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## GERMAN SOCIALIST DENOUNCES WAR PARTY

### ANOTHER FRENCH GAIN AT VERDUN — BRITAIN REPLIES TO BLACK LIST NOTE

#### SATISFACTORY ARRANGEMENT WITH KING TINO

Allied Ministers and Greek King Agree—The Germans are Still Gaining in Dobrudja.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Athens, Oct. 30.—King Constantine of Greece, after a lengthy audience on Saturday with the Russian and British ministers, an Entente diplomat informs the associated press, has come to a complete understanding with the Allies. The minister states that the new arrangements should make matters much more satisfactory for M. Venizelos and for the Allies.

**Greek Railroad Strike.**  
The employees on the Greek railways declared a general strike on Friday, their request for increased pay having been refused by the government.

**Dobrudja Front.**  
Petrograd, Oct. 30.—An Austro-German force has launched a series of violent attacks against the Russian and Rumanian positions on both banks of the River Eystrita in the region of Dorna Watra and have compelled the Russian advanced posts to abandon their positions on two of the adjoining heights.

#### ALD. JOHN DYBHAVN AND MISS FAGERLE WED

At the Presbyterian Manse on Saturday evening, Miss Olea Fagerle, who has been a resident of this city for about six years, was quietly married to Alderman John Dybhavn, one of Prince Rupert's most prominent old timers. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Hugh R. Grant, with Mr. and Mrs. Olof Hanson as witnesses. After the ceremony, the wedding party adjourned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. R. Anderson, where a small gathering of friends had assembled to do honor to the occasion. After a substantial dinner had been disposed of, the evening was spent in song and sentiment. Ald. and Mrs. Dybhavn, who are receiving the heartiest congratulations of a large circle of friends, will take up their residence at 345 Third Avenue.

#### HUN WAR PARTY IS DENOUNCED BY SOCIALIST

Bernstein Says War is Crippling Nation—Britain Has Four Thousand Munitions Plants Busy.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
The Hague, Oct. 30.—Edward Bernstein, one of the Socialist members in the Reichstag, in a speech in the house, denounces the Prussian war party, declaring that its tactics are dishonorable and that the war loans have crippled the nation.

**British Munitions Output.**

London, Oct. 30.—Three and a half million men are now at work in the munition plants of Great Britain and they are turning out as much in four days as would have been produced in a year before the war. Four thousand plants are at work day and night.

**Steamer Afire.**  
Halifax, Oct. 30.—The British steamer East Point is afire but the flames are now under control.

**Returned Canadians.**

Ottawa, Oct. 30.—Approximately twelve thousand Canadian soldiers have returned to the Dominion from Europe. About four thousand of these have been discharged as being unfit for further active service.

#### MERCANTILE CAPTAINS AS PRISONERS OF WAR

(Special to The Daily News.)  
London, Oct. 30.—A German official note announces that, in conformity with article 100 of the German naval code, the German naval authorities have decided to regard as prisoners of war all captains of merchant vessels captured from the French, British, Russians and Italians.

#### AUSTRALIA VOTING AGAINST COMPULSION

(Special to The Daily News.)  
London, Oct. 30.—The first returns in the balloting on Compulsory Military Service in Australia show 723,000 against and 637,000 for it. The complete returns have not yet come in.

#### NEW ROBLIN TRIAL

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Winnipeg, Oct. 30.—A new trial has been ordered of Messrs Roblin, Howden and Caldwell on a charge of conspiracy to defraud the province of Manitoba.

#### BEET SUGAR INDUSTRY

The Canadian Beet Sugar Company, Limited, has just been incorporated, with headquarters in Vancouver, with the object of growing sugar beets in the Bulkley Valley and in the Peace River district, and also of refining sugar. The company is modestly capitalized at \$10,000.



THE GREEK SITUATION

The map shows the location of Larissa, to which city King Constantine was supposed to have gone to assemble troops to take the field against the Allies, and Tatoi, the summer home of the King, where he was residing when the Allies took matters into their own hands in Athens and Piraeus. The map shows Piraeus, Athens, Patras, Saloniki and the Island of Corfu, which are now held by the Allies, and also the Allied battlefronts in Albania and Macedonia.

#### SUNNY ALBERTA LOOKS GOOD TO R. B. BENNETT

Ottawa, Oct. 19.—The latest news of R. B. Bennett, M. P., was that Premier Borden had made him recruiting director for Alberta, thus throwing a sop to the Calgary statesman and staving off the day when he should be given full Cabinet rank. The chances are that R. B. will serve for that Cabinet job as long as Jacob did for Rachael. Meanwhile, R. B.'s partner, Sir James Lougheed, carries about all the honors the Borden government can hand out to one firm of lawyers.

It is this last thought, perhaps, which has turned R. B.'s longing eyes back to Alberta, where Leader Michener is full of that hope deferred which maketh the heart sick, and the Conservative party in the local House is as sick of Leader Michener as Leader Michener is of the Conservative party.

In the circumstances, R. B. Bennett as a new leader looks about as good to the Conservative party in Alberta as the Conservative party in Alberta looks to R. B. Bennett. It's Hobson's choice—Oh to be nothing, nothing at Ottawa, or a little better than nothing at Edmonton. R. B. will probably decide in favor of the latter. Wherever he looks for a general election—in the Dominion or in his beloved Alberta—the Calgary statesman sees himself on the losing side. There's no "aut Caesar aut nullus" about it. It's nullus for R. B. Bennett whatever way he looks at it, but the Alberta leadership sizes up better because it's nullus plus the position of leader which R. B. sighs for at Ottawa, but can't get.

It is now five years since R. B. Bennett struck Ottawa and began to aspire. As a matter of fact he began to aspire from the first crack out of the box. He isn't

done aspiring yet, although he begins to see what a Sisyphean task it is—rolling his stone up hill all the time and never getting anywhere. When R. B. blew into the Green Chamber away back in 1911 he had an idea that all he had to do was to make a couple of his two-hundred-and-fifty-words-a-minute speeches and they would take him into the Cabinet right away on his merits. R. B. did this as many as half a dozen times, cutting loose with the tumble-weed of his rhetoric and also using the vox humana stop to the fullest extent, but it had no appreciable effect. It caused a stir in the galleries, the people not being accustomed to such celeritous verbiage as R. B. effects, but so far as the Cabinet was concerned, R. B. might as well have been talking to a row of Stoughton bottles, Premier Borden being the Stoughtonist bottle of the lot.

In vain did R. B. use all his oratorical styles, including Chinook Wind, Camp Meeting Extra and Westminster Heavy. Merit remained unrecognized, Premier Borden continued to sit like a bump on a log. He didn't seem to know that a man named R. B. Bennett was alive, which was passing strange, because he apparently knew all about Mr. Lougheed and just where to look for him when he wanted to knight him. Truly, as Job says—or was it Jeremiah—one shall be taken and the other left—and the one that was left was R. B. Bennett.

When R. B. woke up to this fact he ceased to aspire and began to conspire. He conspired with Jam Aikins, gave dinner parties and sought to inflame the Press Gallery with mysterious hints of insurgency. The gentlemen of the press promised to make all the "copy" his insurgency was worth, but otherwise remained

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#### FRENCH FORCE USE GRENADES EFFECTIVELY

Another Advance Made in Douaumont Region—Kaiser's Train Bombed by Aviator—Norwegian Situation.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Paris, Oct. 30.—The French forces in the region of Verdun last night captured, by use of hand grenades, a quarry held by the Germans to the northwest of Fort Douaumont. A brisk artillery duel continues in the region around the fort.

On the Somme front bad weather still hinders infantry operations and the fighting last night was confined to an intermittent artillery bombardment.

**Kaiser's Train Bombed.**

A bomb dropped by one of the Entente aviators killed the engineer driving the train of Emperor Wilhelm, who was recently reported to be on the Somme front near Bapaume superintending the bringing up of German reinforcements.

**Norwegian Situation.**

London, Oct. 30.—The situation between Norway and Germany over the submarine campaign is acute.

#### MORE ELECTION RETURNS

With the exceptions of Vancouver and Victoria, the soldiers' votes have all been counted in London. The following are the returns, additional to those published on Saturday. There are no changes except in majorities, some of which are increased and others decreased by small amounts. The Sloean member now holds his seat by the narrow majority of one vote.

North Vancouver—Hanes (L), 382.

Omineca—Manson (L), 185.

Prince Rupert—Pattullo (L), 116.

Revelstoke—Dr. Sutherland (L), 282.

Richmond—McGeer (L), 252.

Rosland—Willson (L), 88.

Saanich—Pauline (L), 299.

Similkameen—Shatford (C), 129.

Slocan—Hunter (C), 4.

South Okanagan—Jones (C), 142.

South Vancouver—Weart (L), 198.

Trail—Schofield (C), 141.

Yale—Walters (L), 196.

#### Victoria Results.

The following are the final results in the Victoria election, which came to hand later than the above. All four Liberals are sustained.

H. C. Brewster (L.)	5088
Ald. Geo. Bell (L.)	3962
John Hart (L.)	3660
H. C. Hall (L.)	3274
Hon. A. Stewart (C.)	3129
R. Hayward (C.)	2792
Leonard Tait (C.)	2773
Ald. Dilworth (C.)	2651
Dr. E. Hall (L.)	1174
A. J. Morley (L.)	1184
Phil. Smith (S.-D.)	474
D. Poupard (S.-D.)	452

#### GREAT BRITAIN STANDS FIRM ON THE BLACK LIST

Reply Sent to Wilson's Note—Submarine Situation Acute—Big Rail Order Placed by the French.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Washington, Oct. 30.—Great Britain's note in reply to the American representations against the commercial black-list has been received today. It is understood that the British government reiterates its contention of the right to make such a list, but offers to apply methods which will relieve American firms doing business under certain circumstances.

The situation arising out of the recent raid by German submarines off the Atlantic coast recently has reached an acute stage.

**French Rail Order.**

Baltimore, October 30.—The French government has placed an order with an American firm for fifty thousand tons of steel rails at a price of \$55 per ton.

**Senator's Denial.**

Washington, Oct. 30.—An emphatic denial has been made by Senator Lodge to the statement that President Wilson eliminated the postscript from his second note to Germany on the sinking of the Lusitania only when members of his cabinet threatened to resign.

#### FRANK DOWLING HAS AGAIN BEEN WOUNDED

F. W. Dowling, superintendent of Government Telegraphs, has received a wire from Ottawa informing him that his son Frank has been admitted to hospital suffering from a gunshot wound. This is the second occasion on which Frank has been wounded. This time he has lost a finger.

#### TRADES AND LABOR SMOKER

The Trades and Labor Council held an enjoyable smoker in the Railwaymen's Hall on Saturday evening. S. D. Macdonald presided and addresses were delivered by Messrs. Roberts, W. E. Thompson, A. O. Morse and Ald. George Casey. Solos were rendered by Messrs. H. Harvey, A. Clapperton, George Waddell, J. Murray, and W. Derry, the accompaniments being played by W. Vaughan Davies. An opportunity was given to all present to have their names placed on the municipal voters' list.

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