

# BRITISH CRUISER SANK BIG GERMAN ARMED SHIP

FRENCH GAVE UP BORDER CITIES WITHOUT FIRING A SHOT -- RUSSIANS HEADING FOR BERLIN

L. V., No. 199.

PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., THURSDAY, AUGUST 27, 1914.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

## DAILY NEWS' EXCLUSIVE SERVICE GETS PRINCE RUPERT LATEST WAR NEWS

The war news service which The Daily News gives Prince Rupert is absolutely the best news service ever given the public in this city. The Daily News has, ever since the great war started, issued from two to four editions every day, containing the war news right from the theatre of action. In addition to this, bulletins are issued, and it is through The News' service that Rupert has been able to keep posted on events as they occur.

On Tuesday afternoon the result of Sunday's big battle was announced exclusively through The Daily News service. Yesterday The Daily News issued three editions, each one having more up-to-the-minute war news than any other paper in the city.

Practically all the big events of the war have been announced first by The Daily News. They are procured by special service, and at a big expense.

If you want the latest news of the greatest war in the history of the world watch for the News Bulletins and The Daily News Extras.

## GREAT GERMAN CRUISER SUNK BY BRITISH BOAT

(Special to The News - 2:30 p.m.)

London, August 27.—The British cruiser Highflyer sank the North German Lloyd liner Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, off the West Coast of Africa today. This ship was formerly a palatial German steamer but was converted into an armed cruiser when the war broke out.

## RUSSIAN ARMY MOVING SWIFTLY THROUGH GERMANY

(Special to The News - 2:30 p.m.)

St. Petersburg, August 27.—The Russian invasion of Germany is proceeding swiftly.

After yesterday's defeat of the Germans, the Russians are now moving towards Danzig in the North and Marienburg in East Prussia.

Following the defeat of the Austrians the Russians are now twenty miles from Lemberg capital of Galicia.

## GERMANS CLAIM TAKEN FORTS AT LONGWY, FRANCE

(Special to The News. 11:30 a.m.)

Berlin, August 27.—By wireless via Sayville.—A statement is made here that all the forts of Namur have now fallen and the Germans have captured Longwy, a fortified town in France near the Luxembourg border.

The Germans are reported to have repulsed the French there.

Upper Alsace is now free of the French, except at points west of Kolmar.

## JAP WARSHIPS BLOCK GERMAN HARBOR IN CHINA

(Special to The News. 11:30 a.m.)

Tsing Tsu, August 27.—Vice Admiral Kato sent a wireless today to Governor Waldeck declaring a blockade of Kiau Ohau territory. Japanese warships are off the harbour and have shelled the small island.

## FRENCH DESTROY THIRD ZEPPELIN

Striking Evidence of the Failure  
of the German Air  
Tactics

London, August 27.—The announcement of the French war office that the German Zeppelin No. 8 has been shot down while coming from Strassburg is another striking evidence of the failure of German air tactics, from which so much had been expected. No Zeppelin has yet been able to rise to a sufficient height to escape the French artillery fire. This is the third Zeppelin destroyed since the beginning of the war. None of them have been able to venture more than a few miles over the frontier, though they possess motors of 800 horse power and are supposed to have a speed of fifty miles an hour.

## REPORT LEIPZIG OFF VANCOUVER ISLAND

Vancouver, August 27.—The German cruiser Leipzig is now reported in the vicinity of Vancouver Island. The Rainbow, which recently left Prince Rupert, is out looking for her.

## ONTARIO SENDS BRITAIN 250,000 BAGS OF FLOUR

Toronto, August 27.—The Province of Ontario is assisting Great Britain by sending one-quarter million bags of flour.



PREMIER ASQUITH

## BRITISH ENGAGED SUPERIOR FORCE-- FOUGHT SPLENDIDLY

(Special to The News - 2:30 p.m.)

London, August 27.—Premier Asquith, in the House of Commons today, said a message from General French reported that the British yesterday were engaged with superior German force. The British troops fought splendidly and the French considered the battle prospects satisfactory. He paid tribute to the efficiency of the French officers and men.

The House of Commons adopted the Asquith motion asking the King to convey his admiration to the King of Belgium on the Belgian resistance to the Germans. It deprecated also the German's brutality.

## PARIS PREPARES FOR A LONG SIEGE

(Special to The News - 2:30 p.m.)

Paris, August 27.—Paris is preparing for a possible siege. Leaders of the Socialists have entered the new war cabinet which has already been formed.

## OSTEND REPORTS LILLE FORT HAS FALLEN

(Special to The News. 11:30 a.m.)

London, August 27.—A despatch from Ostend today says the Germans have occupied Lille which is a strong fortress. It also claims they are in Valenciennes and Roubaix, all in the department of Nord, France, and not far from Calais.

The reports indicate that the German forces are pushing steadily south, despite the resistance of the Allies and are now one hundred and fifteen miles from Paris.

## ANOTHER MERCHANT STEAMER BLEW UP

(Special to The News. 11:30 a.m.)

London, August 27.—The Norwegian steamer Gomfried was blown up yesterday by a mine in the North Sea, placed there by the Germans in an effort to get the British men of war.

## HEROIC OFFICER BLOCKED TUNNEL BLEW UP FORT

London, August 27.—Correspondence from the front says: "The forts, which commands the railroad to Aix-La-Chapelle by Verviers and the tunnel to Chaudfontaine was subjected to a continual and extremely violent bombardment. When it was reduced to a mere heap of ruins, and Major Nameich, the commanding officer, judged that further resistance was impossible, he blocked up the tunnel by running several locomotives into each other and set fire to the fuses leading to the mines surrounding the forts."

"His mission then accomplished, Major Nameich determined that the German flag should not fly over the ruins of his fort, so he blew up the powder magazine and perished."

## HORSES FOR CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

Ottawa, August 27.—A movement is on foot in Western Ontario to get small towns, which wish to contribute to the cost of participation by Canada in the European war, and do not know how best to do so, to contribute horses. This movement was started last week by Sir Adam Beck, and already has been largely successful. The idea has been favorably received.

Pantorum Pioneer Cleaners.  
Phone 4.

## LATEST NEWS OF THE WAR

(FROM THE 8:30 O'CLOCK DAILY NEWS BULLETIN)

### GERMANS ON THE RUN

### OVER-SUBSCRIBED AGAIN

(Special to The News - 8:30 a.m.)  
St. Petersburg, August 27.—The Germans in Elbing District, West Prussia, near the Vistula River, are fleeing before the Russian advance.

### KING TO BE PATRON

(Special to The News - 8:30 a.m.)  
Ottawa, August 27.—The King has consented to become a patron of a Canadian patriotic fund in Toronto. The province of Ontario has made the first contribution to Imperial aid in the shape of a quarter of a million sacks of flour.

### FRENCH CABINET RESIGNS

(Special to The News - 8:30 a.m.)  
Paris, August 27.—The Ministry of Premier Viviani has resigned. Another was formed immediately.

The members of the Cabinet decided to resign collectively as the circumstances through which the country is passing requires machinery with a wider scope which will comprise all the best men of all the Republican groups.

### PROUD BELGIAN BLOOD

(Special to The News - 8:30 a.m.)  
Paris, August 27.—Prince Maurice has sent a telegram to the King of Belgium: "At this time when our east is darkly threatened by brute force, I wish to say to you how proud I am of the Belgian blood in my veins."

The King replied in a cordial tone.

### TORPEDO BOATS BATTLED

(Special to The News - 8:30 a.m.)  
Peking, August 27.—The only engagement reported near Tsing Tau is an encounter between the British torpedo boats and German torpedo boats. The latter returned to Wei Hai Wei with eleven men killed and wounded. The German casualties are unknown.

### FRENCH OFFICIAL REPORT

(Special to The News - 8:30 a.m.)  
Paris, August 27.—An official statement issued by the War Department says: "In North France the British line moved back a short distance in a general way. Our offensive between Nancy and Vosges makes a headway. Our right, however, has been obliged to fall back slightly in the region of St Die."

### NOTICE TO EAGLES

All members of the Fraternal Order of Eagles are requested to attend a meeting tomorrow evening at 8:30 in the K. of P. Hall.

198-99

## THREE ALLIES CRUISERS NOW AFTER GERMAN SHIP LEIPZIG

## OTTAWA DESPATCH CONFIRMS REPORT THAT RAINBOW IS CHASING GERMAN DOWN THE COAST

(Special to The News - 8:30 a.m.)

Ottawa, August 27.—The Naval Department confirms the despatch that the German cruiser Leipzig was seen Tuesday off the northern end of Vancouver Island. It is thought the cruiser either had an appointment to meet a collier in a quiet harbor

somewhere along the coast, or the Germans planned to intercept a British steamer on the Vancouver-Yokohama run and empty her bunkers.

Three cruisers are after the Leipzig. They are the Canadian cruiser Rainbow, the British cruiser Newcastle, and the Japanese cruiser Idzumo.

### SPECIAL AT THE ROYAL FRUIT MARKET

EXTRA FANCY TOMATOES, 2 POUNDS FOR 25C  
REGULAR 40C ORANGES NOW 25C PER DOZEN

## SIAN INVASION PRUSSIA IS ALMOST IRRESISTABLE

RUSSIAN ARMY PRESSING FORWARD THROUGH  
PRUSSIA AND GALACIA -- ON TO BERLIN

(Special to The News. 11:30 a.m.)

Osterode, one hundred miles west of Gubineen.

The Austrians have evacuated Sanjakof and Novibazar.

It will apparently now be a race into Berlin before the Germans get into Paris.

### NOTICE

### NEW REGIMENT

LISTS HAVE BEEN OPENED AT PECK, MOORE & CO.'S OFFICE, THE GOVERNMENT OFFICE AND THE POLICE STATION TO RECEIVE APPLICATIONS FROM THOSE WHO WISH TO JOIN THE NEW REGIMENT OF MILITIA THAT IS TO BE FORMED HERE.

C. W. PECK.

## THE DAILY NEWS

THE LEADING NEWSPAPER IN NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA  
Published Daily and Weekly by  
THE PRINCE RUPERT PUBLISHING CO. LTD., PRINCE RUPERT, B.C.

HEAD OFFICE

Daily News Building, 3rd Ave, Prince Rupert, B.C. Telephone 98.

DAILY EDITION

Thursday, August 27, 1914

The part played by the British Dominions in the present war shows that the contention of many that ties of affection are stronger than those of iron is correct. There are some who believe that a federation of the Empire is desirable in which each member would have specified rights and set limits. Such a state of affairs would almost be certain to cause friction and strife. Under the present arrangement each part of the Empire is allowed to develop along its own individual lines while the ties of blood and common heritage make them a solid unit in the presence of their foe. The Dominions are like the grown-up sons of a family who will be more prosperous and better allies when thrown upon their own resources than if they were curtailed by paternal ties. A son tied to his mother's apron strings never amounts to anything. Let the British Dominions retain their autonomy and the ties of kith and kin will take care of the rest.

Without any assurances that the city will get the War's Channel power we are called upon to pay the sum of \$4,000 as initial fees. Already this year the government has insisted on the city paying a forced loan by discounting treasury certificates making the interest to the city over ten per cent. It would appear that there is no pity for Prince Rupert. Indeed, the recent action of the Government is about as severe as the war levy of the German army. There can be no possible excuse for the Government charging the city this fee. The water belongs to the people and should be reserved free of cost for the nearest municipality that can

use it. Especially in a time of stringency it is nothing short of an outrage to demand this money.

Will somebody send an alienist around to see what is the matter with the Editor of the Empire. The ordinary physician cannot prescribe...

Who would not offer a word for the women of Europe—the women who must work now and who will weep later; the women who will find labor instead of glory in the great war; the women who must sacrifice themselves without hope of reward; the women who must always look at the grim, hopeless side of things, and who are never enthused or encouraged by the tinsel, the glamor and the roar that drive men on.

Old soldiers say that when the guns begin to boom and the bullets to whistle, even raw recruits forget to feel afraid; that there is a fascination about the noise and confusion that hypnotizes them into action.

What about the women? For them there is no noise and confusion. They realize that war is on only when the wounded and dead are brought home to recuperate or to be buried; when flour gets scarce or when the son sends a missive penned by another's hand; when the husband indites a loving message to his children on the eve of a great battle which warns him he will not return alive.

We read with thrills about concentration here, of skirmishes there, and of all the other phases and activities that go to make up the great military game that is being played by millions of men. What

## SHOALS OF HERRING WASTED IN B.C.

## NEGLECTED OPPORTUNITIES IN PACIFIC COAST FISHERIES—OPENINGS IN CANNING INDUSTRY

Washington, D.C., August 27.—A late issue of the U.S. Consular and Trade Report has the following article concerning the fisheries business in B.C.:

Notwithstanding the fact that the fisheries business has made rapid progress in British Columbia in recent years, and now constitutes one of the most important branches of industry in the Province, there are still excellent opportunities for building up a profitable trade in canning certain kinds of fish. It is the opinion of those who are familiar with conditions that scarcely a beginning has been made in commercially exploiting the many varieties of fish which abound in these waters. Vast shoals of herring run for months every year in the hundreds of bays and inlets along the thousand miles of British Columbia's sheltered sea coast. They teem in shoals in Nanaimo, Pender and Prince Rupert harbours, Quatsino sound, and many other harbours and bays, from the Fraser River to the Alaskan boundary. Every year thousands of tons of herring are swept in by the tides to be left stranded and dying on the shores of a hundred bays. This is a great waste of material and opportunity which does not seem to have been taken into account by those who are interested in the fisheries industry.

## INTEREST CENTRES IN SALMON FISHING

The interest in the British Columbia fishing industry has so far been centered almost entirely in salmon packing, and there is no lack of capital and enterprise in that particular branch, which has been exploited to the neglect of other important features of the business. The season of the salmon run is short, and the canneries are closed down during most of the year, while herring can be taken all the year round along the entire coast, although the heavy run is during the winter months. This would enable the factories to continue operations throughout the year and would obviate, to a large extent, the difficulty of securing a sufficient number of hands to handle the business during the high season in the salmon-canning industry.

It is only in recent years that halibut have been taken in commercial quantities on the British Columbia Coast, and, so far, the packing of sardines is practically an untried enterprise. The herring, which are caught in large quantities, are now mainly used as bait in the halibut fisheries, and for that purpose only the larger fish are kept. Nothing is done with the smaller ones, which could be packed for sardines. There are, along the Provincial coast, scores of fine sites for sardine factories, where the fish could be caught in adjacent waters in unlimited quantities and at small expense.



CHIEF OF VALIANT BELGIANS

King Albert and his staff. King Albert has said that he will shoulder a gun himself if needed to protect Belgium.

## WESTERN COAL TRADE MAY SUFFER COMPETITION

Vancouver, August 27.—Revolution threatens the coal trade of the Pacific Coast on the opening of the Panama Canal. Eastern Canadian and Virginian coal companies propose to deliver coal at the Pacific end of the Canal at \$4.15 per ton, and at Vancouver at \$5 a ton. This means that the Vancouver Island coal companies will have to operate under improved conditions to hold their trade, especially in the Coast markets between here and Panama. To do this the cost of living and labor conditions must approximate those of the East, with which Western coal will come into direct competition.

## SEATTLE PRICES HIGH

Seattle, August 27.—With sugar now retailing in the United States at the highest figure since the Civil War, with the beet sugar crop in continental Europe practically ruined and the United Kingdom compelled to bid against American buyers in Cuba for the 170,000 tons per month consumed by that Kingdom, commercial experts in Seattle today freely predicted that the saccharine commodity locally would reach the price of \$10 per hundred lbs., or 10 cents per pound, before the end of the present season.

## BAD CONDITIONS PREVAIL

London, August 27.—"There appears to be very little exaggeration in the account of the bad commissariat arrangements in the German army," says the Antwerp correspondent of The Times. Prisoners brought in by the French yesterday had beets and carrots in their knapsacks. They had been living on these for several days. On the other hand, the French commissariat is now working splendidly.

## JANITOR WANTED

Applications will be received up to August 25th for the position of janitor for the Borden Street School, duties to commence September 1st. Salary \$50 per month.

W. D. VANCE,  
193-9 Box 1605

## HIGH-GRADE WORK

Plumbing, Steamfitting  
and sheet metal work

at fair prices

Western Plumbing Co., Ltd

Household goods and furniture as good as new at half price.

Crosby's Second Hand Store, 839 Third Avenue.

153-1f

Tasty 35c lunch at the Royal Cafe.

## ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY

ROOMS:  
Second Avenue, Opposite Empress Theatre  
Rooms open from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m.  
Visiting Scotsmen are cordially invited.  
For rates for hall rent apply secretary.  
S. D. MACDONALD, CHAS. DENNIS,  
President Secretary

## FOR SALE

Very latest blue prints of  
OIL DISTRICT  
ON GRAHAM ISLAND AT  
GOLD BELT REALTY CO  
307 SIXTH STREET

## 400 CORDS WOOD

## PATTULLO &amp; RADFORD

SECOND AVENUE

## MARTIN &amp; M'GOWAN

LAIN AND ORNAMENTAL PLASTERERS  
Cement, Brick and Tile Work  
Estimates Furnished  
Phone Blue 329

## PRINCE RUPERT DAIRY CO.

FOR GUARANTEED PURE MILK  
AND CREAM

All cows government tested. Everything sanitary and open for inspection. Every bottle subjected to 100 degrees heat. Our plant the only plant in the city doing this. Orders delivered or can be had at Knott's Bakery, Spurr's Fish Market, Stalker & Wells, Fulton Cash Market and Northern Meat Market.

Phone Green 252. Barn at Park Ave

## DR. GILROY, DENTIST

Crown and Bridge Work a Specialty.

Office: Smith Blk., Third Avenue

## UNION TRANSFER CO

GENERAL TRANSFER AND STORAGE  
South Wellington Coal

PHONES: 36 Office. RESIDENCE 110  
233 Second Avenue PRINCE RUPERT

## BOAT BUILDER

H. JOHNSTON

Seal Cove Phone Green 321

## RITCHIE, AGNEW &amp; CO.

Civil Engineers and B.C. Land Surveyors

Waterworks, Water Power, Wharf Construction, Land Surveying, Mine Surveying, Townsites and Subdivisions, Electric Blue Printing, Negatives and White Prints.

McBride St., Prince Rupert, B.C. Phone 525 1st Ave., Manson

Drawn for The Daily News by "H."

## RIGHT FROM THE FRYING PAN INTO THE FIRE



## GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC

## STEAMER PRINCE JOHN

Leaves for VANCOUVER and VICTORIA, making connections for SEATTLE on Tuesday, Sept. 1, 15, etc., 9 p.m. Fortnightly Service also maintained to Granby, Stewart, Masset, Queen Charlotte City, etc.

## LOW EXCURSION RATES

TO EASTERN CANADA and UNITED STATES on sale until September 15, good return until October 1st. Passenger Trains leave for the EAST on MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS and SATURDAYS, AT 10 A.M. For through tickets to any point and full information, apply to ALBERT DAVIDSON, G. T. P. TICKET OFFICE Agency all Atlantic Steamship Lines

## GRAND TRUNK SYSTEM

boce 554 P.O. Box  
for  
APERHANGING  
AINTING  
OLISHING AND  
WALL TINTING  
Sign grade stenc  
coating a specia

Martin Swanson  
Second Avenue, near McBride

New Wellington Coal  
The favorite Household Coal  
Cleanest, Brightest, Best

NEW WELLINGTON COAL  
Rogers & Albert, Agg.  
Second Avenue

FURNISHED  
APARTMENTS  
in two and three-room suits  
J. E. DYER, Phone Black 114

SMITH & MALLETT  
Largest stock of Pipe and  
Valve fittings, Pipe Cut to Order,  
Third Ave., Head of Street  
Prince Rupert

D. C. STUART  
Accountant  
209 2nd Ave. M  
PRINCE RUPERT, B.C.

ALEX. M. MADSON, B.A.  
W. E. WILLIAMS, LL.B.  
WILLIAMS & SANSON  
Barristers, Solicitors, Esq.

MONEY TO LOAN  
Box 1585  
Helgeson Block  
Prince Rupert

OFFICE CORNER 2ND STREET AND 20TH  
GENERAL CARGO  
LADYSMITH COAL  
93—Phone 83

P. ROBERTSON  
Chartered Accountant  
Audits, Investigations, Adjustments  
and Assignments  
Smith Block, 3rd Ave., Prince Rupert

JOHN CURRIE  
Contractor & Builder  
Estimates Given on Moving Buildings  
Phone Black 294

IMPERIAL MACHINE  
Repairing Quickly Done  
COW BAY PHONE RED

JAMES GILMORE  
Architect  
2nd Avenue, near McBride

A. IVARSON & CO.  
Blacksmiths & Horseshoe  
Boat Work

# digestive Disorders Yield When

right help is sought at the right Indigestion is a torment. Business causes suffering. Either likely to lead to worse and weakening sickness. The right help, best corrective for disordered conditions of the stomach, liver, eyes or bowels is now known to be

# Beecham's Pills

the right time to take this family remedy is at the first of coming trouble. Beecham's have so immediate an effect good, by cleansing the system purifying the blood, that you know after a few doses they

# are the Remedial Resort

Sale of Any Medicine in the World.  
everywhere. In boxes, 25 cents

P.O. Box 1704

SAVOY HOTEL

FIRST CLASS CUISINE

and Cold Running Water in all Rooms

finest brands of Liquors and Cigars kept

BEST HOTEL IN NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA

MUDHOMME & FISHER

Proprietors

# tel : Directory

ers P.R.L. Vintners Association

WINDSOR HOTEL

of First Ave. and Eighth St.

W. H. Wright, Prop.

HOTEL CENTRAL

First Avenue and Seventh St.

European and American Plan

Peter Black, Prop.

KNOX HOTEL

Ave., Between Eighth and Ninth

Plan, Rates 50c to \$1.00

Per Day

Bauer & Bauer, Prop.

ROYAL HOTEL

Corty & Burgess, Props.

Third Ave. and Sixth St.

Plan, Steam Heated

ER WHOLESALE LIQUOR CO., LIMITED

Second Ave. and Sixth St.

Phone 102

ICE RUPERT IMPORTING CO., LIMITED

Fraser and Sixth Sts.

Phone 7

SEEDS! SEEDS!

Received our 1914 Spring

Seeds

D. GARDEN, AND

FLOWER SEEDS

Agents for

DOMINION NURSERY &

ORCHARDS CO.

Dealers in Feed of all kinds

DKEN FEED A SPECIALTY

Orders promptly attended to

Rupert Feed Co.

Third Ave. Phone Black 268

FOR A TAXI

75--PHONE--75

INCE RUPERT AUTO CO

\*\*\*\*\*

IAN PACIFIC RLY.

SUMMER EXCURSIONS FROM

PRINCE RUPERT TO

MONTREAL and return... \$141.00

PAUL and return... 128.00

CAIGA and return... 96.00

W YORK and return... 144.50

points correspondingly low

June 1st. Final return

limit October 31st.

Princess May southbound

Saturday noon

Princess Royal, Southbound

Sunday, 8 p.m.

J. G. McNAB, General Agent

for Fourth Street and Third Ave

# LATE WAR NEWS HAPPENINGS

FROM YESTERDAY'S 4 O'CLOCK EXTRA EDITION

## BRITISH BORE BRUNT FIGHT -- PILES OF CORPSES

(Special to THE NEWS)

London, August 26.—Reuter's Agency here says the French artillery annihilated the German cavalry division raiding French territory. The same despatch says that during the battle at Mons on Saturday and Sunday the British bore the brunt of six furious attacks and raised a veritable hecatomb of German corpses.

## FOUR O'CLOCK WAR BULLETINS

MAKE DESPERATE EFFORT

It is believed that the German onslaught in southwestern Belgium has spent itself. If the Allies can hold them back today they may assume the aggressive.

The Germans are hurling their whole force on the allied front. They are not even keeping troops to defend their line of communication at the rear.

FRENCH MAKE PROGRESS

The French troops are making some progress in the fighting in Lorraine. Germans were repulsed in an attack on the French frontier Tuesday.

WANT OSTEND

Germany is reported to be ready to occupy Ostend to use it as a naval base for operations against England. Ostend is only 65 miles from the English coast, but it is also open to attack by the British fleet.

RUSSIANS ON TO DANZIG

The Russian Vilna army has reached Marienburg which is only twenty-five miles from Danzig, Germany, one of the big German cities on the Baltic Sea. This practically surrounds the Province of East Prussia with Russia forces.

RUSSIA INVADING GERMANY

St. Petersburg, August 26.—The right wing of the great Russian army is invading Prussia and the left wing is entering Galicia. The great center force is moving on Posen.

## JAP ATTACK ON TSING TAU FAILED --SEIGE STARTED

(Special to THE NEWS)

New York, August 26.—The attack on Tsing Tau, the fortified port of Kiao Chau, has failed according to the German Embassy statement here. The Japanese are now preparing to make a lengthy siege of the port.

The Prince Rupert Towing Co., general towing; the new crude oil tug "P.R.T. No. 4," Phone Red 394 or Black 322. Address: P.O. Box 96. Agency for the "Avance" Crude Oil Motor. 165tf. 139-tf. Phone 489. 168tf.

## GREAT BATTLE TO-DAY

## GERMANS ARE RETIRING FROM SOUTH FRONTIER

London, August 26.—The Official War Bureau says the Germans have retired all along the line after the repulse of their attack on the French southern frontier, meaning in Alsace and Lorraine.

## ASQUITH SAYS BRITAIN NEEDS 600,000 MEN

London, August 26.—Premier Asquith said in the House of Commons today that it is a mistake to think that only one hundred thousand men are needed beyond the regular army. He believed six times that many men will be added to the British army.

## AIRSHIPS ARE DROPPING BOMBS IN ANTWERP CITY

London, August 26.—The city of Antwerp is protesting against the Zeppelin airships dropping bombs in the city as being against the rules of the Hague Articles.

Nearly nine hundred houses are said to be damaged, sixty of them being destroyed. Twenty-six lives were lost by exploding bombs.

Ottawa, August 26.—The Canadian contingent will form a part of an Overseas force of over 100,000 men. Australia will send 30,000; India 40,000; New Zealand, 8,000, and South Africa 10,000 Boer war veterans.

## ADMIRAL SAMPSON SUNK NEAR SEATTLE

Later particulars state the collision took place in a fog at six o'clock this morning. The Admiral Sampson sank in four minutes, and the work of rescue was hurried. It was first reported the loss of life was 17.

TEN LIVES LOST

Ten lives were lost with the sinking of the Admiral Sampson. Eight were officers and crew and two were passengers.

The dead include Captain Z. S. Moore, who could have saved himself, but declared he would go down with the ship; Third Officer L. Cocams; Wireless Operator W. E. Ricker, Stewardess Miss Campbell; Seaman C. Marquette; Watchman, A. Sater; Chief Engineer Allen J. Noon; and Mess Boy J. R. Williams.

When the collision took place with the Princess Victoria, J. Byrne, a passenger was covered with flames and died after the Victoria arrived with the survivors in Seattle. The other passengers drowned are unknown. The Victoria is damaged above the water line.

Chance to Make Money

Money is tight and I need it, so here's an offer: Up to August 1st I will supply my regular \$25 heating coil for \$15. I guarantee this to boil water in fifteen minutes, and not to affect the oven. Forty now in use and giving entire satisfaction. Ask for references. The reliable plumber, Harry Hanson, P. O. Box 395. Phone 489. 168tf.

Brokers have received inquiries from more than a score of exporters, who are anxious to charter vessels, and it is believed that in ten days a big fleet will be engaged in the coal trade.

Two other vessels, both flying neutral flags, were chartered for South America, one for the River Plate and another for Rio de Janeiro. A third neutral vessel will carry a cargo of coal for Christiania. This Las Palmas and Christiania business is the first to be received by American exporters, and is said to be due to the difficulty experienced in obtaining English coal.

Brokers have received inquiries from more than a score of exporters, who are anxious to charter vessels, and it is believed that in ten days a big fleet will be engaged in the coal trade.

The Victoria is damaged above the water line.

</

# In the Letter Box!

## GRATEFUL FOR COURTESIES

Prince Rupert, Aug. 27.  
To the Editor, The Daily News,  
Prince Rupert, B.C.

Dear Sir:—We should feel grateful if you would, through the columns of your paper, thank the Colonel and officers of the Irish Fusiliers for the way in which they received and treated some of the survivors of the Prince Albert.

Some of us on landing went to see Col. McSpadden, who in his usual kind hearted way presented us with money to buy dry clothes with and furnished us with bread and lodging. Both the officers of the Fusiliers on the Prince John who came to our rescue, and the officers and men in the barracks were untiring in their efforts to make us at home.

## TWO SURVIVORS.

## FROM THE BISHOP

To the Editor.

Sir.—In this terrible war now raging, the Emperor of Germany appeals to God. The Czar of Russia appeals to God. The King of Great Britain and Ireland and the British Dominions over the Seas appeals to God.

The sceptic scoffs and says God will have a hard time answering all. Many people feel confused and yet in ordinary life we are all familiar with the case of two parties in a dispute appealing to a judge, each fighting his cause most warmly confident that he is in the right but leaving it to the judge with his calm mind and unbiased judgment to decide the issue, and so there need be nothing bewildering to us when those in this great conflict who take different sides appeal to the Sovereign Lord of the universe and the Judge of all mankind. In the calm mind of the Eternal there is no heated prejudice. He can over-rule the wild

## NOTICE

The Presbyterian S.S. picnic will be held Saturday, August 29. Boats leave Government Wharf at 1:30. Members are requested to bring baskets. Programme of sports and prizes given. 199-01

Smartly cut, the latest styles ladies' new fall coats at moderate prices. Wallace's. 198tf.

# LUMBER

## SHINGLES, MOULDINGS, SASH, DOORS

## PRINCE RUPERT LUMBER CO.

A. J. BURROUGHS, Manager  
1st Ave. and McBride St.  
PHONE 25

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C.  
Branch Yard at Smithers

## THE UNION STEAMSHIP CO., OF B.C., LIMITED

### S.S. VENTURE

Sails for Port Simpson, Mill Bay, Naas River, Thursdays, for Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle, every Friday, 4 p.m.

### S.S. CHELOHSIN

Sails for Granby Bay, Naas River, Sunday midnight; for Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle, Every Tuesday at 9 p.m.

Agency: American Express, Atlantic Steamers

PHONE 568 JOHN BARNESLEY, Agent, SECOND AVE.

# BIRKS'

## SILVER FLAT WARE

is made in substantial weights and dignified designs—it is beautiful finished and possesses a lasting strength which assures perfect satisfaction to the purchaser.

We are the only Silver Manufacturers in Canada selling direct to the consumer.

Out-of-Town buyers should write for our catalogue which illustrates and describes our fine family patterns in both Sterling Silver and Silver Plate. All orders prepaid to any point in B.C.

**Henry Birks & Sons, Limited**  
JEWELLERS AND SILVERSMITHS  
Geo. E. Tracy, Managing Director

VANCOUVER, B.C.

**Read The Daily News**  
For the Lastest Happenings of the War

## CARDINALS TO MEET MONDAY TO NAME POPE

London, August 27.—A Rome dispatch to The Exchange Telegraph Company, says it is announced by the cardinal who administers the Holy See on the death of the Pope, that the conclave of cardinals will begin August 31, and it is expected that the new pope will be elected by September 3 or 4.

Cardinal Francesco Della Volpe, as camerlengo (chancellor), is now the acting head of the Roman Catholic Church. He will conduct affairs until the conclave elects a new pope. He is 69 years old. He was at the time of his elevation to the cardinalate the maggiordomo of the Pope and controlled the whole administration of the papal residence, supervising the Vatican employees. He had held that position for eight years, having previously been the maestro di camera, the official who has charge of arranging for papal audiences. Many Americans who visited Rome when Cardinal Della Volpe held this office remember his affable manner and courteous attention. He has spent all his life in Rome. He is archbishop of Bologna.

## SOLDIERS GUESTS OF WESTHOLME THEATRE

A large number of the Irish Fusiliers and the staff of the hospital ship Prince George were guests last night of the Westholme Theatre. This was a very happy thought of the theatre management who appreciate the universal popularity of the soldiers. The soldiers on duty last night will in turn be the guests of the Theatre tonight. The pictures showed the review of the British and French troops, some of which were taken from an aeroplane above. The appearance of King George at certain points in the review brought forth peals of cheers. Patriotic songs were sung during which everybody sprang to their feet. These exercises will be repeated tonight.

## POLICE COMMISSION AFTER BOOZE DISPENSERS

The city police commission met yesterday afternoon when the chief reported on the escape of the prisoner Ellis. The man was being used as a trusty to take out ashes and carry coal. When he went for coal he ran up over the hill back of the city hall and got away. The officer in charge was fired.

The police expect to get the man as he was reported having crossed Zanardi bridge. The commission confirmed the chief's action.

The question of the illegal selling of booze on Comox avenue was discussed and the police were asked to take strict measures to stop it. Recommendations in compliance with this effort will be made to the license commission.

## PROTEST FROM EMBASSIES

(Special to The News - 8:30 a.m.)  
Antwerp, August 27.—The ministers of the foreign Powers have protested against the bombardment of Antwerp by Zeppelin dirigible balloons.

Not stopped by war: Every boat brings new fall goods to Wallace's. 198tf

Everything in season cooked the way you like it. London Cafe.

## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Effective Monday, August 10th, Household Coal will be \$1 per ton delivered in Sections 1, 5, 6; \$1.00 per ton delivered in Sections 2, 7. COAL WILL BE SOLD FOR STRICTLY CASH. NO BACKS WILL BE LEFT.

NEW WELLINGTON COAL CO., LINDSAY'S CARTAGE & STAGE FAR WEST FUEL COMPANY PACIFIC CARTAGE LIMITED

## FOR SALE

### Second-hand Gasoline Engines

One 30 H.P. 2 cyl. Fairbanks Morse, with equipment. One 18 H.P. 2 cyl. Buffalo, with equipment.

AKERBERG, THOMSON & CO.

Agents for Union, Kelvin, Fisher, Anderson and Ferro Marine Gasoline Engines. Bolinder & Nelsco Crude Oil Engines. Also Foss Stationary Engine

## GILLETTS EATS LYME DIRT CLEANS-DISINFECTS

## PROMISCUOUS DANCING A SIGN OF SAVAGERY

Sermon Preached by Rev. Sydney Strong at Queen Anne Church

Seattle, August 27.—Rev. Dr. Sydney Strong, preaching at the Queen Anne Congregational Church on the subject "The Sign of the Savage as Seen in Modern Society," rapped men's and women's modern attire and the modern dance. Dr. Strong's sermon, in part, follows:

"The ancestors of the most of us, a few centuries ago, were savages. If you were fortunate to have as your ancestors Italians or Jews, or more especially Chinese, then would this period of ancestral experience be pushed back to a remote period. But if your ancestors were mere Englishmen or Germans or Scandinavians, then were they savages in recent centuries."

"The native tribes of South Africa often complained most bitterly of missionaries because they were made to work. The comment of an African savage on visiting Cape Town, after seeing the big buildings, car lines, parks etc., was characteristic. 'Ugh!' he said, 'what work these white men make for themselves!'

## ELECTRIC CURRENT IN WIRE FENCES

Furious Charge of Germans Results in Rout in Front of Liege Forts

Paris, August 27.—The Petit Journal publishes the following details of the fighting around Liege, obtained from a Belgian officer:

"German troops rushed on the barbed wire defences before the forts of Liege in the darkness of night. A strong current of electricity was being maintained in those wires and as a result the first ranks of the Germans were electrocuted."

"Unchecked, the assailants formed en masse, but they were blinded by the glare of powerful searchlights. They hesitated and started to retire. At that moment a heavy fire of rifles and artillery was concentrated on the mass of German troops and they were cut to pieces. The mass of bodies formed a mound, in some places many feet high."

"To drown out the groans of the wounded, the bugles sounded martial airs and the troops still alive joined in cheering."

## GERMAN ATTACKS ON FRENCH FRONTIER WERE ALL REPULSED

London, August 27.—The German forces who have delivered an attack on the French frontier were repulsed all along the line. This information is given by the official bureau yesterday afternoon.

It is officially announced that on August 25th the French on the northern frontier of Belgium were attacked in force by the Germans. The attack was repulsed and the enemy retired all along the line.

## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

This is to warn the public that patent is now pending for a patent on a coil I am installing in kitchen stoves and ranges, and anyone installing such coil or infringement on said coil, or any one having this installed, will be subject to be sued for damages upon my receiving patent papers.

Price until September 15th will be \$15.00. The Reliable Plumber, HARRY HANSON, Phone 489.

## MONTELEGRIOS CAPTURE 8,000 SERVIAN PRISONERS

(Special to THE NEWS)

Paris, August 27.—The Montenegro claim to have captured 8,000 Austrian prisoners after a desperate battle had been fought.

## BRANDS ASTROLOGY AS ONLY A WEAK SUPERSTITION

Washington, Aug. 27.—Astrology is branded as a superstition by the Department of Agriculture in its current weekly news letter.

Discussing the question of whether the planets affect the weather, the Department declared "the belief still to be found in all countries, that the planets and the moon do affect the weather never had any scientific basis whatever. It is only a remnant of the many superstitions generated and fostered by that other greater superstition, astrology."

## PRINCE RUPERT BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Otto D. Jurgs and their niece, Miss Muck, leave today for a visit in Portland.

Among the passengers to Masset last evening were: Mr. Satterthwaite, Mr. Cramer and Mr. McIntosh.

W. S. Marshall, manager of the Prince Rupert Importing Company, returned to the city last evening from his home in Hamilton where he has been for some months.

The City of Seattle will be in today southbound. Among the passengers out will be Miss Mary Lillie, S. F. Mongin, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jurgs, Miss Margaret Muck, Miss Elsie Savan, H. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mellish.

## BUSY SESSION AT POLICE COURT TODAY

The police court had a busy session this morning and gathered in nearly \$100 in fines. Most of the cases were only minor offenses.

May Brown was charged \$25 for conducting a bawdy house.

Pete George paid \$20 for keeping a gaming house. Two others found on the premises were fined \$10 each.

Pete Close was fined \$5 for fighting.

Mary Wesley, an Indian woman was charged \$40 for being d. and d. Three other drunks were charged \$5 each.

## LADIES' AID ELECT OFFICERS

The semi-annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church was held yesterday in the Church Hall. The following officers were elected:

Mrs. H. R. Grant, honorary president.

Mrs. Reddie, president.  
Mrs. Arnold, vice-president.  
Mrs. Sinclair, secretary.  
Mrs. D. C. McRae, treasurer.



## FIRE ALARM SYSTEM

### CIRCUIT NO. 1.

Box 12—5th St. and 3rd Ave.  
Box 13—6th St. and 3rd Ave.  
Box 14—7th St. and 3rd Ave.  
Box 15—Junction of 1st, 2nd and 3rd Aves.  
Box 16—1st Ave., between 8th and 9th Sts. (Knot Hotel)  
Box 17—1st Ave. and 7th St. (Central Hotel)

### CIRCUIT NO. 2.

Box 22—3rd Ave. and 3rd St. (Post Office)  
Box 23—3rd Ave. and McBride St.  
Box 24—1st Ave. and McBride St.  
Box 25—2nd Ave. and 2nd St.  
Box 26—2nd Ave. and 6th St.  
Box 27—Q. T. P.

### CIRCUIT NO. 3.

Box 31—5th Ave. and Fulton St.  
Box 32—Borden and Taylor Sts.  
Box 34—7th Ave. and Fulton St.  
Box 35—9th Ave. and Comox Ave.  
Box 37—8th Ave. and Dodge Pl.  
Box 38—6th Ave. and Thompson St.

### CIRCUIT NO. 4.

Box 41—4th Ave. and Emmerson Pl.  
Box 42—5th Ave. and McBride St.  
Box 43—5th Ave. and Green St.  
Box 44—6th Ave. and Basalt St.  
Box 45—7th Ave. and Everts St.  
Box 141—7th Ave. and Young St.

## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Try Smith & Killas' ice cream.

Constantly arriving: New fall goods. Wallace's. 198tf

The Spokane was in port last evening northbound.

Wanted, a boy; reference required. Apply 824 Third Avenue.

Come and see them—ladies' new fall coats. Wallace's. 198tf

We sell for less, terms cash. Fuller's Grocery, 311 Third Ave.

193tf.

Special bargains in kitchen graniteware at Wallace's. 198tf

Born to Mr. and Mrs. N. Scheiman on Thursday, August 27th, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto D. Jurgs and their niece, Miss Muck, leave today for a visit in Portland.

E. E. Confectionery sells high class ice cream in bricks; also pure candies. 155tf.

Jobs of all descriptions about houses and offices. Phone Fritz, 583.

193-5.

Norfolk Rooms. Steam heated, hot and cold water. Terms reasonable. 6th Ave. and Fulton.

A variety department that contains many money savers for you at Wallace's. 198tf.

The big Cunard line steamships have resumed their regular sailings from New York to Liverpool. The Mauretania sails on September 9 from New York, and the Lusitania leaves later.

General Supt. W. G. C. Mehan is up the line to meet B. B. Kellogg, chief engineer, and H. A. Woods the assistant chief engineer. They will arrive in Prince Rupert tonight or tomorrow.

General Supt. W. G. C. Mehan is up the line to meet B. B. Kellogg, chief engineer, and H. A. Woods the assistant chief engineer. They will arrive in Prince Rupert tonight or tomorrow.