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PEACE TALK

Though the Germans have repeatedly denied that they are anxious for peace, there is every reason to believe the report that French delegates who were sent to Switzerland to discuss the exchange of prisoners were approached on the subject. The mere fact that such a man as Count Von Buelow was Germany's representative is proof enough that Germany wanted to discuss more than merely the simple matter of a prisoners exchange. Von Buelow is the premier diplomatist of the Kaiser, and his being sent on such a mission is equivalent to Britain's sending Sir Edward Grey on such an errand, which would be looked upon in diplomatic circles as ridiculous. There is little doubt that there is internal trouble brewing in Germany over the failure at Verdun and that peace is urgently demanded by a large section of the German populace.

The reply of the French delegates was just the reply which might have been expected from representatives of this brave nation. They have vowed to see this thing through to the end, and they have implicit confidence in the determination of their allies towards the same conclusion. The men who have held Verdun for nearly two months have no intention of letting up simply because Germany realises that she cannot win.

PARSON POLITICIANS

Bowser is making an effort to patch a piece onto the constitution in order to enable parsons to sit in the legislature. There is nothing objectionable in having parsons assisting in the conducting of the affairs of the province,

though there is just the danger that they may come to be recognised as politicians, and, thanks to the history of the McBride-Bowser administration, the reverend gentlemen may have serious objections to being saddled with any such name.

While it may be quite all right to introduce the pulpit into politics, it would be a grave error to introduce politics into the pulpit, and one can realise how hard it would be for a parson, who has spent a strenuous week in the house debating with opponents, to keep politics and the pulpit separate. We do not mean that the live questions of the day should not be discussed in the pulpit, but that they should not be discussed from a party political standpoint, and, although parsons are on the whole a remarkably fair-minded class of men, the man who has spent six consecutive days listening to or taking part in political debates is apt to have a few stray political thoughts or feelings left over for the seventh, and they will require careful watching else they will get out. The dual position of preacher and politician seems out of the question, and the only sane plan for a parson who wants to enter politics is for that man to resign his charge first.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

The Soldiers' Homestead Act does not provide the soldiers with anything which cannot be just as easily acquired by a man who has never shouldered a gun. His privileges are simply the privileges of the ordinary pre-emptor.

The Soldiers' Homestead Act does not solve the land problem,

Off to School, Full of Vim and Pep—Don't cram their little "tummies" with greasy meats, starchy potatoes or other indigestible foods. One or two Shredded Wheat Biscuits with hot milk make a warm, nourishing meal that supplies all the material needed for their growing bodies. The perfect food to study on, to grow on, to play on. The crispness of the shreds encourages thorough chewing, which develops sound teeth and healthy gums. Being ready-cooked, it is so easy to prepare a warm, nourishing meal with Shredded Wheat in a few moments—no kitchen worry or work.

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as it leaves the big syndicates in possession of hundreds of thousands of acres which they have no intention of improving.

A heavy increase in wild land taxation would go far towards forcing the syndicates to improve their land instead of waiting until the settler does enough work to make the surrounding territory more valuable.

The genuine settler, who has spent much labor and money in improving his land holdings and has allowed his payments to the government to lapse, will suffer under the new act, which calls for cancellation on all lands on which payments are not completed in six months, while the big speculator, who has no intention of producing anything but unearned profits for himself, and who has made his payments, is unaffected.

Our returned soldiers are entitled to the best which the country has to offer, but a gift of 160 acres is nothing, as they can get that at any time as British subjects.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Notice Under Section 36.

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been made to register Sven Holmquist, of Prince Rupert, B. C., as the owner in Fee-simple, under a Tax Sale Deed from the collector of the City of Prince Rupert, to Sven Holmquist, bearing date the 17th day of September, A. D. 1915, in pursuance of a Tax Sale held by said Municipality on or about the 9th day of September, 1914, of all and singular certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying, and being in the City of Prince Rupert in the Province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as:—Lot ten (10), Block eighteen (18), Section six (6), Map 923.

You and those claiming through or under you, and all persons claiming any interest in the said land by descent whose title is not registered under the provisions of the "Land Registry Act" are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within forty-five days of the service of this notice upon you. Otherwise you and each of you will be forever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said land, and I shall register the said Olaf Hanson as owner in fee.

Your attention is called to section 36 of the "Land Registry Act" and amendments, and especially to the following extract therefrom which relates to the above notice.

"And in default of a caveat or certificate of his pendens being filed before the registration as owner of the persons entitled under such tax sale, all persons so served with notice, or served with notice under subsection (6) of section 155 of the 'Municipal Clauses Act, 1906,' or section 293 of the 'Municipal Act, 1903,' or section 139 of the 'Assessment Act, 1903,' or section 253 of the 'Taxation Act,' in cases in which notice under this Act is dispensed with as hereinafter provided, and those claiming through or under them and all persons claiming any interest in the land by virtue of any unregistered instrument, and all persons claiming any interest in the land by descent whose title is not registered under the provisions of this Act, shall be forever 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.
To Paul M. Schubert, Lily Schubert.

FOUR HONEST CONSERVATIVES

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into the abyss. How much did they see? How much did they shut their eyes to? Senator Loughheed, for instance, was acting minister of militia at the very time the fuse contracts were handed out to the American Ammunition Company and the International Arms and Fuse Company. How little does he know about it?

Did nobody but the Shell Committee examine the contracts by which twenty-three million dollars worth of fuse orders and advance payments of over three million dollars were slipped along to a couple of mushroom companies in the United States for which a professional soldier of fortune like Allison was the agent and of which a railroad wrecker like Benjamin Franklin Yoakum was a leading member? Did nobody but the Shell Committee inspect the pledge of the Guarantee Trust Company of New York for these two companies, a pledge with this clause as a joker—"that this company shall not be held responsible otherwise for the non-performance of this agreement due to any cause beyond its reasonable control? How far does Sir Thomas White's contention go that Major General Sir Sam, as shown by his ratifying letters, was acting for His Britannic Majesty in these matters? How far on the other hand prevails Sir Wilfrid Laurier's argument that he derived his whole force and authority to ratify contracts, not as Major General, not as Sir Sam Hughes, not as both put together, but as Minister of

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Salvation Army.

Public meetings, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8 p. m. Sundays at 7:30 p. m.

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You and those claiming through or under you, and all persons claiming any interest in the said land by descent whose title is not registered under the provisions of the "Land Registry Act" are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within forty-five days of the service of this notice upon you. Otherwise you and each of you will be forever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said land, and I shall register the said Sven Holmquist as owner in fee.

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H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar.
To Grand Trunk Pacific Development Co., Ltd., J. P. Conrad, Jack Jenkins, Mrs. C. R. McDonald.



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MINERAL ACT

Rivermouth Fractional mineral claim, situated in the Skeena Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Where located:—At the head of Alice Arm, adjoining the Rivermouth and Cariboo mineral claims.

TAKE NOTICE that I, G. R. Naden, Free Miners' Certificate No. 94,096B, acting as agent for Carrie Pratt, Free Miners' Certificate No. 93,917B, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 23rd day of December, A. D. 1915.

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Box 26—2nd Ave. and 6th St.
Box 27—G. T. P.

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Box 34—7th Ave. and Fulton St.
Box 35—9th Ave. and Cornor Ave.
Box 37—8th Ave. and Dodge Pl.
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