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PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., FRIDAY, APRIL 7, 1916.

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## HOLLAND DEMANDS HEAVY COMPENSATION

### GERMANS PENETRATE FRENCH LINES -- P. & O. LINER SUNK IN MEDITERRANEAN

#### HOLLAND ASKS GREAT BRITAIN FOR \$11,000,000

Dutch Steamers Commandeered by the Government—Export of Food is Forbidden—Liner Simla Torpedoed.

(Special to The Daily News.)

The Hague, April 7.—All steamships in Dutch harbors have been commandeered by the government.

Holland is demanding that Great Britain pay her \$11,000,000 for securities seized during the war. The export of all foodstuffs from Holland has been forbidden.

##### Two Zeppelins Gone.

London, April 7.—A Zeppelin, which was vitally hit by anti-aircraft guns during the raid on England on Wednesday night, is reported to have foundered in the North Sea.

Petrograd reports state that a Russian aviator at Brabass south-east of Dvinsk, in an aeroplane, brought down a Zeppelin within the enemy's lines.

##### Simla Torpedoed.

The P. and O. liner Simla, which has been engaged in government work in the Mediterranean, has been torpedoed. Eleven of the Asiatic members of her crew were drowned.

#### A LARGE WINNIPEG HOTEL SHUT DOWN

(Special to The Daily News.)

Winnipeg, April 7.—The St. Regis Hotel, one of the biggest in the city, has been closed after one day's notice. The proprietor, Joe Little, gave a free quart of liquor to all his patrons, and last night emptied the balance of his stock into the sewers.

##### RUSSIAN BOOTH DANCE

Under the auspices of the Russian Booth of the Carnival of the Allies, there will be an informal dance in the McIntyre Hall this evening, when the music will be provided by Messrs. Harvey and Balagno, and the dancers are assured of a good time. Cards will be provided for those who do not dance, and dainty refreshments will be served. All the proceeds will go direct to the Red Cross Fund.

### MAPLE SUGAR

Special Sale of Pure, Fresh Maple Sugar from the ORIGINAL QUEBEC Maple Syrup.

### MAPLE SYRUP

We have a limited amount of Fresh Maple Syrup for sale. Come early, as the supply is limited.

E. E. CONFECTIONERY

#### GERMANS ENTER FRENCH LINES ON WEST FRONT

Enemy Driven Back from Main Posts Later—Germans Lose Many Aeroplanes—British Success.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Paris, April 7.—The Germans penetrated the first line of French trenches between Bethincourt and Chataucourt west of the Meuse, but a French counter attack drove the enemy back from the major portion of the positions seized. The Germans are faced by Petain's artillery.

##### Aerial Review.

The official French review of the aerial warfare during the month of March shows that in air combats Germans had 35 aeroplanes destroyed while the French lost only thirteen.

##### British Success.

London, April 7.—The British relief force under General Goring has captured a Turkish position and trenches at Ummelhenna below Kut-el-Amara, taking five successive rows of trenches and field works and occupying the town of Felingia.

#### STRIKER BOMBARDS STEAMER BELLINGHAM

Dan Briggs, a 19 year-old giant and a striking deck-hand, bombarded the steamer Bellingham with stones while she lay at the Pacific Coast coal bunkers at Seattle one day this week. Briggs, who is an expert with a sling, took up a position behind an oil car about a block away from the steamer and opened fire. The crew, looking through the port holes could not discover where the missiles were coming from, but a couple of policemen discovered the concealed battery and made a rear attack, capturing Dan before he could bring his artillery into action on the attacking forces.—Seattle P.-I.

T. H. Johnson, manager of the Cold Storage Company, returned from a visit to the east and south by the Princess Sophia this forenoon.

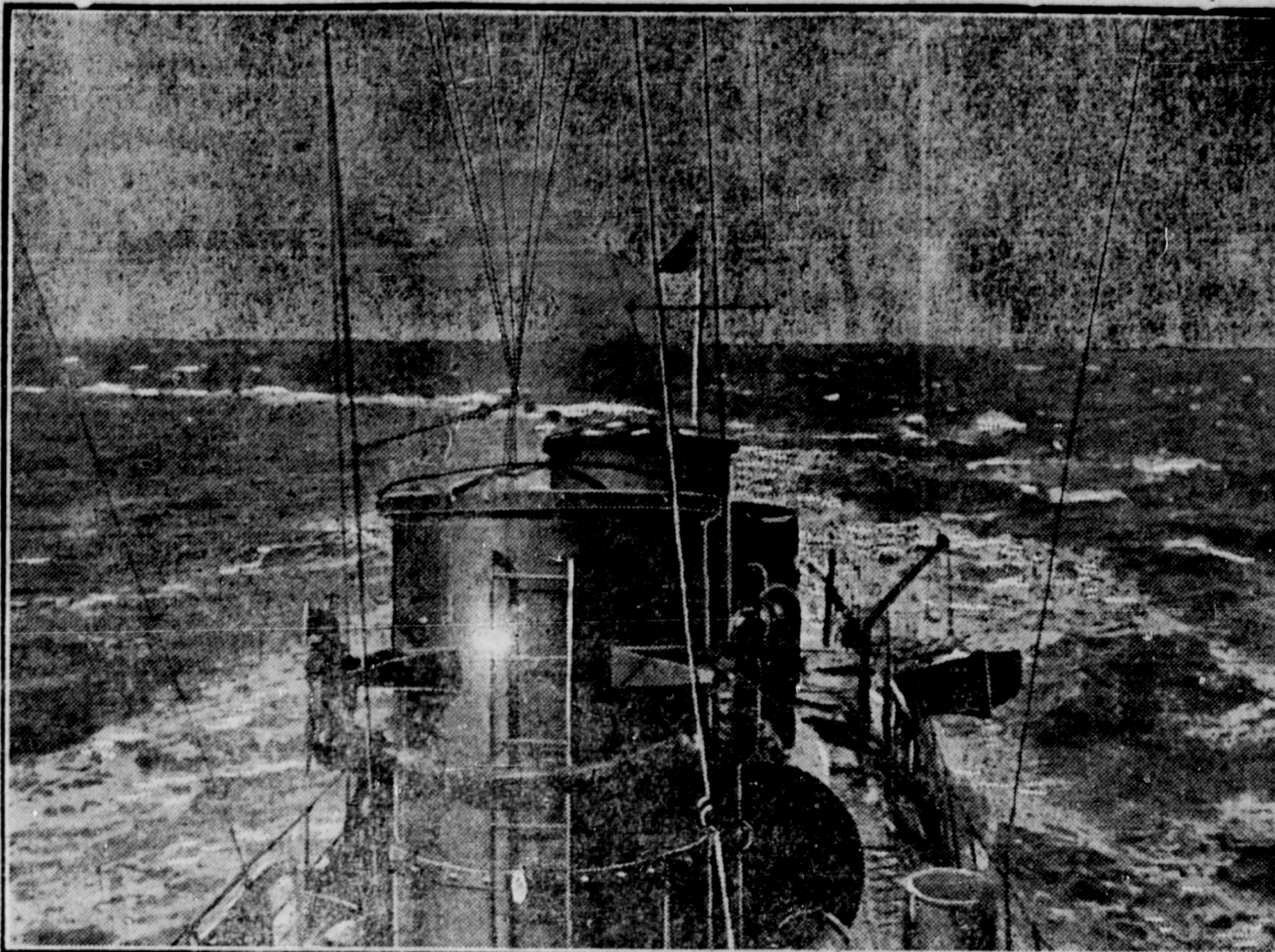
Charlie Clayton, who has been in the south for the winter, arrived today on the Sophia. He reports that Dr. Clayton is well and will arrive on the Maquinna.

Jack Quick, of the Columbia Mining Company, of Atlin, passed through on his way north on the Sophia today. Jack did not return alone this trip, but was accompanied by Mrs. Quick.

##### SNAP

Two first-class residential lots for sale, choicest location in town, splendid view; real snap; need the money, Cash or terms. Apply P. O. Box 665, City. 84.

Kitchen goods one-third less than regular prices—Wallace's.



TORPEDO BOAT EVADING A SUBMARINE.—An exciting moment while a torpedo boat destroyer is evading a submarine. The wake of the destroyer is shown in the background. The course taken is a zig-zag one.

#### ROSS MAY RETURN PART OF EXPENSES

Victoria, April 3.—Hon. W. R. Ross, minister of lands, will be asked to pay back \$30 he charged up to departmental expenses on a trip to Oak Bay. He will be asked, too, to clear up some other items of expense. The Oak Bay incident, according to the recollection of Mr. Brewster, was a political meeting. Mr. Ross arrived in a launch late and fell out. The premier suggested that Mr. Ross perhaps had gone there on departmental business to correct any misstatements which the Liberal speakers might make.

After explaining to the premier his view of the matter Mr. Brewster demanded that the premier make a statement on the subject. The premier said with great reluctance that he did not approve of it and it might have been that one of the clerks had put the item in, but, he added, he had no doubt the minister would be willing to pay the amount back. Mr. Ross was not present for he had not been feeling well today.

Angus Melver, a student of Captain McGee's Nautical Academy, gained his master's certificate yesterday.

Mrs. Don. Peck will spend the summer on the coast while Mr. Peck is in the Peace River country.

#### MAJESTIC :: THEATRE

HOUSE OF QUALITY PICTURES  
Tonight and Tomorrow

##### BLANCHE SWEET

IN "THE SECRET SIN"  
A Paramount Lasky Production in Five Acts.

GAUMONT GAZETTE  
of Latest War Pictures.  
Short Concert Program  
BAILEY SISTERS ..... DANCERS  
MR. H. L. HARRIS  
MR. HARRY HARVEY ..... TENOR  
A Fine Evening's Entertainment.  
Come and Enjoy Yourself.

Admission: Adults 15c. Children 5c.

All next week Special Features,  
Monday and Tuesday, 4th Episode  
of "THE GODDESS".

#### ADDRESS BY MR. DONNELLY TO THE BOARD OF TRADE

Mr. W. T. Donnelly, who designed the drydock, has kindly consented to address the Board of Trade this evening at 8 o'clock, when a large turnout is looked for. Mr. Donnelly has just returned from a visit to Honolulu, where a drydock designed by him is in use. Mr. Donnelly is very anxious to see Prince Rupert drydock completed and busy and his address this evening should be extremely interesting.

#### LORD SHAUGHNESSY'S SECOND SON IS KILLED

Captain the Hon. Fred, Shaughnessy, second son of Lord Shaughnessy, has been killed in action. Captain Shaughnessy was an officer of the 16th Battalion of Montreal.

##### THE CRADLE

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Muse, a son, at the general hospital this morning.

Mitchell Albert left for Aliee Arm last evening. On his return he hopes to be able to announce that from fifty to seventy-five men will be wanted for the construction work there.

LOST—Spare tire and rim from auto. Finder please phone 99. Reward.

#### WESTHOLME

OPERA HOUSE  
The House of Classical Productions.

##### SPECIAL AT 8-REEL SHOW

Mutual presents Great War Special  
"OUR HEROES AT THE FRONT"

In three acts—Kitchener and Joffre  
—The Allied Troops on the Battlefield—Battleships Storming the Dardanelles—Submarines—artillery and other Interesting Events.

"SHERIFF'S STREAK OF YELLOW"

Western Drama, two acts.

SCENIC

Showing wonderful scenes of the Scottish Highlands.  
"Ambrose's Nasty Temper"  
Comedy.

Admission: Adults, 25c. Children 10c.  
Come early. Show Starts at 6:45.  
Matinee Friday and Saturday at 2:30.

#### DELEGATION TO OTTAWA COULD DO NOTHING

In response to the communications which were sent to Ottawa in regard to work at the drydock, Mayor McCaffery today received the following telegram from the Hon. Robert Rogers, minister of Public Works.

M. P. McCaffery, mayor, Prince Rupert, B. C.—I do not see that any good purpose could be served by a delegation in the matter of starting work on the drydock coming to the government. This matter is entirely in the hands of the Grand Trunk Pacific people. R. ROGERS, Minister of Public Works.

##### CARNIVAL

The British Booth committee, who will have the exclusive sale of fancy work at the Red Cross "Carnival of the Allies," to be held April 24 and 25 at the Agricultural Hall, request that the ladies of the city and district donate all fancy work that they feel they can reasonably spare for the noble cause from now on until that date, sending the same to Mrs. Frizzell's Store on Third Avenue, and to the Prince Rupert Grocery, corner of Fulton and Sixth Street.

##### SUN AND TIDE

Saturday, April 8th, 1916.  
Sun rises.....6:1 a. m.  
Sun sets.....7:19 p. m.  
High water.....5:9 a. m.  
Low water.....11:53 a. m.  
High water.....6:31 p. m.  
Low water.....12:2 a. m.  
Captain J. McGee, M. M. S. A.

Major W. B. Clayton, of the Canadian Dental Corps, will address the Canadian Club tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Central Hotel. All are welcome, whether members of the club or not.

Crockery, Wallpaper, and many other lines on sale—Wallace's.

#### HANINGTON SAW NOTHING WRONG IN TRANSACTION

Legal Inspector Admits receiving Graft on Court House Site—Ontario Passes Prohibition Measure.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Victoria, April 7.—Inspector of Legal Offices H. C. Hanington, in examination before the public accounts committee, has admitted that he received half of the \$4,000 commission arising out of the sale of the Victoria Court House site. Mr. Hanington said that he saw nothing wrong in the transaction, as the money came from the vendors.

##### Prohibition in Ontario.

Toronto, Ont., April 7.—The Prohibition Bill for the province of Ontario has been passed by the legislature and becomes effective on September 16th next. A referendum on prohibition will be taken on the first Monday of June, 1917.

#### PRINCE RUPERT CHIEF ENGINEER SERIOUSLY ILL

It will be learned with regret that David Ferrier, the chief engineer of the Prince Rupert, is in very poor health in the south. Mr. Ferrier, who was one of the best known engineers on the coast, having taken care of the engines of the Princess Charlotte on her trip from Glasgow to Victoria, contracted a severe chill as a result of spending the night in an open boat at the time the Prince Albert was stranded, and has never recovered his health.

##### WEDDING BELLS

Miss Anita Bone and Mr. J. Martin, better known as "Curley," were quietly married this forenoon, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. J. F. Dimmick. Mr. Martin was formerly engaged at the drydock and was very popular in athletic circles. Mr. and Mrs. Martin will leave for the north on the Princess Sophia tonight, en route for Fairbanks, Alaska, where "Curley" has some mining interests.

Wonderful bargains—Closing out sale—Wallace's. 84

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STRICTLY UNION HOUSE  
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### DANCE

In aid of  
**RED CROSS FUND**  
In McIntyre Hall  
Friday, April 7, at 8:30 p. m.  
Admission 50 cents.  
Under auspices of the Russian Booth.  
Cards and Refreshments.