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## REPORT THAT TURKEY HAS BROKEN WITH GERMANY

### ATTACK ON DARDANELLES RESUMED YESTERDAY--AMERICAN SUBMARINE HAS BEEN LOST

#### TURKS BREAK WITH GERMANY-- REPORT WILL SUE FOR PEACE

ARMY GENERALS HAVE LEFT CONSTANTINOPLE FOR SOFIA AND ADRIANOPLE--RESUME ATTACK ON THE DARDANELLES.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Athens, March 26.—Turkey has broken with her German advisers and is about to sue for peace according to reliable reports received here from Constantinople.

Marshal Von Der Goltz has left Constantinople for Sofia, and General Liman Von Sanders has returned to Adrianople.

**Attack Resumed.**  
London, March 26.—The duel between the British and German fleets resumed in the Dardanelles yesterday in a gale. Reports from Constantinople says the French transports have landed 26,000 men at Smyrna. Thirty minesweepers preceded the warships into the straits.

#### AMERICAN SUBMARINE WAS LOST IN PRACTICE

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Washington, D. C., March 26.—It is feared that a United States submarine was lost at Honolulu during target practice. With a crew of twenty-six men, at least, the submarine disappeared during maneuvers, and oil covered the surrounding waters. The water is 100 fathoms deep where she disappeared. A fleet of wrecking ships failed to locate the craft. There being no signal bells leads to the belief that the crew was killed by the breaking of the tanks. Divers, in an effort to reach the ocean bed, became unconscious at a depth of 196 fathoms and failed to reach the craft. A later report states that the submarine was lost at thirty-five fathoms and the object is believed to be the submarine. The vessels are planning to lift her.

#### REINFORCEMENTS TO FRONT.

Reinforcements Are Being Sent From Tidworth.  
London, March 26.—A strong force of Canadian reinforcements is being prepared to leave Tidworth, nearly half of the men going to the Fort Garry Horse. The battalion was in the thick of the recent fighting. Officers are besieged with applications for men in order that their names might appear first on the list of travel. They are now perfectly fit and have had another course at the ranges.

#### TURK HOWITZERS RUNNING ON RAILS

Athens, March 26.—The Turks have now at their command in the Dardanelles howitzers running on rails which can be concentrated at any points menaced. All the artillery in the Dardanelles is not operated entirely by Germans.

#### HAVE YOUR BUNDLE READY.

The members of the Cadet Corps will start a canvass of the city on Saturday morning morning collecting old linen and cotton for the ladies of the St. John Ambulance Association.  
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#### TALK OF ELECTION IS MORE PRONOUNCED

Premier's Provocative Utterance Was Evidently Not Unexpected by Opposition.

Ottawa, March 26.—Election talk is more pronounced than ever in Parliamentary corridors as a result of Premier Borden's distinctively provocative utterance in the House. Parliamentarians on both sides of the House recognize in it the trust in the protected interests, and the waving of the old flag, which will be the chief ingredients of the Conservative campaign appeal. It was throughout an effort to show that the government was justified in going to the country, and the cheers which greeted his most partisan utterances showed that the government side of the House at least knew what was coming.

The election is expected by many Conservative members early in June. It is stated on good authority that nomination day has been tentatively fixed for June 3, with polling on June 10. The early appeal is fixed for purely political rather than national reasons. The Maritime Provinces fishermen will be for the most part at home that week, and it is expected that practically all of the third contingent, and possibly a portion of the second contingent, will not yet have left Canada, and can be voted to the accompaniment of the martial music of a khaki appeal.

#### IN THE RING.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
New York, March 26.—Charley White defeated Leach Cross in a fast ten-round battle here last night.

#### 166 BRITISH SHIPS LOST.

London, March 16.—From the beginning of the war up to March 10, 166 British merchant ships were interned, captured or destroyed, it was announced today by Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty.

#### TENDERS WANTED

Tenders wanted for the construction of a 60-foot fishing boat. Plans and specifications can be seen at The Daily News, 4f.

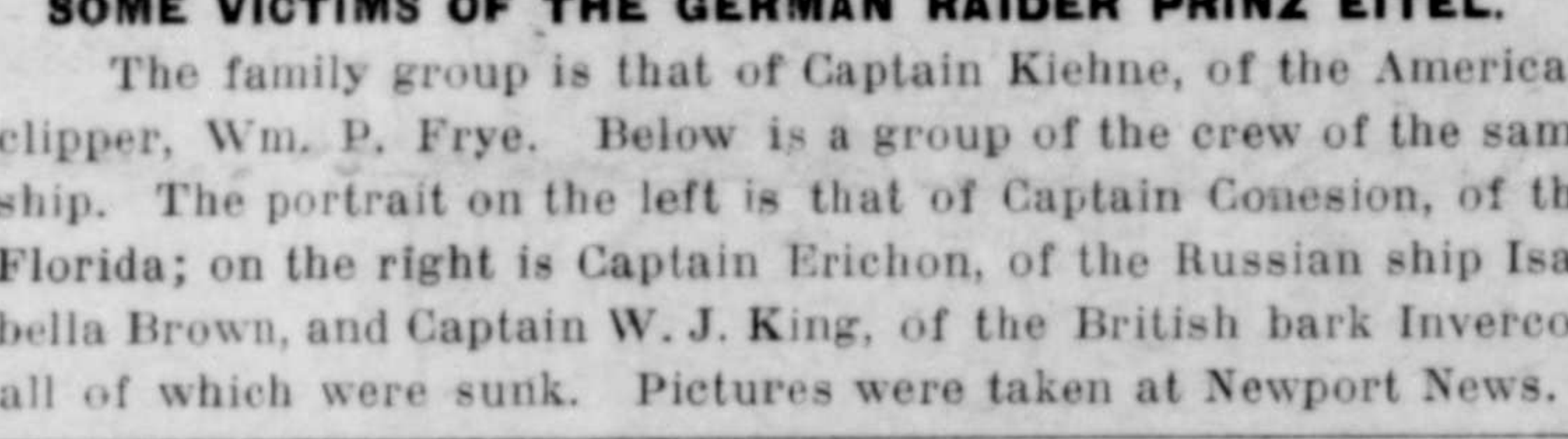
#### CIT YMARKET.

Saturday Special—Pork, 18 cts. per pound.



#### SOME VICTIMS OF THE GERMAN RAIDER PRINZ EITEL.

The family group is that of Captain Kiehne, of the American clipper, Wm. P. Frye. Below is a group of the crew of the same ship. The portrait on the left is that of Captain Conesio, of the Florida; on the right is Captain Erichon, of the Russian ship Isabella Brown, and Captain W. J. King, of the British bark Invercol, all of which were sunk. Pictures were taken at Newport News.



### CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION CHOOSES WILLIAM MANSON

MANSON MAKES BITTER ATTACK ON DAILY NEWS FOR CRITICISM--WANTS TO CLOSE UP THE PAPER AND SEND EDITOR TO JAPAN.

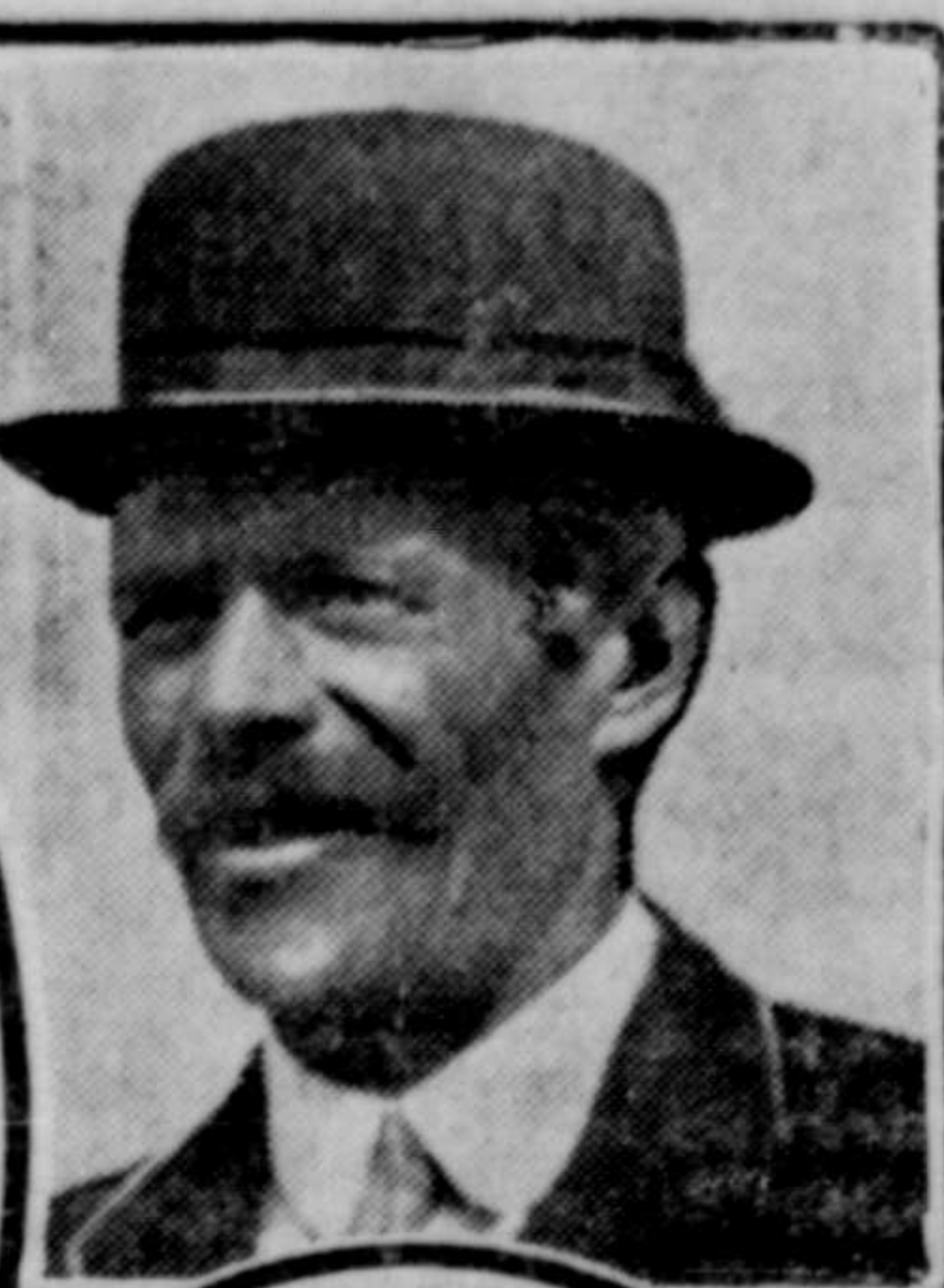
The Conservatives of Prince Rupert District held their convention last night and unanimously decided on William Manson as their candidate in the forthcoming election.

The meeting, which was held in St. Andrew's Hall, was called to order by J. A. Kirkpatrick, the president of the local association. J. E. Merryfield read a number of telegrams from several points in the district appointing proxies and instructing them to vote for William Manson.

It had been decided at first to elect delegates, who would meet this morning, but Mr. Flewin, of Port Simpson, moved that in view of the unanimity of those present that William Manson should be declared the party's choice. This was carried by a standing vote.

Mr. Turner and Mr. Braun, from Terrace, were present. They both made attacks on a speech delivered by H. F. McRae at Terrace a week ago. Mr. Braun didn't like the fact that Mr. McRae had told them about a map the government had out for election purposes which showed in red the land along the G. T. P. open for settlement. This map shows several of the little towns along the road as well as most of the land already taken up to be open for pre-emption. Mr. Braun would not believe this till he saw the map.

The chief speech of the evening was that of William Manson, who delivered to the party a report of his stewardship.



#### SHARP PRACTICE

For the last few days the Conservatives of this city have been advertising a smoker for last night. When the meeting was called to order, however, it was announced that the purpose was to elect delegates to a convention and a little later even dispensed with that and chose their candidate. Surely, that is machine methods of the worst kind. What will the followers of the ever-popular Sam Newton have to say about that? There is no doubt but that Sam Newton is the most popular man in the Conservative party today and that had it been known that a candidate was to be chosen his followers would have been there in force. Sam deserves a position like that, too, for his recent visit to Montreal shows him to be a financier of the very highest order. Surely, the very stones will cry out at such injustice.

#### HAS BEEN EXTENDED FOR A PERIOD OF SIX MONTHS

Ottawa, March 26.—The order-in-council prohibiting the entry at any port in British Columbia of skilled or unskilled artisans has been extended from April 1 next, the date on which the prohibition would have expired, until September 30, a period of six months. The reason given for the extension is the present over-crowded condition of the labor market in British Columbia.

#### YET ANOTHER.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
London, March 26.—The British steamer Delmira was torpedoed in the Channel today.

#### THE WEATHER.

By F. W. Dowling, Observer.  
(5 a. m., March 26, 1915.)  
Barometer ..... 30.074  
Max. temp. .... 62.0  
Min. temp. .... 36.0

#### TURKISH TROOPS ABUSE MISSIONARIES

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Washington, D. C., March 26.—Consul Paddock, of Tabriz, Persia, reports that violence has been committed by the Turkish troops to refugees at the American mission. The Turkish consul, with troops, broke in and seized Assyrian Christian refugees and massacred them. He also insulted and beat the missionaries.

#### CANADIAN SOLDIERS RETURN TO "BEEG FAMILIES"

New York, March 26.—Six French soldiers who enlisted with the Canadian contingent and went to Europe last fall returned home on the steamer Rochambeau. All were discharged from further service because each is the father of six children. This exempts them from further service after they have served for seven months.

#### BACK FROM TORONTO.

Rev. H. R. Grant returned by last evening's train from Toronto, where he had been attending a meeting of the Home Mission Board of the Presbyterian Church. Mr. Grant says that there is more interest shown on the Prairies over prohibition than any other subject. Saskatchewan has already decided to abolish the bar, and Manitoba has ordered all saloons closed at 7 o'clock, while Alberta is to vote on the question in June and the prohibitionists feel certain they can carry the day.

Throughout Canada the people are taking the war very calmly, although the list of Canadian casualties is bringing it near home.

#### INDOOR BASEBALL.

The Terminals defeated the Catholic Club in a great ball game at the Auditorium last night by 7 runs to 5. The teams were: Terminals—Graves, Embleton, Ramsey, C. Blythe, W. Blythe, Scott and Evans. Catholic Club—E. Murphy, Fortin, J. Murphy, Astori, Henning, Hannigan and Rowells. Umpire—Joe Scott.

#### TEXAS CAN'T BEAT THIS.

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# EDITORIALS

"Never let yourself get entangled in any transaction that might touch your name with even the breath of suspicion or compromise your honor as a gentleman!" That was the fatherly word of Edward Blake, the Nestor of Canadian Liberalism, to Hibbert Tupper, the rising hope of the Conservative party, in the olden days before 1896.

Those were the days when graft and scandal were running riot, or what in those times seemed to be riot. A new scandal had arisen over the charter-mongering by members of Parliament. Many companies had been formed in which, as a return for influence and service, shares and other interests were given to Cabinet ministers and government supporters. One day Mr. Blake turned his heavy artillery on this fortress of evil. He shattered one or two reputations, and expressed regret that rumor associated these petty hucksterings with the name of the son of his veteran antagonist from Nova Scotia. In an instant young Tupper was on his feet in direct and absolute denial. Blake accepted the disclaimer "without reserve and with real pleasure."

An hour or two afterwards the two chanced to meet in a quiet place. With an enthusiasm not at all common in the old political warrior, Blake, with a hand on each of Tupper's shoulders, looked straight into the young man's eyes and assured him of the genuine personal pleasure it was to know that the rumors of wrongdoing were untrue, and then, as a father might warn a son, he warned him against the snares that are set for the inexperienced politician, sometimes set by the exploiters within his own party: "Never let yourself get involved in any transaction that might touch your name with even the breath of suspicion or compromise your honor as a gentleman."

Sir Hibert Tupper probably has not forgotten that early word from the Hon. Edward Blake. Certain it is he never denied that early faith. Other men from among his early associates have gone into political oblivion; he, though out of politics, is not out of mind. Other men, with far less equipment and far smaller opportunity, have made fortunes

through the chances provided by politics; he, like another Nova Scotian politician whom the ignorant call "defeated," gives to his country the goodly heritage of an untarnished name. And Sir Hibbert is like Hon. W. S. Fielding also in this, that in the daily service of his profession he eats bread by the sweat of his brow.

And those who know at first-hand the situation in British Columbia affirm most strongly that it is because Sir Hibbert has not denied Blake's political faith that he stands today, and consistently has stood, outside the clouds of scandal that through the past ten years have been gathering in force and blackness about the heads of the government. The crash cannot much longer be stayed off. When the forked lightning strikes, and compromised political reputations are blasted, Sir Richard McBride's sneer at Tupper will have come home to roost.

A good name is more to be desired than great riches, and a conscience void of offence is better than a premiership scandalized by grafting corporations. The honest public servant will be held in honorable remembrance, but the memory of the knighted exploiter will rot before its time. —Toronto Globe.

### IS GROWN UP.

Prince George, March 18—This place has been incorporated as a city by the Provincial Legislature. The first municipal election will be held May 26, with nomination day May 17. The area incorporated comprises no part of either Fort George or South Fort George, and not even all of Prince George townsite. The city is to be called Fort George at first, but provision is made for a referendum on the question of a name at the first election. A mayor and six aldermen will be elected.

### OIL TANKS FOR SMITHERS.

Work on the G. T. P. round-house at Smithers is nearly completed, and the tanks for the storage of oil for the use of the oil burning locomotives that are to be used on this line are being erected.

### Salvation Army.

Public meetings, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8 p. m. Sundays at 7:30 p. m.

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## LOOKS LIKE OIL BOOM IN THE NEAR FUTURE ON QUEEN CHARLOTTE'S

Much Land Being Staked on Graham Island and Many Big Promoters Interested.

Vancouver, March 22—Seventy square miles of oil lands on the west coast of Graham Island were staked during the past week, according to information received here in a letter from Arthur Robertson, one of the best known of the pioneers on the island. A large number of sections were staked for interested parties in the East and for Mr. R. B. Bennett, M. P., and associates, of Calgary.

A number of residents of Prince Rupert have now gone to the island to stake oil land again, their excitement being caused by the reports from the west coast that an oil strike in the B. C. well is imminent on account of the heavy gas pressure in the hole. Several other companies which have held land on the west coast for the past year are showing signs of activity and getting ready to start operations with the announcement that the pioneer well has been brought in.

### May Have Gusher.

It is conceded by oil men that the work of the pioneer well has proven the field and they expect not only will this well tap an oil-flow, but a gusher. Every boat which has landed on Graham Island the last few weeks has taken oil men bound for the west coast and after seeing the indications, such as petroleum seepages, oil tar in the rocks and nature-refined paraffin, and an examination of the log of the B. C. company's well, they are most optimistic that within a short time British Columbia will have her own oil field proven beyond question and one which will rank with Tampico, Mexico, with which field there is great similarity.

Among the recent arrivals from the North is Mr. J. K. Anderson, a merchant of Tow Hill, Graham Island. He has spent several years there and is familiar with all sections of the wonderful island. Of the oilfields, he expresses the same confidence as do all the men living on the island—that it is only a matter of time when Graham Island will be supplying a portion of the petroleum of the world.—Sun.

### SHAMROCKS IN TRENCHES.

Thousands Distributed—Nobility Sells Shamrock for Soldiers' Benefit.

St. Patrick's Day was not forgotten in the trenches in Northern France and Flanders, according to dispatches from the front. Thousands of sprigs of shamrock, forwarded to the front a few days previously were distributed to British soldiers on St. Patrick's Day.

In London, thousands of men, including many members of the nobility, headed by the Countess of Limerick, were on the streets, in the shops, and at the railway stations, disposing of three hundred thousand shamrocks. The proceeds are to be used to buy articles for the British soldiers at the front.

## CANADIANS MUST LEARN TO SHOOT

First Contingent's Shooting Ability Has Already Proven of Value.

Ottawa, March 26.—Just back from the frontier and the city of Toronto, General Hughes expressed satisfaction with the way mobilization and training are being carried out in Western Ontario and the Niagara Peninsula.

"I motored to the various centres where the men are assembled," he said, "and dropped in upon them unannounced. At every point I visited I found everything satisfactory. The officers and the men were in fine spirits and working hard."

"Are there enough men offering for enlistment?"

"We are now starting enlistment for the fourth contingent and find that more men are offering than we can handle."

"When do you hope to commence moving men to Valcartier?"

"There are still two and a half feet of snow at Valcartier. We cannot open the camp there until the season has advanced further, and the ground is in shape. However, I intend to get the boys out of barracks and under canvas wherever there is a drill area with a range. In the West there are a number of camp grounds to which men can be moved. I want to give the boys shooting practice as soon as possible. The first contingent was splendidly trained and have made a name for themselves as shooting men already, largely as a result of the training they got at Valcartier before they left Canada."

"I want the men who go from Canada to join them to be as deadly with the rifle if not more so. What the Canadians did to the Prussians and the Saxon Guards who charged their trenches under the protection of shrapnel fire shows what good rifle shooting does. Under the cover of the artillery the flower of the German army got within 150 yards of the Canadians. Then the German artillery had to stop firing, and the Canadian rifles began. What was the result? So deadly was the shooting that not a man of the Germans in the charge went back to his own lines and not one of them ever got forward to the wire entanglements in front of the Canadians. The fire was so deadly that the whole of the charging forces was laid flat. We have a great body of shooting men representing Canada in Europe, and we are going to always have just such men there if training in Canada will do the trick"

### CADET ORDERS

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## ITALY PREPARED TO DEMAND SHARE

Must Seek New Dominions On Mediterranean, Says the "Giornale d'Italia."

Rome, March 25.—Territorial expansion for Italy with new dominions "beyond the seas, especially on the Mediterranean," must be obtained, declares the "Giornale d'Italia" in a long article, regarded here as of a semi-official nature, in which the present crisis is discussed. Italy's seven months' neutrality, the paper says, were not lost, for not only have her interests been defended, but the nation has acquired great political and military force. "Since the beginning of the war," the paper says, "Italy has declared her neutrality only until her own interests are in question, thus intending to exclude any renunciation of her rights and proclaiming for her the amplest liberty of action. The forces of the belligerents are gradually wearing out, while our energies are augmented."

"All have slowly recognized Italy's right to have the amplest liberty of action against any one. Thus, foreign countries have abandoned the strange idea that that they would be able to enlist Italy in the name of sentimentalism like the romantic Knight Errant or in the aid of great powers aspiring to the domination of the world."

"There is now beginning the second phase of the war, which probably will be decisive. Italy has a frontier problem which for fifty years has oppressed her like a yoke as the result of the unfortunate war of 1866, which forced Italy when she took the Venetian provinces to accept a confine which has been a threat. Now that the configuration of Europe, perhaps of a great part of the world, is about to be decided, we must and will obtain by every means a frontier which politically and from a military point of view is in no sense a menace."

"Her anti-Italian policy in the Italian provinces within her borders was Austria's fatal mistake. It cannot and must not continue. These Italians must be saved from destruction. "A nation of 37,000,000 inhabitants bordered almost entirely by the sea, a great exporter of men and with agricultural, industrial and commercial interests which are constantly developing, needs expansion beyond the seas; especially on the Mediterranean."

The newspaper says this statement summarizes the great problem which Italy must solve "by sacrificing blood and money if necessary." It declares the nation must be constantly prepared for any eventuality.

### TWO CHANCES OPEN.

"I think any man who pays \$450 for a vacant lot at Fort George should be given all the time he wants," argued counsel in an application in connection with a foreclosure on land in that district. "Yes," replied Chief Justice Hunter, before whom the application came, "either that, or he should be put in an asylum."—Smithers Sentinel.

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**Certificate of Improvements.**

Pill Chance It Fraction, and Black Bear Mineral Claims, situate in the Skeena Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Where located:—Pill Chance, it Fraction located between the "Lilly Bertha" and "Aldebaran" Mineral Claims near head of Alice Arm, Observatory Inlet, and "Black Bear" Mineral Claim, located one mile more or less, from the northwest point of the head of Alice Arm, a branch of Observatory Inlet.

TAKE NOTICE that 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.

And further take notice that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 21st day of September, A.D. 1914.

PEDRO SALINAS.

# REMARKABLE STORY EXPLAINS WHY CANADIANS WERE DELAYED

## STRANGE WOMAN TELLS SAM HUGHES GERMAN ZEPPELIN WAS WATCHING TROOPSHIP—WAS THEIR REASON WHY MEGANTIC DELAYED

A remarkable article has appeared in Maclean's Magazine giving what purports to be the inside story of the reason why the Princess Pats were taken off the steamer Megantic at Quebec on August 29th last and detained at Valcartier along with the other Canadian troops for another month before being sent across the Atlantic.

The story is written by C. Lintern Sibley with an air of the most intimate knowledge of all that happened, and of the words and even the unspoken thoughts of the chief actors, who are Hon. Sam Hughes and a mysterious lady, with Sir Robert Borden in a minor third role.

It appears that on August 28th Hon. Sam Hughes was dining at the Chateau Frontenac in Quebec. He was alone with his thoughts and the menu. That is to say he was unattended by any of his staff, but at the same table was seated a lady, refined, beautiful, but pallid. Let us, however, follow the example of Major-General Hughes, and scrutinize the lady more carefully, for the author, Mr. Sibley, says she made a great impression on the Minister.

"The striking pallor of her face was its most striking quality, seeming a tint rather than a shade. Blending into a delicate brownness at the throat, it bespoke healthy vitality. The heavy coils of her hair were black, and her eyes, seriously and vaguely tragic as they were, yet glowed with warmth and animation. She was slender, but every move was a study in grace. The curves of her figure all low, yet there was no suggestion of angularity. Indeed, her figure suggested suppleness and strength beyond the ordinary."

published story he did heed it, ordered the Princess Pats off the Megantic next morning, to the surprise of all Canada, and left that regiment and all the others for another month at Valcartier while flying machines searched the Laurentian wilderness for the hang-out of a German Zeppelin. Then one day, on September 27th, a flying machine lit at Valcartier while Sam Hughes was conversing with Sir Robert Borden, a hurried message was given by the airman, and the Minister of Militia gave instant orders for all troops to pack up and make sail for England. Evidently the enemy Zeppelin had been found and destroyed, and the Canadian Armada saved.

New what about all this? It purports to be true. It is written in the most intimate way, as if the writer had his information from the principals. It appears in Maclean's Magazine, which is published by Colonel John Bayne Maclean, a well known military man. Not only is the Minister of Militia the principle figure in the story, but the Prime Minister is brought into it as the one and only confidant of General Hughes.

Is this story true, or is it a hoax? The country ought to know. Did Major General the Honorable Sam Hughes order the Princess Pats off the Megantic on August 29 and keep them kicking their heels at Valcartier until September 27 because of a warning he received from a refined, beautiful, but pallid lady while he munched an olive in the dining room of the Chateau Frontenac?

Did the warning of the mysterious lady have the effect of keeping the first contingent of 33,000 Canadians a month longer in Canada than they would otherwise have been?

If so, what proof was found on or before September 27 that the story told by the mysterious lady was a true one? Was the Zeppelin found? Where? When? Can the wreck of it be put in the national museum at Ottawa?

No story quite so sensational as this, and with dates and names given in so definite a way, has been made public in Canada since Colonel Hughes returned from the South African War. It is a whale of a story. It makes the mildest of recent works of fiction look tame and, we may add, pallid.

What is Hon. Sam Hughes going to do about it? Will the Prime Minister explain to Parliament? Or will the mysterious lady come forward with further particulars of the affair?—Toronto Star.

The reader can now picture the twain—the grim soldier and the refined, beautiful, but pallid lady with vaguely tragic eyes. Before she left the table she accosted him. He was munching an olive at the time. She warned him that she had news for him—news which if he valued the welfare of his country, he must know about. He must meet her alone on the Terrace at the far end under the citadel at 9 o'clock.

Well, if you had been in his place what would you have done? Remember that this man, quietly munching an olive when he received the warning was at the head of the Canadian forces, and the country was at war. The cares of the country were on him. He needed all the news he could get. He decided to meet the refined, but pallid lady on the far end of the Terrace at 9 o'clock, and to meet her alone. And he did.

They meet. She tells him she is of the British Secret Service; she knows all about the arrangements for sending the Canadian contingent away; she says the Germans know it, too, and unless the plans are changed not a man of the 33,000 Canadians will ever be heard of again once the ships leave the shore. She tells him that the Germans have a Zeppelin in the Quebec mountains and mean to sink the troop ships with the Canadians on board. She begs that the Princess Pats be taken off the Megantic at Quebec next day, and that no troops be sent away until flying machines have located and destroyed the German Zeppelin.

What could Hon. Sam Hughes do in view of this warning? Could he risk letting the men go? Even while he talked with the lady, she suddenly squeezed his arm. A man approached. Ha! They were shadowed. So they engaged in banter and airy persiflage until the man in rubber shoes passed by. What was the Minister of Militia to do? Was he to heed the warning? According to the



**JOHN B. McMANUS,**

The Chicagoan whose murder by a band of Zapatistas in Mexico has brought the Mexican issue to an acute stage in Washington and has caused the government to demand an explanation and the prosecution of the slayers. Both Villa and Zapata have promised to make amends for the crime.

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**MINERAL ACT.**

**Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE.**

Starlight, Homestake No. 1, and Sunrise Mineral Claims, situate in the Skeena Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Where located: On the North Shore of Granby Bay between Bonanza and Falls Creeks.

TAKE NOTICE that I, George R. Naden, Free Miner's Certificate No. 50353B, acting as Agent for Thomas McHostie, Free Miner's Certificate No. 80348B, and James L. Hatch, Free Miner's Certificate No. 79396 B, 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 claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 15th day of March, A. D. 1915.

GEO. R. NADEN.

### WATER NOTICE.

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"An', d'ye ken," said Joek, in speaking of it afterward, "baith o' them had a guid bite, an' wis sae mean they wadna' pu' in."

"Then you lost?" asked the listener.

"Oh, no. I didna' pit ony bait on my hook."

**CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessments as made for the year 1915 will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Prince Rupert, B. C., on Wednesday, April 7, 1915, at 10:30 a. m.

Any person desiring to make complaint against the said assessment must give notice in writing to the Assessor, stating the cause, at least ten (10) days prior to the sitting of the said Court.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B. C., this 24th day of February, A. D. 1915.

P. LORENZEN,  
Assessor

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No. 26—2nd Ave. and 6th St.  
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No. 38—6th Ave. and Thompson St.

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Dated at Prince Rupert, March 19, 1915. (Signed) MARTHA GEBHARDT. Witness: — A. OHNESORG.

LAND NOTICES.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range Five.

TAKE NOTICE that William Watson, of Reno, B. C., occupation Contractor, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the northerly limit of the Right-of-Way of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, and about 35 chains southwesterly from Mile 84, east from Prince Rupert, B. C.; thence north 20 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence south 45 chains, more or less, to the northerly limit of the Right-of-Way of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company; thence northeasterly along the northerly limit of the said Right-of-Way to point of commencement; and containing about 80 acres, more or less.

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CRUISER DRESDEN WASN'T SUNK IN NEUTRAL WATERS

Hull Will Show It, Declares Commander of Auxiliary Orama—Dresden Ran for Coast Waters.

Valparaiso, Chili, March 26.—In the first detailed story of the naval battle off Robinson Crusoe's island, Lieutenant Commander Fielding, of the British auxiliary cruiser Orama, denies that the German cruiser Dresden was sunk in neutral waters.

"The Dresden was about seventeen miles off the point of Juan Fernandez Island when we sighted her," said Fielding. "We at once gave chase, the cruiser Glasgow leading, the Kent close behind, and the Orama trailing slightly in the rear.

The Glasgow closed in to short range and opened fire. She fired several shots before the Dresden's guns got in action. All the time the German was running in toward the coast.

"The Kent swung in to head her off. Before the Kent opened up on her, the Dresden's upper works were afire, and it was plainly seen that her raiding days were over. The Kent had fired less than half a dozen shells when the Dresden ran up the white flag. We were ordered to stand by and take off the crew. Within a few minutes flames reached her magazine, there was a terrific explosion, and the cruiser went down. The story that she was sunk in Chilean waters is nonsense. That can be disproved by locating her hull."

German wounded from the Dresden, who were brought here, praised the British ship commanders for their work of rescue, but asserted positively that the cruiser was sent to the bottom within less than half a mile of the island. They said the Dresden was at anchor when she was fired on, and that her crew was ordered to take to the boats.

Germans Violated Neutrality.

Washington, March 26.—Government officials—who were most particular to say they spoke unofficially, that their names must not be used—questioned the soundness of the German case against the British, even if, as the Kaiser's officers contended, English warships attacked the German cruiser Dresden in the waters of the Chilean island of Juan Fernandez. They expressed a suspicion that the Germans had themselves been using the island as a naval base.

Mr. W. S. McFaron, who was in the employ of the G. T. P. telegraph service in the Interior, has severed his connection with that concern, and left this morning for Seattle. He was renewing acquaintances with his old pals in Prince Rupert last night.

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"B" Company will parade at the Exhibition Building on Monday and Thursday, March 22 and 25, at 7:45 p. m.

W. S. MARSHALL, Lieut., 67-73 Acting Adjutant.

THE CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION CHOOSES WILLIAM MANSON

(Continued From Page One.) to the road around the Island, he expects to do a little more on it this summer; and by doing a little each year, he hoped it would be finished sometime.

He referred to the Workmen's Compensation Act which the government had laid on the table as they had no money to put it through at present. The government, he stated, intended to tax industries to pay for this and they did not want to do this till times got good again.

The agricultural bill, he said, was advanced a little farther. It was all ready to be put into force by an order-in-council but, this, too, had to wait upon a return of prosperity. It was impossible to raise money at present, and the government was compelled to defer it.

He referred to the split in the Conservative party and he said he was glad there was a difference of opinion. It was not a good thing when a government was too unanimous. He believed, however, that the leaders would yet get together and that before election time they would be able to present a united front to the enemy.

About three hundred people were present, many of them Liberals, as one could tell from the remarks and heckling all over the hall. The City Band was in attendance and also a couple of pipers, which largely accounted for many who came in.

A program of songs, recitations and music as well as a good supply of cigars kept the crowd in good humor.

SMITHERS NEWS

H. Taylor, of Hazelton, the goal keeper for that town's hockey team, won the diamond ring raffled by B. Gagne for a party in Prince George. No. 20 was the lucky number.

R. S. Sargent engaged a special train from Hazelton to Houston on Monday night. He is campaigning for the coming election. Charles Chapman, of Gleanana, was in town on Tuesday.

Next Friday the Walking Club's hostesses are Mrs. C. Wilcock's and Miss Violet McLaughlin, at Mrs. Wilcock's residence.

Dr. Maclean left on Tuesday for the San Francisco exposition. Dr. Badgero joined him at Hazelton.

The Smithers Walking Club hiked to Hill's ranch last Friday. Upon returning they were entertained to tea at Mrs. Manley's residence. Mesdames Moran and Manley were hostesses to the tired bevy of trampers.

Barrett & White, butchers, this week purchased the lot and building owned by A. R. Macdonald on the corner of First and Broadway. An additional story will shortly be added to the building containing two suites of apartments.

Dr. Wallace, of Telkwa, will maintain Dr. Maclean's office hours in Smithers pending his holiday to the exposition.—The Smithers Sentinel.

GENERAL HUGHES' BROTHER TO COMMAND

Kingston, March 26.—There is a report here that Lieutenant Colonel John Hughes, brother of Major General Hughes, will command the Second Canadian Contingent.

PARLIAMENT REBUKES POLITICAL SNIPER

Cheers Elicited by Mr. Carroll's Stinging Reproof of Sneer at Hon. Dr. Beland.

Ottawa, March 26.—By a silence more significant than sound, and by a subsequent burst of cheering from both sides of the chamber at the mention of the name of Hon. Dr. H. Beland, Parliament a few days ago administered a stinging rebuke to the political sniper who seeks to exploit the highest things of life and civilization to his own base ends.

William F. Carroll, the young Liberal member for South Cape Breton, was concluding his speech upon the budget debate. In earnest language he pleaded the co-operation of every true Canadian, of whatever political party, race or creed, in all the great issues involved in the war. With bitter scorn he directed Parliament's attention to a circular sent out to Manitoba under the frank of a Conservative member, making a contemptible attack on the loyalty and patriotism of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The reference was greeted by cries of "shame."

The Offender Named.

"Shame indeed it is," exclaimed Mr. Carroll warmly. "Sir, there is, and I blush as a Canadian to have to say it, a class of politicians in this country at the present time who can best be described as political snipers, snipers who seek to bring down the big and the noble and the patriotic in our public life. I am not going to shoot from concealment. I name the member for Kings-Albert (Mr. George W. Fowler) as one of these political snipers. I read in a press report of his speech to a Conservative meeting Saturday night that he sneered at the gallant and patriotic services of a members of this House, a member whom we all hold in highest honor and esteem, Hon. Dr. Beland. (Prolonged cheering, in which many Conservatives joined.) He went on to state that Dr. Beland did not go to Belgium to take part in the war, and added the unworthy insinuation that if he had been in Canada when the war broke out it was very doubtful whether he would ever have made a move to serve the cause of Britain. (Cries of "shame.")

Dr. Beland's Name Honored.

"None of us," continued the young Cape Breton man, "can afford to pass that by. It shows how small some people can become. The name of Dr. Beland is honored, worthily honored, not only in this House where we all knew and esteemed him, but throughout the whole country. He was the first Canadian to volunteer his services, he was the first to shed blood in service of the British forces, he is today a prisoner in the hands of the enemy. The Minister of Militia honored himself and honored Parliament when he appointed Hon. Dr. Beland an officer in the Medical Service branch of the Canadian contingent—(renewed cheers)—and we know that if he were not now a prisoner in the hands of the Germans he would be at succuring and serving our own boys at the front.

Dr. Beland's Name Honored.

"Sir, let me say this one thing

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more," exclaimed Mr. Carroll indignantly: "Those political snipers who would do injury to men they are unworthy to even mention will have no more success in their unworthy campaign than will the German snipers in lowering the power and prestige of Britain in the blood-stained trenches of Flanders."

As Mr. Carroll resumed his seat he was greeted by an outburst of hearty and generous cheering from both sides of the chamber.

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