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PRICE FIVE CENTS

FRENCH AND BRITISH GRADUALLY GAINING

SIX THOUSAND, FIVE HUNDRED AND FIFTY PRISONERS -- RUSSIANS ADVANCING

RUSSIANS ARE ADVANCING ON ENTIRE FRONT

Fierce Fighting from Pripet Marshes to Volhynia—Russians Landed in Roumania.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Petrograd, Sept. 6.—There is violent fighting along the entire Russian front from the Pripet Marshes to Volhynia, through Galicia and also in the passes of the Carpathian Mountains, where the Russians continue to advance towards the Hungarian plains. The enemy is putting up a stout resistance but the Russians are determined to make their way into Hungarian and Austrian territory before the snow flies.

Roumanian Front.

Rome, Sept. 6.—Russian transports have landed a large contingent of troops at Constanza, the Roumanian Black Sea port, to reinforce the Roumanian garrison.

On the Dobrudja frontier the Roumanians are resisting the attacks of the Germans and Bulgarians.

Italian Front.

The Italians have captured several commanding Austrian positions, including Punta del Forane at the head of the Rio Felizon Valley.

The Austrians have dropped bombs on Venice but no damage was done.

ENTRIES FOR FAIR

In order to allow people to make entries before the 10th, the office of the Agricultural Association, next the Savoy Hotel, will be open until nine o'clock each evening this week.

MAJESTIC THEATRE

HOUSE OF CLASSICS
TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

"THE PRICE OF HER SILENCE"
Featuring Florence La Badie, in five parts.

MUTUAL ANIMATED WEEKLY
Screening the latest in world events and Paris fashions, by Jeanne Blanchot.

"LOVE AND BULLETS"
Comedy.

Coming Friday and Saturday, Marie Doro in Sarou's great drama

"DIPLOMACY"
Five Acts.

SPECIAL MUSICAL PROGRAMME

BRITISH WORKMEN AND STATE OWNED RAILWAYS

(Special to The Daily News.)

Birmingham, Sept. 6.—The Trades Union Congress, representing two million and a half workmen, which met here yesterday, has demanded that the government take over all the railways in Great Britain. The government has controlled the operation of the railways since the outbreak of the war and the Trades Unionists are decidedly of the opinion that the same conditions should prevail after the war.

WASHINGTON STRIKES AT BRITISH BLACKLIST

Washington, Sept. 6.—The United States new revenue bill, which is now before Congress, strikes hard at the British blacklist and aims at preventing the clearance of British vessels from American ports.

SUPREME COURT

The preliminaries to the hearing of the case of the Westholme Lumber Company vs. the G. T. P. Railway Company were gone through before Judge Murphy in the Supreme Court yesterday. The following is the jury:—Wm. Denholm (foreman); Harry W. Birch, James Hampton, Harry Atkins, George Hill, A. W. McLean, M. H. Large, and Angelo Astori, E. C. Mayers, of Bodwell, Lawson & Lane, appeared for the plaintiffs, and E. P. Davis, K. C., H. H. Hansard and L. W. Patmore for the defendants. The jury spent the afternoon visiting the ground covered by the action and the hearing is proceeding today and is likely to last all week.

RED CROSS SALE

The Red Cross sale of home cooking in the Red Cross rooms on Sixth Street on Friday will be in charge of Mrs. T. H. Johnson, Seal Cove, and Mrs. William Turnbull. At last week's sale twice the amount of cooking donated could have been disposed of and ladies are once more requested to do their utmost for the welfare of the boys at the front.

Don't miss the big public meeting in the Empress Theatre on Thursday night.

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



INAUGURATING THE BIG BRITISH PUSH.—Official British photograph taken somewhere on the line of the British drive upon the German positions along the Somme front, showing the Lancashire Fusiliers being addressed by their divisional commander just before they advanced to the foremost trenches for battle.

ADMIRALTY REQUIRES STILL MORE WORKMEN

(Special to The Daily News.)

Glasgow, Sept. 6.—Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Admiralty, after making a tour of the Clyde Shipbuilding and munition industries, in commenting upon the splendid services rendered to the nation by the workmen of Great Britain, explained on behalf of the Admiralty that a considerable number of additional workers were required at the various plants.

YUKON WET?

Vancouver, Sept. 6.—Unofficial figures for the entire Yukon Territory on the question of Prohibition give a majority of three against Prohibition.

JURY DISAGREED

Winnipeg, Sept. 6.—The jury in the trial of Sir Rodmond Roblin and the other ex-ministers of Manitoba who were charged with conspiracy, found it impossible to arrive at an agreement and was discharged.

SPORTING CHALLENGE

I. William Bagshaw, of Eighth Avenue, East, hereby challenge Albert Nicholson, present holder of the one mile walking championship to a walking match from the boarding house at Seal Cove to the Post Office and return for \$25 to \$50 a side.

WILLIAM BAGSHAW.

WATER RATES

The city council has under consideration the collecting of water rates monthly and a revision of the rates. In most cases, there will be very little alteration in the cost to the consumer, the chief difference being that the larger consumers will be placed upon a meter basis.

LONDON CAFE

AND GRILL
Third Avenue
Serves Nothing but the Best
STRICTLY UNION HOUSE
BOXES FOR LADIES

PAPERMAKERS WANT SMALLER NEWSPAPERS

(Special to The Daily News.)

Port Frances, Ont., Sept. 6.—President Bachus, of the Port Frances Pulp and Paper Company, at a convention arranged on behalf of the Western Canadian publishers, urged the decrease of reading matter in newspapers on account of the alarming scarcity and high price of newsprint. The price is steadily increasing owing to the scarcity of material and various other causes.

AMERICAN FINANCIER HERE LAST EVENING

Mr. Leadbetter, vice-president of the company which is operating at Ocean Falls, passed through the city last evening on his way from New York. Mr. Leadbetter will pay a visit to Ocean Falls on his way home to Portland, Oregon.

He states that the company expects to have its new plant in operation early in the new year and look forward to big developments. There is a large amount of capital invested there and they will make a big effort to produce adequate returns.

This is the first occasion on which Mr. Leadbetter has travelled over the G. T. P. and he was greatly impressed with the scenery and with the road. He thought Prince Rupert had one of the finest harbors in the world and all that was needed was a start in the trans-Pacific trade, to make the harbor one of the busiest on the B. C. coast. On the way east, he met R. P. Trimble, with whom he discussed the mining possibilities of the interior. He recognizes that there is a big field for capital in mining here and that some day soon there will be great developments.

FIRE PROTECTION

In response to an application by the School Board for an increased water supply for fire protection at Borden Street school, the city council last night decided to make the necessary alterations. Supt. Kennedy reported that the cost would be small.

EYESIGHT TEST WILL BE LOWERED

(Special to The Daily News.)

Winnipeg, Sept. 6.—An announcement is expected shortly concerning the appointment of a staff of government directors of recruiting. Under the revised system, the eyesight test will be lowered on account of the fact that modern trench warfare does not require the range of vision necessary for warfare in open country.

WAR CURIOS

Constable Adams last evening received a consignment of mementoes from the front in the shape of Hun shell caps: a piece of barbed wire used by the Huns in their defences, and a few French bullets. They were collected by the late W. H. Kirk and brought over here by Mr. Kirk's brother who lives in Fort William, Ont. The barbed wire is extraordinarily strong, but E. H. Maynard says that the French soldiers have an implement that cuts it through like twine.

T. D. Pattullo, W. P. Lynch and others will address a big public meeting in the Empress Theatre on Thursday night at 8:30.

W. P. Lynch returned last evening from a mining trip to the Legate Creek district.

FIERCE FIGHT RAGING ALONG SOMME RIVER

French and British Advancing on Extended Front—Many Prisoners Taken—Votes in the Trenches.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Sept. 6.—Fierce fighting continues along a twenty-five mile front on both sides of the Somme River. The French and British are gradually advancing and are maintaining their gains, each point taken being consolidated. The Allies have captured several villages and six thousand five hundred and fifty prisoners since Sunday.

Voting in Trenches.

The military authorities are permitting the collection of the votes of British Columbia soldiers at the front and Sir Richard McBride is arranging that scrutineers and returning officers proceed to France without delay.

PUBLIC MEETING

(Special to The Daily News.)

A meeting of the leading merchants and hotel men of the city is to be held in the City Hall at 4:30 this afternoon to consider ways and means of securing much of the trade of the outlying districts properly belonging to Prince Rupert, which has been switched to Vancouver.

WESTHOLME

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

We Present one of our Double Shows which we challenge anyone to beat.

8 Magnificent Reels — 2 Features
A brilliant cast including William Bouland and Gloria Fonda in a Red Feather Photoplay

In five acts.

"DRUGGED WATERS"

The last Episode of "GRAFT", "The Final Conquest," with Richard Stanton, Jane Novak and Glen White.

UNIVERSAL WEEKLY

of World News Pictures.

It is the intention of the management to devote the music of several evenings to different national composers—And the music at this show will be of the ancient and modern French school. Friday and Saturday will be devoted to Russian music, while a Scandinavian night is promised next week.

KEEP THE MONEY IN PRINCE RUPERT

If you want to build up Ketchikan and Ketchikan Saloons, not Hotels, vote for this so-called Prohibition Act

If you want to build up Prince Rupert and regulate the Liquor Business and Keep the Money Home Vote - - NO

Public : Meeting

IN EMPRESS THEATRE
Thursday, Sept. 7, at 8.30 p.m.
GEORGE FRIZZELL, Chairman

Speeches by
T. D. PATTULLO,
Liberal Candidate.
W. P. LYNCH and OTHERS.

All Cordially Invited Seats Reserved for Ladies