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## ANOTHER ZEPPELIN ATTACK ON ENGLAND

### AIRSHIP HIT BY AVIATOR -- GERMANS ARE STILL FIGHTING AROUND VERDUN

#### ZEPPELIN HIT SATURDAY OFF ENGLISH COAST

Sixteen Killed in Latest Raid on Northeast Coast — Danish Fishermen See Sinking Airship.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, April 3.—Two Zeppelins raided the northeast coast of England on Saturday night. One went inland and dropped bombs while the other travelled north off the coast following the coastline closely, the object evidently being to locate munitions depots. Sixteen were killed and one hundred injured.

#### Friday's Raid.

The total casualties resulting from Friday's raid are forty-three killed and sixty-one injured. No military damage was accomplished.

Commander Breithaupt, of the destroyed Zeppelin L-15, in an interview, said that the German object always was to attack armed positions, warships or factories, and that women and children were unintentional victims of the war.

#### One Zeppelin Hit.

It is believed that another Zeppelin was badly damaged by Lieutenant Brandon in an aeroplane. The British aviator dropped three bombs over the Zeppelin from a height of 9,000 feet. Brandon's machine was hit several times but managed to land safely. Danish fishermen report that they sighted a half-submerged Zeppelin in the North Sea.

#### FORTNIGHTLY CLUB

The Fortnightly Club holds its last meeting of the season on Wednesday evening in the Presbyterian Hall, when a very fine musical program will be rendered, including a clever sketch.

#### LAST CHANCE

You have until Monday at 5 p. m. to get on the provincial voters' list. See a notary or commissioner immediately if you want to assist in bringing about representative government in British Columbia. Register at J. H. McMullin's office before 5 p. m. on Monday.

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#### GERMANS STILL BATTERING AT VERDUN FORTS

Batteries Moved Closer in—Germans will Make Another Infantry Rush—Zeppelin Bombs Dunkirk.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Paris, April 3.—There has been fighting all night around Verdun and east of the Meuse and between Douaumont and Vaux. The issue favored the French who captured positions in the Caillette woods.

The battle is developing a new phase, the new German batteries having been moved closer in to the forts. It is believed that the Germans will attempt to rush the forts after their infantry has been rested.

Yesterday, the Germans lengthened their front and made an attack over an area of two miles.

#### Dunkirk Bombed.

A Zeppelin dropped bombs on Dunkirk last night and two civilians were killed.

#### SKUGAID'S SKIPPER FIXED RUDDER AT SEA

The Chief Skugaid arrived in port Saturday evening, after experiencing one of the most serious accidents which can befall a boat at sea. Last Tuesday morning while a gale was blowing and a very heavy sea was running, an exceptionally heavy sea struck her rudder, breaking it off both at the step and at the collar of the rudder-trunk.

Captain D. Candow, who was on deck at the time of the accident, with the presence of mind for which practical seamen are noted, had a heavy rope made fast to one of the ship's dories and swung out over the stern, and, with a rope from each quarter made fast to the stern of the dory, had at once a rudder which enabled them to steer for, and make, Ross Harbor.

Arriving there, all hands got to work at once, and, with the assistance of a bar of iron and a sheet of the same metal, some wire rope and blocks, and considerable seamanship, in less than two days a rudder was made and shipped that not only brought them here but would have taken her to Japan. Great credit is due Captain Candow, his chief officer and able-seaman Penny for the possession of a knowledge and wit which got the vessel clear of a very trying predicament.

#### SUN AND TIDE

April 4th, 1916.

Sun rises.....6:09 a. m.  
Sun sets.....7:41 p. m.  
High water.....2:45 a. m.  
Low water.....9:19 a. m.  
High water.....3:23 p. m.  
Low water.....9:16 p. m.  
Captain J. McGee, M. M. S.A.

Fred Lange, an interned German, was taken south on the Princess Maquinna Sunday night.



MISS PHYLLIS NEILSON-TERRY MAKES STIRRING APPEAL.—The talented English actress appeared at a City Hall (Toronto) recruiting meeting under the auspices of Lieutenant-Colonel John A. Cooper, of the 198th Battalion (the Buffs) and made a strong appeal to men to join the colors. Miss Nielson-Terry is in the centre of the picture. On her left is Mayor Church of Toronto.

#### STRATEGIC RETREAT BY MAJOR-GENERAL SIR SAM

Ottawa, March 30.—Major General Sam's retreat in the face of the enemy has the effect of prolonging the battle over the Shell Committee. His friends confidently expected that the Major General would remain to hurl back the Carvell charges, so when Sir Sam beat it to England via Palm Beach it naturally threw their arrangements out. The reserves consisting of R. B. Bennett and Arthur Meighen, were brought up hurriedly and they made rather a mess of it.

As a matter of fact Major General Sam's retreat was a stroke of strategy. He could not hurl back the Carvell charges because he had done all his hurling in reply to Mr. Carvell's first attack some weeks ago and the hurling wasn't as good as it used to be. Colonel Carvell kept pulling off new stuff all the time and as the Major General didn't know where he got it or what else he might have up his sleeve he concluded that the time had arrived for withdrawing, which he did accordingly. This, in itself, proves that Sir Sam is one of the greatest commanders of all time. He knows when discretion is the better part of valor—he has the moral courage to run away when necessary. Napoleon wasted his whole life without learning this useful lesson.

The Major General may or may not have paused in his masterly flight to confer with Colonel John Wesley Allison who makes the United States his headquarters and who never by any chance comes north of the 49th parallel when the Public Accounts Committee happens to be meeting. The chances are that he did so pause, and that Colonel John Wesley Allison has been fully instructed by his superior officer how to save more money for Canada and Great Britain during the Major General's absence. Colonel John Wesley Allison has a method all his own of saving money for the British Empire—he does it by peddling contracts at fat prices to United States ammunition companies in which he has a fatherly interest. He does not accept commissions—for Canadian business—but he has been known to accept presents, from the Col's re-

volver people for instance, for orders at large, so to speak. The Colonel has his code of honor and sticks to it—if he swallows these insults in the form of cash, he does it for the love of country and Major General Sam. When a man is in the business of saving millions, as the Colonel is, it is only natural that he should save a few for himself.

With the Major General out of the country it is not likely that Parliament will clap eyes on Colonel John Wesley Allison this session. The Colonel is also a military man, though an honorary one, and understands quite as well as his Major General that discretion is the better part of valor. To put in an appearance now would be a sin against good tactics. Meanwhile, if Parliament can't see Colonel John Wesley Allison it would like to see his picture. If it can't lay hands on him bodily, it would like to glimpse his features, his counterfeit presentment, as it were, with the accent on the counterfeit. Fancy limns him in various ways, but always with long white hair, shiny forehead, and a heavenward gaze as befits his first names. What does this other half of Sir Sam's soul, this expatriated lover of the British Empire look like? A man who goes about saying millions for nothing but exercise and the love of humanity is worth knowing. The Colonel ought to pay a visit to Canada and see the reception he gets. It will give him a jolt, or I lose my bet.

Major General Sam left his rear guard in the hands of R. B. Bennett, who, having no ammunition in the way of argument or facts, naturally made a gas attack. The member for Calgary gave vent to a number of beautiful sentiments, hoping that Major General Sam would be able to get away while the noise was going on. He spoke as I remember, of Thermopole, of our own heroes at the front, of the sob of the mother overseas, asked for our tears, wept in our ears, worked the pump good and plenty, but by no chance answered the Carvell charges. What Mr. Carvell said, was in substance, "somebody is grafting," to which Mr. Bennett replied "what glorious sunsets we are having!" or words to that effect. This is known in military circles as creating a diversion, and it must be

#### AURORA ARRIVES AT NEW ZEALAND

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, April 3.—The Shackleton relief ship Aurora has arrived at Port Chalmers, New Zealand, from the southern polar regions.

The vessel had broken loose from her moorings at the Shackleton supply base in the Ross Sea, leaving several of her party ashore, before food supplies could be delivered. The Aurora made for New Zealand under a jury rudder from the Ross Sea. She was towed in to port for a hundred and forty miles by a tug which had been sent out to find her.

admitted that as a diversion creator, Colonel Richard Bedford is a lollapalooza.

In the course of a two-hour speech, R. B. Bennett wove garlands for all the cabinet ministers; twined a laurel wreath for Sir Sam, gilded the old Shell Committee as a body of misunderstood patriots, gave the British Empire his unqualified approval, took the muse of history by the hand and told her what to write, slapped Destiny on the wrist, mentioned his U. E. L. ancestors once or twice, gave details of a sentimental journey he made with Premier Borden through the British War Office, described his emotions on visiting the trenches, and wound up with a peroration that soared into the empyrean, and crowded the firmament with jewelled rhetoric.

But when all was said and done, R. B. never got down to cases. It was all wind, not because R. B. likes wind, he is getting more and more out of the habit, but because there was nothing but wind to work on. It's pretty tough on a rising young statesman, after he thinks he's got rid of the old camp meeting style he brought with him from the prairies and has built up a reputation for close reasoning and crisp utterances—it's pretty tough on R. B., I repeat to be asked to go to the vacuum cleaner stuff again. But that was (Continued on Page Two)

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#### HOLLAND WANTS TO IMPORT A BIG WHEAT SUPPLY

Special Session of Dutch Parliament Decides to Take Over Railways as Precaution—Wheat Wanted.

(Special to The Daily News.)

The Hague, April 3.—Following the special session of the Dutch parliament to consider what action should be taken over the sinking by a German submarine of the Dutch liner Tubantia, the government has decided to take over the railways as a precautionary measure.

It is announced that the war measures are made with no beligerent motive but simply as an act of prudence to further the observance of a strict neutrality. Wheat Wanted.

The Dutch government is asking Great Britain to sanction the special importation of a reserve stock of a hundred thousand tons of wheat.

#### HALIBUT ARRIVING IN FAIR QUANTITIES

The men of the Atlin Fisheries were busy as bees from nine yesterday morning until midnight, handling halibut.

Besides handling the fare of the Leif E., which came in Saturday, they had quite a big Sunday's arrival to take care of.

The Thelma had 20,000; the Gifford, 11,000; the Viking, 3,000, and the Messmate, 1,500. The fish fetched 9 1/2 cents.

#### K. OF P. DANCE

The Knights of Pythias will give a dance and whist drive in their hall on Sixth Street this evening in aid of the Prisoners of War fund. The Lodge is defraying all expenses so that every cent of the proceeds will go to the fund. There will be splendid music by the Balagno-Harvey orchestra and a real good time is assured to all who attend.

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