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## ITALIANS TAKE TEN THOUSAND PRISONERS

### EVACUATION OF LEMBERG IMMINENT -- FRENCH SUCCESSES ON SOMME FRONT

#### AUSTRIANS ARE PREPARING TO LEAVE LEMBERG

Italians Capture Ten Thousand Austrians on Isonzo Front—Great Enthusiasm—Vienna Admits Defeat.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, August 9.—According to a Bucharest telegraphic exchange, a proclamation fore-shadowing the surrender of Lemberg has been issued. The civilian population has been ordered to evacuate the city and the understanding is that the Austrians will later return to contest Russia's strength and to make an effort to retain the city.

#### 10,000 Prisoners.

On the Isonzo front, immediately following the hurried transfer of Austrian troops to the Russian front, the Italians resumed their violent offensive and captured ten thousand prisoners.

The receipt of this news is creating intense enthusiasm in Entente circles on account of its being another indication of the growing power of the Allies. Vienna only admits the inability of the Austrians to withstand the terrific pressure of the Italians.

#### In Galicia.

Petrograd, Aug. 9.—The Russians, advancing against the Austro-Germans in Galicia, have already captured a hundred square miles of territory and now occupy eight more villages in the Dniester district.

#### RED CROSS THANKS

Mrs. G. A. Woodland, treasurer of the Red Cross Society, begs to acknowledge receipt of \$13.75, being the proceeds of the sale of flowers by Gracie Carroll and her little companions last week, and also \$7.65 from Fred. Peters, this being the amount left over after paying rent of the theatre for the patriotic demonstration.

#### TO THE PUBLIC

The Prince Rupert agency of the Dominion Express Co. has been transferred to me, and in future will be conducted at my office, 623 Second Ave., next door to Westholme Theatre.

C. L. MONROE, Agent.

That Waltham watch at Cavendish & Hannan's is yours if you can guess when it will stop. This is your last opportunity. 190.

#### WESTHOLME

OPERA HOUSE  
Tonight (Wednesday) Only  
Special Double Attraction

Richard Stanton in the 16th Episode of "Graft" entitled "PIRATES OF FINANCE"

The International Actor King Baggot, in "CRIME'S TRIANGLE" In three reels.

THE UNIVERSAL WEEKLY  
With the latest world events

Keystone Comedy "Beating Hearts and Carpets" Tomorrow—Great Red Feather Feature.



#### KING REVIEWS TROOPS BEFORE BIG DRIVE

The upper large picture is the first to be received of a review held by King George before the great Somme offensive was undertaken. The lower picture shows the King shaking hands with Col. S. G. Beckett, of the 75th Canadian Battalion. The colonel has evidently made a remark which "tickled" His Majesty.

#### STEADY INCREASE IN HALIBUT ARRIVALS

The following were the halibut schooners arriving overnight: Ida N., 24,000; Mabel A., 24,000; Aurora, 7,000; Niagara, 16,000; Polaris, 6,000, and San Jose, 15,000. This morning about nine o'clock the Tom & Al, one of the big Seattle schooners which has been tied up in the south for months on account of the strike, drew up to the wharf with 30,000 pounds.

The ending of the strike has made an enormous difference in the fishing business at this port and over one hundred American fishing schooners have entered here since July 1st. Prices yesterday ranged around 6½ cents and the price today will probably be about the same figure.

#### Daylight Saving.

Hamilton, August 9.—This city is suspending its daylight saving scheme on Sunday.

#### Rain Checks Fires.

North Bay, August 9.—Railway officials report that the heavy rains of the last twenty-four hours are effectively checking the bush fires which have been raging throughout New Ontario.

#### Synod Meets.

Edmonton, August 9. The Synod of Prince Rupert's Land is convening here today.

#### EQUAL PENSIONS FOR OFFICERS AND MEN

(Special to The Daily News.)

Winnipeg, August 9.—Several municipalities throughout Canada are recommending the Federal government to consider the question of equalizing the pensions of officers and privates who have served in the Canadian overseas forces. The chief argument used is that there will be no distinction between those men in civil life following the declaration of peace.

#### SHORTAGE OF LABOR

In view of a general shortage of labor at every point along the coast, George L. Clayton, at the Board of Trade meeting last evening, broached the question of asking the Minister of the Interior to have the embargo on the importation of labor removed, until such time as conditions had improved.

George R. Naden suggested that a committee be appointed to take the matter up with the trades unions with a view to procuring exact data, before taking any steps to have the embargo removed.

On the motion of Mr. Clayton, it was decided to have a committee go into the matter fully and report to the board.

WE NOW HAVE WASHED NUT COAL ON HAND. ALBERT & McCaffery, Phone 116.

#### WAL. MANSON REFUSES PUBLIC DISCUSSION

Before leaving for the Queen Charlotte Islands this morning, T. D. Pattullo was interviewed by The Daily News. He expressed regret that he would not be able to be present at the meeting to be held by Hon. William Manson on Thursday night, and said that he had called up Mr. Manson and asked him if he would make it a joint meeting, and also if he would enter into arrangements whereby they could tour the constituency together, holding joint meetings at various places throughout the electoral district. Mr. Manson replied that he would first have to consult his committee, and later telephoned that he could not enter into this agreement. He said that if Mr. Pattullo happened to be present at any of his meetings, he would give him an opportunity to speak, but, to this, Mr. Pattullo replied that it would be impossible for him to wait around, not knowing Mr. Manson's plans, and, therefore asked him if he would allow a representative to speak in case he could not be present. Mr. Manson replied that he did not intend to fool around in this way and that he intended to state his case in his own way, and would not allow any representative of Mr. Pattullo to speak at any of his meetings.

In closing the interview, Mr. Pattullo said "I regret the action taken by Mr. Manson, as I would like very much to see a series of joint meetings held throughout the district, in order to give the public the very best opportunity of hearing the issues discussed. At all of my meetings, wherever I go, I always invite any and everybody, who so desires, to come to the platform and debate the issues. The public ought to have the right of the very fullest and freest discussion and I do not think that any candidate for office should hamper the discussion of public issues in this way."

#### SWIMMING

Quite a large number of the boys went over to the Salt Lake last evening and had a great time swimming. At one time, the lake in a way resembled the Garden of Eden, at least there were a good many Adams about.

#### SEATTLE HALIBUT MARKET STILL CLOSED

The Board of Trade met last evening when the chief matter brought up was the report of the fisheries committee, presented by George L. Clayton. Mr. Clayton stated that the matter of shipping halibut direct to Seattle by steamer from Prince Rupert was still under discussion, and there was no progress to report. Mayor McCaffery and G. A. Woodland had written to Sir Robert Borden stating the case for Prince Rupert, on July 8th and no reply had been received. The matter had been brought before the notice of Inspector Cunningham, when here recently, and he promised to go into it fully and make a recommendation to Ottawa, while Mr. Clayton reported that he had discussed the question fully with Hon. Dr. Roche, Minister of the Interior, while he was here last week.

It was finally decided that G. A. Woodland and the fisheries committee consider the question of sending a representative to Ottawa to place the matter before W. A. Found, Superintendent of Fisheries, and to write to the superintendent as to the next meeting of the advisory board.

#### SUN AND TIDE

Thursday, August 10th.

Sun rises ..... 6:10 a. m.  
Sun sets ..... 8:10 p. m.  
Low water ..... 4:52 a. m. Ht. 4.1  
High water ..... 11:10 a. m. Ht. 16.0  
Low water ..... 4:53 p. m. Ht. 8.5  
High water ..... 10:56 p. m. Ht. 19.8  
Captain J. McGee, M. M. S. A.

William Keith has joined the Forestry Battalion. Since the outbreak of the war Mr. Keith has been anxious to "do his bit," but was over age to gain admittance to the earlier battalions. The forestry battalion gave him his opportunity and he was not slow to grasp it.

Notwithstanding our heavy rain fall and Vancouver's persistent knocking of our climate, the rainfall in Vancouver in July was 5.25, while Prince Rupert showed only 5.00.

R. E. Allen, of Hazelton, arrived in town last evening.

#### FRENCH SEIZE MORE TRENCHES ON SOMME FRONT

Furious Fighting Along Meuse and in Champagne—German Plane Bombs Nancy—Attack in Balkans.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Paris, August 9.—On the Somme front, the French have captured three and a half miles of German trenches. Furious fighting is in progress in the Champagne district and along the right bank of the Meuse. The Germans made several fierce attacks yesterday, all of which were repulsed by the French.

A German aeroplane bombed Nancy, wounding five civilians, three of whom are seriously injured.

#### The Balkans.

Saloniki, August 9.—The long looked-for attack on this front has begun and the French and Serbians are fiercely engaging the Bulgarians on the Greek front.

#### More Munitions Gone.

Koenigsberg, East Prussia, Aug. 9.—A terrific explosion of ammunition at the depot here awaiting shipment killed fifty and injured seventy-two.

#### Bremen Sunk?

Berne, Aug. 9.—The Berliner Tageblatt semi-officially announces that the German submarine Bremen sunk as the result of an accident to her machinery.

#### RETAIL MERCHANTS MEET IN WINNIPEG

(Special to The Daily News.)

Winnipeg, August 9.—The Dominion Board of the Retail Merchants Associations of Canada is convening here today. The business before the board includes thirty-five resolutions affecting the interests of retailers throughout the Dominion.

#### Dewdney Dead.

Victoria, August 9.—Former Provincial Lieutenant-Governor Dewdney is dead. Mr. Dewdney was a prominent figure in the early days of British Columbia.

#### MAJESTIC THEATRE

HOUSE OF CLASSICS  
Today and Tomorrow.

Mutual Masterpiece  
"THE ABSENTEE"  
Featuring the celebrated actor Robert Edeson, in a symbolic drama In Five Acts.

CUB COMEDY offers the funniest man in America, George Ovey, in a dashing farce

"THE DESPERATE CHANCE"

"BIDDY BRADY'S BIRTHDAY"  
Comedy.

Friday and Saturday, Jesse L. Lasky present Mae Murray in "To Have and To Hold"—Five acts. Next Monday and Tuesday, Marguerite Clark in "Out of the Drifts"—Five Acts.

#### GO TO

#### LONDON CAFE

THE PLACE TO EAT  
STRICTLY UNION HOUSE  
THIRD AVENUE

BOXES FOR LADIES