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THE ROBBER STATE

In the early days of the war it was a necessary function of the British press to enlighten the public mind in regard to all the fundamental principles and aspects of German Weltpolitik. The violation of Belgian independence, as the first step in a violent rupture of the general peace which it had been the aim of our statesmanship to avert, and which could easily have been averted if the will to peace had not been the last of Germany's objects, was a contradiction of the ethical principles that it had been assumed governed the relations of civilized States so gross and brutal as to stagger the intelligence of the average man. One had to revise all the traditional estimates of the German character and to search for clues to the policy of shameless piracy adopted by Potsdam not in those agreeable fictions in which the Teuton had masqueraded for some generations, but in the ruthless pose of his self-delineations as warrior, statesman, philosopher, pedagogue, and pastor. It was rather disconcerting to find that while the German had been for several years doing his laborious best to prove that he was a much misunderstood individual, we had as consistently clung to our illusion of a spectacled Uncle Toby, with a fat and easy smile for everyone and not an ounce of evil intent under his well filled waistcoat. Having learned to take Bernhardt seriously, however, it was not long before the public mind grasped the fact that the Germany which made war on unoffending Belgium is just the Prussia writ large which in the eighteenth century stole Silesia from the Hapsburgs and tore Poland to pieces, and which, in the nineteenth, grabbed Schleswig-Holstein, deliberately quarrelled with Austria over the spoils of successful brigandage, in order that the aggrandisement of the Hohenzollerns should be advanced and completed, for a time, the programme of spoliation by forcing France to surrender Alsace-Lorraine.

It is all a familiar story to us now. But we observe that since her entrance into the war America has felt the same need and is passing through the same phase of enlightenment as we have done. The University of Chicago, fol-

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lowing an example which was set by the University of Oxford, has issued a valuable series of monographs on such topics as "The Threat of German World-Politics" very well calculated to give the American people an intimate view of the causes of the struggle and the immensity of the stakes at issue. It is not only interesting but extremely useful, however, for readers to revive their acquaintance with this propagandist literature. Much of it consists of quotation from German sources, and it is really amazing to compare the demands made by German publicists before the war or during its preliminary stages with the realities effected by German policy since the collapse of Russia.

There is an immense body of piratical literature exhibiting the dreams and demands involved in what Dr. Muehlon, the former director of Krupp's, in his diary—when it is published it will form a companion volume to Lichnowsky's memoirs—bluntly terms the "unabashed robber policy" of his native land. From the famous Haeckel down to the humblest Lutheran pastor, earning a modest State pay by exalting the chosen people, the authors all assume as an incontrovertible proposition that Germany has only to ask, with sword in hand, and her title to possess is not to be withstood. The earth is the War-Lord's and the fulness thereof. It follows that wherever she casts a hungry eye, east or west, north or south, the limit of her avarice is only bounded by the possibilities of present attainment. There is no morality under the black flag. To re-read these old texts is not a futile task. For every day we are reminded that Germany has abandoned none of her projects and will abandon none until the sword by which she was to write her

title clear to the inheritance of the universe has broken in her hands. She is now in 1918 as she was in 1914, the Robber State.

The Rev. J. Field, of Hazelton, who passed through here a few weeks ago on his way to Victoria, has not been keeping too well lately and the state of his health is causing considerable apprehension. Mr. Field is getting well up in years, and had been in this northern country for very many years.

Mr. George Clothier, the provincial resident mining engineer here, has received a large number of ore specimens. There are 325 altogether in this collection, which will be available here for the education of prospectors. There are so many hitherto scarce and little used or known metals being used nowadays that prospectors would be well advised, when meeting with strange ore, to compare samples with those on exhibition at the mining engineer's office.

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ALEXANDER GRAYDON.
June 7th, 1918.

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

THE BRITISH CANADIAN LUMBER CORPORATION, LIMITED 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 District at Prince Rupert, B. C., a description of the site and the plan of wharf, buildings, etc., proposed to be built on Masset Inlet, Graham Island, in front of part of Lot 1438 (Timber License 6159 P) and Lot 2219 Queen Charlotte Islands District, B. C.

And take notice that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice The British Canadian Lumber Corporation, Limited will, under Section 7 of the said Act, apply to the City of Ottawa, for approval of the said site and plan and for leave to construct the said wharf, buildings, etc.

Dated Vancouver, B. C., this 16th day of May, 1918.

THE BRITISH CANADIAN LUMBER CORPORATION, LIMITED, by their agents, E. A. Cleveland, Civil Engineer and Surveyor, Vancouver, B. C.,

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S. T. Lewis, President.
April 2nd, 1918.



PUBLIC NOTICE
Military Service Act, 1917.

Men 19 and 20 Years of Age.
Harvest Leave.

Leave of Absence on Ground of Extreme Hardship.
Procedure to obtain Leave of Absence.

Men Nineteen and Twenty Years of Age.

It has come to the attention of the Government that there is a widespread impression that young men of nineteen years, and those who became twenty since October 13, 1917, as well as those who may become nineteen from time to time and who have been or will be called upon to register under the Military Service Act, are to be immediately called to the colours.

This impression is quite incorrect. No date has yet been fixed for calling upon such men to so report for duty, nor has the question been brought before the Cabinet for decision. In view of the need of labour on the farm, it is most unlikely that consideration will be given to the matter until after the harvest is over, although of course the Government's action must be determined primarily by the military situation.

There is no further obligation incumbent upon young men of the ages above mentioned who have registered or who do so hereafter, until they receive notice from the Registrars.

Harvest Leave.

Some enquiries have been received as to the possibility of granting harvest leave to such troops as may be in the country at that time. No definite assurance can be given on this point as advantage must be taken of ships as they become available. On the other hand, harvest leave will be given if at all possible.

Leave of Absence on Grounds of Extreme Hardship.

It is desired that the Regulations respecting leave of absence in cases of hardship should be widely known and fully understood. Such leave will be granted in two cases:— (a) where extreme hardship arises by reason of the fact that the man concerned is either the only son capable of earning a livelihood, of a father killed or disabled on service or presently in service overseas, or in training for such service, or under treatment after returning from overseas; or the only remaining of two or more brothers capable of earning a livelihood (the other brother or brothers having been killed or disabled on service, or being presently in service overseas, or in training for overseas or under treatment after his or their return from overseas); brothers married before 4th August, 1914, living in separate establishments and having a child or children not to be counted, in determining the fact that the man is the "only" remaining son or brother; (b) where extreme hardship arises by reason of exceptional circumstances such as the fact that the man concerned is the sole support of a widowed mother, an invalid father or other helpless dependents.

It is to be noted that in all these cases the governing factor is not hardship, loss or suffering to the individual concerned, but to others, that is, members of his family or those depending upon him.

Procedure to obtain leave of absence.

A simple system for dealing with these cases has been adopted. Forms of application have been supplied to every Depot Battalion and an officer of each battalion has been detailed whose duty it is to give them immediate attention. The man concerned should on reporting to his unit state that he desires to apply for leave of absence on one or more of the grounds mentioned and his application form will then be filled out and forwarded to Militia Headquarters, Ottawa. In the meantime, if the case appears meritorious, the man will be given provisional leave of absence for thirty days so that he may return home and continue his civil occupation while his case is being finally disposed of.

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