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VANCOUVER MAN ATTACKEN BY BURGLARS

RUSSIANS TAKE 70,000 PRISONERS--GERMANS ABANDON ATTACK ON THE ALLIES

CONTRAST "LAURIER LUCK" WITH FAILURES OF BAD LUCK BORDEN

INTERESTING RECITAL OF CAREER OF TWO MEN — GOOD LUCK FOLLOWS ONE, BAD LUCK HAUNTS THE OTHER — WHICH WILL YOU HAVE?

"A little more Laurier luck is what this country needs just now," said an Old Political Observer the other day.

"Why," replied a Conservative friend who had been offering reasoned explanations of the present depressing conditions, "you can't seriously suggest that luck is a political policy do you?"

"No," replied the old P. O., "and I do not pretend to understand why good luck follows one man and bad luck follows another man, whether it is in cards, in love, or in business, or in politics. I only know it does."

"You may remember that when the elections of 1911 brought Mr. Borden into power this country was at the height of a prosperity which it had never known. Well, one day I said to a friend, 'mine, a Conservative, 'I don't judge you people your success, I'm afraid of this man Borden. He's unlucky, and he's all set to spoil the Laurier show.' 'Don't talk nonsense, said

"Canada will now just strike to her stride. And anyway, why do you say Borden is unlucky." "Well," I answered, "one day I was walking east on the Intercolonial bridge and as we passed the Quebec Bridge everybody in the car went to the windows to admire it. That day I got back to Quebec by night, and what was the news we heard? First that the bridge had fallen. Next that Mr. Borden had been there making a speech. Now Borden rarely or never went to Quebec; why should he go there just the day the bridge was built? It wasn't his fault; it was

his luck. Now you look out for him. With Laurier it was just the other way. I was in Moose Jaw when he got there in the summer of 1910 on his political tour of the west. That was a drought year. It hadn't rained for six weeks, and Moose Jaw was so dry that with every breath your throat was lined with dust. And at 3 o'clock, just before the meeting opened, it rained. It seems this experience was repeated time after time in the dry belt. But when he went to Prince Rupert, the rain fell in place in Canada, the sun shone all the time he was there. Why, I remember away back in 1897, when good times were just beginning in Canada, I asked a farmer at the Market in Guelph whether his crops were good that year. 'Yes, young man,' he said, 'and you mark my words; the crops will be good and the times will be good as long as this man Laurier stays in power.' How did he know? I don't know, but he was right, wasn't he?"

"And now," continued the Old Political Observer, "you see I was right. Borden didn't make the War, but it was just his luck. Some years ago it used to be a joke in Montreal that he brought bad weather with him. If there was snow out of season it was more than an even chance that Mr. Borden was registered at the Windsor. You can't beat your luck, and it was foreshadowed that if Bad Luck Borden became Premier hard times would be sure to put in an appearance."

"Well," commented the Old Political Observer's Conservative friend, "however it is, 'we're here and you're there,' and you'll need something more than luck to win this next election."

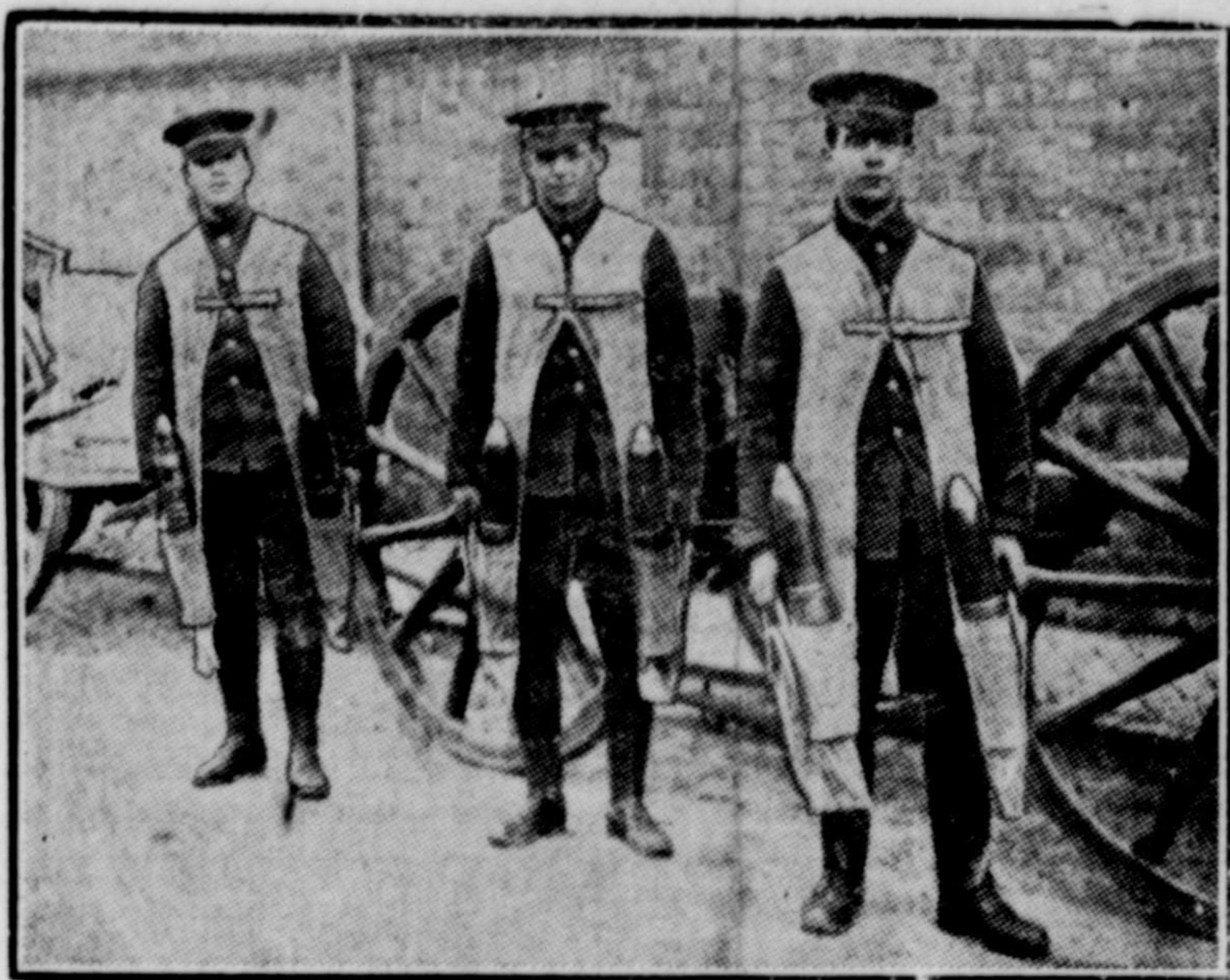
"May be," agreed the old P. O., "possibly Canada is not at the end of her bad luck period yet. But you mark my words. If Bad Luck Borden stays there you'll hear a lot about bankruptcy, national and individual, and if the fates give us four years of Laurier the sun will begin to shine again. When the luck is good, you can't beat it. When the luck is bad, you can't beat it either."

GERMANS CHANGE PLANS ABANDON OFFENSIVE

(Special to The Daily News.)
Rome, April 19.—Intimation has been received in official messages that the German general staff have abandoned their plans for a general offensive against the French front and have decided to maintain a defensive fight.

RUSSIANS HAVE TAKEN 70,000 PRISONERS

Petrograd, April 19.—The Russian successes in the Garpethians continue. Reports say that they have taken 70,000 prisoners in the last two days.



INGENUOUS JACKETS FOR CARRYING SHELLS—Men of the Royal Field Artillery wearing coats supplied for carrying ammunition where it is impossible to get ammunition up to the firing line otherwise.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE OF MAN WHO ATTACKED ARMED BURGLARS

SURPRISED THEM IN A VANCOUVER SHOE STORE—FIVE SHOTS FIRED AT HIM AND FELLED WITH BLOW FROM IRON BAR — TOBACCO TIN SAVED HIS LIFE.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Vancouver, April 19.—A serious case of shooting took place here this morning between P. C. Newington and two burglars. Newington surprised them as they were busy robbing the World Shoe Store on Hastings Street. The burglars immediately opened fire. One of them fired five straight shots point blank at him and the other attacked him with an iron bar, striking him on the head and felling him to the floor, where he lay unconscious.

Not Badly Wounded.

When Newington recovered from the blow he managed to crawl to the telephone and give the alarm. He was immediately taken to the hospital and it was thought that he was mortally wounded, but when he was examined it was found that two of the shots had lodged in a metal tobacco tin right over his heart; a third had gone through his clothing, but did not touch his body, while the other two did not take effect at all.

PROVINCIAL ELECTION AFTER THE FEDERAL

(Special to The Daily News.)

Vancouver, April 19.—It is believed here that the provincial election has been deferred till fall or until after the federal campaign. Bowser has cancelled his election trip to the Cariboo and the Okanagan which he had planned for this week.

Federal Election.

Vancouver, April 19.—H. H. Stevens, M.P., returned on Saturday from Ottawa and says that the federal election is likely to be announced any minute.

FRENCH TROOPS ONLY 30 MILES FROM RHINE

(Special to The Daily News.)

Paris, April 19.—The British troops yesterday captured two hundred yards of German trenches near Zwartalem, Belgium, repulsing numerous counter-attacks.

The French offensive in Alsace has developed and they are now within thirty miles of the Rhine.

SHELL CONTRACTS.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Vancouver, April 19.—It has been announced here that Vancouver firms can get large orders for war shells if they can handle them quickly.

BRITISH SUBMARINE E-15 WENT ASHORE

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, April 19.—The Admiralty reports that the submarine E-15 ran ashore at Kephez Point in the Dardanelles. They were undertaking a difficult under-water survey of the Kephez mine field. Three of the officers and 21 of a crew of 31 were rescued by the Turks and are prisoners. Three aeroplanes made a 170-mile flight from Suez, dropping bombs on 200 tents in El-Sirr, on the Sinai Peninsula.

ALASKA DOG RACE WON BY L. ZEPALLA

(Special to The Daily News.)

Nome, April 19.—Leonard Zepalla, with sixteen Siberian wolf dogs, won the 412-mile Alaska Derby Sweepstake in 78 hours and 44 minutes. Scotty Allen, with sixteen Malamutes was five miles behind. Eskimo John was third.

CONTRACT FOR SHELLS.

The Victoria Times has an interview with Col. Carnegie, the representative in charge of the purchase of shells for Canada. He says that both the Premier and General Hughes are favorable to giving the west a portion of the work, even if it costs more than in the east. Vancouver and Victoria have already secured good-sized contracts.

SOLDIERS ON ACTIVE SERVICE TO HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO VOTE

LIBERALS CRITICISED METHODS ADOPTED FOR TAKING BALLOT—OPPORTUNITY FOR CORRUPTION — GOVERNMENT SUPPORTERS NOT ENTHUSIASTIC FOR BILL.

(BY H. F. GADSBY.)

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Both sides of politics agree that the men who are good enough to do the fighting are good enough to do the voting but the Votes-for-Soldiers bill received the lukewarm support in the House of Commons just the same. Neither Liberals nor Conservatives were prepared to pledge their common sense that the measure was practicable.

The story goes that the Hon. Charles Doherty did not exactly treat the bill as a favorite child when it was being "drafted" in committee and certainly when he introduced it to the House he indulged in no wild transports of enthusiasm. He avoided purple rhetoric, smothered the thing with long sentences and one way and another took most of the nip out of it. The best he could was "to earnestly and sincerely recommend the principle of the bill," which was what you might call faint praise from an official sponsor. You see the Minister of Justice has a reputation for level-headedness and he doesn't want to ruin it by crying up leaky tubs.

No doubt, too, Mr. Doherty considered that they had gone far enough in treating it as a government measure instead of putting it in the hands of a private members on the government side and treating it as a public bill entitled to the usual amount of support which the government gives its friends. Perhaps this was the reason the bill was held back until the closing days of the session. The government may have been pondering—under pressure from the outside—whether they would not take the bill under their wing or not.

As a matter of fact, the bill would have made more stir if a private member like R. B. Bennett had started it rolling. Fancy loves to dwell on what R. F. would have done with it if they had given him the chance. Oh, that perorational flame and thunder! "King or Kaiser, which?" he would exclaim at the proper moment. Whereupon he would draw a Union Jack from his tail pocket, warm himself in its folds and the patriots would break into the National Anthem instead of into the National Treasury, as has been the case recently.

As it was the Calgary man came in somewhere near the finish when the debate had crawled into the cellar and the best he could do was to provoke a burst of wrath from Frank Oliver, who asked, among other things: "Why should we trust this government with the soldiers' votes when we can't trust them with the soldiers' boots?" Well, there may be something in that. At all events it will give the reader pause. This was the only flash of heat in the discussion, both sides

seeming quietly confident that the bill would not get too far. That is to say, it could be stopped this side of the ocean by the Senate or on the other side, say by Lord Kitchener.

Besides its good feeling toward the soldiers the government is credited with three other motives in bringing in the bill. One is that it might whip into line a certain influential Montreal newspaper which makes a habit of foaming at the mouth on this subject; another is that every little helps in the campaign of super-loyalty which the Conservatives are about to pull off; and the third is that it may constitute another grievance against the Liberal majority in the Senate. In fact, some persons go so far as to say that the bill would never have been thought of if there had been no Liberal majority in the Senate. The bill, in spite of repeated tinkering, by the Minister of Justice, is as full of imperfections as a ketchup-strainer is of holes and there is a grave suspicion that it was built that way to lure the Senate on. The Senate is an

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BARON SUICIDES.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, April 19.—Baron Herbert de Reuter, head of Reuter's News Agency, committed suicide at his home at Reigate on Saturday. It is believed he became despondent over the death of his wife which occurred recently.

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DAILY EDITION

Monday, April 19, 1915.

EDITORIALS

It is only a few years ago since everybody was pointing to Canada as a law-abiding country; a country where political purity existed in a marked degree and where transgressors were dealt with in a summary manner. Contracts were frequently made with political conditions in the United States much to the advantage of Canada. The terrible disclosures that have been made of late, however, in connection with the purchase of war material shows that Canada has caught up and gone away beyond anything yet disclosed in the American Republic. The regret, too, is that the government has seen fit in most cases to shelter the criminals. It is no disgrace for a government to have robbers in their ranks providing they are willing to have them exposed and the proper punishment dealt out. But a mild lecture to the offenders is futile. They should be made to feel the pinch of the law in the severest form that it can be administered.

It is not only in Dominion affairs that corruption is practiced. In New Brunswick the Premier was recently found guilty of the grossest graft and forced to resign. In Manitoba the government is face to face with a charge of a huge misappropriation of funds in connection with the construction of Parliament buildings. On the request of the opposition the Lieutenant Governor recently prorogued the House until a royal commission should investigate the matter and the evidence so far submitted seems to substantiate the charges. In British Columbia ministers of the crown have been found guilty of "cattle rustling," trust company "busting" and "baiting" railway kings. What is the country coming to? Is the moral stamina of the people dead or will there be a revulsion against such iniquities. Canada has reached a crisis in her history. We must clean up or go down and out.

The Bank of British North America, one of Canada's oldest and best known banking in-

stitutions, has just issued its seventy-ninth annual report, in which it shows nett profits of \$645,000. In common with other banks, this is a decrease from the earnings in 1913, but an examination of the balance sheet, which appears elsewhere in this issue, reveals a position of solid strength, particularly so in the case of Cash Assets, which, with Bank Balances, amount to no less than 64 per cent of the bank's immediate liabilities.

In times like the present, a policy that safeguards the interests of the depositing public to such an extent is in itself the highest recommendation a bank can have, and that the depositors of the Bank of British North America appreciate this fact is evident, as the amount on deposit shows an increase of over \$4,000,000.

Despite the doubling of its Cash Reserves, the bank exercised on restraint upon its borrowing customers for the legitimate requirements of their business, and the total of Current Loan in Canada shows little change from the figures of the previous year.

The careful management of this bank has always been understood and need not be commented upon, but it is noteworthy that, despite the general depression in security values, it has not been found necessary to make any provision for depreciation of investments, which include Exchequer Bonds and Dominion of Canada 3-4 per cent Bonds. In addition, the bank subscribed for \$500,000 of the British War Loan.

The dividend remains unchanged at 8 per cent. Substantial appropriations were made for the various funds for the benefit of the staff, while \$25,000 was subscribed to the Canadian Patriotic Fund and the Red Cross Society.

About 15 per cent of the staff are, at present, on active service in the defence of the Empire.

SOLDIERS ON ACTIVE SERVICE TO HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO VOTE

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expert amender of obnoxious clauses and it just naturally can't keep its hands off a bill like that. At least that is the theory. Whether the Senate rises to the bait or not it's a safe statement that almost anybody could make that bill a great deal better than it stands now. He would be doing a good work at that and if any government supporter yelled traitor at him he could get back by retorting "Boots" or "Binoculars" or "Horses" or something equally relevant. Indeed, there are plenty of good answers to those who may be using the old flag at the next general election to cover a multitude of sins.

The objections to the bill were many and interesting. One was that there were at least four places on the way there and back where the ballots might go wrong. Considering human frailty the opposition was not inclined to ask the government to incur this great temptation. The limits of virtue must not be strained. Colonel Hugh Clark burst out the truth when he said that the bill was framed with the idea of a general election and that a general election which did not include the votes of the 89,000 soldiers who are now overseas or in Canadian training camps would not be a complete expression of opinion. Which not only goes to show that the government does not intend to wait until after the war is over to hold a general election but also that the predominant party is very much of Mr. Dooley's mind when he said, "I care not who does the votin' so long as I do the countin'." It's in the matter of counting that mistakes are liable to occur, particularly in the counting of 35,000 overseas votes which are not subject to the usual restrictions. To the 54,000 voters encamped in various parts of Canada the opposition does not strenuously object because these voters will be fully apprised of the issues and will be provided with the customary apparatus of Canadian elections in the shape of pooling booths and such but the 35,000 overseas voters are another story. The popular last election was only 50,000 in a vote of 1,250,000 and with the ebb of Conservative sentiment what it is the opposition does not feel like losing track of 35,000 votes which might tip the scale one way or another.

Dr. Michael Clark laid his finger on another weak spot when he pointed out that the Canadian overseas soldiers were now entirely under the authority of the British War Office, and that Lord Kitchener might not tolerate electioneering in the trenches, much less taking the soldiers away from their work to vote. Such a thing as voting on the battlefield is contrary to all imperial precedent, the soldier being regarded for the time being as a man apart with a higher, sterner duty to perform than mere voting. Dr. Clark, who has son at the

The Bank of British North America

ESTABLISHED IN 1836.

Incorporated by Royal Charter in 1840.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$4,866,666.66 RESERVE FUND, \$3,017,333.33

Seventy-Ninth Annual Report and Balance Sheet

Report of the Directors of The Bank of British North America, Presented to the Proprietors at Their Seventy-Ninth Yearly General Meeting, on Tuesday, March 2nd, 1915.

The Court of Directors submit the accompanying Balance Sheet to 30th November last.

It will be seen that the profits for the Year, including \$108,437.55 brought forward from 29th November, 1913, amount to \$645,014.27 of which \$194,666.66 was appropriated to a dividend paid last October, leaving a balance of \$450,347.61 out of which the Directors propose to declare a Dividend of 40s. per Share, payable, less Income Tax, on 3rd April next, leaving a balance of \$167,081.69 to be carried forward.

The above Dividend will make a distribution of 8 per cent. for the Year.

The Dividend Warrants will be remitted to the Proprietors on the 1st April next.

During the Year that closed 30th November last, Branches were opened at Bromhead, Sask. and Prince George, B. C., a Branch was closed at Paynton, Sask. and a Sub-Branch at Upper Lonsdale Avenue, North Vancouver, B. C.

The following appropriations from the Profit and Loss Account have been made for the benefit of the Staff, viz. :—

To the Officers' Widows and Orphans Fund.....	\$ 7,862.77
" " Pension Fund.....	52,509.83
" " Life Insurance Fund.....	2,920.00

These amounts are for the whole year and include those already set forth in the Statement to 30th May, 1914.

Donations amounting to \$24,333.33 have been made to the Canadian Patriotic Fund and the Canadian Red Cross Society.

London, 18th February, 1915.

General Statement of Liabilities and Assets AS ON 30th NOVEMBER, 1914

LIABILITIES

Capital—20,000 Shares of £50 each fully paid.....	\$4,866,666.66
Reserve Fund.....	3,017,333.33
Dividends Declared and Unpaid.....	4,331.85
Profit and Loss Account—	
Balance brought forward from 29th November, 1913.....	303,104.21
Dividend paid April, 1914.....	194,666.66
	108,437.55

Net Profit for the year ending this date after deducting all current charges and providing for bad and doubtful debts.....

586,576.72

Dividend paid October, 1914.....

194,666.66

450,347.61

Deduct :	
Transferred to Bank Premises Account.....	\$ 973.33
Transferred to Officers' Widows and Orphans Fund.....	7,862.77
Transferred to Officers' Life Insurance Fund.....	2,920.00
Transferred to Officers' Pension Fund.....	52,509.83
Canadian Patriotic Fund and Canadian Red Cross Society.....	24,333.33
	88,599.26

Balance available for April Dividend.....

361,748.35

Notes of the Bank in Circulation.....

4,427,423.53

Deposits not Bearing Interest.....

16,967,888.36

Deposits Bearing Interest, including Interest accrued to date.....

25,307,607.43

Balances due to other Banks in Canada.....

178,903.68

Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents in the United Kingdom and Foreign Countries.....

314,776.56

Bills Payable.....

2,124,504.54

Acceptances under Letters of Credit.....

1,669,290.10

Liabilities and Accounts not included in the Foregoing.....

1,369,058.91

Liability under Guarantee in respect of the Sovereign Bank of Canada.....

300,000.00

\$60,604,993.30

ASSETS

Current Coin and Bullion.....	\$ 3,083,877.86
Dominion Notes.....	7,538,168.87

\$10,622,046.73

Notes of other Banks.....

377,653.59

Cheques on other Banks.....

1,733,655.87

Balances due by other Banks in Canada.....

8,154.83

Balances due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada.....

2,941,835.78

Dominion and Provincial Government Securities not exceeding Market Value.....

2,992.79

Canadian Municipal Securities and British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian—(including Exchequer Bonds £310,300, @ Cost, and amount paid o/a Allotment, £100,000 War Loan).....

1,568,131.13

Railway and other Bonds.....

98,615.15

Call and Short Loans in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks.....

1,828,649.73

Call and Short Loans elsewhere than in Canada.....

2,819,999.96

Other Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (less Rebate of Interest).....

26,179,121.01

Other Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada (less Rebate of Interest).....

6,057,821.94

Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit as per contra..

1,669,290.10

Real Estate other than Bank Premises.....

11,903.70

Overdue Debts (estimated Loss provided for).....

210,588.31

Bank Premises at not more than Cost, Less Amounts Written off

2,184,139.72

Deposit with the Canadian Minister of Finance for the purposes of the Circulation Fund—

Dominion of Canada 3¼ per cent. Bonds, £250,000 @ 98.

1,192,333.33

Cash.....

232,248.08

\$ 1,424,581.41

Deposit in Central Gold Reserves.....

600,000.00

Other Assets and Accounts not included in the Foregoing....

340,721.56

\$40,604,993.30

H. B. JACKENZIE, General Manager.

We have examined the above Balance Sheet with the Books in London, and the Certified Returns from the Branches, and we report to the shareholders that we have obtained all the information and explanations we have required and that in our opinion, the transactions of the Bank which have come under our notice have been within the powers of the Bank. As required by Section 60, Clause 19, of the Bank Act of Canada, we visited the Chief Office (Montreal) of the Bank and checked the cash and verified the securities and found that they agreed with the entries in the books of the Bank with regard thereto. We further report that, in our opinion, the above Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Bank's affairs according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the books and returns.

London, 18th February, 1915.

N. R. WATERHOUSE, FRANK S. PRICE, Auditors.

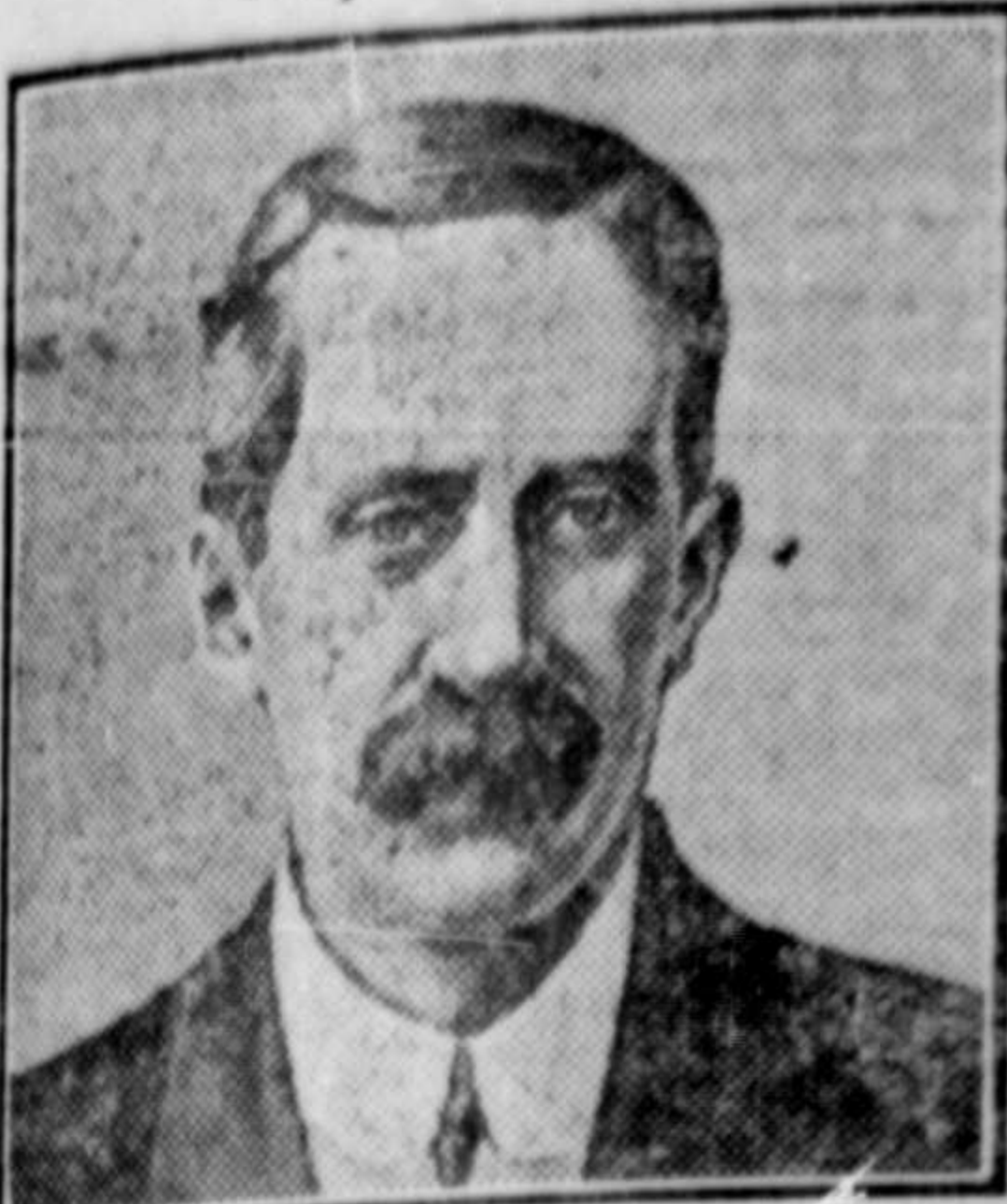
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date hereof, to apply to the Mining Re-
corder for a Certificate of Improve-
ments, for the purpose of obtaining a
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der section 27, must be commenced before
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gether with the costs of this advertise-
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T. H. COVERT,
Co-Owner.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B. C., January
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tral Hotel).

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

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Box 31—5th Ave. and Fulton St.
Box 32—Borden and Taylor Sts.
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Box 36—9th Ave. and Cornox Ave.
Box 37—8th Ave. and Dodge Pl.
Box 38—6th Ave. and Thompson St.

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Pl.
Box 42—6th Ave. and McBride St.
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but also the typhus fever, which in Nish alone numbers about 140 victims a day. The picture
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(Continued From Page Two.)

front, did not follow his argu-
ment to the bitter end, else he
might have shown the trenches
flooded with campaign literature,
the creation of party feeling
among those who should be
standing shoulder to shoulder in
the defence of the Empire, the of-
ficers electioneering according to
their political predilections and
many other foolish and dangerous
things.

As a majority of the officers
are Conservative and look to this
government for promotion, it
might not be too much to expect
a Tory colonel to draw up his
regiment and address is briefly
as follows: "Men of the Umpty
Umph, there is an election in
Canada on which we are asked to
vote. I have only a general idea
of the issue. It will not con-
fuse your minds by going into de-
tails. The regiment will parade
at 11 o'clock sharp tomorrow
morning, when all those who vote
Conservative will hand their bal-
lots over to me. Those who vote
Grit will spend the day in the
trenches. I have no desire to in-
fluence their opinions, but I beg
to remind them that the German
fire has been very brisk for the
last week."

Of course, this is reducing it to
an absurdity, but there is an ele-
ment of reason in it even at that.
It would never do, for instance,
to have the politicians of Canada
scanning the casualty lists for
weeks before an election with a
view to checking off the votes lost
to their opponents through death
or capture by the Germans. The
heart's blood of Canada is in
those casualty lists. Any Act of
Parliament which causes them to
be regarded as a sporting event by
rival sets of politicians is an in-
sult to the nation.

Technical objections to the bill
are numerous. Perhaps the most
important one was raised by Sir
Wilfrid Laurier, who pointed out
that the bill created a new and
separate Dominion franchise with
such loose provisions in regard to
proving the voter's age that it
might lead to grave abuses. But
the moral objections on which
this article has dwelt are the most
serious. Perhaps not the least of
these moral objections is that un-
der the bill the voter votes not for
the candidate, but for the party,
the ballot being marked govern-
ment, Opposition, Independent,
without further identifying labels.

It is conceivable that some of our
British-born Canadians who have
not resided here much longer
than the thirty days specified by
the bill may be in doubt as to
which is Liberal and which is
Conservative, not to mention the
fact that the word Opposition is
open to be misconstrued by the
soldier, who may get it into his
head that one party opposes the
war, whereas this is a war on
which we are all unanimous.
Moreover, the Independents feel
that they should be more strictly
classified into Socialist, Labor,
and the like, and an Independent
like W. F. Maclean, who is Con-
servative in his votes in the
House, cannot be convinced that
the ballot doesn't deliberately
give him the worst of it.

Taking everything into consid-
eration, it is a poorly contrived bal-
lot, which reverses Macaulay's fa-
mous couplet:
"Then none were for the party
And all were for the state."

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CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL.

1. WHEREAS the Corporation of the City
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Act entitled the "City of Prince Rupert
Incorporation Act, 1910,"—B. C. Statutes
1910, Chapter 41:

2. AND, WHEREAS, by Resolution of
the Council of the said Corporation
authority was given to stake water rights
on the North Arm of Wark Channel:

3. AND, WHEREAS, the said Corpora-
tion has applied for a water licence to
divert water from Thulme River, a tribu-
tary of the said North Arm, for power
purpose:

4. AND, WHEREAS, the said corpora-
tion has, after due notice, petitioned for
the approval of its undertaking as far as
it relates to the said application for a
licence:

5. AND, WHEREAS, no objection has
been filed to the said petition:
6. THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the un-
dertaking of the said corporation in so far
as it relates to the said application for a
licence is approved, subject to the terms
and conditions of the "Water Act, 1914,"
and to the following additional terms and
conditions:

7. Any licence issued under said ap-
plication shall, notwithstanding the issue
of this certificate, be subject to adjust-
ment by the Board of Investigation:

8. The said undertaking has been di-
vided into two parts, the first part con-
sisting of the surveys of such of the works
proposed in the said application for a li-
cense as the Comptroller of Water Rights
shall consider necessary, and the second
part consisting of the construction, main-
tenance, and operation of such works.

9. The surveys required under the
first part shall be commenced on or be-
fore the 1st day of June, 1915, and the
plans thereof shall be deposited with the
Comptroller of Water Rights on or be-
fore the 1st day of November, 1917.

10. The second part of the undertak-
ing shall not be commenced until a bylaw
under the provisions of which the said
Corporation propose to carry out the un-
dertaking has been duly passed and ap-
proved, nor until a further certificate of
approval under Section 83 of the "Water
Act, 1914," has been issued.

11. The territory within which the
said Corporation shall exercise its powers
in respect of the use of the said water is
the City of Prince Rupert.

12. This certificate shall not in any
way be deemed to be an approval of the
plans of any works covered by the pro-
posed undertaking or to authorize the
construction of such works, but shall have
the effect only of a certificate issued un-
der the provisions of Section 81 of the
"Water Act, 1914," and shall be subject
to such provisions, and to the rights of
the Continental Power Company under an
application filed on the 18th day of Aug-
ust, 1908.

13. This certificate shall become null
and void without any notice unless a fur-
ther certificate as required by Clause 10
hereof be applied for before the 1st day
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On Wednesday and Thursday, the second of the famous Paramount Series will be shown. The title of this picture is "The Call of the North," the story being taken from Geo. Broadhurst's famous novel, "The Conjuror's House," and deals with life in the Hudson's Bay country. The famous actor, Mr. Robert Edson, plays the leading part and does some exceptionally fine work in this play. Those who saw "The Eagle's Nest" last week will be pleased to know that "The Call of the North" is even better and stronger than the former. A new and interesting Pathe News will also be shown on this program.

DRILLING RESUMED.

Drilling will be resumed again on the property of the B. C. Oilfields. A party of eight left last night for the Islands after having secured the necessary parts they required for their machines.

Mr. McPhail, a member of the company, has taken the place of Mr. Stewart, who was formerly in charge. It is said neither Mr. Stewart nor Mr. McPhail are drawing a salary from the company but are giving their services free, so hopeful are they of the outcome. Mr. McPhail is simply relieving Mr. Stewart at the present time.

CLOSING BANK.

The Royal Bank is closing its Hazelton branch, according to the Omineca Miner, at the end of this month, as business does not warrant its continuance. Mr. McLeod, the manager, is being transferred to Vancouver, and the accountant, Mr. Simpson, will be attached to the Prince Rupert branch.

VANCOUVER SOCCER.

Vancouver, April 19. — The longshoremen's team won in the second division soccer, defeating the City United.

Mrs. K. B. Leuty left today for an extended visit South, which will include Victoria, Vancouver and the San Francisco fair.

Remember the 68th Regiment's concert on the 27th of April. Proceeds to buy cigarettes and tobacco for Prince Rupert's First Contingent. Tickets 25c, 50c, and 75c. 88-11

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On Wednesday and Thursday the Sixth episode of "The Black Box" will be shown.

THE WEATHER.

By F. W. Dowling, Observer.

(5 a. m., April 19, 1915.)

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