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GRAVE CRISIS

The Borden government faces the most serious crisis which any Dominion government has ever been called upon to face. It may be that no minister is directly concerned in the profiteering carried on by alleged munitions companies in the United States, but, taking the most lenient view of the situation possible, there has been a display of gross negligence and incapacity. At a time when the people of Britain have been urged to use one lump of sugar instead of two, the men who had the distribution of hundreds of millions of dollars worth of munitions contracts have allowed grafters to get away with millions. Whether any member of the government or the shell committee shared in the graft remains to be seen, but, for the sake of the good name of Canada, it is to be sincerely hoped that they did not.

in their clamor for a thorough Sir Charles Davidson? investigation, while a few short accuses the premier of a "fatal at the front." inability to act until action is not hesitate to sacrifice a min- millions of dollars worth. ister of the Crown if that is

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made by Mr. Kyte are true. and he would not have dared make them unless he had substantial proof, then Canada has received a staggering blow which will prove far more injurious than any diabolical scheme contrived by the Germans could ever have delivered. The barbarians who wrecked the cathedral of Rheims are noblemen compared to men who will drain the life's blood of their own land at such a time, and, even in a calm moment, it would be difficult to conceive of a punishment that, would fit the crime.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

When Sir Robert Borden cabled to Sir Sam Hughes to return be-The members of the govern- cause of the Allison scandals, Sir ment are in a state of con- Sam replied that he desired a sternation and the Conserva- full investigation to be carried Thursday and Saturday at 8 p. m. tive papers in the east are loud out by Sir Charles Davidson, Why

weeks ago, we were calmly told Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the dethat this was an Imperial mat- bate on the resolution demanding Philadelphia, occupation mine operator, ter with which the Dominion an investigation into the shell government had nothing what- contracts said that "the worst ever to do. The Toronto Tele- feature of the case was not the mouth of Paradise Creek on the easterly gram (Conservative) accuses waste of millions of the public Borden of placing a political money, but the irreparable loss chains; thence west 40 chains more or halter around the necks of the of time in the delivery of the less to the shore of Bear Lake; thence thirty Ontario members and completed shells so sorely needed the place of commencement, containing so

useless." The Toronto News, Prince Rupert manufacturers while reiterating that the gov- could not get a contract for shells ernment has never condoned yet a flute player in a Montreal wrongdoing, states that "it will orchestra shared in contracts for

necessary in the public inter- It now transpires that the Hon. to Olaf Hanson, hearing date the 10th day eight (8), and Lot four (4), Block thirty- 2nd Avenue, near McBride Street est and in order to maintain D. Lloyd George instructed Mr. of September, A. D. 1915, in pursuance five (35), Section eight (8), Map 923.

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Wilfrid Laurier regarding the shell contracts, but that this was impossible owing to Sir Wilfrid's illness.

. . .

F. B. Carvell produced evidence The situation is much too given him by the chairman of the grave for any seeking for party shell committee which went to advantage in the matter. Where show that Mr. Meighen, the atthe good name of Canada is at torney-general, hid the facts in stake, party must sink miles regard to the shell contracts while out of sight. If the statements replying to questions in the house.

CHAPLIN AND HAZEL DAWN AT THE MAJESTIC THEATRE

five-act photoplay produced by the worth seeing. Famous Players, is the headliner at the Majestic tonight. It is a play of English country life in the higher walks of society and is both highly interesting and amusing. Hazel Dawn, as a young lady of birth who becomes a barmaid and the wife of a profligate knight, is great.

Charlie Chaplin in "the Tramp" provides two reels of huge fun as usual. Charlie hands out disaster in his own nonchalant and inimitable fashion. This is one of Chaplin's funniest efforts.

A very fine Eclair Gazette completes eight reels of the best.

Salvation Army. Public meetings, Tuesday.

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February 18, 1916. CLYDE A. HELLER.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Notice Under Section 36-

of a Tax Sale held by said Municipality on You and those claiming through or under decent political conditions." D. A. Thomas to consult with Sir or about the 9th day of September, 1914, you, and all persons claiming any interest of all and singular certain parcel or tract in the said land by descent whose title of land and premises situate, lying, and is not registered under the provisions of being in the City of Prince Rupert in the the "Land Registry Act" are required to Province of British Columbia, more pra- contest the claim of the tax purchaser ticularly known and described as:-Lot within forty-five days of the service of Ill ten (10), Block eighteen (18), Section this notice upon you. Otherwise you and six (6), Map 923.

you, and all persons claiming any interest in respect of the said land, and I shall in the said land by descent whose title register the said Sven Holmquist as owner is not registered under the provisions of in fee. the "Land Registry Act" are required to Your attention is called to section 36 contest the claim of the tax purchaser of the "Land Registry Act" and amendwithin forty-five days of the service of ments, and especially to the following exthis notice upon you. Otherwise you and tract therefrom which relates to the above each of you will be forever estopped and notice. debarred from setting up any claim to or "And in default of a caveat or certificate in respect of the said land, and I shall of his pendens being filed before the register the said Olaf Hanson as owner registration as owner of the persons en-

with as hereinafter provided, and those of the land so sold for taxes." claiming through or under them and all Dated at the Land Registry Office, at persons claiming any interest in the land the City of Prince Rupert, Province of by virtue of any unregistered instrument, British Columbia, this 19th day of January, and all persons claiming any interest in A. D. 1916. the land by descent whose title is not registered under the provisions of this Act, To Grand Trunk Pacific Development Co., shall be for ever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the land so sold for taxes."

Dated at the Land Registry Office, at the City of Prince Rupert, Province of British Columbia, this 19th day of January, A. D. 1916.

H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar. Paul M. Schubert, Lily Schubert.

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each of you will be forever estopped and You and those claiming through or under debarred from setting up any claim to or

titled under such tax sale, all persons so Your attention is called to section 36 served with notice, or served with notice of the "Land Registry Act" and amend- under subsection (6) of section 155 of ments, and especially to the following ex- the 'Municipal Clauses Act, 1906,' or sectract therefrom which relates to the above tion 293 of the 'Municipal Act,' or section 139 of the 'Assessment Act, 1903,' or "And in default of a caveat or certificate section 253 of the 'Taxation Act,' in cases of lis pendens being filed before the in which notice under this Act is dispensed registration as owner of the persons en- with as hereinafter provided, and those titled under such tax sale, all persons so claiming through or under them and all served with notice, or served with notice persons claiming any interest in the land under subsection (6) of section 155 of by virtue of any unregistered instrument, the 'Municipal Clauses Act, 1906,' or sec- and all persons claiming any interest in tion 293 of the 'Municipal Act,' or section the land by descent whose title is not 139 of the 'Assessment Act, 1903,' or registered under the provisions of this Act, section 253 of the 'Taxation Act,' in cases shall be for ever estopped and debarred in which notice under this Act is dispensed from setting up any claim to or in respect

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