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SUPT. OF DRY DOCK SPEAKS TO BOARD OF TRADE

SIR THOMAS SHAUGHNESSY MAY BE NEXT HIGH COMMISSIONER--NOTHING NEW AT THE FRONT

SUPT. DRYDOCK ADDRESSES LUNCHEON OF BOARD OF TRADE

MR. C. N. CROWELL GIVES INTERESTING ACCOUNT OF BIG PLANT WHICH IS BEING CONSTRUCTED HERE IN PRINCE RUPERT.

Mr. President and Gentlemen: I wish to thank you for your consideration in asking me to address this meeting. This is a new experience for me and I will ask you to excuse me for referring to a few notes.

A modern shipyard, fully equipped and up to date, is one of the greatest sources of prosperity to any locality fortunate enough to possess one. And why? Because there can hardly be mentioned one branch of industry that does not enter into the construction of a ship.

First to consider is the employment of labor, men of every grade who in locating must call for the necessities of life; homes, food and raiment. Then again supplies from every source must be produced; lumber, iron, hardware, oils and paints, machinery, ship chandlery, sails and rigging, copper, coal, oakum, cotton and pitch—all of these must be assembled, making business for our railroad and boats as well as for all our local merchants.

To get down to our own shipyard with its drydock, than which no better can be found, we handle building and repair not economically because of the equipment embodied in our plant. Not only can we repair all our own steamers but those of other lines. We can build all our own fishing boats—why go elsewhere? We can manufacture our own lumber, make our own castings, build our own engines; and at the same time we invite competition, boat builders. Come on; settle in Prince Rupert. We will furnish you with your supplies. Our policy will be to make large the business of this port, and our slogan, "Build up Rupert." Boost her; advertise her; be proud of her, and all pull together.

Citizens of Prince Rupert, you are hopeful of a prosperous year. There is every reason for such. The great transcontinental road is an accomplished fact. You have the resources—they will reach a market for you. You have the fisheries. Mr. Nickerson has told us much that is interesting about that. The railroad will benefit us. We must make business for it. The shipyards must help do that; your fisheries must help the shipyard and the shipyard must join hands with your fisheries. Get out a few good models—make the Rupert models famous. Help us, citizens of Rupert. Do your best to talk up our shipyard so it will be known from Vancouver to Port Simpson, and by doing good work and by fair dealing attract business of every vessel owner who happens to be anywhere within reach of this port, with its beautiful and commodious harbor.

Coming down to our own particular drydock. Possibly a few technical figures may prove of interest. The drydock building at Prince Rupert is the culmination of years of study and experience in drydock construction. It combines strength and buoyancy, rigidity and flexibility; economy of handling and efficiency of service. It is virtually three docks in one and self-repairing. We can handle any class of work—wood or steel and boilers and machinery. We can handle a ship having a displacement of 20,000 tons and a length of 600 feet, drawing 30 feet of water. We can disconnect our sections and economically dock smaller vessels. Our smaller unit will lift 5,000 tons with a length of 165 feet. Our large unit will lift 10,000 tons with a length of 270 feet. We can combine two units and lift 15,000 tons with 435 feet length. We can handle three repair jobs at one time besides what

FRENCH RULES GOVERN BRITISH PRESS CENSORS

Premier Asquith Replies to Protests in House of Commons Against Suppression of News.

London, Nov. 25.—In the House of Commons, Mr. Walter Long, Unionist, made a strong appeal to the government to lift the curtain which is hiding operations at the front. He said the time had arrived to permit a limited number of authorized correspondents to join the army. In justice to the army, he said, it was desirable that the country should know something of the splendid deeds of the British soldiers, which would increase popular enthusiasm and augment the stream of recruits.

Mr. Timothy Healy supported the plea made by Mr. Long. He declared that the censorship had made England the laughing stock of the world. The censor, he said, had even made an excision from a Turk's prayer to Mohammed. The whole system of press censorship, he said, required complete reorganization. Mr. Healy also declared that the British loans to Belgium and Serbia should be regarded as free gifts.

Replying to a criticism that the news regarding the war was being withheld, Premier Asquith declared that nothing was being kept back, except in cases where such a course was required by immediate military exigencies.

With regard to the suggestion that skilled war correspondents be permitted at the front, he pointed out that the government was not a free agent in the matter.

"We must regulate our proceedings," he said, "by the proceedings of our allies, who do the chief share of the fighting in the long lines at the front in their own country, and who, therefore, rightly have the decisive vote as to what should be done in the way of appointment of war correspondents."

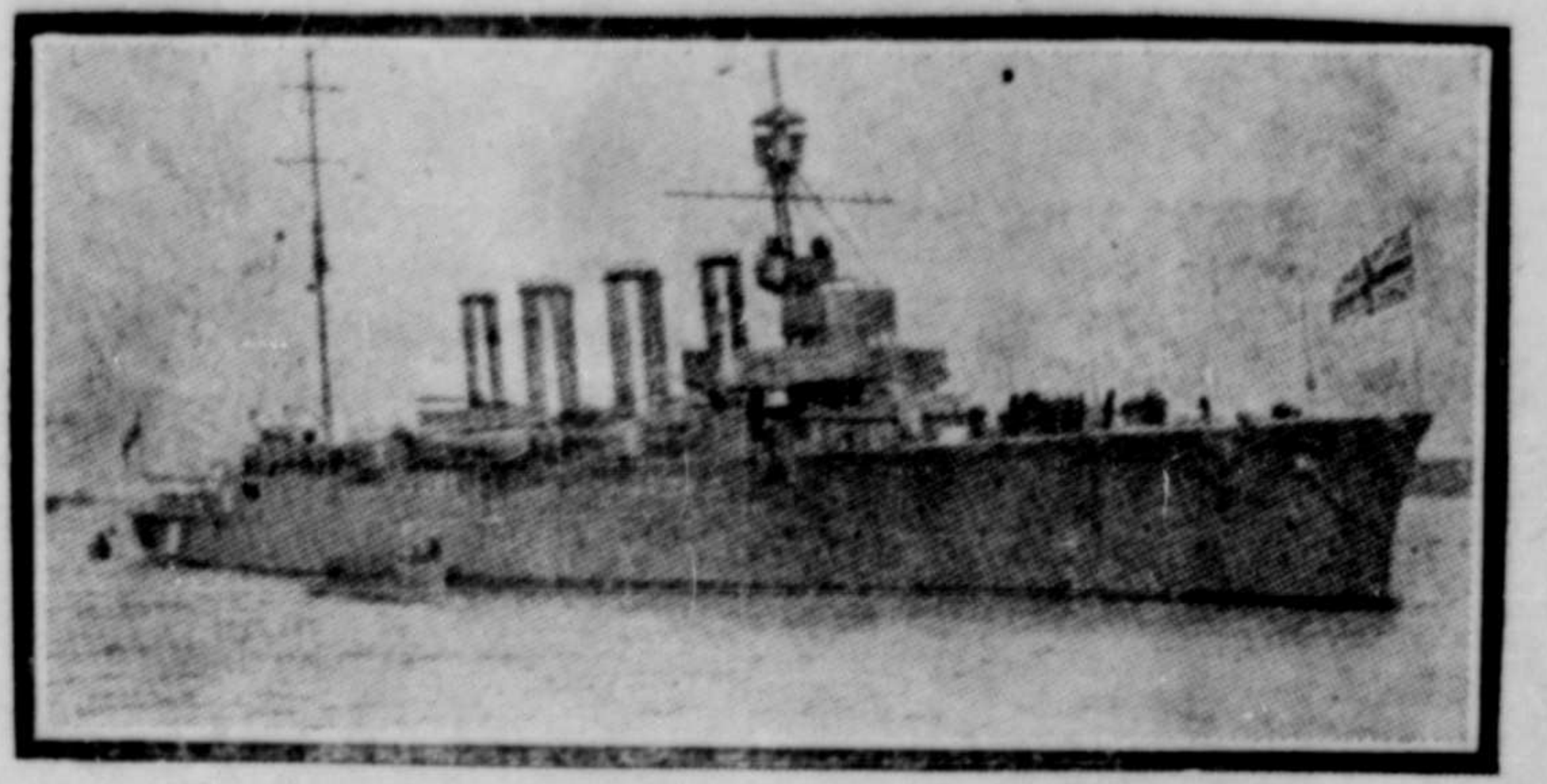
He declared that he had been governed in the matter strictly by the requirements of military exigencies, and he knew the commander-in-chief of the French forces desired that both countries should get the full advantage that could be obtained by giving publicity to the military operations.

Speaking of the \$1,150,000,000 credit voted, Mr. Asquith said the civil expenditures were inconceivable, and they would be largely for the purpose of getting food supplies and for the further commodities necessary for the British, the use of which must be made impossible for the enemy. Another large item was the loans of money to others, amounting to \$215,000,000. The principal items in this list were to the Belgian government \$50,000,000 and to Serbia \$4,000,000, on which no interest was to be charged until the end of the war. Loans to the self-governing colonies would absorb \$75,000,000 and avoid the flotation of such loans independently on the London market.

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Thanking you, gentlemen, for your kind attention, hoping you have been interested and asking you to help me to "boost her up," keep the business here, and make our fair young city prosperous, as it deserves to be. Hurrah for Prince Rupert! She is getting on right track. She has the resources and she has the men and is developing industries. Prince Rupert is bound to go ahead and it is up to us all as citizens to pull together and help one another.



THE AUSTRALIAN CRUISER SY DNEY—The Australian cruiser which, after many weeks of weary watching, rounded up the raider Emden, which has done so much damage to the Allies commerce, and destroyed her on the beach of Cocos Island.

SIR THOMAS SHAUGHNESSY MAY BE HIGH COMMISSIONER

STRONG INTERESTS WANT TO SEE C. P. R. CHIEF RESIDE IN LONDON — APPOINTMENT WOULD MEAN MANY CHANGES IN C. P. R.

Montreal, Nov. 25.—Rumors in London regarding more important changes in the directorship of the C. P. R. than have yet been disclosed here are revived by the McNeill-Bury announcement. It is persistently reiterated that Sir Thomas Shaughnessy's friends in England and Canada have been active of late in representing that he should enter the House of Lords and take over the Canadian High Commissionership. A number of prominent politicians in England and Ireland have been working to this end for the past two years and the way is now said to be fairly clear for such an event. Mr. T. P. O'Connor has been tireless in his endeavors to get Sir Thomas to re-

GERMAN REVERSE ON THE VISTULA

(Special to The Daily News.)

Petrograd, Nov. 25.—The Russians have inflicted a reverse on the Germans along the River Vistula.

There was an auction sale yesterday afternoon of the effects of the Hamilton Company on Third Avenue. Quite a few of the local business firms took the opportunity of adding to their fixtures. There were some real bargains, too. A cooking range worth \$250 was sold for \$37, and other articles in proportion.

LEFT OFF CLOTHING FOR THE BELGIANS

Anyone having spare articles of clothing for men, women or children who would like to assist the Belgian sufferers are asked to have them left at the following depots, from 2 to 5 p. m., on Friday, November 27: Methodist Church, Anglican Church, Hays Building (Second Avenue), Baptist Church and at St. Peter's Church (Seal Cove). Ladies will be there to receive them and to see that they are sent to their destination.

PORTUGAL WILL SUPPORT ALLIES

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Nov. 25.—A dispatch from Lisbon states that the Portuguese Congress decided today that Portugal will co-operate with the Allies when it considers the step necessary. The Minister of War will issue a decree for partial mobilization.

ENERGETIC BUSINESS HOUSE EXPANDING

When quiet times strike most business men they begin to retrench. Not so with the Acme Importers, Ltd. They immediately began to expand. They have decided to open up a new branch on Third Avenue in the new Hulbert building, believing that if business doesn't come to them they had better go after it. Their headquarters on Second Avenue is perhaps the best fitted up store in Northern British Columbia. The store on Third Avenue will also be fixed up in first-class style. The Acme people have made a big success in the past and they deserve a greater success in the future and are likely to get it because they're alive. More power to them.

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PREMIER OF NEW BRUNSWICK IS FOUND GUILTY OF GRAFT

ROYAL COMMISSION APPOINTED BY LEGISLATURE AFTER SURVEYING EVIDENCE COMES TO THIS DECISION — PREMIER STILL IN OFFICE.

St. John, N. B., Nov. 24.—The report of the royal commission which investigated the Dugal charges has just been made public by Governor Wood. Briefly, the royal commission finds, in regard to the timber charges, that the \$71,000 collected from the lumbermen after a conference between Flemming, Teed and Berry, was secured by extortion. The commissioners say: "Having in view the testimony given by the different contributors, the only conclusion that seems possible to us is that the money was actually extorted."

As to the nature of the transaction, the royal commissioners say: "It is difficult to imagine anything more reprehensible or blameworthy than that an official of the department should present such a demand. To those dependent upon the renewal of their timber licences, it is not only extortion of the most effective nature, but it appears the more harsh and cruel inasmuch as it is produced by one to whom it is unsafe to make protest and for a purpose repugnant to many of the contributors."

Flemming Knew

The commission says: "That Flemming named the treasurer of the fund, Teed, of Woodstock, that Flemming knew that efforts were being made to get money from the holders of Crown timber licences, that Fleming knew from time to time that such monies were coming into Teed's hands, that Flemming set his seal of approval on the transaction by introducing his chosen treasurer to Mr. Brankley with the words, 'Anything Mr. Berry tells you about this man (Teed) will be alright,' that it is fully proved that the money was in fact extorted by Berry and that Flemming was well aware that monies were being collected for a purpose unquestionably improper. This the commissioners say is shown.

SWISS PROTEST AGAINST BRITISH AVIATORS POACHING

(Special to The Daily News)

London, Nov. 25.—Switzerland has lodged a protest in London against British aviators breaking the neutrality of Switzerland.

GERMAN ACTIVITY SLACKENING ALONG THE ENTIRE FRONT

(Special to The Daily News)

Paris, Nov. 25.—There is a general slackening of German activity along the entire front. The excessive cold is affecting the German troops much more than those of the Allies. The attacks of the former lack the spirit of their earlier efforts.

The enemy made a few attacks in the Argonne region but were easily repulsed.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES HOLDING BAZAAR

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian Church are holding their annual bazaar today in the St. Andrew's Hall. They have on exhibit all kinds of fancy sewing and articles that are excellently suited for Xmas gifts. Different to some events of this kind, too, they have placed the prices reasonably low so that all can be suited.

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EDITORIALS

It is quite a natural question to ask, since the city treasurer has reduced his staff by one-half, if it would not be possible to have some of the other departments in the City Hall reduced? The first thing that occurs to one is that there is an expensive engineering staff employed without any serious undertaking in that line on hand. Since the completion of the hydro-electric there does not seem to be anything to do that a low-priced man could not accomplish. Why, therefore, keep the present expensive staff? The only excuse there ever was for securing a high-priced man was because of the big projects the city had on hand. These are now all completed or held in abeyance. The people will therefore expect the staff to be reduced to a minimum. Quick, march.

In considering the changes made in the City Hall, it is to be hoped that wherever possible length of service and faithfulness to the city will be considered. The head of the department, who is held responsible for its efficiency, must of course have the service of good men. At the same time, unless there is a wide deviation in their ability, the old hands have the first claim. It is only through the recognition of seniority promotion that good men can be induced to serve the city.

It would appear that the city has at last woken up to the fact that the fish business is to be the backbone of this city. In

the past everybody sat back and waited for the revolution which the opening of the road was to effect. If any magic had been in store for that event the coming of the war has certainly disposed of it for the present. The miraculous having failed, we now turn to the practical and find that potent forces lie about us that will make a great city of Prince Rupert. These forces, however, are passive. They will never move of themselves. They must be acted upon by human ingenuity. Boats and nets and men must be secured and sent out to reap the rich harvest of the seas.

But the business must receive the fostering care of our governments. If the men engaged in this business find that impediments lie in their way and that those in authority care nothing about it their enthusiasm will soon wax cold. The governments must assist. The people of Prince Rupert must keep hammering at their doors till they are compelled to give way. This must be made a free bait port. It must be arranged, too, so that the independent American fisherman can dispose of his fish right here and get his cheque in exchange. The city will have to find facilities for these men who go down to the seas in ships. When we have made it easy for them to trade with us the harvest will come for both of us. Lead on, Macduff!

ONE HONEST MAN.

Scammon, Kan., Nov. 23.—Last winter Thomas B. Evans, late postmaster of Scammons, found that his books showed him indebted to the government for nearly \$1,000. Worry over the discovery made him ill and is said to have caused his death. He blamed himself for the discrepancy in his books, not being an accountant. Evans, saying nothing to his family, began making up the shortage and at the time of his death had done. He died believing he owed the government the money. Auditors of the post-office department checking through the books discovered an error and found that Evans did not owe the government anything. Mrs. Evans has just received a check for \$920.21 from the department, the amount Evans made sacrifices to pay.

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MEXICAN GENERAL EXECUTES PRIESTS

Four Put to Death Because They Headed a Revolt in State of Michoacan.

El Paso, Nov. 24.—A military bulletin from Guadalajara received here today said that four Catholic priests had been executed by order of General Joachim Amara, military governor in the State of Michoacan. It was declared that the clericals had headed an uprising. Several similar uprisings of the people against alleged confiscation and desecration of church property have been reported from several points in Southwestern Mexico.

Soldiers of the Carranza garrison at Naco, Sonora, fired five bullets into the body of Luciano Perez, a deserter, after he had crossed the American border in an effort to escape further service as a soldier. He was seriously wounded and was treated by the American soldiers.

The Maytorena forces continued firing upon the Naco defenses, but seemed to have withdrawn the greater part of their forces farther away from the town. General Hill, commanding the garrison, said a force from Aguas Prieta would attack Maytorena from the rear.

Another Mexican was shot last night while on the American side of the boundary. All told, twenty-seven persons have been wounded by stray bullets. Nine were American cavalymen on border duty, two of whom died. Four were American civilians and the others Mexican men and women refugees. One woman died of wounds yesterday.

The inventor of the best machine for pulling and topping sugar beets will be awarded a \$10,000 prize early next year by a Colorado sugar company.

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(Continued From Page One.) This act of compulsion which has been charged against him.

The report says also on this head: "What might rightly be considered compulsion under one set of circumstances might by no means constitute or give rise to it under other circumstances and, therefore, it is that while there was no threat or menace in the conversation (between Flemming and Kennedy), we have no hesitation in believing that the compulsion undoubtedly existed, taking its rise primarily from the fact that Mr. Flemming was the premier of the province, and Mr. Kennedy was a contractor in the building of this work in question."

Different Swearing.

In other words, the Premier of New Brunswick "shook down" the contractors. The Hon. H. F. McLeod swore one way and Scott & Kelly, the contractors, swore another way in regard to the payments to McLeod; the commission finds that they cannot say, as against Mr. McLeod's denial that the charge has been proved and therefore they find Mr. McLeod not guilty.

The commission finds that \$100,000 of the \$350,000 borrowed by Gould and his associates from the Provincial Trust Company did not go into the railway and must not be charged against the bonds. They refer to \$107,000 of other charges as improper.

It finds that the 10 per cent which the construction company was getting from the railway company was an improper transaction. Payments say as \$1,000 to the Fredericton Gleaner and \$3,000 to Winslow are stamped by the commission as without justification or excuse. Many preliminary fees to solicitors are also condemned.

In a statement issued, Premier Flemming refers to the finding as "cruel and unjust," intimates he will remain in office and the Legislature and suggests the repayment of a portion of the timber graft to the limit holders.

RUSSIA GOES "DRY."

Prohibition Takes Effect in Czar's Domains and No Strong Liquor Is Obtainable.

Petrograd, Nov. 18.—There is prohibition in Russia today, prohibition which means that not another drop of vodka, whiskey, brandy, gin or any other strong liquor is obtainable from one end to the other of a territory populated by 150,000,000 people, and covering one-sixth of the habitable globe.

The story of how strong drink has been utterly banished from the Russian Empire was related by Michael Demitrovitch Tcheli-sheff, the man directly responsible for putting an end to Russian great vice, the vodka habit.

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HOW THE KAISER URGES HIS TROOPS

London, Nov. 24.—A characteristic order issued by Emperor William to his troops has been found upon a German soldier wounded in East Prussia. It is as follows:

"Dear Faithful Soldiers,—You have not forgotten the day when crafty, barbarous Russia, having secretly prepared to attack our fair and peaceful Fatherland, mobilized her troops and moved toward our frontier. That same day I, in fulfillment of my duty and prompted by the best interests of the country, decided, in conjunction with my government, to defend our land to the last drop of our blood.

"With this defensive purpose I was compelled to move my valorous troops into France, which, as an ally of Russia, was preparing to strike a blow at us on our western frontier.

"Thanks to the valor of my heroes, France has been severely punished, and Belgium, which interfered with our attack, has been added to the glorious provinces of Germany. From the course of military events you know that the punitive expedition into Russia has also been a brilliant success.

"But, although we obtained due requital for the affronted patriotism of Germany, we must now turn to the new task of protecting our hearths, which moribund France and barbarous Russia are making ready to attack. Henceforward military operations will take another form, which will soon be intelligible to you, my dear, valiant soldiers.

"My heroes, that hour of trial has now come for you and for the whole of Germany. It is necessary to concentrate our energies on the repulse of our enemies, for otherwise Germany will be transformed from a magnificent free country into an enslaved, degraded province of Russia and France.

"If Germany is dear to you, if your families are dear to you, if your culture, your faith, your nation, your Emperor, are dear to you, you will offer the enemy worthy resistance.

"Not one step backward into our country; remember, behind us, destruction is threatening, and it is only before us that our happiness lies.

COL. VON REUTER DEAD, SAYS REPORT TO PARIS

Paris, Nov. 24.—A dispatch received here from Montpellier relates that a letter reaching there from Beziers reports the death of Colonel Von Reuter, the German officer who was concerned in the Zabern affair. A priest who carried the colonel on a stretcher declares that he was seriously wounded by a bayonet thrust in a fight in Alsace.

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GERMAN ARMY COOKS WEAR IRON CROSS FOR HEROISM

IF ARMY CANNOT COME TO THEM THEY TAKE THE FOOD TO THE ARMY WITH ALL THE CHANCES OF GETTING SHOT IN ATTEMPT.

London, Nov. 24.—There isn't anything heroic about a cook. One simply cannot imagine a cook, in a soiled apron and a mused white cap, doing a deed of valor. When things go wrong one either apprehends a cook chasing a waiter with a bread knife or giving way to tears. But the German army is full of cooks upon whose breasts dangle the Iron Cross. And the Iron Cross is conferred for one thing only—for 100 per cent courage.

"They've earned it," said the man who had seen them. "They are the bravest men in the Kaiser's four millions. I've seen generals salute greasy, paunchy, sour-looking army cooks." The cook's job is to feed the men of his company. Each German company is followed, or preceded, by a field kitchen on wheels. Sometimes the fires are kept going while the device trundles along. The cook stands on the footboard and thumps his bread. He is always the first man up in the morning and the last to sleep at night. He is held to the strictest accountability. The Teuton believes in plenty of food—a sort. A well fed soldier will fight. A hungry one may not.

"When the company gets into camp at night," said the man who knows, "the cook is there before it, swearing at his fires and the second cook, and turning out quantities of a depressing looking veal stew, which is, nevertheless, very good to eat."

When that company goes into the trenches the cook stays behind. There is no place for a field kitchen in a four-foot trench. But those men in the trench must be fed. The Teuton insists that all soldiers must be fed—but especially the men in the trench. The others may go hungry, but these must have tight belts. Upon their staying-power may depend the safety of an army.

A Mark for Enemy's Bullets. So, as the company cannot go fed on time. The hero of the German campaign is the fat cook of the field kitchen.

The man who knows really does know. He has been along the German battle line, under the protection of a headquarters pass.

"I have heard stories of Germans being reduced to eating grass and beetroots and turnips," said he. "Maybe here and there a lost soldier may have eaten such ensilage. The German soldier who stayed with his company didn't have to. Whatever may have gone wrong with the German strategy nothing whatever went wrong with the German commissariat. The food is pretty rough, from my point of view; it is sprinkled with large, furious sausage, and is built on a displeasing foundation of stew, but it is good, filling, sustaining food. And the soldier always gets it."

Even when the trains of wounded wheel their frightful way to the rear a commissariat provision has been made for them. To the cook, the cook comes to the company. When meal hour comes he puts a yoke on his shoulders and a cook's cap on his head and warns the second cook in rumbling Teutonic orations as to what will happen if he lets the fires go out, and puts a bucketful of that veal stew on either end of the yoke and goes to his men. Maybe the trench is under fire. Being a trench, it most probably is. No matter. His men are in that trench—patztausend—they must be fed.

Sometimes the second cook gets his step right there. Sometimes the apprentice cook—the dishwasher, the grub murderer the university graduate who has just learned what to expect when Fahrenheit is applied to spuds—is summoned from his job of rustling firewood to pick up the

cook's yoke and refill the spilled buckets and tramp steadily forward to the line. Sometimes the supply of assistant cooks, even, runs short. But the men in the trenches always get their food. "That's why so many cooks in the German army have Iron Crosses dangling from their lumpy breasts," said the man who knows. "No braver man ever lived. The man in the trench can duck his head and light his pipe and he is relatively safe. No fat cook yoked to two buckets of veal stew can ever be safe as he marches down the trench under fire. But he always marches. His men are always fed, and they are. The German theory is that a man who is able to eat at all can eat a sausage. So soldiers walk along the platform with their arms full of sausages. Other soldiers follow with buckets of water and long dippers.

"Each wounded man who can eat is given a sausage. If he cannot eat and may still get some comfort out of a sausage, he gets it—two feet-long and as thick as your arm. I've seen dying men and dead with these great green sausages nestled in the crook of their arms."

It is this man's belief, based on what he has heard, that the commissariat of the Allies has from time to time broken down, but that of the German never has. "Generally speaking, I think the British soldier has been well fed," said he. "The English dependence is in bully beef, just as that of the Teuton is sausage. Wherever you come upon an abandoned camp ground of Tommy Atkins you will find a deep stratum of empty cans. The French and Belgian neighbor is apt to feed well on English beef, also. Atkins is a generous and somewhat improvident beggar. The French piau-piau depends mostly on wine. Give him wine and bread and he will go through any hardship. His spirit improves if you add to that a little sugar."

But it is the German who is notably plumped with excellent food. He is an expert at living upon the countryside, too—although this man says he doesn't loot except by way of reprisal upon a hedge-firing countryside. He pays for what he gets very largely, even if that payment is wholly valueless bits of paper, certifying that a German soldier upon a certain day took the farmer's hen away.

GERMANY SHORT OF LEAD.

Requisitions All That Can Be Taken From Pianos. New York, Nov. 24.—A cable from London to The Tribune says: "Besides the shortage of anaesthetics already reported, there is a considerable lack of lead in Germany, according to Dr. E. K. Johnstone, of San Francisco, an officer in the U. S. Medical Reserve Corps, who has just returned from a long stay in Belgium. Incidentally, Dr. Johnstone pays a high tribute to the German Red Cross, which he was afforded opportunities of studying comprehensively.

"There is no doubt that supplies of lead are running low in Germany owing to the stoppage in Galicia and Silesia," said Dr. Johnstone. "A few days before I left Berlin a secret order was issued calling upon the music stores to turn over to the government all lead in pianos and other musical instruments in which that metal is used. This demand, which, of course, is being rigorously enforced, has aroused feelings of the deepest dejection in the music trade, which foresees an immediate ruin to itself.

"The shortage of anaesthetics is due chiefly, I think, to the Ger-

man General Staff's belief that it could readily replenish its supply from captured Belgian and French stores, and as Germany does not produce the basic ingredients of ether or chloroform, the Red Cross is in bad shape in this respect."

GERMAN EXPERT PLANS FOR NAVY

Removes British and French Armies Out of Way and Finds Opening for Attack on Britain's Shores.

London, Nov. 24.—Count Rev-entlow, the German expert, writing in Das Groesser Deutschland, Berlin, lays down very clearly what the German navy expects to accomplish. He says: "Britain's general conception of war is based on geographical conditions, and especially on the possibility of closing the North Sea.

"These basic ideas are reflected in the strategic disposition of the British navy. Germany, recognizing the unfavorable nature of these geographical conditions, must make every effort to correct them, and thus alter in our favor the basis of British strategic calculations. That will be the case when our armies command the coast, the French harbors and their landward connections.

"The movement that is the case, the British idea of closing the North Sea, collapses. Through such continuation of our coastline, Britain could no longer maintain her present naval disposition. "Thus, when France is once overthrown and we possess the Belgian-French coast, we can begin the real fight with Britain. Until then our business is to keep our navy as far as possible intact, unless some unexpectedly favorable occasion arises for the employment of the whole or part of it."

GOING RIGHT AHEAD WITH PEACE RIVER RAILWAY LINE Vancouver, Nov. 25.—Announcement was made here by Charles F. Law, Canadian representative of D. A. Thomas, the Welsh "coal baron," and his associates interested in the big transportation scheme for the opening of vast areas in northern British Columbia, that reconnaissance plans for the Pacific Peace River & Athabasca Railway, and location plans for the two tramways proposed in connection, have been completed.

Despite the financial stringency, the promoters of the transportation and allied development schemes are confident that a start will be made on actual construction work next season. The charters of the companies provide for the construction of railway lines from the mouth of the Naas River to the Groundhog coal district and thence to Prince Albert.

PARIS SUSPECTS FORMER PREMIER OF BEING A SPY

Slayer of Editor of Figaro and Her Husband Leave for South America.

Paris, Nov. 25.—Much mystery is connected with the sudden departure for South America of Joseph Caillaux, former Premier and Minister of Finance, who was accompanied by his wife, the central figure in a sensational murder case a few months ago. The newspapers here merely mention the fact that M. and Mme. Caillaux left from Bordeaux on the liner Perou, Friday. It is hinted, however, that the man whom Germany has called her closest friend in France is going into enforced exile. This may be a bold statement, but it is believed extraordinary that a man who holds the rank of paymaster in the army, who was recently re-elected a member of the Chamber of Deputies, and who up until the trial of his wife for the murder of Gaston Calmette, the editor of The Figaro, was the most powerful politician in France—it seems extraordinary that such a man should leave his country at such a time.

Mme. Caillaux took up Red Cross work after her acquittal in the latter part of July, and has since been actively engaged along the line until her departure. Only about ten days ago, to prove that the French people have not forgotten about Caillaux, he and his wife were publicly insulted while driving through the streets of Paris. A crowd that gathered greeted him with cries of "German spy."

For scenting the air of rooms there has been invented a porcelain jar enclosing an incandescent lamp which, when lighted, volatilizes a perfume surrounding it. Chopped hair has been successfully substituted for skin in skin grafting by a French surgeon, due to the fact that hair cells can be transformed into skin cells.

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J. H. Hilditch returned from the South today. While in Victoria Mr. Hilditch visited the Prince Rupert overseas contingent.

Mr. W. J. Corley returned this morning from a visit to the South.

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TRAIN DELAYED.

Last night's train did not arrive before the departure of the morning train for the East. Consequently today's train lacked Pullman and diner. These will be taken up, however, when the delayed train is met.

The cause of the delay was a landslide in the vicinity of Hazelton. It is expected that it will be all cleared away in time for this morning's train to pass through.

TONIGHT'S THE NIGHT.

The thirteenth episode of "The Million Dollar Mystery," which was delayed by having missed boat connections in Victoria, arrived on the Prince George this morning and will be shown at The Westholme tonight and tomorrow night, together with a fine two-reel war picture showing the armies of the Allies in maneuver. These pictures were taken mostly before the opening of hostilities during mobilization and are exceptionally fine examples of military photography. The entire program is unusually good and deserves a large patronage.

PRINCE GEORGE ARRIVES.

The Prince George arrived at Prince Rupert this morning with a large list of passengers and a full cargo of freight. The following were on board: F. M. O'Brien, H. J. Buckle, M. Rockendorf, Mr. McLeod, Mr. Oppenheimer, Mr. Thorlow, E. M. Haynes, Mr. Matthews, Mr. Starrett, Mr. Cassidy, G. Taylor, J. G. McNab and wife, Mr. Hilditch, F. Peters, Miss Washburn, W. J. Corley, Mrs. H. Longpre, H. E. Walker, Mr. Zarelli and wife, R.

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