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GREEK GOVERNMENT REMAINS NEUTRAL

BULGARIA WILL AID CENTRAL POWERS—HUN INVASION OF SERBIA HAS BEGUN

GREEK GOVERNMENT ISSUES DECLARATION OF NEUTRALITY

BULGARIA JOINS CENTRAL POWERS—MACKENZEN STARTS INVASION OF SERBIA—LOODS AID SERBIAN DEFENCE—VIOLENT CANNONADING ON WESTERN FRONT

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Oct. 8.—The Greek government has decided to issue a declaration of benevolent neutrality toward the entente powers. The Bulgarian government has taken over the Dede Agatch railway, which runs from the Aegean Sea port in a westerly direction through Turkey.

which runs from Belgrade, the capital of Serbia, to Salonika, in Greece.

The Serbian government is moving its archives to Istip, fifty miles from the Greek frontier. The Serbian resistance is aided by heavy flooding in the Moravt Valley, down which Mackenzen hopes to force his way.

Western Front.

Paris, Oct. 8.—Heavy cannonading north of Arras, in the region of Roze and north of the Aisne, continues.

The Germans are carrying out a violent bombardment in the Champagne district, and there is active trench fighting southeast of the village of Tahure.



BRITISH FINANCIERS CONFER OVER BILLION DOLLAR LOAN

Lord Reading (Sir Rufus Isaacs), lord chief justice of England and head of the Anglo-French financial commission, and Sir Edward Hopkinson, managing director of the London City and Midland Bank, Ltd., the largest joint stock bank in the world, with deposits of over twice those of the greatest American National Bank. They were photographed during a discussion regarding the best terms to offer for the negotiation of the loan.

DARING TRAIN ROBBERS GET AWAY WITH HALF A MILLION

TWO MILLION DOLLARS IN GOLD LEFT BEHIND—A HUNDRED MEN PURSUING ROBBERS—THUGS HAVE TWO HOURS START OF PURSUERS—CURRENCY OF \$500,000 TAKEN

(Special to The Daily News.)

Wheeling, Va., Oct. 8.—A most daring train robbery was perpetrated near here early this morning, when two masked men held up the Baltimore and Ohio train, bound from New York to St. Louis, taking a large amount of booty from the express car.

One hundred men are in pursuit of the robbers, who have two hours start. The robbers were prevented from taking a consignment of \$2,000,000 of gold owing to its weight. They obtained a hundred registered packages and ninety packages of unsigned notes. The value of the currency stolen is \$500,000.

WOODEN RIFLE BULLETS PRODUCED IN MILLIONS

London, Oct. 7.—So completely novel are the conditions of the fighting that all sorts of strange experiments are being adopted. There is one big firm of hobbin manufacturers in the north of England that is at present turning out wooden rifle bullets. These bullets are made of hard wood, on which the finger nail can make no indentation, and are being painted red. They are exactly the same size as the ordinary service bullet used in our rifles, and they are being turned out by the million. They will go through two inches of solid wood at fifty yards range, and would, presumably, be quite effective at modern fighting distance.

It may be, however, that these novel projectiles are intended purely for practice purposes, but one hardly thinks so from information available. Other firms of the same character are turning out millions of wooden discs, resembling large serviette rings, but with a bottom to them. These things look rather like the crust of an ordinary pork pie that has been cut in half horizontally. Their purpose is no mystery. They are intended to be filled with high explosive and to be thrown as hand bombs. They are light and

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CHARGES AGAINST GOVERNMENT VETERINARY

(Special to The Daily News.)
Vancouver, Oct. 8.—Sir Charles Davidson is today conducting an investigation into a charge made by Robert Dixon against Dr. C. M. Henderson, government veterinary surgeon. Dixon claims that the veterinary refused to pass a shipment of horses unless he was given \$25. Dixon says that he paid over the money to allow the deal to go through. Henderson has been subpoenaed to appear before the commission on Saturday.

THANKSGIVING BANQUET

The ladies of the Methodist Church will hold their annual banquet on the evening of Monday next, beginning at 6 p. m. The usual free-will offering will be taken in the church. All are cordially invited. Children must be accompanied by their parents.

JUDGMENT RESERVED IN FERGUSON CASE

Before Magistrate Carss, at the police court this morning, G. W. Ferguson was charged with obtaining money under false pretences. J. V. Rochester, of the Empress Hotel, testified to having cashed two cheques of \$10 each for accused on September 20 and 22, and that the cheques had been protested by the bank at Vanderhoof, on which they were drawn. Mr. Ferguson claimed that on September 16th he mailed three \$20 bills to the bank at Vanderhoof to be deposited to his account, and that he issued the cheques in good faith. The letter containing the money was put on the mail car at Skeena Crossing, but had never reached the bank. The magistrate reserved judgment until this afternoon.

BROADWAY ATTRACTION AT MAJESTIC THEATRE

The Majestic Theatre tonight and tomorrow presents a blend of drama and comedy, the chief feature being a special Broadway star attraction, in three acts, entitled "Between the Two of Them," a very pleasing drama. "Taking of Mustang Pete" is a single reel drama, the mere name of which suggests thrills and excitement.

The lighter side of the program includes two of the funniest comedies imaginable, in "A Pipe Dream" and "Disciple of Plato." Monday brings along the 11th episode of "The Broken Coin." This great serial is getting more interesting and exciting as it develops.

THIRTY DAYS FOR ASSAULTING BARTENDER

At the police court this morning, before Magistrate Carss, a man, James Cochrane, was accused of breaking glass to the value of \$5.00 in the Rupert Hotel bar and of committing an assault on Lawrence Munro, bartender.

It seems that accused, along with three others, entered the bar and called for drinks. Four drinks were supplied and Cochrane produced 15 cents to pay for them. The bartender left one drink on the bar and lifted the other three. When he turned to put away the three unpaid-for drinks, Cochrane threw a heavy beer glass at his head, smashing a quantity of glass behind the bar.

On the charge of breaking glass accused was fined \$5.00 and \$5.00 costs, and on the second charge was sentenced to 30 days imprisonment.

H. B. Rochester, for the hotel company, informed the court that accused, and several others, had made a habit of hanging around the hotel, making themselves a nuisance, particularly on the arrival of the train. Accused had been offered work, but preferred to loaf around.

TRAFALGAR DAY

It has been decided by the Queen Mary Chapter of the I. O. D. E. to make a collection of Sox, wristlets, tobacco, and chocolate on Trafalgar Day, October 21st. All who would like to contribute are requested to leave their gifts with Mrs. McMullin, government buildings, between 3 and 5 p. m. on that day.

G. T. P. TELEGRAPHS NEW MANAGER APPOINTED

Montreal, Sept. 29.—A circular issued by President E. J. Chamberlain announces the appointment as manager of telegraphs, Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific Railways, of Mr. H. Hulatt, vice A. B. Smith, resigned on account of ill health. The appointment is effective October 1st.

News of the resignation of Mr. A. B. Smith on account of ill health will be received with keen regret in railway and general business circles. He has taken a prominent part in the development of telegraph and telephone engineering in Canada. A native of Montreal, Mr. Smith entered the service of the Montreal Telegraph Company in 1862 and rose to the position of superintendent of construction of the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company, which took over the maintenance and operation of the Montreal Telegraph Company's lines. He joined the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway as manager of telegraphs in 1905 and under his management the telegraph system of the G. T. P. has been brought into being, and an efficient commercial telegraph service organized. In 1913 Mr. Smith's jurisdiction was extended to include the entire G. T. P. System.

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B. C. DEMANDS THE TRUTH

Sir Richard McBride's attempts to persuade the electors of British Columbia that the demand for a thorough and impartial inquiry into the circumstances attending the alienation of the best and most available agricultural lands of the province is the result of one man's malice and desire for revenge has failed. The premier knows now, what the Globe assured him months ago while he was still in England, that Moses Cotsworth is not the issue. The charge is made and reiterated by many of the most prominent and powerful men in British Columbia that the province has been robbed of its lands—the lands most urgently needed to attract settlers—by pre-emption frauds of the grossest nature, and that the persons into whose hands the lands have come are not required to pay the installments of purchase money or the taxes due by them, or in default to surrender their holdings to the government, so that the land may become available for actual settlers.

The Ministerial Union of the Lower Mainland of British Columbia, which published the now famous pamphlet entitled "The Crisis in British Columbia" and sent out its secretary, the Rev. A. E. Cooke, to rouse the province, is not a body of politicians. The clergy composing it are simply acting as citizens who are determined to do what they can to end the era of exploitation. After hearing the answers and explanations of the government, the members, at a meeting held on September 19, declared unanimously that they are more than ever convinced of the necessity of a full and non-partisan investigation. They added that at such an investigation "every charge we have made will be borne out in all its essentials. This assertion, signed on behalf of the Union by men of the calibre of Rev. Principal Mackay, Rev. Dr. Unsworth, and Rev. Messrs. G. R. Welch, J. R. Robertson, and E. Manuel, cannot be laughed out of court by Sir Richard McBride. He must meet it seriously.

Supplementing Rev. Dr. Pid-

geon's recent letter, Rev. A. E. Cooke writes The Globe, saying: "Sir Richard's statement that the Ministerial Union swore in court 'that they had no other information than that supplied by Mr. Cotsworth, and had accepted his statements at their face value,' is an adroit falsehood." He adds:

"The six members of the Union who were chosen as a committee of publication to endorse the pamphlet were sued by Mr. Alex. Lucas, M. P. P., for an alleged libel, contained in six and a half lines of the pamphlet. At the time of the 'examination for discovery' we had not secured certain documents which we now have, and which we then knew existed, and would prove our case. The three of us, who appeared for all, truthfully said so, but we also stated we were still prepared to substantiate our statements in this connection. This we intend to do by putting Mr. Cotsworth, the chairman of the public service commission of 1909 (which caused the resignation of Mr. Lucas from the office he then held), on the witness stand on oath to prove the facts. Since then we have secured the documents that prove our case, in addition to the chairman's sworn testimony. Sir Richard McBride refers to the recent speech of the attorney-general, Mr. Bowser, in which he spent most of his time in an attack on the ministers of the churches on the coast, and a cowardly attempt to defame the character of Mr. Cotsworth. I heard the speech although I was refused a ticket of admission at the office of the Conservative Association. Only those whom the Association selected were to be admitted, and 12 policemen guarded the doors. Mr. Cotsworth was three times refused admission. Several ministers were present, however, and I have been assured by a number of representative Conservatives that the attorney-general did more harm to his own cause than good by the so-called 'reply.'

"I may say that, with the exception of one-half of one statement in our pamphlet, Mr. Bowser did not prove a single statement wrong. His speech



was in many places a confirmation of our statements, while the bulk of it was gross distortion of fact, deliberate falsehood, and direct evasion of the main issues. It is painful for anyone to have to say these things, and absolutely unpardonable if they cannot be proved. But it is equally so for a man in the position occupied by Sir Richard McBride to state that 'The Crisis in British Columbia' is 'a tissue of misstatements from cover to cover,' when the exact references to government records and documents are given which prove our facts. These documents, records, maps, etc., have been exhibited on every platform from which we have spoken. Your correspondent, Mr. Lambert, has examined them personally, and they show that we have relied on no man's word for the proof of all our statements. Sir Richard has not yet attempted to say one word in defence of his government here in this province, and I shall, at our next meeting on October 1, prove conclusively to those present that Mr. Bowser's speech was simply a heroic attempt to confuse the whole issue. If Sir Richard and his colleagues can so easily prove that we are entirely wrong the quickest, surest, and



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entirely satisfactory plan is to appoint a proper commission to make the thorough investigation for which we appeal."

The men of Manitoba who were convinced of the rottenness of political conditions there had a long, up-hill fight before they secured an impartial inquiry, but the end came speedily thereafter. There is much in the administration of the public lands of British Columbia that will not bear the light.—Toronto Globe.

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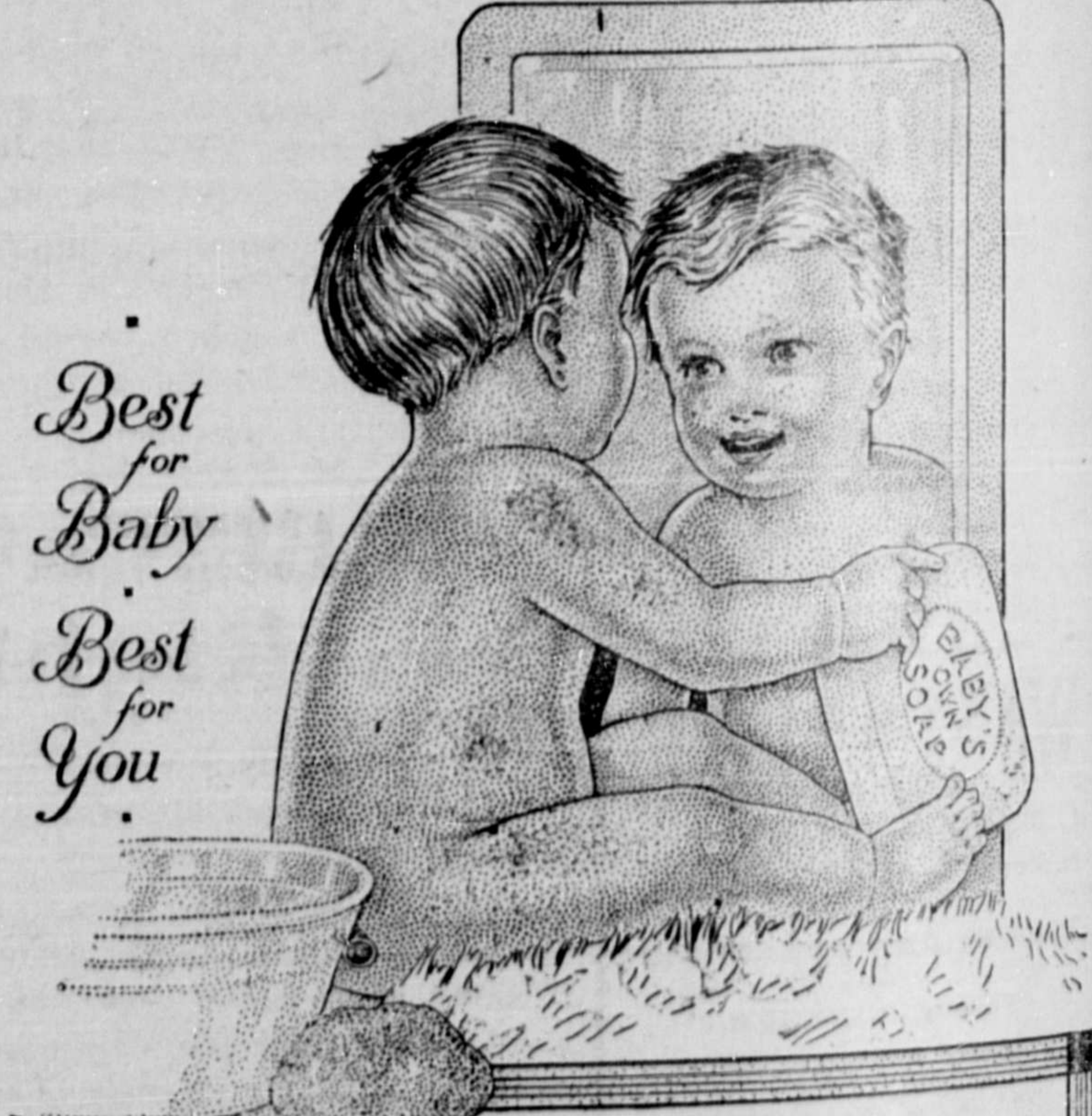
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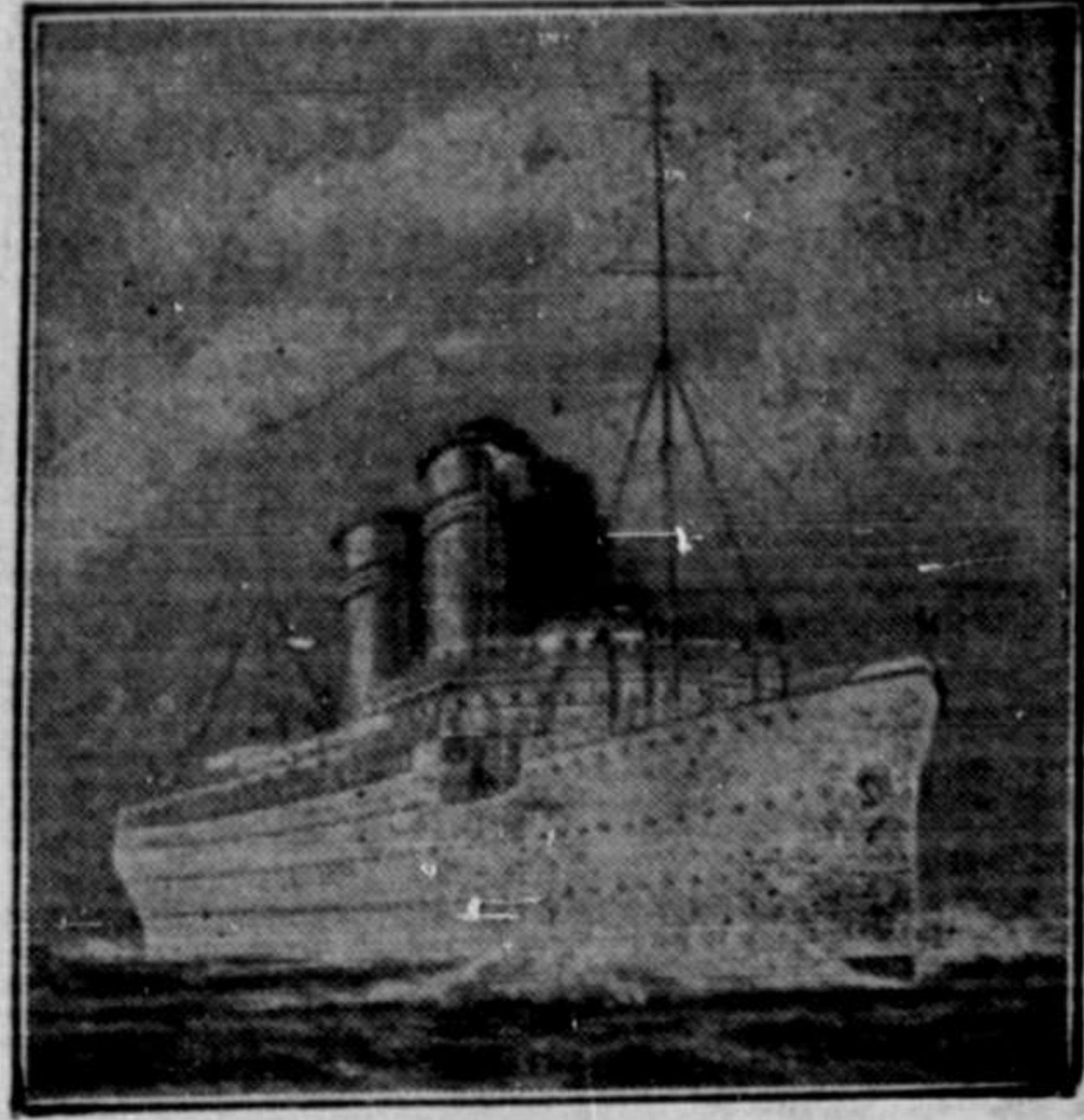
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GOOD PROGRAM AT WESTHOLME THEATRE

The Westholme tonight and tomorrow presents a splendidly varied program of drama and comedy. "Twice Rescued" is a very fine two-reel Vitagraph drama. "Welcome to Bohemia" is a comedy featuring the ever-popular Wally Van, while "Flashlight Sliver" is one of those most laughable Bud and Ham productions.

"Into the Night" is the seventh episode of the mysterious "Road O' Strife" serial, which is proving so interesting. The program opens with a splendid Hearst-Selig Gazette.

"The Diamond from the Sky" comes along again on Monday.

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(Continued From Page One.) easily thrown, and will tuck into a convenient way.

Amazing Things Happening.

Some rather amazing things are happening in this war. How the grizzled veterans of the service clubs, reading their newspapers in the same armchairs in the same West End bow windows that Thackeray knew so well, must rub their eyeglasses these afternoons.

Almost all the most dogmatic prognostications of the leading professors, and nearly all the most cherished precepts of the textbooks, have been scrapped by a year's experience of "the real thing."

Infantry practice has been turned topsy-turvy. Cavalry have been struck spurless into the trenches. The royal engineers have returned to a sort of second military childhood. The aboriginal earthworks have triumphed over the boasted steelclad modern fort. Napoleonic strategy has sagged up against a few strands of barbed wire. Hand-to-hand fighting with bayonet and hammers has replaced long range battles.

Robbed War of Pomp.

Subterranean immobility has destroyed the pomp and circumstance of swift open movements. Gas retorts have made the weather and the way the wind blows as important as when our archers drew their clothyard shafts at Cressy. Hand thrown bombs made out of pickle jars have played as large a part as shrapnel. Medieval shields and even body armor and steel headpieces have been resurrected.

The British infantry has actually used bows and arrows. And, in an immortal episode of death and glory, the regimental cooks of the B. H. A. have met and vanquished the Prussian Guards.

Hardly anything has fallen out as experts were fully entitled to expect, and nearly everything has happened that they would have been justified in dismissing as grotesque.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL

National League.
New York, 15; Boston, 8.
American League.
Boston, 3; New York, 4.
Coast League.
Portland, 6; Salt Lake, 12.
Vernon, 0; San Francisco, 5.
Oakland, 0-0; Los Angeles, 4-1.

RED CROSS SALE

Messrs. Harrison and Gamble have kindly placed their office at the disposal of Mrs. F. S. Clements and Mrs. E. A. Sinclair, the ladies in charge of the Red Cross sale of home cooking on Friday of this week, from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. The demands on the Red Cross are greater than ever, so everybody get busy and do some cooking. Everybody who can possibly do so, is requested to patronize the sale. Remember the place, opposite the post office.

If you have any suitable article to raffle it will be greatly appreciated. Send it in early on Friday morning.

CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT

Light and power rates of the City of Prince Rupert and their comparison with the other cities mentioned.

Light.
Prince Rupert.....10 3/4c max., 7 3/4c min.
Victoria.....11c max., 6.875c min.
Vancouver.....11c max., 6.875c min.
New Westminster.....11c max., 975c min.
Power.
Prince Rupert.....6c max., 2 1/2c min.
Victoria.....7c max., 5.33c min.
Vancouver.....7c max., 5.33c min.
New Westminster.....7c max., 5.33c min.
Prince Rupert absolute minimum rate as is given above, but owing to a different system of rate making in the southern cities, their absolute minimum is not shown. The above minimum rate is based on a consumption of 2,000 k. W. H. per month. Fuller information as to rates can always be obtained from the Light Superintendent.
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- 4.—What will happen if I am wounded or sick? You will be cared for by the Government and your pay continued until you are discharged. If you are permanently disabled an allowance will be paid you, varying according to the extent of your injury or disability.
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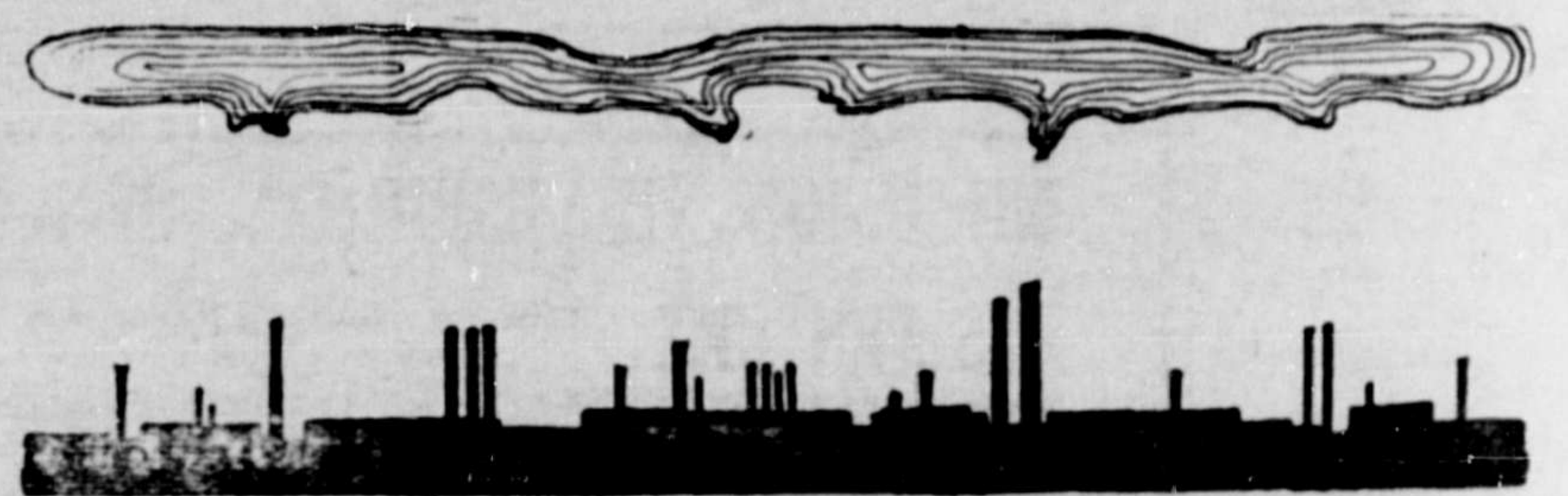
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