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MORE PEACE TALK

That the refusal of the Entente Powers to enter into any discussion of peace, unless Germany and Austria come out openly and show that they are sincerely sorry that they ever made an attempt to gain world dominance and that they are ready and willing to make reparation for the great wrongs done Belgium and Serbia, has given the Kaiser and his friends to think furiously is evident from the reports of impending conferences at Vienna and Berlin. It is significant that these conferences are not of a military character and have no bearing upon the carrying out of any new scheme of campaign but are simply diplomatic gatherings called to discuss the political situation.

It is apparent that in submitting his proposals for a peace conference, the Kaiser once more showed himself to be utterly incapable of estimating the character of the British people. There is little doubt that he expected an entirely different answer to his overtures, and that he looked for a sharp division amongst the British people on the question of the continuance of hostilities. It is not unlikely that he placed his confidence in the success of his appeal on the fact that, before the war, there was a large element in Britain, headed by Lord Haldane and other admirers of German methods, industrial and scientific, which scorned the idea of war with Germany and which, even after the rape of Belgium, still had strong sympathy for German lines of thought.

There is little doubt that the Kaiser figured that between the people who were sick and tired of the war and the followers of Haldane, there would at once be a strong clamor for peace, at almost any price. In this, as we know, he was vastly mistaken. The British people are one in their determination to carry on the war with renewed vigor until the wrongs of Belgium are righted, and now the heads of the Central Powers are figuring on their next move.

If there is truth in reports emanating from Vienna, and there is good reason to believe that they are true, peace may come much more quickly than is supposed. The Kaiser is not finding the young emperor so easy to handle as he did the aged Franz Josef. Emperor Charles is still under thirty; is a man of sound sense and a real ruler. He is looking ahead and it is clear that he sees little good to come from fighting the battles of the Prussian. If Austria is to remain intact, she must be released immediately from participation in the struggle and the people of Austria and Hungary seem to be clearly convinced that there is no hope of success and that a continuance of the war on their part simply means reaping the whirlwind. An important move may follow the conference at Vienna and it is not unlikely that the peace talk started by the Kaiser through President Wilson, will be continued until peace actually comes. One thing is certain, the Kaiser now knows the frame of mind of the people of France, Russia and Britain. If he wants peace, he knows the terms on which he may obtain it. Wilhelm is shrewd enough, with all his weaknesses, to be able to calculate very accurately just what a continuance of hostilities is to cost him. If he arrives at the decision that it is to cost him his throne, he will be certain to make further approaches to the Allies immediately.

GILLETT'S
EATS LYE DIRT
CLEANS-DISINFECTS

CANNERYMEN WANT TO INTRODUCE TRAPS

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why the cannery business should be different from any other business.

Mr. Williams also called for proper patrols here for prospecting for herring by the government in order that the halibut men might have ample bait, and the allowing of the halibut men to take dog and humpback salmon for bait when herring could not be got. He thought it was time that the cannerymen realized that they did not hold the fisheries of the north by "Divine Right."

Salmon Traps.

Mr. Williams sounded a warning regarding the proposed use of salmon traps in the north. The cannerymen were preparing to have this matter brought up at Ottawa soon and unless strenuous opposition were put up, the Skeena would be spoiled as the Fraser had been.

O. H. Nelson and Captain Babington heartily concurred in the points made by Mr. Williams.

It was decided to have a meeting of the joint fisheries committee in the city hall on Monday afternoon to formulate plans for the placing of these matters before the Advisory Board and the committee was given power to appoint a delegate or delegates to go to Ottawa to press home the urgent needs of the north in regard to freer fishing.

S. B. Peacock, of Bulkley Canyon, was amongst the arrivals in town yesterday morning.

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT. R. S. C. Chapter 115.

Hume B. Babington and Norman R. Brodhurst of the City of Prince Rupert, in the Province of British Columbia, hereby give notice that they have under Section 7 of the said act deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa and in the office of the District Registrar of Titles at the Land Registry Office at the City of Prince Rupert aforesaid a description of the site and the plans of a wharf proposed to be built in Henslung Bay, Langara Island, in front of Lots 999 and 998, Queen Charlotte Island Land District, Province of British Columbia.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice the said Hume B. Babington and Norman R. Brodhurst will under Section 7 of the said act apply to the Minister of Public Works at his office in the City of Ottawa, Province of Ontario, for approval of the said site and plans and for leave to construct the said wharf.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B. C., this 27th day of December, A. D. 1916.

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For Anyox.

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QUIET WEDDING

Miss Ida Martinson and Mr. F. W. Chandler, of this city, were quietly married on Thursday evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. F. Dimmick, the witnesses being Mrs. Dimmick and Miss Hudson. Mr. Chandler is one of the pioneer business men of this city, and with his bride, is receiving the hearty congratulations of many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Chandler are residing at 232 9th Avenue, East.

LAND ACT

VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE 3.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Leo Stanley Burdon, of Ocean Falls, B. C., occupation mill secretary, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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LEO STANLEY BURDON.
NOVEMBER 8, 1916. F. 6.

MINERAL ACT

Notice to Delinquent Partners.

To Grant Mahood and Patrick Daly.

TAKE NOTICE that whereas we have done and caused to be done assessment work by surveys on the Daly, Sullivan, Edith and Lois Mineral Claims, situated in the Salmon Bear River District, Portland Canal Mining Division, for the year 1916, and have paid for said work and recording same the sum of $510.00, unless you pay to us the sum of $255.00 for your share of said assessment work, together with the cost of this advertisement, we shall at the expiration of ninety (90) days from the date hereof, apply to the Mining Recorder at Stewart, B. C., to have your interests in the said Daly, Sullivan, Edith and Lois mineral claims vested in us, in pursuance of the provisions of the Mineral Act.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 15th day of November, A. D. 1916.

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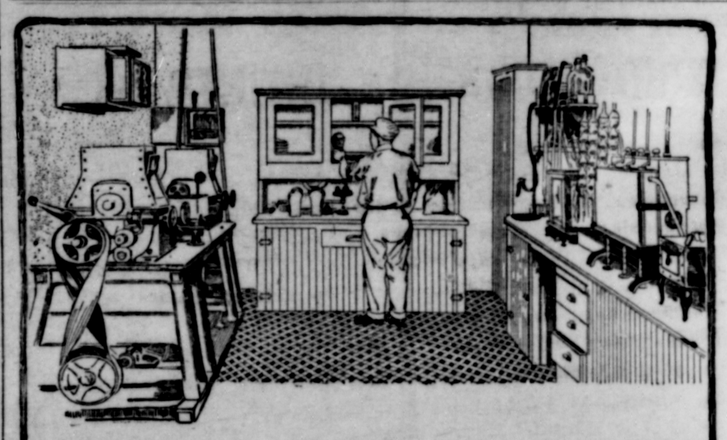

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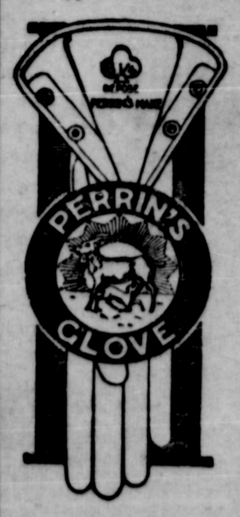

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