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VANCOUVER MOUNTED TROOPS WILL GO TO THE WAR

THE KAISER'S ORDERS TO "CUT A PATH TO THE COAST" IS BEING FRUSTRATED BY THE ALLIES

MOUNTED CORPS BEEN ASSURED FOR VANCOUVER

COLONEL JAMES McDONALD NOW IN OTTAWA MAKING THE FINAL ARRANGEMENTS — WILL LIKELY INCLUDE RECRUITS FROM PRINCE RUPERT.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Since the first announcement that Colonel James McDonald, of Vancouver, was to recruit a mounted corps for the front very little had been heard about it and there was some doubt expressed about its feasibility. It is now known definitely that the corps will be sent. A letter received through private channels from Major W. D. Bruce, second in command, gives this assurance.

He says that Colonel McDonald is now in Ottawa making final arrangements and that in about ten days full particulars will be known and given the widest publicity.
It is understood that there are a number of applications from local people and that in all probability they will be accepted. There are quite a few good riders in this city who would make splendid recruits.

FOUR GERMAN TORPEDO BOAT DESTROYERS SUNK BY THE BRITISH

New Type of Warship With Great Speed Did The Trick--- It Was Her Sister Ship That Sank The Mainz

London, Oct. 17.—(3:30 p. m. special.)—The Official War Bureau announces that four German torpedo boat destroyers have been sunk.
The German vessels were sent to the bottom off the Dutch coast this afternoon by the British light cruiser Undaunted, which was accompanied by destroyers.
The Undaunted is a new light-

cruiser, just out of the Fairfield Yards at Govan. These light-cruisers have greater speed than torpedo boat destroyers and are almost a cross between a torpedo boat destroyer and a cruiser. They are the special idea of Winston Churchill and at the time of ordering them were derided by naval experts. It was her sister ship, the first of this type to be

launched, that sank the German cruiser Mainz at the mouth of the Elbe.
The advantage of this new type is at once apparent. The old type of cruiser was too slow to catch up to the swift destroyers but this new model can easily catch up to the fastest destroyer afloat and make quick work of her.

"CUT A PATH TO THE COAST" IS LAST ORDER OF THE KAISER

THEIR FIRST EFFORT, HOWEVER, IS TO STEM ADVANCE OF ALLIES WHICH IS TAKING PLACE — HEAVY RAINS CAUSE SUFFERING.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Paris, Oct. 16.—(5:0 p. m. special.)—Following the fighting orders that are said to have come direct from Emperor William to "Cut a path to the coast," the German troops in the north along the Belgian border are battling

like demons to stem the advance of the Allies.
Heavy storms have broken over the northwest of France and the northwest of Belgium, drenching the soldiers, filling the trenches with water and turning the roads to deep swamps.
Both sides are rushing reinforcements of artillery.

READY TO WAIT FORTY DAYS TO FILE

Prospective pre-emptors of Powell River Lands Already Lined Up on Steps of Provincial Court House.

The attraction of broad acres Powell River have proved sufficient incentive for a small but all hand of pre-emptors to wait forty days of Vancouver fall rather with all its changing moods. Yesterday morning six men stood on the flagged steps of the Vancouver court house, the first of the twenty-seven men who will register on November 24 for pre-emption on the new tract now open by the Provincial government. At a late hour in the afternoon the number had increased to ten, and it will evidently not be long before the quota is complete. The terrors of bad weather do not seem to appall the men and husky tillers of the soil. None of them had blankets, though one of their number had been despatched to procure some, and the first night will doubtless be a somewhat trying one.

FRENCH RIGHT WING IS SWEEPING ALONG

(Special to The Daily News.)
Paris, Oct. 16.—(5:30 p. m. special.)—Furious fighting is taking place in the passes of the Vosges mountains. An unofficial dispatch says the Germans are being hurled back.

The French are pressing toward Metz from two directions and hope to lay siege to the city within a week.

ENLISTMENT FOR A SECOND FORCE

Active Organization of New Contingent Waits on Word From War Office—Applications Numerous.

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—The enlistment of the second Canadian expedition force probably will begin at once. There has been no definite word from the War Office yet as to the character of the force which is desired. This will be a matter for discussion between Colonel Hughes and Lord Kitchener.

It is considered likely that no word as to the character of the next contingent will be received from Lord Kitchener until he has had an opportunity to look over the first Contingent and the equipment already sent. Colonel Hughes is in London now taking up with the War Office authorities the question of the second Canadian force. The decision will be communicated to Canada by cable, and orders for the opening of recruiting offices will be at once sent to the officers commanding the nine Canadian militia divisions.

The Militia Department is receiving an even greater flood of applications from volunteers in all parts of the country than were received for the first expeditionary force. It is believed that the 22,000 men will be raised as quickly as the 33,000 now in England were gathered.

Plans for the training of the second force already are being perfected. The chief training which was given to the first force was in shooting. This could be done easily, as the weather was favorable, the men were all together, and there were ample targets. With the second force being assembled at a dozen points in Canada and severe winter making range training difficult, it is proposed to make the second expeditionary force as skillful in the use of the bayonet as the first was in shooting.

It is recognized that a man trained in the use of the bayonet is one of the most formidable forces of the war.

A. T. Harrison was sent up for trial today on the charge of bigamy. His case will appear shortly before Judge Young.

JOHN BULL PLAYS HIS GAME FAIR

London, Oct. 14.—Emperor William is supposed to have large investments in the timber and mineral lands of British Columbia and it has been rumored in London that the British government was considering the confiscation of the emperor's property in Canada.

It can be stated on the authority of a high official in the Foreign Office that the government has not thought of confiscating the property of alien enemies located within the confines of the British Empire.
Through Alvo von Alvensleben, of Vancouver, a number of prominent Germans are said to have bought large tracts of British Columbia lands, particularly mineral and timber lands. The German emperor is supposed to be heavily interested with Mr. von Alvensleben in Western Canada properties. However, the British government has not even made an investigation of the titles of the property in question and disclaims any curiosity as to the Emperor's reported investment.

Even after the reports that the German government had taken over property of the C. P. R. in Germany, and that cigarette factories in Dresden, Batschan and Baden-Baden were seized by the German government because a majority of the stock of the companies belonged to Englishmen, there was no disposition on the part of the British government to change its attitude towards property in English territory owned by Germans.

Mr. Hugh McDonald, who has lived a couple of years in Prince Rupert, leaves tomorrow evening for England, where he will offer himself as a recruit for the front. He is going entirely under his own expense. Mr. McDonald is a brother of Mrs. Wm. Millar, of this city.

Mrs. Horace Du Vernet returned to Kitwanga after an extended visit with friends in the city. She was accompanied by Miss Du Vernet.

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DID NOT INTEND HIS BULLET FOR THE ARCHDUCHESS

London, Oct. 14.—Reuter's Telegram Company has received a dispatch from Sarajevo, Bosnia, saying the indictment of Gavri Princip, the assassin of Archduke Francis Ferdinand and his wife, together with twenty-one of his accomplices, has been read here. The men are charged with high treason. Three other persons have been charged with having concealed weapons, with which the outrage was perpetrated.
The indictment deals at length with the Serbian society called Narodna Odbrana, in Belgrade, which organized the conspiracy; with methods by which the bombs and weapons were smuggled into Bosnia, and relates how the conspirators at Sarajevo recruited their accomplices, distributed their weapons, and took their places on the street to await the coming of the archducal party.
Princip, under examination, admitted that with a second bullet he intended to kill Field Marshal Oskar Potiorek, the governor of Bosnia, but that he used it for the archduchess.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
Morning worship, 11 a. m., with children's choir in attendance. Subject, "Example." Evening worship, 7:30, with special music. Subject, "Plain Talks to Young Men—First Courage." Sunday School and Bible Study, 2:30. You will be made welcome.

"THE LAST DAYS OF POMPEII"

Big Spectacular Feature at The Westholme Next Wednesday and Thursday.

Just as Bulwer Lytton's great story, "The last days of Pompeii," is one of the very greatest descriptive pieces ever written, so the great moving picture drama of the same name, which will be shown at the Westholme opera house next Wednesday and Thursday, is absolutely the most realistic and sensational spectacle ever filmed and the management of The Westholme is certainly to be congratulated for their enterprise in securing for Prince Rupert so great an attraction.

These pictures are the most costly and expensive ever brought to Prince Rupert and represent an enormous outlay. They were produced in Italy on the very spot where the great Roman city of Pompeii once flourished. Thousands of people were employed in their production and no expense was spared to make them absolutely correct in every detail. The wonderful scene in the last reel showing the eruption of Mt. Vesuvius is grand and awe-inspiring beyond description and is a sight which once seen will never be forgotten.

TOWN TARIFF EFFECTIVE BEGINNING TODAY

Mr. W. P. Lynch, chairman of the Board of Trade's special freight rate committee, is in receipt of a letter from Mr. A. E. Rosevear, general freight agent of the G. T. P. Railway, advising him of the going into effect of the Prince Rupert town tariff, embracing intermediate points as far east as Edmonton. "It is the intention of the company," writes Mr. Rosevear, "to issue a town tariff from Prince Rupert to all points, Fort William and west, but in the meantime, in order to comply with your wishes and carry out our promise, we are issuing a town tariff from Prince Rupert to Edmonton and points intermediate between the two stations. The larger feature is having our very close attention and we hope to be able to advise you at an early date what the rates will be from Prince Rupert to other points." He also states that the company is considering the issuance of a general tariff on grain and grain products from the railway's entire Prairie territory.

TRAMWAYS TAKEN AT BAYONET POINT

Carranza Orders Toronto Railway in Mexico City Seized by Troops.

Mexico City, Oct. 14.—The seizure of the Mexico Tramways Company lines by the Carranza government today was made at the point of the bayonet.

The Mexican Tramways Company, limited is a foreign corporation, capitalized at \$1,000,000. Its home office is in Toronto. Shortly before noon soldiers surrounded the main building occupied by offices and plant, while a delegation of officials entered the premises and served notice on General Graves that all the books, rolling stock and other property of the company, with the exception of the cash in the vaults, must be delivered to the chief of police. The order was given in the name of the governor of the federal district.

The government explained that the measure was a provisional one, taken in the interests of public welfare, and due to the stoppage of the street car traffic of the city at noon of last Thursday, when the motormen, conductors, inspectors and shopmen struck because their demands for an increase in wages, an eight-hour day and recognition of the union were not granted by the company in the four-hours' time limit specified by the strikers' committee.

ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER IS DEAD

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Oct. 16.—(5:30 p. m. special.)—Marquis Di San Giuliano, the Italian foreign minister, died today.

CANADIAN FORCE IS GIVEN NICE CAMP QUARTERS

London, Oct. 16.—Probably no spot in the British Isles more approximates typical Canadian topography than that which has been chosen as a training ground for the Canadian expeditionary force of 32,000 men at Salisbury Plains, where four camps are being prepared. The land is undulating, dry and solitary, very few buildings being seen. The camp for the most part are situated on gentle slopes, all of which will be appreciated if the fine weather of the present week continues.

The Canadian troops fare better than many of the Territorials, who have been sleeping on the ground, wrapped in blankets. Tents are being supplied to the Canadians and these are furnished with straw-stuffed palliasses and wooden floors. Extensive marquees will accommodate the officers' messes of the different brigades. Then there are Y. M. C. A. recreation rooms. The canteens will serve "soft" drinks. The First Brigade will take the Bustard camp, the Second and Third Brigades the west down south camp, the Artillery and Army Service Corps the west down north and the Cavalry the Pond farm camp.

The camps are from fifteen to twenty miles from the city of Salisbury, and motor conveyances are doing a big business carrying passengers interested in the Canadian forces.

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No better work for the good of Prince Rupert could be undertaken by the Board of Trade than that now occupying the attention of the Fisheries Committee in endeavoring to secure for the independent fishermen the same privileges for the export of their catches as is given to the big corporations. The upbuilding of this port as the fishing centre of the North Pacific will add thousands in population to Prince Rupert, and this can only be achieved by making it possible for the independent fisherman to quickly dispose of their catch as they come in from the sea; to obtain their supplies at prices equal to Ketchikan, as also their bait and ice. To secure these privileges it will necessitate new regulations being framed by the Department of Marine and with a view to pressing the matter at headquarters the Board of Trade is arranging to send a delegation to Ottawa before the next session opens.

It might be pointed out that with the commencement of through traffic on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway it was expected that much of the fishing industry which centers at Ketchikan and other Alaska ports and even on Puget Sound would be transferred to Prince Rupert, but with the present regulations in operation—at least so far as independents are concerned—the transpor-

tation advantages do not appear to have made any appreciable difference. However, to quote the report of the Provincial Commissioner of Fisheries: "A concerted effort on the part of the authorities and of the northern city (Prince Rupert) should be made to encourage this action. Facilities for landing and storing the catch should be provided and special inducements offered in order to foster the industry. No harm should be wrought native countries by so doing, since they will benefit: by the sale of bait, by the improved shipping facilities which the railway will be able to provide, with a large volume of business, and at the same time their home market will be conserved to them by the duty which remains upon fish caught in foreign bottoms landed at Canadian ports for consumption in Canada."

What is needed is that the American independent fishing boats may be enabled to dispose of their catch here for transportation to the United States along the same lines as the privilege given to the New England Fish Co. The effort of the Board of Trade to secure this privilege, if successful, would change the whole complexion of the business and in a short time center in this port hundreds of fishing craft and their crews and so make Prince Rupert the Grimsby of the Pacific.

LOAN ASSOCIATION TO TAKE PLACE OF CHARITY

Toronto, Oct. 15.—Though there is much to be done yet, it is hoped to have the Municipal Loan Association sufficiently well organized in two weeks to begin the lending of small sums to needy citizens of Toronto. Mr. Frederic Nicholls, chairman of the committee which has charge of this branch of relief work, hopes to get the charter incorporating the association some time this week.

The rate of interest to be charged, and the means of financing the project are yet to be decided on.

The Municipal Loan Association plans to help those people who find it hard to make ends meet, but do not want charity. It will also take care of those who are trying to carry small mortgages. It is not designed to aid large financial concerns. Security not accepted by the banks or loan companies will probably be accepted by the association.

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WIFE ACCIDENTALLY SHOT BY HUSBAND

Pre-emptor Fell While Hunting Deer, Causing Gun to Explode. Distressing Affair.

Merritt, Oct. 16.—A distressing shooting accident happened at Highland Valley, some distance from Mamette Lake, on Monday afternoon, October 5, resulting in the death of Mrs. Fiora Nellie Jones, a young married woman of 21 years of age.

Mr. Jones, who has a pre-emption at Highland Valley, was out hunting for deer, accompanied by his wife. After going some distance they came to a very steep and rocky part. Leading the way, the husband, who was carrying a rifle over his arm was closely followed by his wife. By some means he slipped, falling heavily on the rocks, and the concussion resulted in the gun being fired, the bullet, a 30.30 soft nose, entering the unfortunate woman's thigh, and taking an upward course came out on the other side, the bullet leaving a terrible wound, smashing everything in its course.

The panic-stricken husband did everything possible for his wife. Cutting splints out of some branches and applying a tourniquet, bandaged the injured limb and endeavored to stop the bleeding. For nearly a mile he carried her to the wagon road over very rough ground.

Obtaining a neighbor's team and rig Mr. Jones drove his wife to Shulus Hospital, a distance of nearly forty miles, arriving about 3 o'clock in the morning, the accident having happened about 4 o'clock the previous afternoon. She passed away at 7:30 a. m.

CONDITIONS EASIER.

Further Easing of Monetary Conditions in New York City Indicated.

New York, Oct. 15.—Further easing of local monetary conditions was indicated today, over-year loans being made at 7 per cent. Interior banks were lenders of thirty-day money on high grade collateral at 6 per cent. Western banks were also buyers of bonds and other investment notes.

Another abrupt advance in foreign exchange was a natural result of the large purchases of bills made by bankers for remittance to London for payment of ninety-day loan contracted last July. The total of these commitments doubtless is unusually large, inasmuch as very easy rates prevailed when these loans were negotiated.

The \$100,000,000 gold pool received numerous applications for exchange. For the most part only those of a mercantile character were accepted, the pool adhering to its policy of extreme conservatism. Other exchange brokers dealt extensively in grain and cotton bills for Paris and Berlin, the latter by way of Amsterdam.

Further large shipments of gold to Ottawa, where they will replenish the credits of the Bank of England, were made in connection with the recent sale of the New York City 6 per cent notes. Exports for this account now aggregate fully \$15,000,000.

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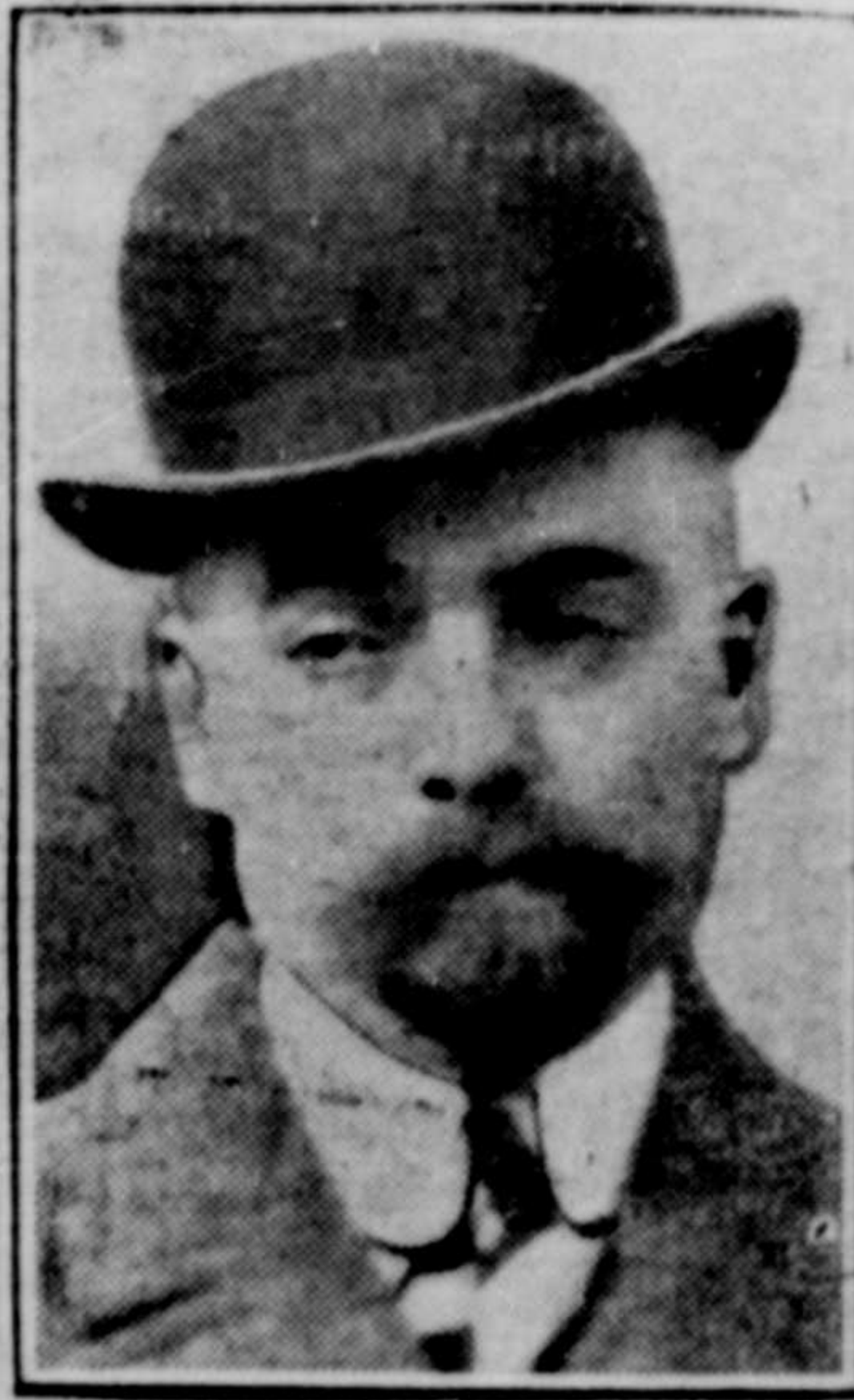
the previous week, to which may be added almost \$8,000,000 more of gold which was received after the publication of the statement. The bank's reserve increased almost \$20,000,000 with a substantial gain in its liability reserves.

Otherwise the news from London was less reassuring, trading in securities being restricted because of the news from Antwerp. From Paris, however, came word of an advance in rents to almost the highest quotation since the outbreak of war. Definite announcements of continued price cutting added to the existing depression in the steel and iron trade.

GOEBEN COMMANDER WILL TAKE CHARGE OF TURKISH FLEET

Rome, Oct. 16.—A report received here from Constantinople says the commander of the former German cruiser Goeben will be the head of the Turkish fleet and aims to attack the Russian fleet for mastery in the Black Sea and to threaten the Russian coast. The Goeben now flies the Turkish flag and all her officers and crew are said to be Germans.

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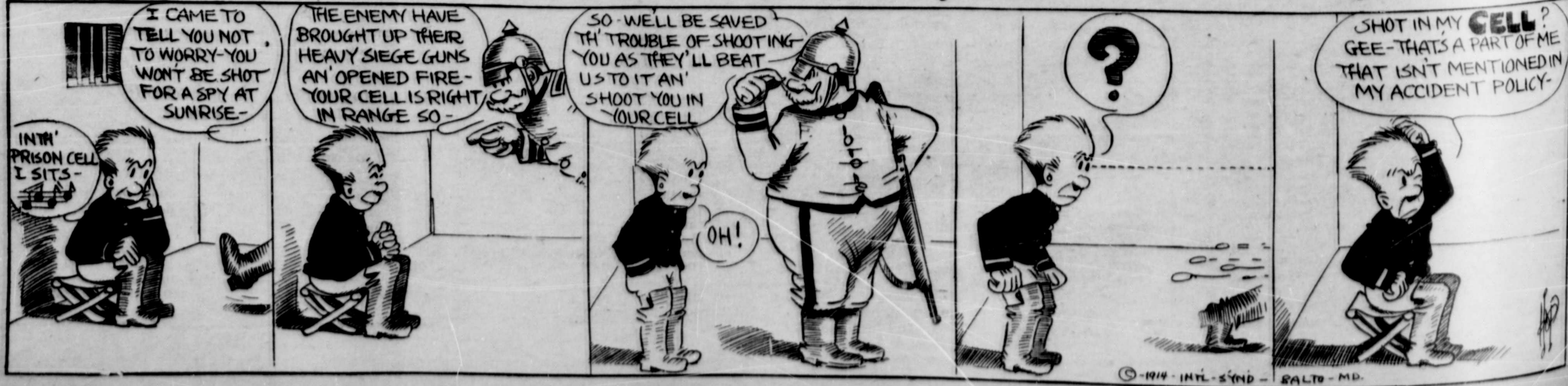
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SAYS CHURCHILL IS INCOMPETENT

Severe Criticism of First Lord Growing Out of the Antwerp Affair.

London, Oct. 15.—There has been growing evidence recently of dissatisfaction at the navy's inability to do more in the war. This found expression Tuesday in a bitter morning Post attack on Mr. Winston Churchill for sending marines and naval volunteers to Antwerp. The Post declares the assistance was inadequate and came too late, and encouraged the Belgian authorities to prolong a hopeless defence.

The Post's criticisms are treated seriously here. Mr. Churchill is known to have visited Antwerp recently and the details related by the returning marines and volunteers show our men were in insufficient numbers, and were insufficiently backed with proper artillery, have caused big surprise.

The British press is rapidly reaching the conclusion that the policy of non-criticism of the authorities is mistaken. The press has allowed itself to be muzzled, almost without protest, and criticism has been vigorously suppressed.

In his present position, Mr. Churchill, says Mr. Richard Jebb, who calls for the recall of Mr. Churchill, "is more of an anxiety to his own countrymen than to the enemy. He ought to be replaced at once either by a professional officer corresponding to Earl Kitchener or else by a politician who would know how to keep his place, and leave the strategical conduct of the war to professionals."

Certificate of Improvements. I, Pedro Salinas, Free Miner's Certificate No. 80313B, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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GERMANS HATE ENGLISH MORE THAN ALL HER ENEMIES

KRUPPS TURNING OUT GUNS WITH RANGE OF TWENTY-FIVE MILES—MAY BE USED TO SHOOT ACROSS THE ENGLISH CHANNEL.

Amsterdam, Oct. 16.—Reports are current in Berlin that the Krupps have completed some enormously heavy guns of a calibre and range never before attempted and that a large fleet of Zeppelins is being collected near Kiel awaiting a favorable opportunity to sail for England, according to the statement of a British newspaperman who has just returned from Berlin to Amsterdam. An artillery officer assured this correspondent that the new Krupp guns have a range of about twenty-five miles and probably are destined for use at some channel port in the event the Germans can get a foothold there. He also says that the aeroplane factories in Germany are working day and night supplying machines and that 200 aviators are qualifying for military service every week.

Admire and Hate English. "The English are more hated than either the French or Russians," he said. "The Germans would rather capture one Englishman than twenty of the others. In Germany, England is blamed for it, rightly or wrongly. She is accused of being at the bottom of this war. Neither officers nor men of the German army seem to have much regard for the British army as a fighting machine, but they freely admire the pluck of the British officers and the rapid range finding abilities of British artillery. Judging from what I saw in Berlin, that city at this moment

ANTWERP MUST PAY A HEAVY INDEMNITY

Proclamation Issued Inviting All Refugees to Return to Their Homes.

London, Oct. 15.—The London Daily Chronicle publishes the following from its Amsterdam correspondent:

Antwerp has now a German government. Baron Von Der Schuster has been appointed military governor.

It is reported that a war tax of 20,000,000 pounds is to be levied on the city.

When the Germans took possession of the city they issued an official proclamation inviting the citizens of Antwerp to return without delay. A promise was given that their property would be respected and that no harm would be done them if they displayed a proper attitude toward the German troops.

It is stated that the German soldiers are active in mastering the fires in Antwerp, which are almost subdued. Only public buildings were damaged. No prominent church was struck by a shell. The Germans graecd in the terms of capitulation not to disarm the civic guards or make prisoners of males between the ages of 18 and 30 years. It is rumored, says another dispatch here that Antwerp will be obliged to pay a large indemnity. Two German officers arrived at Putten yesterday afternoon in a motor boat flying a white flag. They called upon the commandant of the Dutch frontier troops and told him that Antwerp was in German possession and asked him to urge refugees to return to their homes. Thousands immediately began to do so. With their usual thoroughness, the Germans have tightened their

holds another five or six army corps of able-bodied young men attached either to the first or second reserve or to the landsturm. The same proportionately may be said of all the German cities. Everywhere I was struck by the boundless enthusiasm for war. Censorship Rigid. "It is true," he continued, "that all the news is subjected to a severe censorship and therefore the people do not know other than they are winning all along the line. Some more sober minds in Germany admit that they will get hard knocks sometimes and somewhere, but they have no doubt Germany will win. "The prevalent opinion is that in view of the amount of German blood spilled in Belgium that country inevitably will cease to exist except as a part of the German Empire. Holland is regarded as a negligible quantity and it is taken for granted that the low countries will of their own accord become one of the German bundestaaten. Need Every Available Man. "While it is true that there have been many commercial failures, business is going on as usual, and in Berlin there are few unemployed. Food is cheap and plentiful, and it is asserted that there is sufficient stock on hand for at least three years. So far as I can judge, Germany is far from being 'on the knee' and we will need every available man to down an enemy who is so determined and whose enthusiasm borders on fanaticism."

grip on the country around the city by taking hostages in each village and suburb and issuing stringent rules of behavior, with death the penalty if these rules are broken. The Germans lost heavily in taking the city. The bandsmen describe the effect of the great German siege guns as terrible and say Antwerp suffered terribly. The British marines, they declare, did not get a chance to do much, as the battle was chiefly an artillery duel. The Germans' fire was very accurate and the screech of the shrapnel was nerve racking. "The German guns," said one of the bandsmen, "were superior to those of the Belgians. We had to escape on Thursday or we would not have got away at all. Our losses were not considerable."



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TOWN IS BURNED DOWN. Business Portion of Irondale, in Washington, Destroyed by Fire.

Port Townsend, Wash., Oct. 13.—The business portion of Irondale, near this place, was destroyed by fire today, causing a loss estimated at \$75,000. Many of the buildings were unoccupied, the town having become almost deserted when the Western Steel Corporation, which was building a big steel plant there, went into bankruptcy three years ago. The steel plant is being dismantled and the machinery shipped to another plant at Seattle. The fire started in C. H. Spurrell's general merchandise store and spread rapidly until all business buildings in the town were burned. The heaviest losses were suffered by the Irondale Mercantile Company and the Washington Hotel, the latter being the only brick building in the town.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Province of British Columbia—County of Atlin. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Dominion Sheet Metal Works, Plumbers, Furniture Dealers, and Second Hand Store, in the City of Prince Rupert, in the Province of British Columbia, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Wilfrid Gratton, at Prince Rupert aforesaid, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Wilfrid Gratton, by whom the same will be settled. DATED at Prince Rupert, B. C., this 21st day of September, A. D. 1914. FRANK BROCHU. W. GRATTON. Witness: Irving N. Linnell.

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