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OUR AMERICAN COUSINS

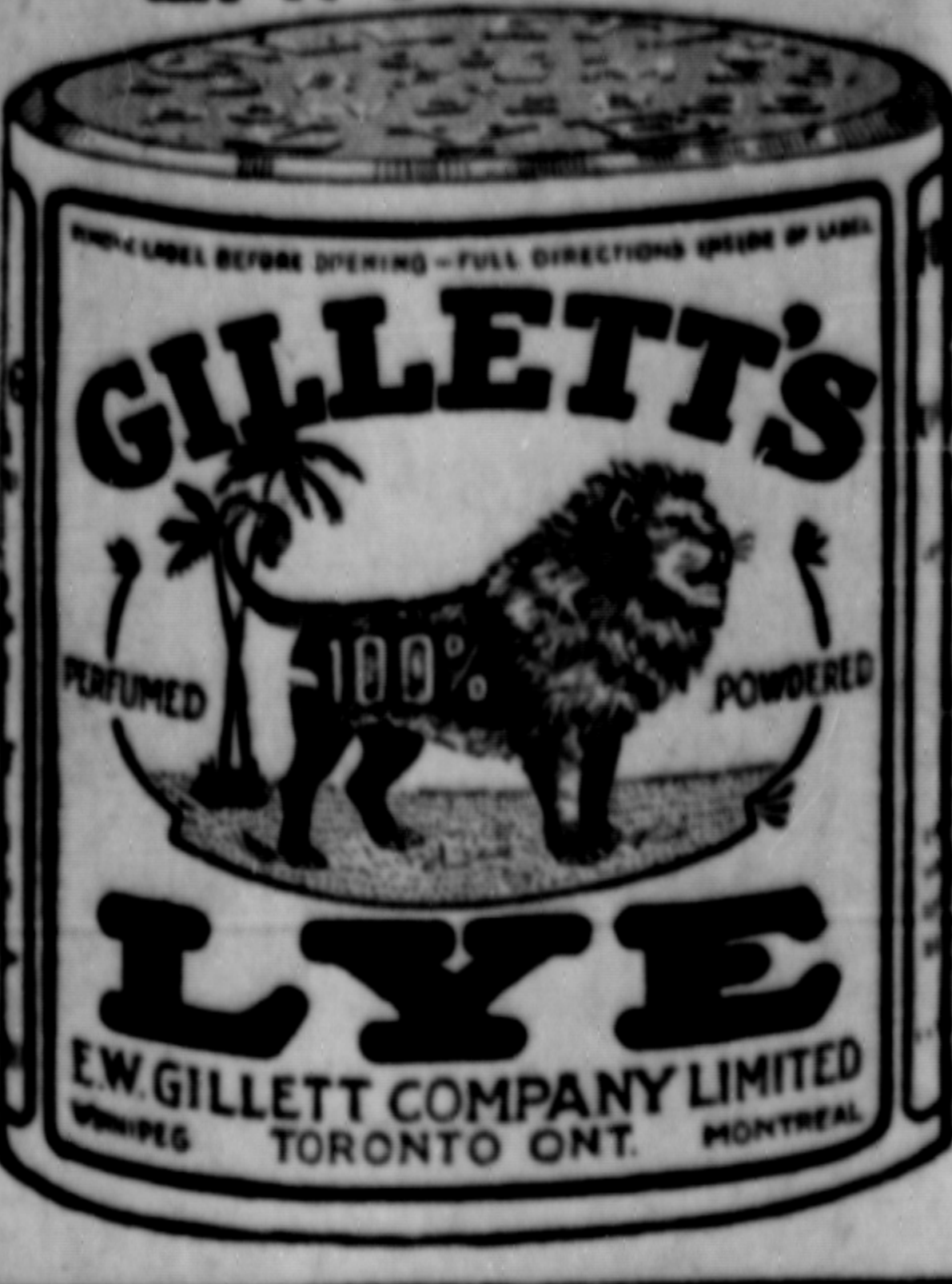
Probably the most outstanding lessons that the war has taught us are that beyond a certain figure mere superiority in crude numbers counts for little, and that fighting power that remains for the most part merely potential may be the operation of the time factor be neutralized by an inferior power that is fully organized. It should not, of course, have needed a war to teach us these lessons for they are merely an elaborate application of an elementary law of physics. But nations are slow and unwilling pupils, and experience is the only school in which they will learn. Having grasped the vitalness of the elements of time and place in war, we do not attach quite so much military importance to the probable entrance of America into the war as we should have done in its earlier stages. And there is no use denying that the moral as well as the military uplift would have been greater had the United States seen her way sooner to let her hand follow her heart. But as a glass cannot be fuller than full, the coming in of the States would not appreciably affect our determination to achieve victory, or our confidence that we shall achieve it.

From the point of view of an impartial neutral, the addition of the United States to the Allies would at once remove their ultimate victory from the region of contingency to that of absolute certainty. For, potentially, the United States may rank as the strongest nation in the world. Her power does not rest entirely upon her unique geographical position, and her enormous natural resources. The true root of American greatness is to be found in the successive streams of virile humanity—cavalier and Puritan, Latin, British, Dutch and Scandinavian that successively peopled her shores and penetrating inland, generated in their interecine and foreign struggles an energy that remained and still remains proof against the enervating effects of wealth or sub-tropical climate. From the point of view of an ethnologist, the miracle

of America is not the intellectual activity of New England, or the industrial wealth of Pennsylvania, but the moral and physical energy displayed by the Southern States both in the war of Independence and the Civil War.

It is something for us to be proud of that this energy which expressed itself in a Washington, a Lee, a Stonewall Jackson, was essentially and almost purely British. Names like Grant, McClellan, Sheridan, and Johnston attest that by 1860 the dominant stock was still pure British, with the Scotch-Irish element distinctly marked. And despite the vast emigrations since from continental Europe, we may rest assured that in a searching emergency like war, the nation would continue to be ruled unconsciously by its British characteristics. The ingenuity and resourcefulness developed by pioneering and free industry would serve the American in little stead had they not been fortified by his sublime incapacity to know when he was beaten. It is this spirit that explains the incredible fortitude and ultimate success of Washington and the unprecedented bloodiness of the Civil War. No war has ever more clearly shown the value of training than the war in which both sides were largely untrained, for the higher commands were reserved more and more for officers who had been trained at West Point and had seen service. The need for a strong and continuous military tradition is all the greater in a country of shifting population and short historical memories. A positive policy like the Monroe Doctrine, unsupported by a strong army, was to use Lord Roberts word, a "provocation" to an unscrupulous adversary. The United States has realized this by now and she has an opportunity to give military and naval earnest of her "longing for what we are fighting for." And her history proves that an improved American army would make up in adaptiveness and in fighting spirit for what it lacked in experience and continuous tradition.

GILLETT'S LYE EATS DIRT



ENSLAVING BELGIAN PEOPLE

Reuters agency states that according to news received regarding the deportation of the inhabitants of Brussels, every man who is deported receives a card, with his name, address and profession, and orders to appear at the railway station at eight a. m. On the card is printed a warning that those who do not appear for immediate deportation will undergo three months imprisonment and have to pay a fine not exceeding 1,000 marks.

The card also contains the following somewhat puzzling notice: "As it may be that you will be sent to a place of work and that, therefore, it may be no more possible to keep in touch with your family, it is suggested that you provide yourself with spoon and fork, winter garments, linen and strong boots." Those who consent to sign an agreement to work in Germany or Belgium are exempted from presenting themselves. The card is signed by General von Foden, Commandant of Brussels, the same officer who in November caused the municipal authorities to be arrested for refusing to communicate lists of unemployed.

Salvation Army.

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

LAND REGISTRY ACT
(Sections 36 and 134.)

Re Application No. 9144-J, Filing 5819. TAKE NOTICE that application has been made to register The Corporation of the City of Prince Rupert in the Province of British Columbia, as owner in fee under two Tax Sale Deeds from the Collector of the City of Prince Rupert, bearing date the 7th day of December, 1916, of ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying, and being in the Municipality of Prince Rupert, more particularly known and described as North-Westerly Seventy (70), feet of Lots Eleven (11), and Twelve (12) Block Eighteen (18), Section One (1), Map 923.

You are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within thirty-five days from the date of the service of this notice (which may be effected by personal service or as directed), and your attention is called to section 36 of the "Land Registry Act" with amendments, and to the following extract therefrom:—"and in default of a caveat or certificate of its pendency being filed before the registration as owner of the person entitled under such sale, all persons so served with notice, 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 for ever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the land so sold for taxes, and the Registrar shall register the person entitled under such tax sale as owner of the land so sold for taxes."

AND WHEREAS application has been made for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the abovementioned lands, in the name of The Corporation of the City of Prince Rupert:

AND WHEREAS on investigating the title it appears that prior to the fourteenth day of September, 1916, (the date on which the said lands were sold for overdue taxes), you were a mortgagee thereof.

FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that at the same time I shall effect registration in pursuance of such application and issue a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the said lands in the name of the above corporation unless you take and prosecute the proper proceedings to establish your claim, if any, to the said lands, or to prevent such proposed action on my part. Dated at the Land Registry Office, Prince Rupert, B. C., this 20th day of December, A. D. 1916.

H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar of Titles. To Frederic Schattner, Esq., care C. L. Freeman, C. P. B. Bldg. Edmonton, Alberta.

THE MAILS

For the East.
Tuesdays, 2 a. m.
Wednesdays, 9:30 a. m.
Saturdays, 9:30 a. m.
From the East.
Tuesdays, 5:30 p. m.
Thursdays, 5:30 p. m.
Sundays, 3:10 p. m.

For Vancouver.
Tuesdays, 4 p. m.
Thursdays, 10 p. m.
Sundays, 4 p. m.

From Vancouver.
Wednesdays, 10:30 a. m.
Fridays, 3 p. m.
Sundays, 7 p. m.
Alternate Mondays from January 1st.

For Anyox.
Wednesdays, 10 p. m.
Fridays, 8 p. m.
Sundays, 8 p. m.

From Anyox.
Thursdays, Sundays and Tuesdays.

The Islands.
Mail closes.
Jan. 17 and 31st at 8 p. m.
Feb. 14th and 28th at 8 p. m.

Mail Arrives.
January 21st, February 17th and March 3rd.

LAND REGISTRY ACT
(Sections 36 and 134.)

Re Application N. 9042—File No. 5794. TAKE NOTICE that application has been made to register Marion B. Morrisey, of Prince Rupert, B. C., as owner in fee under Tax Sale Deed from the Collector of the City of Prince Rupert, bearing date the 10th day of September, 1915, of ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying, and being in the Municipality of Prince Rupert, more particularly known and described as Lot Eighteen (18), Block Eight (8), Section Eight (8), Map 923.

You are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within 35 days from the date of the service of this notice (which may be effected by personal service) and your attention is called to section 36 of the "Land Registry Act" with amendments, and to the following extract therefrom:—"and in default of a caveat or certificate of its pendency being filed before the registration as owner of the person entitled under such sale, all persons so served with notice, 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 for ever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the land so sold for taxes, and the Registrar shall register the person entitled under such tax sale as owner of the land so sold for taxes."

AND WHEREAS application has been made for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above-mentioned lands, in the name of Marion B. Morrisey:

AND WHEREAS on investigating the title it appears that prior to the 9th day of September, 1914, (the date on which the said lands were sold for overdue taxes), you were the assessed owner thereof.

FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that at the same time I shall effect registration in pursuance of such application and issue a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the said lands in the name of Marion B. Morrisey unless you take and prosecute the proper proceedings to establish your claim, if any, to the said lands, or to prevent such proposed action on my part. DATED at the Land Registry Office, Prince Rupert, B. C., this 27th day of October, A. D. 1916.

H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar of Titles. To Reuben Nugent, Esq., M15 1207 Pacific St., Vancouver, B. C.

Navigable Waters Protection Act.
R. S. C., CHAPTER 116.

The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company hereby gives notice that it has, 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 the Land Registry Office, District of Prince Rupert, at Prince Rupert, a description of the site and plan of lumber mill and other works proposed to be built in the Prince Rupert harbor at Prince Rupert, British Columbia, in front of Waterfront Block "T", according to registered plan of the townsite of the said city of Prince Rupert registered in the aforesaid land registry office as No. 923, Section 7.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company will, under Section 7 of the said Act, apply to the Minister of Public Works at his office in the City of Ottawa for approval of the said site and plan and for leave to construct the said works. Dated at Winnipeg, Manitoba, this 21st day of February, A. D. 1917. THE GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY. H. H. HANSARD, Solicitor.

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