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KAISER MAKES PROCLAMATION TO HIS PEOPLE

Wilhelm Makes Typical Appeal Which Savors of Blasphemy—Austria Makes One More Appeal.

(Special to The Daily News.) London, Jan. 13.—The Kaiser, in a proclamation to the German people, declares that "our enemies have dropped their mask and have admitted their lust for conquest; that their aim is to crush Germany and to enslave all Europe. That they will never achieve as the burning indignation of a holy wrath will redouble the strength of every German. God, who planted the spirit of freedom in German hearts, will give us full victory."

Austrian Appeal.
The Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister has addressed a note to the diplomatic representatives of the United States, the other neutral nations and to the Vatican, defining the views of the dual monarchy regarding the Allies' answer to the proposal for a peace conference and emphasizing the condition which would arise between Austria and Serbia were the Allies' demands complied with.

French Press Approves.
The French newspapers are unanimous in their approval of the tone and text of the Entente reply to Wilson's note.

ALASKAN PATRIARCH HAS PASSED BEYOND

John Finlayson, patriarch of Alaska, explorer and prospector, passed away at Wrangell the other day at the age of 105. He had outlived the fortune he stored away for his old age away back in 1887 and for the past few years received a special pension under the United States territorial laws. This pioneer of the north was born in Scotland and lived in California until he was sixty-six years of age, when he joined the rush to the Cassiar country. Finlayson Lake and River bear his name. He entered regions which white men had never before penetrated and his name will live in the annals of the north.

VIKING RECRUITS

Six stalwart recruits left for Winnipeg this morning to join the Vikings. They were, George Robinson, Cumberland, England, Gus Burg, Warsaw, Poland, Frank Bennett, Wolverhampton, Eng., J. A. Weaver, Freeport, Penn., Wm. Elliott, Derbyshire, and Herbert Tyler, Tonbridge, Kent.

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HON. T. CHASE-CASGRAIN
Postmaster-General, who passed away recently after a very short illness.

INCENDIARY MAY HAVE CAUSED EXPLOSIONS

(Special to The Daily News.) New York, Jan. 13.—Incendiarism is suspected in connection with the explosion yesterday at the Kingsland plant of the Canada Car and Foundry Company. The loss sustained is now estimated at sixteen million dollars.

Another Explosion.
Four hundred thousand pounds of powder was destroyed by fire last night which caused an explosion at the works of the Dupont Powder Company, at Haskell, N. J.

It is impossible to estimate the loss of life incurred. The explosion blew a tremendous hole in the side of the mountain, at the base of which the plant is situated. The cause of the outbreak is unknown.

SCHOOL LOCATION FOR SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH

The Sisters of St. Joseph have completed negotiations for the purchase of the house formerly occupied by A. S. Lucas, on Fourth Avenue. The property, which occupies a commanding position on the hill, overlooking the city and the bay, will be converted into a boarding school for girls. It is planned to enter upon a larger scheme later, the present building being only temporary. This house was one of the first built in the city, the lumber being packed from the wharf to the site in the days when the city was in its infancy. The deal was put through by McCaffery, Gibbons & Doyle.

BLANCHE SWEET AT WESTHOLME THEATRE

Blanche Sweet, in the Famous Players' feature, "The Dupe," is the big attraction at the Westholme tonight. It is a story of the adventures of a country girl in the city. Miss Sweet is eminently suited to play such a part and her many admirers should be delighted with her work in this Lasky photoplay. There is also a Topical Budget of the latest news from everywhere.

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GERMANS STILL DRIVING BACK THE RUMANIANS

Another Rumanian Town Taken and Mackenzen Forcing Russians and Rumanians north—Norway is Worried.

(Special to The Daily News.) Petrograd, Jan. 13.—The Austro-Germans continue to advance in Moldavia, though the Rumanians drove the enemy back in the Kassina valley.

Von Mackenzen is reported to be progressing between Braila and Galatz and that his army has captured the town of Laburtea, pushing the Russians back in the direction of the Sereth.

German Report.
Berlin, Jan. 13.—The Teutonic army captured the Rumanian town of Laburtea yesterday and is driving the Rumanians and Russians still further to the northeast.

Norway Worried.
Christiania, Norway, Jan. 13.—King Haakon, in his speech from the throne yesterday, advocated the election of a special committee which the government could summon for consultation at any moment on account of the increasing difficulties of maintaining a neutral position in the European struggle.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICE-BEARERS

The annual meeting of St. Andrew's Society was held last evening when the report of the secretary-treasurer showed that the society is in a flourishing condition in spite of the fact that a very large proportion of its members are on active service. The following office-bearers were elected for the ensuing year:—Hon. Pres., Col. J. W. Stewart; 1st Hon. Vice-Pres., Corp. J. H. Kelly; 2nd Hon. Vice-Pres., Pte. W. G. Dennis; President, S. D. Macdonald; 1st Vice-Pres., Geo. P. McGill; 2nd Vice Pres., Ald. T. McMaekin; Secy.-Treas., C. W. Westwood Gaud; Warden, A. Clapperton; Solicitor, Alex. M. Manson, M. P. P.; Physician, Captain Neil McNeil; Directors, H. Steen, J. G. Steen, Robert Dowther, W. H. Wilson Murray and W. E. Williseroft.

LADYSMITH SMELTER IS BEING ENLARGED

Victoria, Jan. 10.—Work on additions to the Ladysmith smelter, formerly owned by the Tye Copper Company and recently sold to American interests, was commenced yesterday under the direction of W. J. Watson, manager. It is proposed to expend approximately \$100,000, the chief improvement being the installation of a converter, which will permit of the output of copper matte, whereas, hitherto, the plant could produce only blister copper.

Men's durable footwear—Wallace's.

COLONEL HOUSE MAY BE SENT AS SPECIAL ENVOY

Colonel Says Door is Left Open for Negotiation—Washington Asks that German Consul be Dismissed.

(Special to The Daily News.) Washington, Jan. 13.—President Wilson is carefully considering the reply of the Entente Powers and diplomats here are studying it with a view to finding a basis on which they may approach the belligerent nations with the object of bringing them together in conference to discuss the issue of peace.

Colonel House, who was President Wilson's special representative to the belligerent capitals some time ago, asserts that the only thing that remains to be done is to stop hostilities, as the reply of the Entente Allies leaves the door open for negotiation. The impression in official circles here is that Colonel House may again act as the President's special envoy to Europe.

Following the preliminary discussion of the Entente reply in the cabinet, President Wilson had a conference with Secretary of State Lansing at the White House.

Consul Dismissed.
Count Von Bernstorff has been notified by the State Department that the German consul and vice-consul at San Francisco must be dismissed on account of their having violated the neutrality of the United States.

HALIBUT RETURNS FOR MONTH OF DECEMBER

During the month of December, the lightest fishing month of the year, 1,431,900 pounds of halibut was landed at Prince Rupert. Cod came second with 32,700 pounds; there was 3,000 pounds of salmon brought in and 1,500 pounds of crabs.

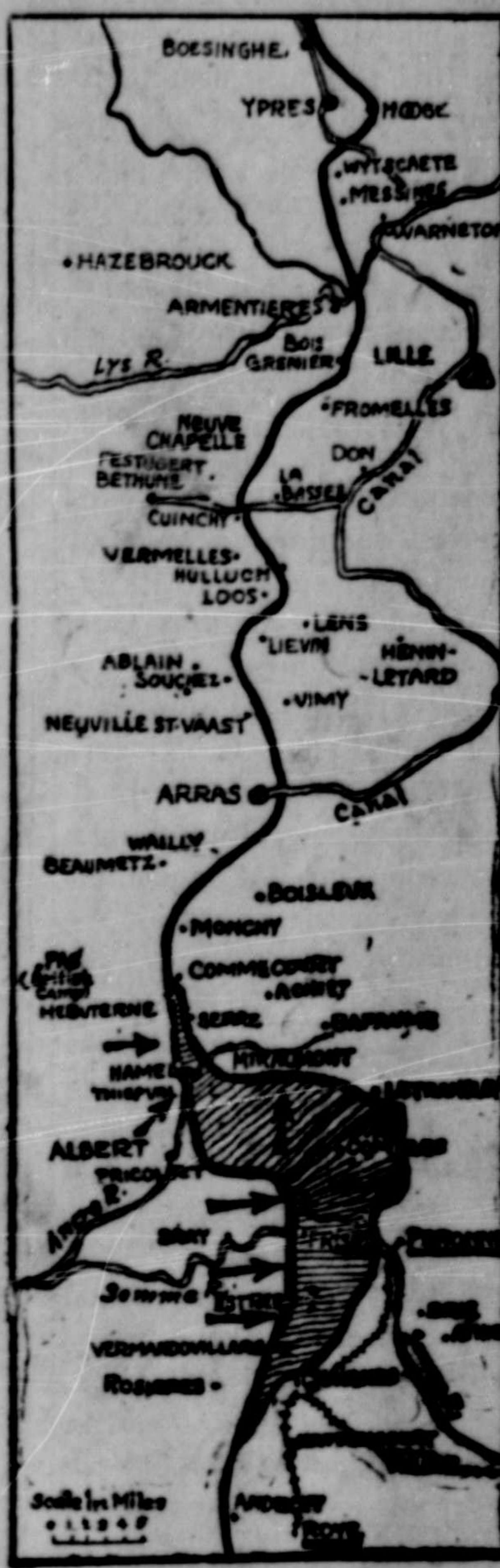
This month should see an expansion in the halibut returns and when the season really begins in the early spring, the fares landed at Prince Rupert will surpass all previous records. There will be quite a number of large schooners making this port their headquarters, which have not done so before and everything points to 1917 being another record fishing year for this city.

LUMBER KING DEAD

Renfrew, Ont., Jan. 13.—Alexander Barnet, millionaire lumberman and the owner of extensive property and interests in British Columbia, is dead.

Grand Annual Ball of Local Union 745 in Railwaymen's Hall on Wednesday evening, Jan. 17th. Westholme orchestra. Refreshments. Tickets 50 cents. Proceeds to Returned Soldiers' Association. Real good time assured. 14.

Mrs. Morte Craig has gone to spend a few months in the south.



BRITISH FRONT EXTENDED

Cables from England state that the British lines on the western front have been extended. The British now occupy a front of 100 miles which extends from Boesinghe to the Somme.

FISHERIES DELEGATION LEAVES FOR OTTAWA

George W. Morrow, of the citizens' fisheries committee, and O. H. Nelson, of the city council fisheries committee, left for Ottawa this morning to place the claims of the fishermen of northern British Columbia before the Fisheries Advisory Board. They will join W. E. Williams, representative of the Board of Trade, in Ottawa. Mr. Williams left for the east on Wednesday. That the delegation will be able to exact some definite promise from the board in regard to the doing away with the cannery boat-rating will be the hope of all interested in the fishing industry in the north.

TWO THOUSAND CASES OF CANNED HERRING

Victoria, Jan. 9.—The possibilities of British Columbia were further demonstrated yesterday when the C. P. R. steamer Tees arrived from the west coast carrying 2,000 cases of canned herring, the output of the Wallace Fisheries Limited at their cannery and cold storage plant.

This is the first shipment of this kind that has ever been made from the west coast of Vancouver Island. So far this season they have packed 22,000 cases of herring in various ways such as kippers tomato sauce and oil. Previous to this experiment the herring were salted and sold to the halibut schooners for bait. It has remained for the Wallace Fisheries Limited to demonstrate the commercial value of the industry.

BRITISH AND FRENCH MAKE SMALL GAINS

German Trenches Penetrated and Prisoners Taken—Germans Admit Success—Danish Steamer Sunk.

(Special to The Daily News.) London, Jan. 13.—The British entered the enemy trenches north of Arras yesterday and secured a number of prisoners. The German trenches north of Rancourt and Givenchy were bombarded with good results.

A Paris report states that a French reconnoitering party penetrated the German trenches last night and subdued the defenders, capturing a number of prisoners.

German Report.
Berlin, Jan. 13.—The British made a small gain in an attack north of the Ancre last night but were driven back in a counter-attack.

Danish Steamer Sunk.
The Danish steamer Tabord was sunk yesterday by a submarine. The members of the crew were saved.

Greek Situation

London, Jan. 13.—The Entente representatives in Athens have today asked the Greek government to be a little more explicit in its reply to the Entente demands of January 1st.

NOTICE

David H. Hays has taken over the real estate, insurance and safety deposit business handled by Hon. T. D. Pattullo. Mr. Hays will conduct this additional business at his present office at the corner of Second Avenue and Second Street. 11.

Christian Science Society services are held every Sunday at 11 a. m. Sunday School at 12 noon. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock, Hays Building, 245 2nd Avenue.

New American shoes—Wallace's. 12.

Prince Rupert Public School Board NOTICE TO PARENTS AND GUARDIANS

In conformity with recommendations of the Department of Education, pupils will be taken into the receiving classes of the Public Schools twice yearly, at the opening of the term in January and August only. PARENTS AND GUARDIANS TAKE NOTICE that pupils six years of age and those who will attain the age of six years on or before the 1st day of May 1917, will be admitted to the receiving classes up to and including the 15th day of January. Pupils will be received in Borden St. School from Feb. 1st to 9th inclusive. 11 W. D. VANCE, Secretary.

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ALLIED TERMS

The Entente Powers have not submitted their peace terms to Germany but they have plainly told Washington upon what basis they will be prepared to consider a settlement. It is asserted that President Wilson knows the terms which Germany is prepared to offer, and, if this is so, and it is not unlikely, then Washington is now aware as to the possibility of an early peace conference. It is very unlikely that any further information will be divulged until Ambassador Gerard has had another conference with the German diplomats but it is clear that the matter is not ended, provided Germany is really sincere in her desire to discuss a settlement.

The telegraphic despatches give the barest outline of the Allied demands and there are several important points not mentioned, for instance, the situation in the Dardanelles. Russia has been promised Constantinople and dominance over the outlet from the Black Sea to the Mediterranean, and it is not unlikely that Berlin will consider this to be one of the most objectionable features of the proposals. Even though Germany may be prepared to consent to the partial breaking up of the Austrian ring by the liberation of the Italians, Slavs and Rumanians who at present come under Austrian rule, and may be willing to agree to the restoration of Belgium, Serbia and Montenegro, she is likely to seriously object to Russian dominance in the Dardanelles. Constantinople formed the centre of Germany's eastern plans and she is certain to object strenuously to a Russian barrier being placed in her way. She will not object to the driving of the Turk out of

Europe, as her own intentions for the future were undoubtedly along that very line, with this difference, that she foresaw German instead of Russian dominance at the head of the Mediterranean. It is too much to expect that Berlin has given up dreaming of expansion and her fondest dreams were of the latent wealth of the East.

What is to become of Austria will be of much less consequence to the German diplomats than the question as to what bars are to be raised against future German advances towards India and Asia. It will be highly interesting to watch Germany's attitude towards the Entente proposals. If she is willing to contemplate for a moment Russian rule in Constantinople, then she must be in a very much worse plight than is imagined. If Berlin makes up its mind to give up all its glorious dreams of the East, it is a very certain sign that Germany is not only defeated but shattered for generations to come.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

Sir John Jellicoe's statement regarding the submarine menace is probably the forerunner of the arming of all merchant ships. It is to be noted that the Admiralty is giving out no information regarding the number of German submarines captured. It is well known that the number taken is enormous.

Ottawa reports indicate that Premier Borden realizes that he will have his hands full during the session which opens next week and that he does not care to add to his troubles by taking up the question of prohibition.

John T. Scott, the disappearing expert, has again been located. It

GILLETT'S LYE EATS DIRT



is to be hoped that he is held in safe keeping until the Vancouver election scandal is cleared up. John has been an expensive luxury to his friends and a source of enormous trouble to both governments but he has earned a certain degree of fame which would not have been his otherwise.

If the Allied peace terms are ultimately met by Germany, the "Sick Man of Europe" will become the "Sick Man of Asia."

SUN AND TIDE

Sunday, January 14th.

Table with 2 columns: Time and Event. Sun rises 8:59 a.m., Sun sets 4:21 p.m., High water 5:3 a.m. Ht. 19.0, Low water 11:9 a.m. Ht. 8.4, High water 5:6 p.m. Ht. 17.3, Low water 11:14 p.m. Ht. 7.2. Monday, January 15th. Sun rises 8:58 a.m., Sun sets 4:22 p.m., High water 5:45 a.m. Ht. 18.9, Low water 12:1 p.m. Ht. 8.3, High water 6:4 p.m. Ht. 16.3, Low water 11:55 p.m. Ht. 8.1. Captain McGee, M. M. S. A.

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT. R. S. C. Chapter 115.

Hume B. Babington and Norman R. Brodhurst of the City of Prince Rupert, in the Province of British Columbia, hereby give notice that they have under Section 7 of the said act deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa and in the office of the District Registrar of Titles at the Land Registry Office at the City of Prince Rupert aforesaid a description of the site and the plans of a wharf proposed to be built in Henslung Bay, Lanarsa Island, in front of Lots 999 and 998, Queen Charlotte Island Land District, Province of British Columbia.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice the said Hume B. Babington and Norman R. Brodhurst will under Section 7 of the said act apply to the Minister of Public Works at his office in the City of Ottawa, Province of Ontario, for approval of the said site and plans and for leave to construct the said wharf.

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The Islands. Mail closes. Jan. 17 and 31st at 8 p. m. Feb. 14th and 28th at 8 p. m. Mail Arrives. January 21st, February 17th and March 3rd. Salvation Army. Public meetings. Tuesday Thursday and Saturday at 8 p. m. Sundays at 7:30 p. m.

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MINERAL ACT Notice to Delinquent Partners. To Grant Mahood and Patrick Daly. TAKE NOTICE that whereas we have done and caused to be done assessment work by surveys on the Daly, Sullivan, Edith and Lois Mineral Claims, situated in the Salmon River District, Portland Canal Mining Division, for the year 1916, and have paid for said work and recording same the sum of \$310.00, unless you pay to us the sum of \$255.00 for your share of said assessment work, together with the cost of this advertisement, we shall at the expiration of ninety (90) days from the date hereof, apply to the Mining Recorder at Stewart, B. C., to have your interests in the said Daly, Sullivan, Edith and Lois mineral claims vested in us, in pursuance of the provisions of the Mineral Act. Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 15th day of November, A. D. 1916. JAMES McDONALD, F. 24. FREDERICK C. WINKLER.

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FROM FAR AND NEAR

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Miss Jessie Fairbairn, of Edinburgh, Scotland, is visiting her brother, Constable Andrew Fairbairn, of Telkwa.

James McItae has hauled a carload of ore from his property on Dome mountain, for shipment to the smelter.

George Clothier has a night shift working at the Highland Boy property. Two carloads of machinery have arrived and are being hauled to the mine. Camps are being built for the accommodation of a larger force.

The chief of police of the city of Chicago has been arrested on charges of extortion, bribery and conspiracy. A large section of the police force seems to have been involved in a scheme to extort money from illegal resort keepers.

Ambassador Gerard has got himself into very hot water over his references to the relationship existing between the United States and Germany, in his recent speech at a banquet in Berlin.

It is suggested in several American papers that President Wilson may solve the Mexican mix-up by establishing an American constabulary throughout Mexico, to be succeeded as soon as possible by a Mexican constabulary.

A big advance in real estate values is looked for in the United States as a result of the boom in industry resulting from the war. Those who have made money are preparing to build new homes.

The question of universal mili-



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This photograph is the first to arrive from England showing Canada's peer in his robes as a lord. Baron Shaughnessy received his peerage in recognition of his great achievements as a railroad builder, particularly in connection with his development of the C. P. R.

tary training in the United States is receiving the support of the bulk of the press, some of the newspapers even advocating conscription.

PATRIOTIC SACRIFICE BY BRITISH WOMEN

Twenty-five British women have cut off their hair in order to work more effectively for the Serbian army fighting in Macedonia.

It takes time for a woman to keep her hair in order, and the members of the transport column sent to Russia by the London committee of the Scotch Women's Hospitals will have more than enough to do in keeping their ambulances, lorries, kitchen, and touring cars running and in good repair.

The day before the hospital unit left England the Hon. Evelina D'Almeida, in charge of the motor transport section, suggested that short hair would be an advantage in the circumstances. Within twenty-four hours every member of the division had paid a visit to the barber to lay her locks on the altar of duty and hygiene, not the least sacrifice being made by the older women, who can hardly hope to grow another crop of long hair.

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