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BUSINESS OF PORT STEADILY INCREASING AS SHIPMENTS ARE MADE HERE FROM MANY SOURCES

Five through freights sent east every week in addition to regular time freights; much lumber, shingles, pulp, salmon and herring being shipped by way of Prince Rupert.

For the past few weeks there has been a marked advance in the shipment of goods through this port to the east. The merchants of the eastern provinces and the southern brokers are realizing the advantage of using the terminal facilities of this port. Large shipments of fish and lumber are very easily taken care of here and quick transit across continent means much to those who are in business.

Canadian salmon is being shipped just now in greater quantities than in any other preceding summer. Consignments from the Naas, Skeena River and the Queen Charlotte Islands are arriving steadily and the wharves are well filled with cases which have been landed here awaiting transfer to the railroad. The Alaska salmon pack will be a little late this year and shipments from the north are not arriving in very great quantities so far. However, very large shipments are expected in the next few weeks just as soon as the run has been taken care of in Alaskan waters.

Speed in Shipment.
 The mild cured herring which is such a popular dish with the prairie people and the Atlantic coast residents has been arriving very steadily from Alaska. Large shipments are being brought here by the Grand Trunk boats and by snow and ice.

The feature in the shipment of this sort of merchandise is that it reaches the east quickly. Herring which is loaded on to boats at Big Port Walters, Alaska, arrives on the New York market only sixteen days later. With the new car ferries completed it can easily be imagined just how much this will mean to the shippers who require service in as brief a time as possible.

Lumber and Pulp.
 Another commodity which is rapidly being railed over the G. T. P. is lumber and pulp and at the present time both the Prince Albert and the Tillamook are at Swanson Bay taking on full loads for this port. Shingles are arriving steadily and paper from Ocean Falls is very frequently brought to Prince Rupert on the large Grand Trunk steamers for eastern merchants. Firms such as T. Eaton Co. are realizing the advisability of making use of this fast service. Besides the two regular time freights more than

WILSON TELLS OF THE LEAGUE
 Japan's Promise to Return Shantung to China Was Entered in Minutes.
 (Special via G. T. P. Telegrams.)
 Washington, Aug. 21.—President Wilson interpreting the League of Nations covenant for the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, declared that it imposed no legal obligation for the United States military forces in protecting territory or the independence of any nation, but the covenant might involve action in certain circumstances. An "absolutely compelling moral obligation" is even stronger than a legal promise. Article 10 guaranteeing the integrity of the league members against aggression would leave to each nation complete freedom of choice as to the application of force.

INQUIRE INTO CAUSE OF WAR
 Germans Will Find Out Who is Responsible and it is Possible Punishments May Follow.
 Weimar, August 21.—A commission has been appointed by the German National Assembly to inquire into the responsibility for the war. The German people seem to be as keen as anyone just now to punish those who led them to national disaster.

CARNEGIE LEFT MANY MILLIONS
 (Special via G. T. P. Telegrams.)
 New York, Aug. 21.—Although Andrew Carnegie declared that he expected to give away his huge fortune and "die a pauper" his estate to be disposed by will is reported to be "several times \$50,000,000."

EMPIRESS
 New Show Tonight
 JEWEL PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS
Mrs. MILDRED HARRIS CHAPLIN
 in
"The Doctor and the Woman"
 5 Big Parts
 Vitaphone's Greatest Serial featuring
WILLIAM DUNCAN
 in
"A Fight for Millions"
 4th Episode
 Lyons and Moran Comedy
 9 Reel Show
 Admission 15 and 30 cents
 Two Shows, 7:15 and 9.

B. C. Undertakers. Phone 41.

PASSENGER RATES ON THE ATLANTIC TO BE INCREASED

Montreal, Aug. 21.—Commencing from this date it has been decided to increase all passenger rates on the north Atlantic between all points in France, Great Britain, United States and Canada. The increase will amount to a flat raise on minimum rates for all classes as follows: First class increase, \$15; second class, \$10, and third, \$5.

BRITISH PREMIER BIDS GOODBYE TO FRANCE



PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE BIDS FAREWELL TO FRANCE

SINKING OF RUSSIAN SHIPS IS CONFIRMED

Attack Was Part of Combined Effort Against Petrograd by Yudenitch.
 (Special via G. T. P. Telegrams.)
 London, Aug. 20.—The British Admiralty has officially confirmed the sinking on Monday of the Bolshevik battle cruiser Petropavlovsk, the battleship Andrea Parversuan, and a Bolshevik destroyer by British naval forces in the Gulf of Finland. Another Russian cruiser probably was seriously damaged.

EXPORT TRADE FALLING OFF
 Drop of \$42,000,000 During First Four Months of Fiscal Year.
 Ottawa, August 21.—For the first four months of the fiscal year ending with July, the total trade of the Dominion is \$657,787,357. This represents a falling away in trade of approximately \$42,000,000 compared with the same period last year when the value of the imports and exports was \$702,722,565.

CARPETS AND RUGS AT TITE'S
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Just arrived, men's dancing pumps. Family Shoe Store. If
 Ladysmith Coal. The best. Prince Rupert Coal Company, Phone 15.

RIDERS OF THE PURPLE SAGE
 A great Star, a great Story by a great Author, a great Cast and a great Director
WILLIAM FARNUM
 ZANE GREY, FRANK LLOYD, WILLIAM FOX
 Unquestionably the Western Film of all time
Charlie Chaplin in 'The Musical Tramp'
WESTHOLME TONIGHT
 Shows, 7 and 9.15 Admission, 30c and 15c

EIGHT U. S. CAVALRY TROOPS CHASING BANDITS IN MEXICO

ONE HUNDRED TANKS AND 3,000 RIFLES SHIPPED TO BORDER WITHIN PAST WEEK—AEROPLANES USED IN SCOUTING

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegrams.)

Columbus, August 21.—One hundred tanks of the one-man type and 3,000 rifles have been shipped from the army reserve depot here to forts near the Mexican border within the past week.

El Paso, August 21.—Four troops of the Eighth United States Cavalry, reinforced by four more airplanes from Fort Bliss, resumed the hunt for Mexican bandits which kidnapped Lieuts. Peterson and Davis.

El Paso, August 21.—(later) Eight cavalry troops have crossed into Mexico below Candelaria, Texas, in pursuit of the Mexican bandits. Aeroplanes scouted with the cavalry in an effort to pick up the trail of the bandits.

GERMANY HAS HER TROUBLES

Insurrection in Upper Silesia Causes Trouble in Industrial Districts.
 (Special via G. T. P. Telegrams.)

Berlin, August 21.—Despatches to the newspapers indicate that there is an insurrection in Upper Silesia in the industrial sections.

The German Government, which is at Weimar temporarily, has issued a statement declaring the military authorities masters of the situation.

SERIOUS FIRES IN THE STATES

In Northern Idaho and Montana Getting out of Control—Incendiaries in Woods.
 (Special by G. T. P. Telegrams.)

Missula, Mont., Aug. 21.—The general fire situation in Montana and northern Idaho was never so serious as it is today. New fires are breaking out and old blazes are getting out of control.

It is reported that incendiaries have set fires in the woods and in several instances have severed connection between the fire fighting crews and the rest of the world.

WORKMAN LOST ARM AT MILL

Was Injured by Moving Crane When on Gin Pole This Morning.
 John A. Wymes lost an arm today as the result of an accident at the Prince Rupert Spruce Mills, Ltd., at Seal Cove.

It seems that Wymes was working on construction-work at the top of a gin pole when his arm was caught and crushed between the post and the wheel of the moving overhead crane. He was at once rushed to the hospital where it was found that he had sustained a compound fracture of the left arm which was so badly injured that it had to be taken off.

Wymes is a carpenter, and Mr. Ewart, the manager, speaks most highly of him as an efficient workman. He has been with the company for about three months.

Public Meeting
 Will be held in the Council Chamber at 8 p. m. on
Friday, August 22
 The meeting will be addressed by **SERGEANT MAJOR JIMMIE ROBINSON, D.C.M.**, and his subject will be "Repatriation."

CURRIE EXTOLS CANADIAN ARMY

Inspector General of Canadian Forces Tells of Wonderful Work of His Command.
 (Special via G. T. P. Telegrams.)

"During the last three months of the war the Canadians fired 25 per cent of all the ammunition fired by the whole British army. I am glad to say that our army fought against the greatest military machine the world has ever produced, yet never lost a gun in the last two years, never failed to take an objective and some divisions never allowed a hostile foot to enter their trenches. We never lost an inch of ground we had once consolidated."

This was a statement made by Sir Arthur Currie, Inspector General of Canadian forces, before 700 people at Toronto Canadian Club.

NOMINATION TO SCHOOL BOARD

J. C. McLennan in the Field and Will be Elected Unless Another Candidate Enters on or Before Saturday at Noon.

Showing that interest is being taken in the forthcoming election of a member of the school board to take the place of Miss Davies who recently resigned, one nomination has already been received by Returning Officer E. A. Woods. The nomination is that of J. C. McLennan, who is proposed by D. G. Stewart and seconded by W. E. Williams.

Should there be no opposition, Mr. McLennan will be declared elected on Saturday. If another candidate appears the polling will take place on the following Wednesday.

INTERNATIONAL LOAN PLANNED

Sum of \$250,000,000 to be Raised by New Minister of Finance, Says New York.

New York, August 21.—The Dominion of Canada is planning an international loan of approximately \$250,000,000 and announcement of the terms will be one of the first important acts of Sir Henry Drayton, Minister of Finance.

According to preliminary information the new bonds will be offered to the public in October on a five and a half per cent basis without tax exemption features.

COMMISSIONER SOWTON BEING SENT TO SWEDEN

Toronto, Aug. 21.—Commissioner Charles Sowton of the Salvation Army in charge of the work in western Canada, has been selected to take charge of the army work in Sweden.