

## BULLECOURT ENCIRCLED BY AUSTRALIANS

ITS CAPTURE EXPECTED ANY TIME -- FRESNOY POSITIONS ARE AGAIN RETAKEN

POSITIONS AT  
FRESNOY NOW  
RECAPTUREDBattle Line East of Arras Sways  
Forward Again—Progress  
Being Made by Allies  
At Many Points.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, May 10.—Some ground around Fresnoy which the British were compelled to yield yesterday before tremendous German attacks have been won back by General Haig's troops. Around Fresnoy, strong enemy forces which had been concentrating for an attack to the north were dispersed by our artillery fire. Their exact location was marked by aeroplane, and the artillery fire did great execution, among the enemy ranks before the attack was launched. To the west the British position was improved and in a night counter-attack, the ground temporarily lost yesterday was regained.

## The Australians.

Bullecourt is surrounded on three sides by the Australians. Their salient has been driven into the German line more than a mile east of Bullecourt to the north, and they are in possession of the town of Riencourt. They have maintained their position there in the face of exceedingly strong counter attacks. Bullecourt, which is an important strategic point, may fall into the hands of the British at any moment. The capture of this position is likely to force the abandonment of a large portion of the German line.

## Further Attacks.

Slightly to the northeast of Hargicourt, the British positions were advanced and to the northeast of the village of Gavrelle strong enemy attacks were repulsed. To the east of Armentieres an enemy raiding party attempted an attack on the British trenches during the night, but most of the party were taken prisoner.

## Large Captures.

The combined captures of the British and French forces since the first day of April amounts to forty-nine thousand German prisoners and immense numbers of guns of all calibres and material.

## French Front.

Paris, May 10.—In the region of the Chemin Des Dames staggering losses were inflicted upon the repeated assaulting waves of the Germans, when desperately attempting to retake the positions captured by the French troops. All the enemy counter attacks failed. To the northeast of Chevreux the French took the first line of German trenches over a front of three-quarters of a mile. They also captured one hundred and sixty prisoners.

## U. S. AVIATOR KILLED

(Special to The Daily News.)

New York, May 10.—Victor Carlsson, the first American aviator to make a successful flight from Chicago to New York, has been killed. His machine collapsed and fell from a great height. Death must have been instantaneous.

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INTERNEED CREWS WORK  
IN THE UNITED STATES

(Special to The Daily News.)

Washington, May 10.—Eighteen hundred German officers and men of the German vessels interned in the United States will be permanently interned. They will be put upon a five hundred acre tract of land near Asheville, N. C., where they will be put to work in cultivating the land. They will receive soldiers' pay.

## ANOTHER WAR CREDIT

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, May 10.—The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Bonar Law, has asked for a new British war credit vote of five hundred million pounds. The daily war expenses total more than thirty-four millions. The daily loans to the Allies and the dominions average nine million, six hundred thousand pounds per day.

## THE GERMAN CHANCELLOR

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, May 10.—The German Chancellor is in a difficult position. Dispatches received from Holland emphasize the existence of a serious political crisis in Germany. The Bavarian Premier Count Herting has been mentioned as his probable successor. The repeated postponements of his promised speech on the aims of Germany in the war is causing much dissatisfaction.

## BRITISH STEAMER AFIRE

(Special to The Daily News.)

Boston, May 10.—The British steamer Sebastian is afire off Nantucket and is being towed into port under convoy.

## THE RACE COURSE

There was a big crowd assembled at the skating rink last night to witness the relay race between the G. T. P. shop team and the Roller Rink Kids. The shop team was composed of Messrs. Wermig, Ross, Blythe and Storings, while the "Kids" were Messrs. Stewart, McDaniels, F. Cameron and D. Cavalier.

The time made war four minutes and twenty-five seconds, and the Kids beat the shop team by half a lap. Some kids!

PRINCE RUPERT HUNTERS  
CAPTURE A SEA LION

There is a story going around town about the latest exploits of two of Prince Rupert's mighty hunters. It seems that "Scotty" Reid and Danny Mophie were out and around somewhere on the coast, when they came across a young sea lion. They promptly made him a prisoner, but being on a fishing expedition, they did not have even a shot gun with them, so they were unable to make the capture good.

The tough hide of the amphibian proved impervious to anything of lesser penetrating power, so after trimming his finger nails, they had to let him go. Sea lions are common on the west coast of Vancouver Island, but are not so frequently met with in the Prince Rupert district, although they are to be found as far north as Alaska.

## SUN AND TIDE

Friday, May 11th.

Sun rises.....4:52 a. m.  
Sun sets.....8:24 p. m.  
High water...3:44 a. m. Ht. 20.6  
Low water...10:19 a. m. Ht. 3.7  
High water...4:49 p. m. Ht. 17.7  
Low water...10:32 p. m. Ht. 8.8

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Their Place in the Sun.—Cartoon by Shields in Toronto Telegram.

NEW WAR TAXES IN  
THE UNITED STATES

(Special to The Daily News.)

Washington, May 10.—The new taxes to be imposed are to be of a wide range. The State expects to secure a revenue of one billion eight hundred million dollars for war expenses. The new taxes will affect the tariffs, incomes and manufactures. The bill imposes a charge upon theatres, postage, tobacco and liquors.

Great Britain will receive another loan in a few days.

## A GERMAN BELIEF

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, May 10.—Dr. Egan, the United States Minister to Denmark, says that, according to advice he has received, the German people firmly believe that they will win the war. He says that the peace suggestions thrown out by Germany are for the purpose of influencing sentiment in Russia in the direction of a separate peace.

## JOFFRE IN NEW YORK

(Special to The Daily News.)

New York, May 10.—Marshal Joffre and ex-Premier Viviani, who headed the French Commission to the Washington Government, are expected to arrive here today on their tour. The visit of the distinguished Frenchmen will have a splendid effect upon the American populace.

## THE SUPREME COURT

According to the Gazette, the civil sittings of the Assizes will be held in Prince Rupert on June 14, at 11 a. m. and the Criminal Assizes on June 24, at 11 a. m.

THE REGISTRATION  
OF WOMEN VOTERS

It is satisfactory to learn that a very great number of the women in Prince Rupert have taken advantage of the Woman's Suffrage Bill and have had their names registered for inclusion in the voters' roll of this province.

The Registrar of Voters, Mr. J. H. McMullen, says that the applications have been coming in in great numbers, which shows that the ladies of the city are fully alive to their opportunity. If there are still any ladies, British subjects, and qualified to vote, who have not yet registered their names, they should see to this at once. Monday first will be the last day on which this can be done, before the Court of Revision sits, and it would be well to have registration effected at once instead of putting it off until the very last moment.

There are no fees to pay, nor any other financial obligations undertaken by women registering their names, and unless their names are registered, they cannot vote, as their names will not be on the roll. It is advisable, therefore, that any woman who has not yet done so, should register her name at once.

## SHIPPING LOSSES

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, May 10.—Less than thirty-five British ships were sunk during the past week as a result of the German submarine campaign. The number of vessels arriving and departing from British ports keeps up to the average.

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TIMBER POLICY IS  
UNDER DISCUSSION

In discussing the Forest War Relief Act extensions in the provincial House last week, there was quite a prolonged debate upon the measure. The Government has taken steps in this measure to force timber holders who owe the province large sums already to pay promptly all future instalments of rentals, while arrears will be carried on interest to a period six months after the declaration of peace. Power is being also taken to force limit holders to operate or get out in cases where the mill men are suffering for lack of logs.

By this means the Government hopes to overcome some of the disadvantages of the timber legislation of the late Government.

The Hon. John Oliver in speaking on the measure said: "I am glad of the opportunity to assert my belief in the right of the people to participate in the public assets despite the fact that some person may have acquired a certain amount of right in them wrongly construed as a right to hold out of use."

Mr. A. M. Manson (Omineca) supported the legislation as in the interest of the North and the people generally. He thought it quite right that in the active state of the timber business, licence holders were to be compelled to keep licence fees paid up in the future, while just arrears would be allowed to continue at interest until six months after the war.

## For Vested Interests.

Mr. Bowser championed vested interests in timber and maintained that it was necessary to protect these.

## Work or Get Out.

You must work the land or fish the waters, said the Premier, or get out and let someone else do so. The leader of the opposition would have us allow these people who have acquired large tracts of timber to hold on although they are allowing their dues to the province to fall into arrears and then he would further have us give them special treatment. The rich natural resources of the province have been alienated to those to whom the honorable gentleman would not have us show special favor.

## All Tied Up.

The Minister of Lands could tell us, continued the Premier, because he knows the Queen Charlotte Islands well, of one hundred and twenty-five thousand acres of the finest timber in the province, lying on waterfront, and since 1906 there has not a wheel turned. The mills that want lumber cannot get it because they must go so far for it that it is not profitable to bring it down to the mills and manufacture. On Massett Inlet, there are thirty miles of frontage of the finest spruce in the world tied up and those who hold it are in arrears, yet forsooth, we should perpetuate the conditions, created by the late Government under which their development is prevented.

## GENERAL NEWS ITEMS

(Special to The Daily News.)

New Russia wants a free passage through the Dardanelles as an essential to future peace.

Nearly half of the two billion Liberty Loan has been subscribed. The State Department in Washington learns of Hun activities in Central America.

Congress asks for a billion dollars for ship building.

In a speech in New York, Mr. Balfour says he can see the dawn of a new democracy as the outcome of the war.

NEW COMPANY WILL  
OPERATE "TILLAMOOK"

The organization of the Grand Trunk Pacific Alaska Steamship Company, which will operate the power schooner Tillamook between Ketchikan and Prince Rupert was completed last week with the filing of articles of incorporation at Olympia. The new company will operate as an American subsidiary of the Grand Trunk Pacific Steamship Company.

The power schooner Tillamook was purchased by the G. T. P. recently at Portland and is now on the Columbia River being fitted out for the new service. She will be both a freight and passenger carrier and will handle cannery supplies from Prince Rupert to Alaska, and canned salmon on her southbound trips.

The incorporators of the Grand Trunk Pacific Alaska Steamship Company include Capt. J. S. Gibson, of Seattle, vice-president of the Grand Trunk Pacific Dock Company; J. H. Burgis, general agent of the passenger department of the G. T. P. at Seattle; F. L. Norman, G. T. P. commercial agent at Seattle; Carl E. Croson and Karl F. Hass.

The Tillamook, which is the first vessel to be placed in service between Alaska ports and Prince Rupert by the new company, will be operated under the American flag.

THE MARRIAGE OF  
PRINCE OF WALES

London, May 8.—The Prince of Wales has answered for himself the question of whom he will marry, according to the National News, a London weekly. The News says the Prince has decided he will ask for the hand of Princess Maud, a first cousin of his, the youngest daughter of the Princess Royal and sister to Princess Arthur of Connaught. The young Princess is 14 months older than the Prince, who is 22. She has lived a retired life, the inseparable companion of her mother. Her father, the Duke of Fife, was the closest personal friend of the late King Edward.

The report of the National News contradicts the rumor current some time ago that the Prince sought the hand of Princess Yolanda, eldest daughter of King Victor Emmanuel of Italy. Recently London newspapers, perhaps influenced by the downfall of the Russian aristocracy, have been urging that the old system under which Kings chose mates among the daughters of their own nobility should be revived.

## ANOTHER ALLY

(Special to The Daily News.)

Amsterdam, May 10.—The state of Liberia on the West African coast, has decided to join in with the Allies in the fight against the Central Empires.

## SUBMARINE SUPPLY BOAT

(Special to The Daily News.)

New York, May 10.—The State Department is investigating a report that an American ship has been operating as a supply ship for the German U-boats, which are said to have been active in the South Atlantic.

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MONDAY, MAY 14, IS THE LAST DAY THIS CAN BE DONE



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## DAILY EDITION

Thursday, May 10, 1917.

## WHEAT AVIATING

Wheat has reached the three-dollar mark in Winnipeg. It will go much higher than that unless the Canadian Government takes a hand in the game and controls the price. Stern action now will save a lot of trouble in the future, for as surely as the sun shines the public will take charge of the food situation if the Government does not. At the end of March the quantity of wheat and wheat flour in Canada was 126,000,000 bushels. Of this 45,638,000 bushels, or only 21 per cent. of the total, were in the hands of the farmers. The remaining 79 per cent. was in elevators, flour mills, winter storage, in vessels and in transit by rail. So the bulk of the advance has not gone to the farmer. Indeed, the farmer probably gets the small end of the stick.

It is hard to make food manipulators and speculators realize that this war is not an Eldorado prepared for them by their lucky stars. They cannot adjust their mental attitudes to the extraordinary conditions of the time. They cannot understand why they should not take advantage of those conditions to swell their profits. That adjustment and understanding, however, will come to them, but the nature of the lesson will depend upon the strength of their ruling passion. The world which is now at war is a different world from that which existed in other wars. The public is too enlightened meekly to accept all sorts of impositions without taking action accordingly.

Sir Thoms White has announced in Parliament that the Canadian Government is taking up with Washington the question of the price of wheat. While it may be necessary for the two Governments to work together for the control of this and other commodities, the Ottawa authorities will have to do more than cling to Uncle Sam's coat-tail in dealing with Canada's problems. It will have to adopt measures as radical as those which Washington, with greater foresight and less devotion to privileged interests, is taking. Washington is not going to worry itself about Canada's milling interests and elevator companies. It has

troubles of its own. Canada looks to her Government to solve Canadian problems. She should have a Food Board at once, a board empowered to control food production, labor, distribution and prices. It must not be a replica of the National Service Board which, having done nothing, seems to have vanished into thin air. But action, not talk, is what is needed.

## NOTES AND COMMENTS

Mr. Bowser, we observe, still adheres to the most manifest of his principles as a public man, "that the speculator must have his chance." He would be more at home in one of the stock exchanges, where the speculator seems to be making the most of his opportunities, than in a sphere where it is considered the duty of a representative of the people to serve the people.

If our Government were alive to its opportunities it might invite Marshal Joffre to come over and address a Canadian audience—say in Montreal. The illustrious Frenchman is handicapped in speaking to American audiences, inasmuch as he has not mastered the English language. He could speak to the French-Canadians in their mother tongue, and, Bourassa notwithstanding, he would have a grand reception.

Sir William Mackenzie is pained at the idea of the Government laying its hands upon his private property. But that same Government has invested millions in the property Sir William claims as his own and he is asking that still further sums of the people's money should be bestowed upon his system in order to enable it to carry on.

The outside world now knows what is going on in Russia. The censorship restrictions upon the publication and distribution of news of all kinds have been removed. Indeed Russia has less restrictions in this respect now than Great Britain, France, Italy or the United States. Thus reports of demonstrations, disturbances and so forth come freely over the cables, and these often are colored by German agencies in the neutral capitals through which they pass. Not unnaturally the public in the Allied countries

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is disposed to attach to many of these happenings importance and significance which they do not possess. It interprets the views of unbalanced agitators and cranks, of which there are a number even among the other Allies, as the views of Russia as a whole and as an expression of Russian policy. Curiously enough, it does not attach equal importance and significance to the numerous bloody riots in Germany as admitted in the German press and the Reichstag—turmoil in comparison with which the most turbulent scenes in Petrograd and Moscow are as mild as a camp meeting—nor to the growing number of desertions from the German army.

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## 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 the 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.  
March 31, 1917. Austin Brown, agent.

## SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

## DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

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.  
March 31, 1917. Austin Brown, agent.

## SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

## DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

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.

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

JOHN WILLIAM GOSS.  
March 31, 1917. Austin Brown, agent.

## SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

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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 the vicinity of West river.

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

ROSLYN DUKE.  
March 31, 1917. Austin Brown, agent.

## SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

## DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

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.

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

OLIVER BROWN.  
March 31, 1917. Austin Brown, agent.

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Sundays, 4 p. m.

## From Vancouver.

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Sundays, 7 p. m.

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Fridays, 8 p. m.  
Sundays, 8 p. m.

## From Anyox.

Thursdays Sundays and Tuesdays.

## COAL NOTICES

## SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

## DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

Take notice that William Dixon, of Victoria, B. C., occupation accountant, 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 north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

WILLIAM DIXON.  
March 31, 1917. Austin Brown, agent.

## SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

## DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

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.

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TURNER ROTHWELL MULLEN.  
March 31, 1917. Austin Brown, agent.

## SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

## DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

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

Commencing at a post planted two miles south of the southeast corner of C. L. 10028; thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

AGNES BROWN.  
March 31, 1917. Austin Brown, agent.

## SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

## DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

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.

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

EDWARD PICKARD.  
March 31, 1917. Austin Brown, agent.

## SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

## DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

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.  
March 31, 1917. Austin Brown, agent.

## SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

## DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

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.

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

FREDERICK MOERSCH.  
March 31, 1917. Austin Brown, agent.

## SKEENA LAND RECORDING DISTRICT—

## DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

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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JOHN BOOTH.  
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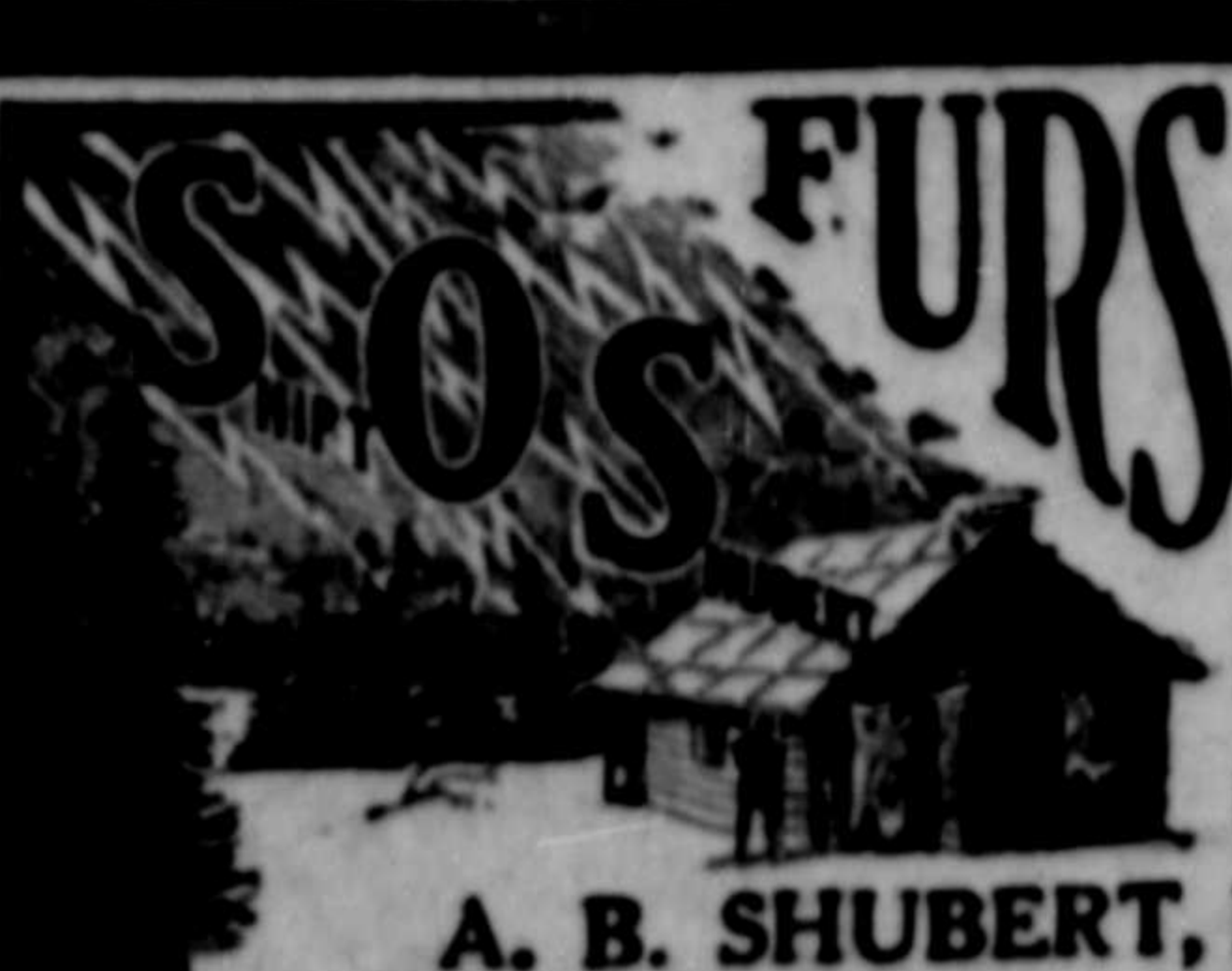
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## THE WAR CONFERENCE OF THE EMPIRE

One of the most important epochs in the constitutional history of the British Empire is marked by Christmas Day, 1916, for the reason that on this date the Imperial Government for the first time called India and the dominions into its councils, not purely in an advisory, but in an executive capacity.

The Colonial Secretary's telegram was less an invitation than an urgent summons to the Prime Ministers of the dominions to attend "a special war conference of the Empire." They are to attend a series of special and continuous meetings of the War Cabinet in order to consider, (1) urgent questions affecting the prosecution of the war; (2) the possible conditions on which, in agreement with our allies, we could assent to its termination, and (3) the problems which will then immediately arise.

### In the War Cabinet.

For the purpose of these meetings the dominion Prime Ministers and the Secretary of State for India will be included in the War Cabinet. In other words, they will be members of the supreme executive of the British Empire, the decisions of which will determine the policy to be pursued in waging war, in negotiating peace, and in dealing with various urgent problems which will arise immediately on the cessation of hostilities.

There have been five previous conferences between the self-governing states and the mother country, during the past thirty years, and two subsidiary conferences, one of which was held in Ottawa. The main interest of these proceedings has centred round three questions, none of which has yet received a satisfactory answer. The first of these questions is Imperial defence, the second, Imperial reciprocity, the third, Imperial consolidation—closer union in a political sense, whether by means of co-operation, of definite alliance, or of federation.

### Extended Activity.

The terms of the invitation to this conference make it clear that it will concern itself with the conduct of the war, terms of peace and subsequent problems, but in many quarters it seems to be taken for granted that it will extend its activities into other regions; that it will consider Imperial consolidation; a permanent scheme of Imperial defence; that it will inaugurate a league of nations to enforce peace and justice throughout the world; that it will accept Imperial reciprocity; that it will propound a scheme for the development of Imperial resources, and take control of all minerals, metals, wool and other raw products of the Empire, and that it will deal with the various Imperial and dominion debts and work out a plan for liquidating the cost of the war. These subjects have been mentioned within the past few weeks as coming within the purview of the first Imperial conference which it is intended to clothe with executive powers.

**Empire Responsibility.**  
For thirty months the Imperial

Government which exists by the suffrages of the United Kingdom electors alone, conducted the war, controlled British policy upon its own responsibility. It abstained from calling the dominions to its councils although it had not only the opportunity but the obligation to do so. This omission has at last been remedied. During the remainder of the war the policy of the Imperial Government will be one for which the whole Empire and not merely the United Kingdom, is responsible.

Having once taken part through their representatives in the executive councils of the Empire, the dominions are not likely ever again to return to their former blindfold state. They are now summoned to share in the direction of the war, in determining the conditions of peace, and in preparing for the settlement when hostilities cease. The functions of the war conference of the Empire are designated and circumscribed by its name. It will not be so precipitate as to usurp those of the peace conference of the Empire, which must inevitably follow in due season.—From "The Round Table."

### Salvation Army.

Public meetings, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 8 p. m. Sundays at 7:30 p. m.

### 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 Alford 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 839 in application to lease.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 14th 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.

### Navigable Waters Protection Act. R. S. C., CHAPTER 115.

The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company hereby gives notice that it has, under Section 7 of the said Act, deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and in the office of the District Registrar at the Land Registry Office, District of Prince Rupert, at Prince Rupert, a description of the site and plan of lumber mill and other works proposed to be built in the Prince Rupert harbor at Prince Rupert, British Columbia, in front of Waterfront Block "P", according to registered plan of the townsite of the said city of Prince Rupert registered in the aforesaid land registry office as No. 923, Section 7.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company will, under Section 7 of the said Act, apply to the Minister of Public Works at his office in the City of Ottawa for approval of the said site and plan and for leave to construct the said works.

Dated at Winnipeg, Manitoba, this 21st day of February, A. D. 1917.  
THE GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY. H. H. HANSARD, Solicitor.



### 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 Island 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 its pendency 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 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 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 its pendency 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 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 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 Plantz, as to Lot 33; H. F. Clark and H. O. Richer, as to Lot 11.

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## SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE 5.

TAKE NOTICE that the British Columbia Canning Company, Limited, of Victoria, B. C., salmon cannery, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described foreshore land:—Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of the Skeena River, 520 feet south from the southeast corner of Lot 29, R. 5, Coast District; thence south 200 feet; thence westerly and northerly parallel to the shore line, a distance of approximately 450 feet to a point 200 feet south of the south boundary of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway; thence westerly and northerly parallel to the said right-of-way to a point due south of the S. W. corner of Lot 29; thence north 200 feet to the point of intersection of the south boundary of said right-of-way; thence southerly and easterly along said right-of-way to a point where said boundary line strikes shore line; thence along high water mark to the point of commencement.

A. W. CARTER, Acting as agent for the B. C. Canning Co., Limited.  
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## LAND ACT

SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE FIVE.

Take notice that we, Gosse Miller Packing Company, Limited, of Vancouver, occupation cannerymen, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 117; thence south 5 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 MILLER PACKING COMPANY LIMITED, 214 April 2nd, 1917. J. Fred Ritchie, agent.

## LAND REGISTRY ACT

(Sections 36 and 134.)

Re Application No. 9144-L, 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-Westerly 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 its pendency 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.

## RUSSIA AND THE IMPERIAL LANDS

Such a word as "annexation" would be unpopular in Russia now, but by a stroke of the pen the new Provisional Government has transferred to the Russian people a territory larger than Germany, and probably richer than Germany in natural resources. A decree issued recently declared the domains hitherto belonging to the Imperial Family the property of the State. These lands include the immense Altai and Nerchinsk regions in Siberia, which since the eighteenth century have been the personal property of the Czars, and which enriching the dynasty did not increase as they should have done the resources of the nation. Altai and Nerchinsk are rich in metals, but until recently little attention has been paid to their exploitation. Enterprise has been stimulated by the exigencies of war time, and of late years there has been an increase in the output of gold, iron, zinc, lead, and other metals. In the Altai region lies the wealthy coal district of Kuznetsk, which bids fair to rival and even surpass in productivity the Donets Basin in the south of Russia. The Altai region includes thousands of acres of fertile black soil.

The addition of all this territory to the resources of the State is particularly timely in view of the colossal expenditure incurred through the war. The opening up of domain lands will simplify the agrarian problem, and facilitate that great and urgent work of economic mobilization which the new regime of liberty now makes practicable.

The Government has drafted and is about to promulgate another measure which, besides closing a period of harsh and bitter injustice, will give a powerful stimulus to economic progress in Russia. This measure is the abolition of all restrictions, whether political or educational, economic or legal, imposed on national or religious grounds.—Ex.

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## Local News Notes

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Mr. F. R. Hunt, of the G. T. P., is in the city.

Mr. B. J. Robertson, of Anacortes, is here.

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Mr. T. G. Marshall, of Anyox, is paying a visit to the city.

Mr. Martin Saunders, of Telkwa was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Alfred Jones, of Chicago, has arrived in Prince Rupert.

New goods are always to be seen at Goldbloom's. Prices are right. 112.

Mr. W. Marchant, Inspector of Customs, arrived in the city yesterday.

Mr. A. McCormick, of Vancouver, has arrived in Prince Rupert on business.

Mr. T. T. Andrews, of Spokane, a mining man, arrived in the city yesterday and later left for U.S.

Every kind of typewriter supplies for every kind of typewriter. United Typewriter Agency. City Weigh Scales.

Another shipment of Congoleum Rugs has arrived at Barrie's Furniture Store. Drop in and see the patterns. All sizes. 112.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Williams, of Vancouver, are paying a visit to Prince Rupert, having come up on the Prince George yesterday.

Mr. Penn, the electrician, and Mr. F. W. Holler, superintendent of the Surf Inlet Mines, are in Prince Rupert for a day or two.

Mr. Arthur McCorkindale, of the Forestry Department here has accepted a position with Mr. E. F. Doby in connection with the new sawmill at Seal Cove.

Mr. J. J. Logan, of the Vancouver Cold Storage Co., arrived in the city yesterday, in connection with the locating of a new cold storage plant here.

The drawing for the bag raffled by the Helping Hand Society in aid of the Queen Mary's Needlework Guild took place on Tuesday. The lucky number was held by Mrs. D. G. Stewart.

## WESTHOLME THEATRE

At the Westholme Theatre tonight there will be shown a photograph of remarkable power entitled "The Final Fraud." This is a play of exceptional merit and one in which the star, Bryant Washburn, in the chief part, obtains splendid scope for the display of his art. The story of the pictures is one that will appeal to everyone, and is one that everyone should see.

In addition, there will be shown a Cartoon and Comedy films, and besides, there will be a splendid programme by the orchestra.

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Under the auspices of the Scandinavian Society, K. of P. Hall, May 17th. Game commences 9 p.m. An engine, donated by Akerberg, Thomson & Co., will be raffled for the Red Cross, 1 fresh King Salmon, etc., for the benefit of the Burial-Plot Fund of the Lodge. Westholme Orchestra. Refreshments and programme. Tickets 50 cents.

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1 cup sugar  
1 cup milk  
2 cups flour  
4 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder  
1 EGG  
1/2 cup shortening  
1 teaspoon flavoring

Makes 1 Large 2-Layer Cake

DIRECTIONS—Cream the sugar and shortening together, then mix in the egg. After sifting the flour and Dr. Price's Baking Powder together, two or three times, add it all to the mixture. Gradually add the milk and beat with spoon until you have a smooth pour batter. Add the flavoring. Pour into greased layer cake tins and bake in a moderately hot oven for twenty minutes. This cake is best baked in two layers. Put together with cream filling and spread with white icing.

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