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BRITISH SMASH GERMANS ON WIDE FRONT

PRISONERS AND GUNS TAKEN IN HEAVY FIGHTING---GERMANS DESTROY LENS

ANOTHER BLOW DELIVERED TO THE GERMANS

Heavy Fighting Continues North
and South of Scarpe River
—British Continue to
Gain Ground.

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, May 4.—The British
have again dealt a blow at the
Germans over a wide front both
north and south of the Scarpe
River.

At the moment of cabling, the
impression here is that the battle
is going satisfactorily for the
British. Prisoners are beginning
to arrive and more German guns
have been taken. Heavy fighting
continues.

Germans Exhausted.
Since the fighting began on the
ninth, more than thirteen of the
enemy divisions have been ex-
hausted on this front alone, yet
Hindenburg is desperately throw-
ing fresh units into the field with
pitiful orders to hold or die. To
the north of Greenland Hill, to-
ward Fresnoy, Cherisy and Bulle-
court, reports indicate that the
British have gained ground.

Counter Attacks.
At Gavrelle and Loos, the Prus-
sians are counter attacking fiercely.
The enemy is in a particular
frenzy over the British posses-
sion of these points, because it
hampers the work of the destruc-
tion of Lens. That destruction is
proceeding day and night. The
Boches also fear for Douai, and
the remaining portion of the Hin-
denburg line, which has already
been partly turned by the advance
from Arras.

BRITISH OFFICIAL.
(Special to The Daily News.)
London, May 4.—We launched
an attack all along the front of
Hindenburg line north of Sensée
River to Achiet-Vimy Road.
Already we have taken a number
of strong positions.

Reuters reports progress made
in the direction of Fresnoy, Cher-
isy and Bullecourt. Attack was
made to gain mastery of positions
so that British artillery could de-
vaste fresh troops thrown into
the fight by the Germans.

FRENCH OFFICIAL.
(Special to The Daily News.)
Paris, May 4.—We repulsed an
attack all along the front of
Mont Haut. We reduced an iso-
lated German position which was
resisting, capturing garrison of
239.

TIT FOR TAT
(Special to The Daily News.)
Rio de Janeiro, May 4.—As Ger-
many is detaining the Brazilian
minister, and will not allow him
to depart from Berlin with his
suite, Brazil is detaining the Ger-
man minister.
The Brazilian Foreign Minister
Muller has resigned.

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GERMAN CHANCELLOR IN DIFFICULTIES

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, May 4.—The German
Chancellor, von Bethman-Holl-
weg, is today facing his greatest
crisis politically. He is under fire
from the Conservatives, who op-
pose the electoral reforms and is
also mistrusted by the Socialists.
Hindenburg may be his successor.

MEATLESS DAYS FOR CANADIANS

Guelph, Ont., May 3.—The lead-
ing packers of Canada are al-
ready in touch with the Govern-
ment urging that steps be taken
to cope with the serious shortage
of live stock.
Professor George Day, of the
Live Stock Department of the
Ontario Agricultural College, says
that he was informed by the man-
ager of one company that they
were advocating two meatless
days a week for Canada.

"When the packers are doing
that, you may imagine what con-
ditions are," commented Prof.
Day.

ANOTHER SHIP SUNK

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, May 4.—The British
steamer Gena, 2784 tons, was
sunk on the 1st of May by a Ger-
man seaplane off Aldenborough,
on the Suffolk coast, England.

PALESTINE

(Special to The Daily News.)
A fierce battle has been raging
in Palestine. The British have
ousted the Turks from a very
strongly entrenched position. The
British cavalry have initiated very
successful sorties against the
Turks in the vicinity of Gaza.

CHANGES IN THE REICHSTAG

(Special to The Daily News.)
Amsterdam, May 4.—Scheid-
mann, the leader of the regular
Socialist party has been selected
head of the Reichstag Committee.
This step is regarded as very
significant, as the appointee is
the man the Government backed
to make a separate peace with
Russia. In view of this, his se-
lection is considered all the more
startling.

EXPLOSION IN GERMANY

Basle, Switzerland, May 4.—An
explosion occurred in a powder
factory in Germany killing 521
persons.

BREAK WITH CHILE

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, May 4.—It is reported
that the Chilean Minister in Ber-
lin has requested his passports.

IN PERFECT AGREEMENT

Amsterdam, May 4.—According
to a semi-official statement re-
ceived from Vienna, perfect agree-
ment exists between Germany and
Austria on all questions of peace.

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS

(Special to The Daily News.)
Full details of the submarine
menace will be forthcoming very
shortly, says Lord Northcliffe.
All particulars already given to
the United States.
Germany is concealing her
losses from the people.
The Two Billion Liberty Loan
may be oversubscribed.
The French Commission is
leaving Washington for Chicago.



THREE GERMAN AEROPANES IN TWO DAYS

Captain Murlis Green, R. F. C., D. S. O., who brought down three
Hun aeroplanes in two days, seated on a machine which he strafed.
It was piloted by a cousin of the Kaiser. The Captain has just
received the Serbian order of Karageorge.

COMPULSORY SERVICE PLANNED FOR CANADA

It was reported in Toronto at
the beginning of the week, ac-
cording to the Winnipeg Free
Press, that the Dominion Gov-
ernment has decided to put the
Militia Act into force, and the
date mentioned was May 15th.

The voluntary system and the
Government's Canadian Defence
force have failed to get men, so
it has been urged that the com-
pulsory plan is the only scheme
left by which to get men into
training at Camp Borden and
other points this coming summer.
It was said last night that the
number aimed at is 50,000.

The Free Press also states that
Mr. E. R. Chapman, National Ser-
vice Director, had received no
official notice when this Toronto
announcement was read to him.
He expressed his approval of the
action. "I am very much pleased
to hear that the Government is
taking such a step. It has got to
come and is what the Directors
of National Service recommended
last February. I am surprised
that the announcement was not
made before, as we have been ex-
pecting some such measure. This
is the only way to get men when
the voluntary methods have fail-
ed. The men must come forward
in greater numbers to replace the
present wastage."

WESTHOLME THEATRE

At the Westholme tonight there
will be shown a photoplay en-
titled "A Son of Erin." This is
a story of a frolicsome young
Irish lad who comes to America
in search of fortune. His many
experiences, hard, bitter and
sometimes pleasant, are portrayed
in a striking manner. Acci-
dents add reality to the silent
drama and one of the most spec-
tacular and dramatic episodes
yet staged is the nerve-shocking
event that happens in this play.
It is filled with interesting hap-
penings and unexpected events—
one of the most thrilling of which
startles by its unexpectedness.
There will be special Irish
music by the orchestra.

Mr. Seoble left on the steamer
last night for Victoria on a vaca-
tion. Mrs. Seoble and family are
already there.

PROMISING FIND BY RUPERT FISHERMEN

A few days ago, the crew of one
of the many fishing boats making
Prince Rupert their headquarters,
picked up a lump of queer look-
ing substance floating on the sur-
face of the sea, some miles out.
They picked it up, and brought it
to town. It was strange looking
stuff, and could not very well be
classified. The consensus of
opinion was that it was Amber-
gris.

This curious substance is pro-
duced by the cachetol, or sperm-
aceti whale and is very valuable
in the manufacture of perfumery,
and in the far East, is largely
used for flavoring purposes. It
is generally found floating on the
sea.

A sample has been despatched
to one of the largest perfumery
houses in the East, to have it
analyzed, and if it is really am-
bergris, as the men hope, they
will have found something. Be-
fore the war it was valued at
\$20 an ounce, and this piece
should run to about \$5,000, it is
said.

WHEAT SOARING

(Special to The Daily News.)
Winnipeg, May 4.—Wheat went
up to \$3 on the Winnipeg Grain
Exchange today.

TRANSPORT SUNK

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, May 4.—The British
transport Arcadian was sunk on
the 15th of April by a German
submarine. It is believed that
279 men have been drowned.

NOTICE

A meeting of the Mine, Mill and
Smelter Workers Union will be
held tonight in room 4, Exchange
Building, at 8 o'clock. All inter-
ested are requested to attend.
GEORGE B. CASEY, Organizer.

FISH ARRIVALS

The North Cape has arrived
with 10,000 pounds of halibut;
the Myra with 14,000; Avona with
18,000; Companion, 8,000; Rain-
ier, 15,000; J. P. Todd, 20,000;
Thelma, 8,000; Rolfe, 22,000;
Haysport, 17,000; D. C. F. No. 1,
12,000, and Royal Kid, 2,000.

TROUBLE BETWEEN NORWAY AND GERMANY

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, May 4.—The relations
between Norway and Germany are
rapidly approaching the breaking
point. In the Norwegian Govern-
ment circles the opinion prevails
that the maritime situation is al-
most intolerable. Norway is try-
ing to induce Sweden and Den-
mark to join her in suspending
all intercourse with Germany, and
entering the war on the side of
the Allies.

MINING NOTES

The Spanish Mine, Alice Arm
district, has shipped over two
hundred tons of high-grade silver
ore during the winter. The owners
say that they are well satisfied
with recent developments.

The Caribou Group owned by
Miles McDonald is being develop-
ed steadily, and is reported to be
showing up well.

The Dolly Varden Mines, Ltd.,
have a large force of men en-
gaged in building the railroad
from their wharf to the mines,
eighteen miles inland. It is hoped
to have the road completed early
this summer in order to get the
material and machinery in for the
new mill. The road will be op-
erated by steam, two twenty-three-
ton locomotives having been or-
dered. The prospects of this dis-
trict look very bright.

The Granby mines at Anyox are
now running three shifts. A gen-
eral thaw has now taken place in
this district and a sufficient
amount of water is now available
for power purposes.
Mr. E. E. Campbell, superin-
tendent, and Mr. J. A. Swanson,
mine foreman of the Granby
mines, went south on the Princess
Maquinn Sunday.

Mr. J. E. Purcell, general super-
intendent of the Consolidated
Mines, Rossland, was recently ex-
amining properties for his com-
pany in the Portland Canal dis-
trict.

Construction work of the mill
and power plant at Surf Inlet is
now being rushed. It is hoped
to have the mill in operation
early in the summer, and active
mining will then commence on a
large scale.

ALASKA TIMBERS FOR MINE PROPS

Washington, That mine tim-
bers of white spruce, Sitka spruce,
white birch, and western hemlock
grown on the Chugach National
Forest, Alaska, are fully as good
as Douglas fir from the Rocky
Mountain region as mine timbers
has been demonstrated by the
Forest Products Laboratory at
Madison, Wisconsin.

Tests made to determine the
suitability of the Alaska trees for
mine timbers that in bending
strength developed the four spe-
cies are from 20 per cent to more
than 100 per cent stronger than
lodepole pine, alpin fir, Engle-
mann spruce, bristle-cone pine,
and western yellow pine from the
Rocky Mountain region. All of
these species are widely used for
mine timbers and were tested by
the laboratory.

Sitka spruce, white birch, and
western hemlock from Alaska
proved to be considerably higher
in average strength than Rocky
Mountain Douglas fir. White
spruce averaged nearly as well.

SUN AND TIDE

Saturday, May 5th.
Sun rises 5:4 a. m.
Sun sets 8:12 p. m.
Low water 6:20 a. m. Ht. 5.7
High water 12:33 p. m. Ht. 18.4
Low water 6:13 p. m. Ht. 7.1

UNITED STATES TO USE GERMAN SHIPS

(Special to The Daily News.)
Washington, May 4.—It is ex-
pected here that seventy-one of
the seized German and Austrian
vessels will be ready for use in
about five months. Many of the
smaller vessels will be ready in
less than four months. Extensive
repairs are necessary in many
cases and a thorough overhaul
will be given to each ship.

ANOTHER GRASS FIRE

Between eleven and twelve
o'clock today, the fire department
were called upon on the outbreak
of fire in the dry grass and brush
near Akerberg, Thomson & Co.'s
machine shop. No damage was
done and the fire department
quickly had the matter in hand.

THE POLICE COURT

At the police court this morn-
ing, before Magistrate Carss, the
case was resumed against three
men charged with doing damage
to property. One of the men
pleaded guilty and was fined \$10
and \$5 for damage. A second
charge was preferred, which was
dismissed. A severe reprimand
was administered by the Magis-
trate.

THE CAMPAIGN IN EAST AFRICA

London, May 3.—"The present
rainy season is the wettest expe-
rienced in German East Africa in
the past nine years and all active
operations on a large scale are
perforce suspended," says an of-
ficial statement issued yesterday.
"In the Kilwa area and espe-
cially in the Matandu Valley there
has been considerable patrol ac-
tivity. Recently a small patrol
of our West Africa troops suc-
cessfully ambushed an enemy
force of two companies."
"In the Rufiji area, a large
German hospital, established for
a considerable time at Mragan-
gaya, between the Samani arm of
the Rufiji, and the main stream,
was surrendered to us by its com-
mandant, who invoked the Geneva
convention on account of the
flooding of the site and the lack
of food, on the eighth. The 62
Germans and 110 native patients
who remained, are being cared
for."

UNIFORM TYPE OF POLICY FOR SOLDIERS

New York, May 1.—Representa-
tives of life insurance companies
have declined to recommend a
uniform type of policy for insur-
ing men entering the army and
navy. The flat charge of \$37.50
a year, for each \$1,000 of war
risks insurance, in addition to
the regular premium, is advocated
for the present. This, however,
would apply only to those who
took out policies at the time of
entering the service or within 31
days thereafter. Among the re-
commendations was:
The military clause shall cover
the entire period of military or
naval service in time of war, if
commenced within five years of
the register date.

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COMBATTING THE MENACE

Mr. Lloyd George's speech at the Guildhall shows that the defensive part of the campaign against the German submarine menace is being developed with the same energy and thoroughness with which the munition problem was solved. This includes the stimulation of agricultural production through which 3,000,000 acres of fresh land are being put under cultivation; the reduction of imports by 6,000,000 tons, which will effect a big economy in shipping; rationing and the establishment of communal kitchens and a shipbuilding programme under which possibly four times as many merchant vessels will be turned out in 1917 as were built in 1916. He admitted that the situation was serious and that many of the measures now under way should have been adopted before. In this the Prime Minister was able to speak with perfect consistency. Had the land reform scheme of which he long has been an advocate been carried out Great Britain would not now be forced to such heroic expedients.

No German naval authority believes that Great Britain can be starved into submission, whatever the German people may believe. What the enemy hopes is that the reduction of the British trade and the consequent embarrassment will produce a peace atmosphere in the land of his most formidable foe. Subsidiary to that he is anxious to interrupt the flow of materials and munitions to France, Russia and Italy. Undoubtedly, his campaign is affecting the country's trade, apart from the traffic in war supplies, and this in other circumstances would have had serious results for that trade is the foundation of the nation's wealth and credit, without which the war could not be continued. But American intervention puts an altogether different aspect on the situation. It reduces the demands upon Britain's resources to a much greater extent than Germany could reduce the resources themselves if she multiplied her piratical operations several fold.

A few days ago Sir Albert Stanley, president of the British Board of Trade, stated that

the effect of the submarine war was simply that Britain could not continue to bring into the country "all the supplies and materials required for its existence, for the continuance of the war and for the actual needs of its industry." In view of the burden which Great Britain is carrying on behalf of her allies this, no doubt, is a true statement of the case. But in the future a large share of that load will be borne by a resourceful new belligerent and this with the measures of which Lloyd George spoke will clear the situation.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

From the Toronto Globe:—"Reciprocity has begun in earnest in British Columbia. In former times, American rascals always fled to this country." The inference is that Canadian "rascals" have fled to the United States. Who can they be? Pat Welch went there. So did D'Arcy Tate. And Danny McLeod. But "Brutus is an honorable man."

Regarding the charges laid against the personal honor of the attorney-general, Mr. McDonald, in the provincial House by Mr. J. S. Cowper, the junior member for Vancouver, the Times says: "The voice is the voice of Cowper, but the hand is the hand of Bowser." Mr. Herbert C. Hoover regarding the shortage of foodstuffs says: "There is nothing about it that cannot be overcome with management, but the management must be based upon rigid economy, and economy which must penetrate into every dinner table in the allied countries." Every cabbage, every potato plant grown at home, in back yards, gardens or vacant lots helps by allowing just that quantity more to be sent to the boys at the front.

Food controllers were not appointed until every belligerent nation learned in the hard school of experience that war can be carried on successfully only by the comparatively prosaic work of feeding the people as well as the armies. There is a trite old saying that "the spectator sees most of the game." Up to a few weeks ago the United States were the spectators. Now they are in the ring, and very possibly they

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will see angles of the situation that have not appeared to the Allies heretofore.

COMMUNAL KITCHENS

Communal kitchens, where people will be able to buy ready-cooked food at prices very little higher than they would pay for the same food uncooked, are to be set up immediately in many districts in England. This is one of the features of the great food economy campaign started by the National War Savings Committee at the request of the Ministry of Food.

The campaign will be conducted in every town and village in the country. It will be directed by the 1,200 local war savings committees, who will be assisted by 30,000 war savings associations. No fewer than 3,000,000 members

COAL NOTICES

SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

Take notice that James McNulty, of Prince Rupert, occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the west coast of Graham Island, in vicinity of West river.

Commencing at a post planted one mile south of southeast corner of C. L. 9967; thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

JAMES McNULTY, Austin Brown, agent.

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Take notice that Joseph Rowat, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation prospector, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the west coast of Graham Island, in vicinity of West river.

Commencing from a post planted one mile south of the southwest corner of C. L. 9968; thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

JOSEPH ROWAT, Austin Brown, agent.

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Take notice that John William Goss, of Victoria, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the west coast of Graham Island, in vicinity of West river.

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JOHN WILLIAM GOSS, Austin Brown, agent.

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Take notice that Roslyn Duke, of Portland, Ore., occupation hotel proprietor, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the west coast of Graham Island, in vicinity of West river.

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ROSLYN DUKE, Austin Brown, agent.

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Take notice that Oliver Brown, of Victoria, B. C., occupation machinist, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the west coast of Graham Island, in vicinity of West river.

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OLIVER BROWN, Austin Brown, agent.

of the associations and committees will be actively interested in the scheme. In addition the aid of local authorities, women's societies and social and political organizations will be enlisted, while the Board of Education will lend strong support.

The chief object of the campaign is to induce the public to adopt voluntary rationing. Compulsory rationing has proved most unfair in Germany, where townspeople are underfed and country people well fed, and the system has been set at naught by large and powerful classes of the community to the detriment of the others.—Exchange.

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WILLIAM DIXON, Austin Brown, agent.

SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

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Take notice that Turner Rothwell Mullen, of Victoria, B. C., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the west coast of Graham Island, in vicinity of West river.

Commencing at a post planted one mile south of the southeast corner of C. L. 9971; thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

TURNER ROTHWELL MULLEN, Austin Brown, agent.

SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

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Take notice that Agnes Brown, of Victoria, B. C., occupation widow, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the west coast of Graham Island, in vicinity of West river.

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AGNES BROWN, Austin Brown, agent.

SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

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Take notice that Edward Pickard, of Los Angeles, occupation engineer, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the west coast of Graham Island, in vicinity of West river.

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EDWARD PICKARD, Austin Brown, agent.

SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

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Take notice that James Ray, of Victoria, B. C., occupation hotel proprietor, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the west coast of Graham Island, in vicinity of West river.

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of C. L. 9968; thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

JAMES RAY, Austin Brown, agent.

SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

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Take notice that Frederick Moersch, of Victoria, B. C., occupation salesman, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the west coast of Graham Island, in vicinity of West river.

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FREDERICK MOERSCH, Austin Brown, agent.

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Take notice that John Booth, of Los Angeles, occupation contractor, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the west coast of Graham Island, in vicinity of West river.

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JUNKER LEADER PRESENTS TERMS

The Hague, May 1.—The German Cabinet is facing the most difficult situation of its wartime existence in its effort to find a safe middle ground between the Socialists and the Conservatives. Both parties are becoming more and more insistent and vociferous, the Socialists demanding the democratization of the Government and peace without conquest or indemnity, while the Conservatives are demanding with equal urgency, reforms in exactly the opposite direction.

Dr. Diederich Hahn, leader of the Agrarian Junker party, and member of the Reichstag, delivered a speech in Berlin in which he declared that Germany's submarine success now insured the unconditional surrender of her enemies. He attacked the demands of the Socialists, and censured the Government for continuing so long to maintain diplomatic relations with the United States.

"Has monarchical Germany failed?" he asked. "No," he added, "it stands brilliantly before the world as a conqueror. We are today within sight of peace. May it be a real German peace. Let us keep to Bismarck's policy. Germany's future is a future of battle and conquest."

"Some people are demanding a new order of things in Germany. Let me tell you what new order we Conservatives desire. Germany's industrial and agricultural future must be so ordered that she will be in a position successfully to withstand any future attacks. We must have the coal fields of Longwy and Briey. We must have fresh territory for emigration in the east. We must not return any lands we have conquered. That would be an unforgivable sin against our agricultural population, would compromise our industrial development, and would mean that our blood had been spilled in vain."

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AERIAL TRANSPORT AFTER THE WAR

London, May 2.—The announcement was made in the House of Commons by Major J. L. Baird, representative in the House of the Aerial Advisory Board, that the Government had decided to appoint a committee under the chairmanship of Lord Northcliffe to investigate civil aerial transport after the war.

This, he said, would permit of the employment of the large number of skilled pilots and the airplanes in the hands of the army and navy, as well as of the still vaster number of machines, the construction of which is under way or planned.

Major Baird said the committee would consider and report on steps to be taken after the war, of aviation for civil and commercial purposes, from domestic, Imperial and international points of view and the extent to which it will be possible to utilize the trained personnel and the aircraft which at the conclusion of peace would be available.

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TIMBER SALE X 909.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 7th day of May, 1917, for the purchase of Licence X 909, to cut 3,130,000 feet of Hemlock, Cedar and Spruce, and 1,300 lineal feet of piling, on an area adjoining Lot 1607, Juskatla Inlet, Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C., or District Forester at Prince Rupert, B. C.

WATER NOTICE

DIVERSION AND USE

TAKE NOTICE that George McRae whose address is Skidegate, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use 150 cubic feet per minute of water out of Demster Creek, which flows northerly and drains into Allford Bay, about 15 chains from the N. E. corner of T. L. 835. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about ten chains west from N.W. corner of Lot 4, B. C. Fisheries, and will be used for power purpose upon the land described as adjoining Timber Limit 831 in application to lease.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 15th day of January, 1917. 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 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 date of the first publication of this notice is February 21st, 1917.
GEORGE MCRAE, Applicant.

THE MAILS

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Tuesdays, 2 a. m.
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Fridays, 8 p. m.
Sundays, 8 p. m.

From Anyox.

Thursdays, Sundays and Tuesdays.



TIMBER SALE X 882.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 16th day of May, 1917, for the purchase of Licence X 882, to cut 850,000 feet of Fir, Hemlock and Cedar, on an area situated on the north shore of Dean Channel, Range 3, Coast District.

One (1) year will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C., or District Forester at Prince Rupert, B. C.

TIMBER SALE X 913.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 9th day of June, 1917, for the purchase of Licence X 913, to cut 7,425,000 feet of Hemlock, Cedar and Spruce, and 1,200 lineal feet of piling, on an area adjoining Lot 1605, Juskatla Inlet, Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District.

Three (3) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C., or District Forester at Prince Rupert, B. C.

TIMBER SALE X 920.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 21st day of May, 1917, for the purchase of Licence X 920, to cut 4,165,000 feet of Hemlock, Cedar and Spruce, and 30,000 lineal feet of piling on an area adjoining Lot 1501, Juskatla Inlet, Queen Charlotte District.

Three (3) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C., or District Forester at Prince Rupert, B. C.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

(Sections 36 and 134.)

Re Application No. 91,111, Filing 5,814

TAKE NOTICE that application has been made to register John Bergman, of Prince Rupert, B. C., as owner in fee under a Tax Sale Deed from the Collector of the City of Prince Rupert, bearing date the 10th day of September, 1915, of ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying, and being in the Municipality of Prince Rupert, more particularly known as Lot Ten (10), Block Five (5), Section Seven (7), Map 923.

You are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within thirty-five days from the date of the service of this notice (which may be effected by Registered Mail or as Directed, and your attention is called to section 36 of the "Land Registry Act" with amendments, and to the following extract therefrom:— "and in default of a caveat or certificate of his pendens being filed before the registration as owner of the person entitled under such tax sale, all persons claiming any interest in the land by virtue of any unregistered instrument, and all persons claiming any interest in the land by descent whose title is not registered under the provisions of this Act, shall be for ever stopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the land so sold for taxes, and the Registrar shall register the person entitled under such tax sale as owner of the land so sold for taxes."

AND WHEREAS application has been made for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above-mentioned lands, in the name of John Bergman:

AND WHEREAS on investigating the title it appears that prior to the 9th day of September, 1914, (the date on which the said lands were sold for overdue taxes) you were the assessed owner thereof.

FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that at the same time I shall effect registration in pursuance of such application and issue a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the said lands in the name of John Bergman unless you take and prosecute the proper proceedings to establish your claim, if any, to the said lands, or to prevent such proposed action on my part.

DATED at the Land Registry Office Prince Rupert, B. C., this 6th day of December, A. D. 1916.

H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar of Titles.

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LAND REGISTRY ACT

(Sections 36 and 134.)

Re Applications Nos. 9086-1 and 9087-1, Filing 5808.

TAKE NOTICE that application has been made to register Sarah Lando, of Prince Rupert, B. C., as owner in fee under two Tax Sale Deeds from the Collector of the City of Prince Rupert, bearing date the 22nd day of September, 1916, and ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying, and being in the Municipality of Prince Rupert, more particularly known and described as Lot eleven (11), Block twenty-eight (28), Section Six (6), and Lot thirty-three (33), Block forty-six (46), Section Eight (8), Map 923.

You are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within 35 days from the date of the service of this notice (which may be effected by publication), and your attention is called to section 36 of the "Land Registry Act" with amendments, and to the following extract therefrom:— "and in default of a caveat or certificate of his pendens being filed before the registration as owner of the person entitled under such tax sale, all persons so served with notice, and those claiming through or under them, and all persons claiming any interest in the land by virtue of any unregistered instrument, and all persons claiming any interest in the land by descent whose title is not registered under the provisions of this Act, shall be for ever stopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the land so sold for taxes, and the Registrar shall register the person entitled under such tax sale as owner of the land so sold for taxes."

AND WHEREAS application has been made for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above-mentioned lands, in the name of Sarah Lando.

AND WHEREAS on investigating the title it appears that prior to the 14th day of September, 1915, (the date on which the said lands were sold for overdue taxes) you were the registered and assessed owners thereof.

FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that at the same time I shall effect registration in pursuance of such application and issue a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the said lands in the name of Sarah Lando unless you take and prosecute the proper proceedings to establish your claim, if any, to the said lands, or to prevent such proposed action on my part.

DATED at the Land Registry Office, Prince Rupert, B. C., this 10th day of April, A. D. 1917.

H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar of Titles.

To Charles Plautz, as to Lot 33; H. F. Clark and H. O. Richer, as to Lot 11.

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Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 117; thence south 3 chains to low water mark; thence north westerly 22 chains following low water mark; thence north 5 chains to the Grand Trunk Pacific right-of-way; thence south easterly 22 chains following said right-of-way to the place of beginning and containing 11 acres.

GOSSE MILLARD PACKING COMPANY LIMITED, 114 April 2nd, 1917. J. Fred Ritchie, agent.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

(Sections 36 and 134.)

Re Application No. 9144-1, Filing 5819. TAKE NOTICE that application has been made to register The Corporation of the City of Prince Rupert in the Province of British Columbia, as owner in fee under two Tax Sale Deeds from the Collector of the City of Prince Rupert, bearing date the 7th day of December, 1916, of ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying, and being in the Municipality of Prince Rupert, more particularly known and described as North-Western Seventy (70), feet of Lots Eleven (11), and Twelve (12) Block Eighteen (18), Section One (1), Map 923.

You are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within thirty-five days from the date of the service of this notice (which may be effected by personal service or as directed), and your attention is called to section 36 of the "Land Registry Act" with amendments, and to the following extract therefrom:— "and in default of a caveat or certificate of his pendens being filed before the registration as owner of the person entitled under such tax sale, all persons so served with notice, . . . and those claiming through or under them, and all persons claiming any interest in the land by virtue of any unregistered instrument, and all persons claiming any interest in the land by descent whose title is not registered under the provisions of this Act, shall be forever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the land so sold for taxes, and the Registrar shall register the person entitled under such tax sale as owner of the land so sold for taxes."

AND WHEREAS application has been made for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the abovementioned lands, in the name of The Corporation of the City of Prince Rupert;

AND WHEREAS on investigating the title it appears that prior to the fourteenth day of September, 1915, (the date on which the said lands were sold for overdue taxes), you were a mortgagee thereof.

FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that at the same time I shall effect registration in pursuance of such application and issue a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the said lands in the name of the above corporation unless you take and prosecute the proper proceedings to establish your claim, if any, to the said lands, or to prevent such proposed action on my part. Dated at the Land Registry Office, Prince Rupert, B. C., this 20th day of December, A. D. 1916.

H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar of Titles. To Frederic Schattner, Esq., care C. L. Freeman, C. P. R. Bldg. Edmonton, Alberta.

Local News Notes

Mr. W. Blackstock is in Prince Rupert for a few days.

Mrs. Torney was a passenger for Vancouver last night.

Mr. N. D. Chetham, of New York, has returned again to the city.

Mrs. O. Hanson and family left for the south last night on a visit.

Mr. Charles E. Carpenter, of Doreen, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Olof Hanson returned from Lake Kathryn on last night's train.

Carpets vacuum cleaned, dry and steam cleaned. Phone 219—Fritz. 105.

Mr. A. B. Holtby returned to the city last night from a trip up the line.

Mrs. Otto Nelson and son left on last night's steamer for Seattle.

Mr. C. S. Porter was among the passengers for the south last night.

Mr. D. H. Morrison left for the south on the Prince George last night.

Mr. E. F. Duby, of the Emerson Sawmill, returned to town last evening.

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Mr. W. J. Smith, of Queen Charlotte Islands, has arrived in Prince Rupert on a visit.

Mr. M. J. Hobin left the city last night for the south, on his way East to join his family.

Mr. J. Gibson, of Skidegate, arrived last night from the Island and will stay here for a day or two.

Mr. Ed. Hineman, Jr., is paying a visit to the city. Mr. Hineman is interested in mining on the Oxtail river.

Mr. Walter McDougall, of the firm of Knight & McDougall, of Chicago, passed through the city last evening on his way to his orchards in the Hood River Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McDonald, of Moose Jaw, who have been spending a few days in Prince Rupert, left for the south on last night's steamer.

Captain Morrison, of Esquimalt, has arrived in the city. He brought up the Government launch Leila R. after her overhaul there. He will likely take the other launch down.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Prince Rupert General Hospital will hold a Tag Day on Saturday, May 5. The ladies will serve tea in the afternoon in the Red Cross tent in aid of the Prince Rupert General Hospital. 105.

Mrs. R. O. Miller received official notice that her brother, Pte. Jack Glen, of Nanaimo, was missing since the 14th of February, but, according to the latest casualty list published, he is now reported seriously ill.

The little daughter of Magnus Morrison, writing from her home at Govan, near Glasgow, says: "Many munition workers are being paid off here and sent to farm work." This looks as though Great Britain had now plenty of shot and shell, but was becoming a trifle leary on the food proposition.

THE TOTAL GERMAN LOSSES IN THE WAR

Amsterdam, May 3.—One million, three hundred thousand Germans have perished since the beginning of the war, according to a statement made in the Reichstag by Joseph Frederick Naumann. The existing surplus of females has increased from eight hundred thousand to far more than two million. He stated that the German nation has bled as never before since the Thirty Years War.

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THE EMPIRE AS A BUSINESS CONCERN

London, May 4.—Sir Owen Phillips, M. P., presided at a luncheon given to Right Hon. Walter Long, Colonial Secretary, and Hon. Robert Rogers, Canadian Minister of Public Works, by the British Empire Producers.

Mr. Long dwelling on the lessons of the war, said that one of its bitter lessons was that if we had only realized the vast possibilities of the Empire in the days before the war, our position today would be much stronger than it is at present. Moreover, he said, the duration of the war would be materially shortened. All our resources should be available for the needs of the Empire. It was now realized, he added, that in addition to ships and soldiers the Empire wanted a great mercantile marine. The Empire should be regarded as a business concern and not left solely in the hands of politicians. "We have been hitherto too hospitable to foreigners; we must be more vigilant in the future," concluded the Colonial Secretary.

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY CONFERS HONORS

London, May 3.—The honorary degree of Doctor of Laws has been conferred by the Cambridge University upon Mr. Walter Hines Page, the American Ambassador, Sir Robert Borden and Lieut. General Smuts.

THE RESIGNATION OF GENERAL OBREGON

Mexico City, May 3.—General Obregon, one of the Government's chief supporters, resigned his position as Minister of War a short time after Carranza was sworn into office. Ill health was pleaded as the cause.

THE BRITISH BUDGET

London, May 3.—In bringing down his war budget, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Bonar Law, announced that the British national debt now stands at over eighteen billions. He has estimated that ten and a half billions will be spent on the war during 1918. New forms of taxation are suggested, but the present taxes will be increased.

BONAR LAW'S SON A PRISONER

Amsterdam, May 4.—According to the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger, Lieut. C. J. Law, second son of Andrew Bonar Law, the British Chancellor of the Exchequer, was captured by the Turks in the recent fighting in Palestine.

A dispatch from London Wednesday said that Lieutenant Law was reported to have been wounded in Palestine, and was missing.

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 1 cup seeded raisins 1/2 teaspoon salt
 3 ounces citron 2 cups flour
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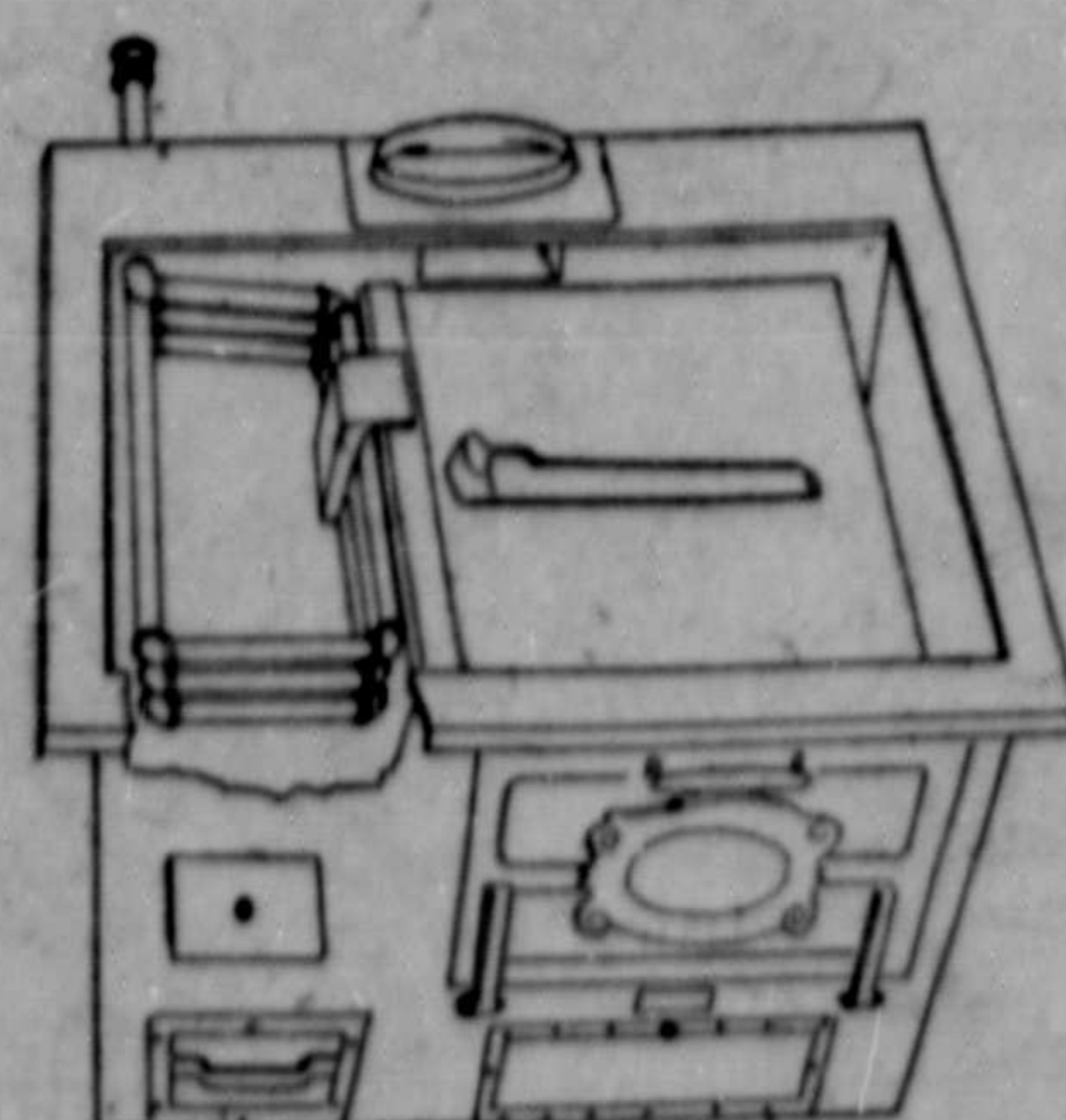
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