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BELIEVED GENERAL ADVANCE HAS STARTED

BRILLIANT ATTACK OF BRITISH PREVENTS TURKS USING BEACHED SUBMARINE

A DARING BRITISH EXPLOIT--- BROKE BEACHED SUBMARINE

SUBMARINE IN PERFECT CONDITION WAS TO BE USED BY THE TURKS—VOLUNTEER CREW DESTROYED IT BY TORPEDOES.

(Special to The Daily News)
London, April 20.—A daring night attack by British picket boats manned by volunteers resulted in the torpedoing of the British submarine E-15, stranded on Kephaz Point. The submarine was in danger of falling into the enemy's hands in a serviceable condition. The volunteer boats were subjected to a heavy fire from the forts. One of them sank but the crew was rescued by another. One man died of wounds. The Turks made great efforts to secure the submarine.

COST OF ELECTION.
The city clerk reported last night on the cost of holding the recent bye-elections. The total cost \$95.75, the latter \$75.50. Going into details on request of Alderman Beveridge, he said The Journal was paid \$20 for advertising the first election and \$75 for the second. Meals for officials at the first election amounted to \$10.50 and at the second \$5. Ballots for the first election cost \$10, and for the second \$5.50. These were printed by the Premier Press. The returning officer, E. A. Woods, and his deputies got \$55 for the first and \$75 for the second, the returning officer getting \$25 for each election. A dozen pencils were bought for the first election at 25 cents each, apparently they were all used for another dozen were required for the second. Alderman Beveridge didn't offer to pay the cost of the latter election.

BUILD BY CONTRACT.
The Shawallans cottage which has been used as a football for some time between the City Council and the Board of Works was taken back last night into the hands of the Council with a bang. The momentum indicated that the Board of Works couldn't agree to it by day's labor and at the same time guarantee to keep down the cost. There is already one estimate to build it at \$1,060. In the motion of Alderman Montgomery, seconded by Alderman Beveridge, the Board of Works asked the City Council to have it built by tender. This will be done.

WEST HOLME OPERA HOUSE
CHANGE IN PROGRAM
Wednesday and Thursday
The "CALL OF THE NORTH" Has Been Unavoidably Delayed. Continuing in Its Place the New 5-Reel Paramount Feature "BUCKSHOT JOHN" The Story of a Reformed "Bad" Man of the West.
On Account of the Disappointment There Will Be NO ADVANCE IN PRICES For This Week's Feature

LOCATE SUBMARINE.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Honolulu, April 20.—Divers went down 288 feet to examine the American submarine F-4. They found the top part caved in but otherwise slightly damaged. Lines are being placed to pull it to the surface.

NURSING BOTTLE.
Every Council night a list of the requirements of each department is read from the order books and sometimes the queerest things imaginable are read out. Last night there was an order for "one nipple." It was not said whether they were getting ready a nursing bottle for the new alderman or whether it was for the city engineer.

VOTE FOR GOOD TIMES
The McBride government felt so certain of defeat that after announcing the date for their election they decided that it was more prudent to have it deferred until the "roads" were in better shape. Now it appears that the Borden government is going to try out their machine. After all the scandals that have been unearthed in connection with the purchase of war materials it is strange that they would take a chance with what appears to be certain defeat. When it is remembered that good times in Canada went out with Sir Wilfrid Laurier it is hard to see why he should not be given another chance to restore prosperity. The Borden government has certainly proven itself a hoodoo. Since 1911, when Borden came into power, the country has been going to the bad. Is there any man who doesn't want to see good times restored? The only way to get it is to vote Sir Wilfrid back to power.

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ESCAPED BURGLAR MAY BE ARRESTED

(Special to The Daily News)
Vancouver, April 20.—Gaston Feinbach was arrested here as a vagrant and is suspected as the man who fired five shots at P. C. Newington. One of the burglars was hit by a policeman while running away and left a trail of blood on Hastings and Cambie Streets over a mile long. The officer, received a blow on the head but can identify the men. He had handcuffed one of them before he was knocked insensible.

WEDDING BELLS.

The marriage took place today of Mr. Henry Homan, of Red Cliff, Alta., and Miss Margaret Lynch. Mr. Homan formerly lived here and was in the employ of Frizzell's meat market. The couple will return to Red Cliff, where Mr. Homan has a ranch. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. W. Wright.

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TURKS HAVE LOST TWO DESTROYERS

(Special to The Daily News)
Paris, April 20.—Two Turkish destroyers were blown up by a mine field laid by the Russians across the mouth of the Bosphorus while the Turkish fleet was cruising in the Black Sea. The destruction of the destroyers saved the Turkish cruisers.

BOSTON MARATHON.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Boston, Mass., April 20.—Ed-bre, of Montreal, won the Boston Marathon in 2 hours and 34 minutes. The time was slow owing to the great heat. This is the fifth attempt of Fabre, who was second last year to Duffy, also a Canadian.

THE WEATHER.

By F. W. Dowling, Observer.
(5 a. m., April 20, 1915.)
Barometer 30.028
Max. temp. 46.0
Min. temp. 36.0

PROPOSE TO BUILD FISH DOCK-- CONTRACTORS TO TAKE BONDS

CAN BE BUILT FOR \$25,000 AND BONDS EXTENDED OVER TEN YEARS—INFORMAL DISCUSSION BY COUNCIL LAST NIGHT.

After the Council adjourned last night an informal discussion about Mr. J. Hobin's proposals for a fish wharf took place. The scheme is to secure a waterfront site from the G. T. P. on the protected waters of Seal Cove, and to build a 200-foot wharf with a shed in which shipping space could be rented to fish buyers and a spur of the G. T. P. connecting it with the main line as well as an approach for trains. The G. T. P. will lease for five years at 6 per cent on valuation and might possibly renew for another five years. The cost of the wharf and shed would be about \$25,000 and contractors can be had who would build it, taking 10-year debentures in payment. Arrangements could be made to

have a bonded warehouse on the dock so that fishing supplies that are cheaper in the States than in Canada could be held there for sale to American independent fishermen, making the local prices as cheap as Ketchikan. Kelly-Douglas & Co. have offered to put in a bonded warehouse if necessary. Mr. Harry Shearer, who was present, said he hadn't gone thoroughly into it, but it looked feasible to him, and along the right line. G. L. Clayton also said it was a good move but thought they also should have an ice plant in connection. Mr. Morley Donaldson when here thought the idea a good one and said his company would be glad to assist if it were not that financing was so difficult. Alderman Montgomery wanted to know why it was that the G. T. P. couldn't give a free lease for this purpose or, indeed, a grant of the site if they were so anxious to help it along. Why charge this 6 per cent on the valuation? The Mayor said that it was represented to him that the scheme had a weak side to it. The independent fishing boats would probably come to the dock for a time but sooner or later the people who bought their fish or sold them ice and bait would seduce them away and the city would have a white elephant. It was shown, on the contrary, that the independent fisherman didn't want to associate himself with any one concern but wanted to be in a position to deal with all alike and thus get more competition. He could do the best at a city wharf. Mr. Clayton pointed out that only 5 per cent of Seattle's business was done over the city's

BRITISH MAKE IMPORTANT ADVANCE--- BREAK THROUGH GERMANS AT YPRES

VICTORY SAID TO BE GREATER THAN THAT OF NEUVE CHAPPELLE ---THIS MOVEMENT SAID TO PRESAGE GENERAL ADVANCE OF THE ALLIES IN FLANDERS

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, April 20.—The British have made another brilliant advance. This time they broke through the German lines at Ypres and carried everything before them for three miles. This movement is regarded as of exceeding importance and is said to be a greater victory than even that of Neuve Chapelle.

SENATE AMENDED SOLDIERS VOTE BILL

(Special to The Daily News.)
Ottawa, April 20.—The bill to extend the franchise to the soldiers at the front was amended by the Senate. One amendment provides that before it comes into effect the consent of Lord Kitchener shall be obtained. The other amendment requires that there shall be six scrutineers, representing each party, when the votes are being taken. A motion to give the bill the six-months' hoist was defeated by 18 to 12.

CLAYTON SCHEME.

The proposals of Geo. L. Clayton to build a cold storage company in this city upon the city guaranteeing bonds for \$250,000 for three years at 6 per cent was reported upon last night by the city solicitor. He said that the Municipal Clauses Act forbade giving any assistance to a company which was to compete with one now do-

presages the general advance of the Allies in Flanders which has been looked forward to. The British troops are in excellent spirits and confident that they can overpower the Germans at all points. The Germans appear to be very indignant on the alleged British use of asphyxiating gas in the attack. This gas has been already used by the Germans.

ARREST OF HUERTA ASKED BY CONSUL

San Diego, April 20.—Branding General Huerta, now in New York, "a murderer and modern Nero," R. A. Gonzales, Constitutionalist Mexican consul at San Diego, and 120 members of the Francisco I. Madero Club, a Constitutionalist organization, sent telegrams to President Wilson demanding the arrest of the ex-dictator, that he may be punished by the "future legitimate government of Mexico." The telegrams ask that Huerta be arrested and turned over to the Mexican authorities or that he be deported.

MINNESOTA IN DANGER.

Tokio, April 20.—The position of the steamship Minnesota, which is fast on a rock at the entrance of the Inland sea is more serious than was at first supposed. It is expected, however, that if the weather is favorable the vessel can be floated in a fortnight. Dynamite may be used to destroy the ledge on which she is fast.

SILENT REBUKE.

The British War Office has issued a silent rebuke to the Borden Government for allowing graft to creep into the purchase of war material, that should carry considerable weight with the people of Canada. In the early days of the war all contracts for the British Government were made through the Canadian Government. Since the awful disclosures of graft which the Liberals have unearthed the British War Office has decided to make all purchases direct. In other words they declare to the world that they would not trust the Borden Government with their business. If the British War Office wouldn't trust them why should you? Think it over.

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Tuesday, April 20, 1915.

EDITORIALS

After long consideration, the Hon. Robert Rogers has found an excuse for plunging the country into an election in the midst of the war. The Senate has amended a bill providing for the appointment of some additional senators for the West. The amendment is to the effect that the change shall not come into effect until after the next election. According to Mr. Rogers, the people of Canada are wildly excited over these Western senators and the Senate generally, and are asking "in tones louder than thunder" for an early election.

The excuse is worse than none. Not one man in a hundred was even thinking about the Senate until Mr. Rogers made his farcical speech. Not one man in a hundred cares whether there are any new senators from the West now or at any future time. The West itself does not care. The new senators will be of no more value to the West than a new carpet for the Senate chamber.

If Mr. Rogers wants to abolish the Senate, he will find plenty of people to agree with him.

But what the people are thinking of at present is not

the Senate, but the war and the war-graft. An early election will divide the people of Canada when they ought to be united in the common cause.—Toronto Star.

Most people are surprised to think that the Borden government would take any chances with an election just after so much corruption and army scandals have been exposed. Ordinarily one would expect them to wait till the odium had somewhat blown off. There is a very good reason, however, for their haste, for in spite of the amter was handed on to the als have already unearthed the worst is yet to come. It will be noticed that the operations of the public accounts committee were stopped short by the closing of parliament. If they had been allowed to go a little farther they would have been able to show up transactions that would "stagger humanity." The government apparently saw what was coming and they decided to call for an election before the worst was known. There is enough known, however, to turn the people of this country against them, and if an election takes place they will in all likelihood get the reward of their deeds.

NO ALUM



HUGE SUMS OF CASH IN CANADIAN BANKS

Savings deposits in Canada's chartered banks in February totalled \$671,000,000, \$30,000,000 more than a year ago. Demand and after notice deposits exceeded \$1,000,000,000. While that total has been reached in other months, a February has not previously had such a record to its credit. These figures are another indication that a vast amount of money is being "saved." Everywhere savings are accumulating. Prior to the war, this tendency had been in evidence for a long time, and the events of the past eight months have accentuated it. Not only has money been accumulating, but channels for investment have been reduced in number and narrowed in character, as a result of the curtailment of enterprises of all kinds and the widespread spirit of economy. When events in Europe take a more definite form, favorable to the Allies, as they must do in due course, money will become restless for investment. Heavy calls are being and will be made on funds for war loans, but there is a respectable surplus after they are answered.

The chief difficulty later may prove to be, not the finding of funds, but the finding of channels for their investment. That there is an unlimited demand for mortgage money in Canada, for instance, is a wrong impression. There must be real estate and building activity, a good volume of immigration and homestead entries here in order to create any great demand for mortgage funds. Those factors are lacking, at present, consequently it will not be as easy as in the past years to place funds for investment in that direction.

Taking municipal bonds as another example, these securities are already scarce in Ontario and the buying is extending to Western Canada. The bond houses seem to think that when the investment movement begins, there may be a scarcity of sound municipal securities to meet the demand. High prices and good demand, however, may induce municipalities to finance and commence various projected enterprises, and thus stimulate general activity and increase the supply of bonds.—Monetary Times

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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 \$167,681.69 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.....	4,931.55
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.....	536,576.72
	645,014.27
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.....	16,967,688.35
Deposits Bearing Interest, including Interest accrued to date.....	25,307,667.43
Balances due to other Banks in Canada.....	173,903.68
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.....	1,369,068.91
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.....	877,653.59
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.....	11,993.79
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 purpose of the Circulation Fund—	
Dominion of Canada 3 1/2 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
Stock Exchange Securities have been valued at or under the prices of 27th July, 1914.	
	\$60,604,993.30

H. B. MACKENZIE, General Manager.
E. A. HOARE, J. H. BRODIE, Directors.
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 56, 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.
N. E. WATERHOUSE, FRANK S. PRICE, Auditors.
Members of the firm of Price Waterhouse & Co. Chartered Accountants.
London, 18th February, 1915.

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MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE.

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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 37, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

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

GEO. R. NADEN.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNER.

TO HENRY JOHNSON, or to any person to whom you may have transferred your interests, Take Notice that I, the undersigned Co-Owner with you in the "Gold King No. 1" and the "Higgins" Mineral Claims, situated at the end of Hastings arm about three-quarters of a mile from the beach, in the Skeena River Mining District, Province of British Columbia, have done the required amount of work on the above mentioned claims for the year 1914, amounting to \$10, in order to hold the same under section 24 of the Mineral Act, and if within 30 days of the publication of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute your portion of such expenditure, together with the costs of this advertisement, your interest in the said mineral claims will become the property of the undersigned under Section 4 of the Mineral Act Amendment Act of 1910.

T. H. COVERT, CO-OWNER.

Dated at Prince Rupert, B. C., January 1915.

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 - Box 13—6th St. and 3rd Ave.
 - Box 14—8th St. and 3rd Ave.
 - Box 15—Junction of 1st, 2nd and 3rd Aves.
 - Box 16—1st Ave. Between 8th and 9th Sts. (Knox Hotel.)
 - Box 17—1st Ave. and 7th St. (Central Hotel.)
- CIRCUIT NO. 2.
- Box 22—3rd Ave. and 3rd St. (Post Office.)
 - Box 23—3rd Ave. and McBride St.
 - Box 24—1st Ave. and McBride St.
 - Box 25—2nd Ave. and 2nd St.
 - Box 26—2nd Ave. and 6th St.
 - Box 27—G. T. P.
- CIRCUIT NO. 3.
- Box 31—5th Ave. and Fulton St.
 - Box 32—Borden and Taylor Sts.
 - Box 34—7th Ave. and Fulton St.
 - Box 35—5th Ave. and Cornox Ave.
 - Box 37—8th Ave. and Dodge Pl.
 - Box 38—5th Ave. and Thompson St.
- CIRCUIT NO. 4.
- Box 41—4th Ave. and Emmerson Pl.
 - Box 42—5th Ave. and McBride St.
 - Box 43—6th Ave. and Green St.
 - Box 44—6th Ave. and Basil St.
 - Box 45—7th Ave. and Eberle St.
 - Box 141—7th Ave. and Yuhle St.



FIRST AID FOR BRITISH WOUNDED BEHIND THE FIRING LINE.

BRITISH WAR OFFICE FEARS CANADIAN GRAFT

Ottawa, April 19.—Revelations of war purchases of boots, bandages, binoculars, and bad horses apparently have crossed the Atlantic. It looks as if the British Government had begun to sit up and take notice.

Soon after the opening of the war the British Government entrusted the Canadian Government with the purchasing of some war supplies in Canada for the use of the British and the Allies' forces. The British Government was to pay the bills. It is understood that within the last few days the War Office or the British Government has cancelled the buying commissions, which it gave to the Canadian Government. It is understood that this does not mean an end to the purchase of supplies in Canada by the British Government, but the War Office buyers are on their way to Canada and the United States, and that hereafter the British Government will deal direct with the producers and manufacturers on this continent without the intervention of Ottawa.

BLACKEST CRIME IN HISTORY OF CANADA

Toronto, April 16.—Read the recent sworn evidence about the Government's purchase of horses for Canadian soldiers at the battle-front. Every Canadian with good blood in his veins should read that sickening story of crookedness and criminality, told with a cynicism that itself was almost a crime. There is no use waxing wrathly over the gross offences of the men who sold the horses. Restitution and punishment could scarcely miss them in any country where Christianity is not a mockery and justice a misnomer. The blackest crime is theirs who bought old and spavined horses at exorbitant prices, and certified them for service in the Canadian army in this time of war.

What shall be said of the responsible member of Parliament who permitted such crimes in his own constituency? What shall be said of the Minister of Militia who commissioned the crookedness that yielded these crimes? What shall be said of the Government that accepted responsibility in Parliament for the conduct of this Minister of Militia? What shall be said of the Prime Minister who chose such Ministers and still keeps them in the Government?

But read the evidence, and, in the light of the waste of Canada's war money and the peril to Canadian soldiers on the field of battle, judge of its crookedness and its criminality.—Toronto Globe.

WATER NOTICE.

Use and Storage.

TAKE NOTICE that The Port Essington Water Company, Ltd., whose address is 117 Granville St., Vancouver, B. C., will apply for a license to take and use one and one-half cubic feet per second and to store 400 acre-feet of water out of Cunningham Lake. The storage-dam will be located at the outlet of Cunningham Lake. The capacity of the reservoir to be created is about 400 acre-feet and it will flood 2.22 acres. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 5 chains below the said outlet and will be used for Water-works purpose upon the land described as part of Lot 45, Range 5, Coast District, being the townsite of Port Essington. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act, 1914," will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Prince Rupert. Objections to the application or to the petition mentioned below may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper. The territory within which the company desires to exercise its powers is described as the townsite of Port Essington. A petition to amend the Certificate granted to the company in respect of its former right so as to include the right applied for herein will be heard in the office of the Board of Investigation at a date to be fixed by the Comptroller. The date of the First Publication of this Notice is March 25, 1915.

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Department of Lands—Water Rights Branch.

CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL.

- WHEREAS the Corporation of the City of Prince Rupert is incorporated under an Act entitled the "City of Prince Rupert Incorporation Act, 1910,"—B. C. Statutes 1910, Chapter 41:
 - 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:
 - AND, WHEREAS, the said Corporation has applied for a water licence to divert water from Thulme River, a tributary of the said North Arm, for power purpose:
 - AND, WHEREAS, the said corporation has, after due notice, petitioned for the approval of its undertaking as far as it relates to the said application for a licence:
 - AND, WHEREAS, no objection has been filed to the said petition:
 - THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the undertaking 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:
 - Any licence issued under said application shall, notwithstanding the issue of this certificate, be subject to adjustment by the Board of Investigation:
 - The said undertaking has been divided into two parts, the first part consisting of the surveys of such of the works proposed in the said application for a licence as the Comptroller of Water Rights shall consider necessary, and the second part consisting of the construction, maintenance, and operation of such works.
 - The surveys required under the first part shall be commenced on or before the 1st day of June, 1915, and the plans thereof shall be deposited with the Comptroller of Water Rights on or before the 1st day of November, 1917.
 - The second part of the undertaking shall not be commenced until a bylaw under the provisions of which the said Corporation propose to carry out the undertaking has been duly passed and approved, nor until a further certificate of approval under Section 83 of the "Water Act, 1914," has been issued.
 - 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.
 - This certificate shall not in any way be deemed to be an approval of the plans of any works covered by the proposed undertaking or to authorize the construction of such works, but shall have the effect only of a certificate issued under 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 August, 1908.
 - This certificate shall become null and void without any notice unless a further certificate as required by Clause 10 hereof be applied for before the 1st day of June, 1917.
- Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 10th day of March, 1915.
- (Sgd.) WM. R. ROSS,
Minister of Lands.

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WANT CITY EMPLOYEES TO SUPPORT HOSPITAL

The policy of compelling city employees to invest in hospital tickets was brought up last night in response to a request of the hospital board.

Alderman Dybhavn set the ball rolling by supporting it. Alderman Kerr thought it should only apply to the permanent staff. The city engineer and the city solicitor, who were present, volunteered to take tickets. The city clerk doesn't look as if he would ever need any hospital treatment—so he kept quiet.

Alderman Casey wanted to know what privileges the tickets carried. Would the hospital perform an operation for appendicitis, or did it only apply to minor cases? The chairman of the Hospital Board, O. H. Nelson, who was present, was asked for information and said that it gave privileges for six-months' treatment from the time of illness on payment of a dollar each month. They had not gone into details, but if the need of an operation took place after the person became a ticket holder, he thought he would get full treatment. With this understanding, Alderman Casey favored making the scheme compulsory on all city employees.

Alderman Montgomery moved that the city employees be consulted as to the scheme and if they agreed, to bring it into effect. This carried. The city clerk will conduct the inquiry.

Nobody suggested that there was any particular reason why city employees should be urged to take tickets any more than those who worked for private concerns.

GERMANS KNEW THAT CANADIANS WERE NEAR

Mr. Birkett, of the local fire hall, has just received a letter from a friend who went to the front with the Vancouver regiment. He said that the first time the Canadians were put in the trenches they replaced the Yorkshire regiment and that before the Yorkshire regiment moved out the Germans, whose trenches were close to theirs, announced to them that they were to be replaced by the Canadians, something which they themselves did not know. This shows that the German spy system is still working to perfection. The Germans in the trenches chatted back and seemed to know Canada as well as they did. Many of them no doubt had been living in this country.

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(Continued From Page One.) wharf, and this was all to supply the local trade. It was also pointed out that the liquor interests were the chief ones who opposed putting the fish wharf at Seal Cove. They wanted to have the fishermen near so they could fleece them.

The matter was handed on to the Finance Committee and the Council's fish committee to consider it further.

TO REPLANK ROADS.

Replanking the plank roadways came up again last night. This question has been in the air for a year. Last session it had been decided to do the work by local improvement work but the property owners concerned opposed it and had it beaten. The streets were getting so bad, however, that something had to be done and after a few opposing bellows from Alderman Beveridge it was agreed to have it done out of general fund. All the original plank roads will therefore be renewed at a cost estimated of about \$9,000.

WANT PROTECTION.

The city barbers want the city to pass a bylaw to protect them against unfair competition. They petitioned the City Council last night asking for a bylaw limiting the hours in which a barber shall be allowed to work. It was suggested that this would be illegal on the city's part, but the city solicitor was asked to report on it. If it passes the city newspapers may ask to have the amount of news which any paper shall carry limited and a guarantee that one paper will not "scoop" the other. Protection is the life of trade apparently—not competition.

Mrs. J. V. McDonald will not be at home tomorrow nor again this season.

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Yours faithfully, CANADIAN RED CROSS SOCIETY per M.K.

CHANGE IN COMMITTEES.

The change in the personnel of the Council necessitated a rearrangement of the standing committees. They were made as follows: Finance Committee—Alderman Edge (chairman), Alderman Dybhavn and the Mayor. Board of Works—Alderman Maitland (chairman), Alderman Montgomery and Alderman Nicol. Light, Power and Telephone—Alderman Kerr (chairman), Alderman Beveridge and Alderman Casey. Exhibition Board—Alderman Edge.

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Owing to the disappointment occasioned by this change of program, there will be no advance in prices for this week's big show.

LADIES' MUSICAL CLUB GAVE CHILDRENS' DAY

On Saturday afternoon at the Presbyterian Hall the Ladies' Musical Club gave a Childrens' Day, which was very much enjoyed by a large attendance of parents and children. The program, which consisted of ten numbers, was as follows:

- Mrs. Carpenter's Pupils. Piano Solo—Sonatina, Op. 36 No. 2 Clementi Miss Helen Morrison. Duet—Scene de Ballet Op. 206 Divertissement by Carl Erolf Misses Helen Wallace and Louise Rowell. Duet—La Reine Dis Fies, Op. 105, Galop de Concert. . . Sid. Smith Misses Thelma Knight and Lorna Tite. Pupil of Prof. Zaleski. Piano Solo—The Wayside Rose Op. 177 Otta Fischer Miss Violet Mortimer. Miss Irwin's Pupils. Piano Solo—Melody of Love, Op. 600 H. Engelman Miss Dorothy Tovey. Piano Solo—La Fontaine, Op. 221 C. Bohm Miss Mary Blythe. Duet—Pretty Eyes. . C. Martaine Misses Rosie and Mabel Adams. Piano Solo—Two Larks. Th. Leschetesky Miss Kathleen Grant. Piano Solo—Barcarolle from Tales of Hoffman. . Greenwald Bernice Palmer. Piano Solo—Heather Rose, Op. 78, No. 3 Gustav Lange Miss Grace Manson.

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