. Twelve Americans were injured.

Charles Phelps, a motor man, was shot by a Mexican following upon a rumor that 200 Mexicans had been deliberately burned to death.

CITY GRANTS LIGHT FOR ALLIES CARNIVAL

A letter from Judge Young, president of the local branch of the Red Cross Society, was read at the council meeting last night, asking that the city grant free light for the Agricultural Hall during the two evenings of the Carnival of the Allies and also for the evenings when preparations were being made.

The letter also drew attention to the receipt of an account for light for the Red Cross headquarters on Third Avenue for which premises the city had promised free light. The recommendation of the light committee to grant the request and to cancel the charge against the Third Avenue premises was unanimously adopted.

CATHOLIC DANCE WAS BIG SUCCESS

The young folks of the Catholic Church held a most delightful whist drive and dance last night in the Catholic Hall, when about a hundred were present, all having a good time. The whist prizes were won by Mrs. Bryant and Mr. Harry Self.

Dancing was kept up until 2:30 this morning, the music being provided by Mr. Charles Balagno. The dance was a huge success and reflected the greatest credit upon the young ladies who worked so hard in making the arrangements.

RUSSIAN ARMY LANDS AT ATINA AND GOES SOUTH

Turks Driven from Positions and Prisoners and Guns are Taken—Raider in Pacific.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Petrograd, March 7.—Under the cover of a supporting gun fire from the Russian warships, a Russian army has landed at Atina, a port in the Black Sea near Trebizond. Advancing to the southward, it forced the Turks to evacuate their positions, taking prisoners and guns.

French Air Raid.

Amsterdam, March 7.—French aviators made an attack on three of the forts at Metz. Several ammunition trains carrying supplies to the front were damaged.

Raider in Pacific?

Honolulu, March 7.—It is rumored that a German raider has been sighted in the Pacific near the Straits of Magellan. British and Japanese warships are searching for her.

The Australian liner Niagara arrived from Vancouver a day ahead of schedule time.

ELECTRIC COOKING TO BE DEMONSTRATED

The light committee recommended to the council last night that a grant of \$150 be made out of light revenue towards a demonstration of electrical cooking appliances.

Ald. McRae suggested that a lower rate be struck for power for cooking, as an added inducement to the use of electricity. He thought the present rate was too high and that a lower rate would bring more revenue.

Ald. Dybhavn said that the present rate makes cooking with electricity cheaper than coal, though heating came higher. The present intention was to encourage the use of power for cooking.

Ald. McClymont said that he had discussed the matter with an electrician and understood that the outlook for the sale of electrical cooking appliances at present was not bright.

Ald. Montgomery felt that the people should be educated along this line and that a demonstration would prove effective. The proposal had been defeated by the last two councils and he wanted to see the scheme tried out. The report was adopted.

THE CRADLE

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Ryan, 640 5th Ave., East, a daughter, at the general hospital yesterday.

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