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PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 1917.

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## TURKS AGAIN DEFEATED IN MESOPOTAMIA

### HELIGOLAND BIGHT BLOCKADED AGAINST SUBMARINES — LAURENTIC IS SUNK

#### BRITISH SCORE FURTHER GAINS IN MESOPOTAMIA

Trenches Taken Along Extensive Front—Hundreds of Turks Killed—The Russians Break Through.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Jan. 30.—The British expeditionary force on the Mesopotamia front has scored further important successes against the Turks, and our troops are now in possession of the Turkish first and second line trenches on a frontage of 4,300 yards, while the third and fourth lines have been captured for a distance of six hundred yards.

The number of prisoners captured exceeds one hundred, and Turkish dead to the number of one hundred and fifty have been collected, the remainder not having yet been counted.

#### Russian Front.

Petrograd, January 30.—Our troops broke through the German lines on a front of two miles on the northwestern end of the Riga front yesterday, driving the enemy back in disorder.

#### German Report.

Berlin, Jan. 30.—Superior Russian forces forced back our line on a portion of the front along the Bystrizka River. Operations have been momentarily suspended on account of severe snowstorms.

#### RECRUITING APPEAL

Lieut. D. J. Gordon, of the 11th British Fusiliers, addressed the city council last evening. After complimenting Prince Rupert on its splendid patriotism, the officer made an earnest appeal for assistance in recruiting. He said that it is the duty of every available man to enlist for active service, especially since so many soldiers were returning whose places must be filled at the front and for whom room must be made here.

#### SCHOOL ESTIMATES

The school estimates for 1917 are, ordinary, \$32,434, and extraordinary, \$1,760, making a total of \$34,194. The list was referred to the finance and general committee of the city council last night.

#### NEW WELLINGTON COAL.

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NOTICE  
1917 Dog Taxes.  
These taxes are now due and payable. Same are to be paid to the Chief of Police or Health Inspector, who will issue 1917 brass tag.

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#### BRITISH BLOW UP MINE UNDER HUN TRENCHES

Dug-outs Bombed and Heavy Casualties Inflicted—Intense Cold Prevailing in France.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Jan. 30.—The British yesterday blew up a mine under the German first line trenches southwest of Lens and also bombarded the German dug-outs in this vicinity, inflicting heavy casualties upon the enemy.

Northwest of Vermelles, our troops destroyed German dug-outs with their occupants and penetrated the third line of enemy trenches, killing the Germans who offered any resistance and taking prisoners of the others. Our heavy artillery is very active against the enemy lines north of the Anere and the German headquarters and billets in the neighborhood of Lens.

#### French Report.

Paris, Jan. 30.—The intense cold has been responsible for several deaths. There is also a shortage of coal on account of the barges having become imprisoned in the ice and canal transportation has been entirely suspended. There is floating ice in the lower reaches of the river Seine.

Last night the French bombed Luneville and brought down a German aeroplane near Danne-Marie. Engagements are recorded at Hill 304 on the Verdun front; along the left bank of the Meuse and in Lorraine.

#### German Report.

Berlin, Jan. 30.—We have repelled the French attacks all along the Verdun front and still hold all the trenches gained at Hill 304, despite the efforts of the enemy to recover the ground lost.

#### HOW FOOD PRICES SOARED LAST YEAR

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—During 1916 food prices in Canada rose more than 25 per cent above the prices prevailing in 1915. A report on the trend in food prices during last year has been issued by the labor department and shows that whereas the index number of wholesale prices stood at 164 for December, 1915, last month it reached 204.8, the highest figure that has been reached since a record was kept by the department.

The average index number for the year was 182.6, as compared with 148 for 1915, 136.4 for 1914 and 135.5 for 1913. During the first half of 1916, the upward movement was mostly in metals, chemicals and clothing materials, says the report.

But during the second half the advance was most pronounced in foodstuffs. Not only grain, breadstuffs, vegetables and fruit were scarce and high in price, but dairy products, eggs and livestock were greatly affected by the feed shortage.

Leather, cotton, iron and steel and coal and coke also rose sharply.

In retail prices the cost of a weekly family budget of staple foods rose to \$10.11 for December, as compared with \$8.13 for December, 1915, the average for the year being \$8.79, as compared with \$7.86 for 1915. Rent rose steadily, while coal and wood were higher for the year.

Selling out at cost, phone 493, Cavenaile & Hannan. tf.



#### DANGEROUS GERMAN RAIDER STILL AT LARGE

The P. and O. Liner *Moldavia*, which has been missing for a year and which is believed to have been captured by the Germans and operated as a raider on the coast of South America. Several British merchantmen have recently been sunk in that vicinity.

#### FIRE WIPED OUT MERRYFIELD BLOCK EARLY THIS MORNING

OCCUPANTS ESCAPE IN NIGHT ATTACK—EVERYTHING LOST IN THE FLAMES—FIREMEN FIGHT BOTH FROST AND FIRE—ONLY SMOULDERING DEBRIS SITE OF BUILDING

What was the Merryfield Block last night was a mass of smouldering debris at eight o'clock this morning. Mrs. Kergin, Senr., Mrs. Halsey and family; Mrs. and Miss Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. Fuller and family and Mr. Merryfield escaped from the burning building in their night clothes and were unable to save even the smallest of their belongings. Furniture, clothes, money and jewelry were swallowed up in the flames and Mr. Fuller was the only one to carry any insurance.

The water system in the building was frozen up yesterday and plumbers were busy there until about two o'clock this morning. Mrs. Kergin and Mrs. Halsey, unable to sleep on account of the noise made by the workmen, were awake at 4 o'clock this morning, and detecting the odor of burning wood, they called Mr. Merryfield who went to the basement to see if anything was wrong. He found no sign of fire and concluded that the smell came from the furnace. Being thus reassured, the ladies went to sleep and woke again about six o'clock nearly asphyxiated with smoke. Mrs. Halsey opened a window and the smoke poured into the room in such volume that she, with her little boy and her mother, rushed outside giving the alarm as they ran. The other residents in the building were not aware of any-

thing being amiss until this time and all had to flee without even clothing.

Most found refuge in Captain Rorvig's house, which later appeared to be in danger of catching fire, the captain removing his furniture to a place of safety.

Mrs. Halsey, carrying her little boy, ran to Dr. Kergin's house on Second Avenue and with the scantiest of clothing. On arriving there, she discovered that one foot had been frost-bitten on the way.

When the fire brigade arrived on the scene of the outbreak, they found that they had the two extremes to fight—extreme cold and a fire which had gained a firm hold on the basement of the building. The frost interfered with the free working of the brigade and the men soon looked like arctic explorers, in their ice-encrusted garments. They worked like trojans but all they could do was to save the adjoining buildings. The block was valued at \$16,000 and was partially covered by insurance. The sympathy of all citizens will go out to the occupants who lost all they possessed in the building.

#### CANADIAN CLUB

A meeting for the election of officers will be held in the City Hall on Thursday next, February 1st, at 5 p. m. Members and all interested are invited to attend. C. T. HEWARD, Hon. Secy.

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#### HELIGOLAND IS BLOCKADED BY NAVAL CORDON

Jellicoe's Effort to Stop Submarines—Laurentic is Latest Victim—Many Lives are Lost.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Jan. 30.—The British navy is blockading Heligoland Bight, which involves a portion of the coast of Holland. The new movement is directed against the entrance and departure of German submarines to and from their base at the mouth of the River Elbe.

#### Liner Sunk.

London, Jan. 30.—The White Star liner *Laurentic*, used by the British Admiralty as an auxiliary cruiser, has been sunk either by coming in contact with a floating mine or by a torpedo from an enemy submarine. The *Laurentic* was a vessel of 14,890 tons gross and was 550 feet in length. Twelve officers, including Captain Norton, her commander, and a hundred and nine members of her crew were saved.

#### Wireless Warning.

Norfolk, Jan. 30.—Wireless warnings have been issued by Entente warships in the Atlantic cautioning merchantmen to keep a sharp look-out for a supposed German raider which is believed to be about seven hundred miles off New York.

#### LONG DISCUSSION ON INDEMNITY BYLAW

Ald. McRae's amendment to clause 5 of the indemnity bylaw brought forth a lengthy discussion at the city council meeting last night. The amendment reads that each alderman who omits to attend any regular weekly meeting of the council shall have \$5 deducted from his indemnity for each meeting missed.

Speaking to the amendment, Ald. McRae said that he felt that it would be unfair to some of the aldermen if a deduction were made for non-attendance at committee meetings, these being held in the afternoon. It was also inconvenient to hold such meetings in the evening as, very often, the presence of the heads of the various departments was necessary.

Ald. Montgomery asked the city solicitor as to the legality of the amendment. He understood that the indemnity was for a year and he wanted to know if it was legal to make any deduction.

Mr. Peters said that the statute provided for the payment of an indemnity not exceeding \$400 a year for attendance at council meetings. There was no reason whatever why the aldermen should not be paid at so much per meeting and the amount deducted for each meeting missed.

Ald. Montgomery said that he failed to see where the council had any right to make the change. The statute clearly called for an indemnity of a stated sum for the year.

Mr. Peters replied that an alderman who missed a meeting had no indemnity.

Ald. Montgomery said he was willing to have the change made if the other aldermen at the board were willing to cut out patronage.

Ald. McClymont said he believed the public sentiment demanded that some such action be taken. There was considerable talk last year regarding non-attendance and, since the recent election, it had been stated that one alderman had been defeated

#### MURPHY WANTS INVESTIGATION BY COMMITTEE

Ex-Minister Deals With Hughes Letters; Bruce and Baple Reports and Ross Rifle Scandal.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—Hon. Charles Murphy has requested that a committee of the House of Commons be appointed to enquire into matters arising out of the correspondence which passed between Sir Robert Borden and Sir Sam Hughes; the Bruce and Baple reports on the Canadian military hospitals in England, and the reports on the Ross rifle.

Mr. Murphy stated that Sir Max Aiken cabled to Sir Sam Hughes on May 12th telling him of the serious situation which had developed from the continued use of this defective weapon and asked the Minister of Militia to show the cable to Premier Borden. Five days later the Premier announced in the House of Commons that the government had no knowledge regarding the failure of the Ross rifle and stated that it was unpatriotic to throw discredit upon the only rifle which could be made in Canada.

#### Unity in Regina.

Regina, Jan. 30.—The Opposition leader in the provincial legislature has endorsed the program of legislation brought down by the Martin Government. The Premier emphasized the fact that the winning of the war is the greatest task now before the different sections of the Empire.

because he was absent for some time last year. He felt that something should be done to fit in with public opinion in the matter. It only touched those who had to go out of the city to find employment. He did not think the idea was to penalize anyone. He felt that a man who was working out of town was not attending to his duties as an alderman and the public could not see why any such man should receive any indemnity.

So far as patronage was concerned, he received none, but if Ald. Montgomery had any suggestions to make along that line they should hear them.

Ald. Casey explained his case. He did not wish the council to consider him personally. He saw nothing unfair in the proposed amendment, provided that all aldermen were free to attend all meetings. For nine months of the year, he worked half of the time at night and it was impossible for him to attend the meetings, though he was doing service to the city other than attending the meetings. He had never stayed away from a meeting when he could have been present and had sacrificed time in doing his duties as an alderman.

Ald. McClymont thought that the case could be met by altering the amendment so that the penalty fell on those who were out of town.

Ald. McRae said that they were each affected equally. He had been away last year and would probably be away again this year. (Continued on Page four.)

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**DEAR FOOD**

Reports compiled by the Department of Labor in Ottawa show that food prices in Canada advanced 25 per cent during the year 1916. Such a compilation was not necessary to convince anyone that such an advance had taken place; it has been too painfully apparent when it came to buying food for a family, while clothing and practically every necessity of life has advanced in like proportion.

In order to alleviate suffering through the enormous increase in the cost of living, the government passed an order-in-council permitting municipalities to make a careful enquiry into the relative cost and selling prices of any commodities which seemed to be high in price, and, where there was any sign of a combine amongst the merchants with a view to raising prices, a report was to be forwarded to the Minister of Labor, who, in turn, would take the matter up with the provincial attorney-general. This is the full extent of the measures of the government to probe the high cost of living.

Several municipalities, including Prince Rupert, have passed resolutions pointing out that the root of the matter is not to be found amongst the retail merchants and wholesale distributors, all of whom are having a struggle to make a bare living, but that the government must go deeper to find the cause of the trouble, in fact that it must take the matter up in a heart-to-heart manner with the miller and the manufacturer and that the government must consider very carefully just to what extent the enormous protective duties imposed in this country are responsible for the enormous prices of the necessities of life.

It is a notorious fact that the dividends paid by some of the big milling companies have steadily advanced since the outbreak of the war, and these increased dividends have come out of the pockets of the consumer, who, in war times and peace, pays the piper to the uttermost cent every time. The

manager of one of the leading milling companies in Canada has stated that there is no combination amongst millers for the fixing of prices. That may be so, though it is rather a remarkable coincidence that flour prices move with unflinching regularity all along the line. The millers advance and retire prices, generally the former these days, with the cohesion of an army. They keep step splendidly, when it comes to recording an advance in prices. Instead of shelving this very important matter on to the shoulders of the municipal bodies, the government should get busy on its own and dig up the facts at first hand. Of course, if it does make a move, it will probably be by way of a commission, which will have an expensive suite of offices; many highly paid officials and a big staff of clerks, who will take voluminous evidence over a period of years which will be filed away in Ottawa with due ceremony some two years after the war is over and prices have returned to normal.

**NOTES AND COMMENTS**

The Japanese Embassy in Rome asserts that there is a perfect understanding between Japan and the United States. It is only extremely foolish people who believe otherwise, though there is no telling what the future may bring forth.

To use a vulgar expression, President Wilson's peace speech seems to be regarded in Europe as so much "hot air." Woodrow's intentions are undoubtedly of the very best, but he is unfortunate in saying the right thing at the wrong time. His speech to the Senate would sound magnificent, after Prussian militarism is no more.

Reports show that there are fewer cases of unbalanced mentality as a result of the strain of the war than occur in normal times from poverty. Probably most of the unbalanced cases are amongst newspaper men who tried to pronounce the names of



some of the places on the Galician front.

The Tories are hailing Sevigny's victory as a tremendous blow to Laurier's prestige. This is clearly another case of the wish being father to the thought, but the Tories have another think coming.

Sir Thomas White put the case for the Allies in a nutshell when he said that "Anglo-Saxon freedom and Prussian militarism cannot both survive."

If President Wilson wants to do something for humanity at large while he is waiting for the Allies to put Prussian militarism out of business, he might devote himself to getting Germany to stop making slaves of the poor Belgians.

**SPLENDID FOX DRAMA AT THE WESTHOLME THEATRE**

"The Family Stain," the six-act Fox feature at the Westholme last night, and which will be repeated tonight, is one of the most thrilling dramas of the screen. It is founded upon "The Widow Lerouge," one of the most exciting stories ever written and one of Gaborian's greatest. The widow is found murdered in her home in a small community and the local police find the case too complicated for them. Detectives are called in and one of the most remarkable stories develops. The widow is killed because she is possessed of a secret involving the family history of a prominent man. The play is splendidly staged and is produced by a strong company. Last evening the Westholme orchestra rendered a splendid musical program, including "Thais," "Lohengrin," "Elsa's Dream," "Pastorale" and "Berceuse."

**PENALTY MONIES TO PATRIOTIC FUND**

At the close of the city council meeting last night, Ald. Casey, seconded by Ald. McRae, moved that the city solicitor draw up a resolution to be presented to the council next week providing that the penalty monies resulting from the indemnity bylaw regulations be handed over to the Patriotic Fund. This carried unanimously.

**SUN AND TIDE**

Wednesday, January 31st.  
Sun rises ..... 8:52 a. m.  
Sun sets ..... 4:28 p. m.  
Low water ..... 1:3 a. m. Ht. 9.7  
High water ..... 7:59 a. m. Ht. 18.8  
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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. Broadhurst 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.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B. C., this 27th day of December, A. D. 1916.  
WILLIAMS & MANSON,  
Solicitors for the Applicant.

**THE MAILS**

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Tuesdays, 4 p. m.  
Thursdays, 4 p. m.  
Sundays, 4 p. m.  
**From Vancouver.**  
Wednesdays, 10:30 a. m.  
Fridays, 3 p. m.  
Sundays, 7 p. m.  
Alternate Mondays from January 1st.

**For Anyox.**  
Wednesdays, 10 p. m.  
Fridays, 8 p. m.  
Sundays, 8 p. m.  
**From Anyox.**  
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LEO STANLEY BURDON.  
NOVEMBER 8, 1916. F. 6.

**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 \$510.00, 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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**WHERE MANY CANADIAN BOYS ARE CONFINED.**—The Prison camp at Giessen, Germany. This photograph gives a good idea of the fairly comfortable quarters which have been prepared for the Canadian prisoners at Giessen, Germany. Note the flower beds surrounding the buildings, which are the main buildings of the Giessen prison camp as photographed by a Canadian prisoner

### ANOTHER SPLENDID RED CROSS FRIDAY

Mrs. John McRae and Mrs. Oakley are to be congratulated on the success of the Red Cross sale last Friday, when, in spite of the cold weather, the splendid sum of \$58.75 was realized. The public as usual responded nobly to the demand for supplies for our boys at the front. The donors of the raffles and all who contributed to the sale are thanked by the society. Mr. Broderick again donated a \$5 gold piece, which was won by Mr. C. J. Graham; McRae Bros. gave a framed picture, won by Mr. J. N. Sinclair; Mrs. Carmichael gave a picture, won by D. C. McRae; Mrs. F. McB. Young, a box of chocolates, won by Mr. D. L. Sutherland; Mr. S. Bloom, a sack of sugar, won by Mrs. John McRae; McRae Bros. gave a picture, won by Mr. E. C. Gibbons; Mrs. Deasey, Massett, feather ruff, won by Mr. J. N. Sinclair; Mrs. Shrubbsall, fancy cake, won by Mr. J. H. McLeod; Mrs. W. S. Fisher, home-made candy, won by Mr. E. Doyle; Mr. W. H. Vickers, box of cigars, won by Mr. W. J. Smithers, and Mrs. John McRae, crocheted bag, won by Mr. D. C. McRae. The Prince Rupert Dairy sent buttermilk which sold well. Donations of cash and food were sent by Mr. A. B. Evans, Mrs. Egert, Mrs. Lindsay, Mrs. Cars, Mrs. C. L. Monroe, Mrs. J. H. McMillan, Mrs. D. C. Stuart, Mrs. Wm. Thompson, Mrs. W. T. Kerwin, Mrs. Roy Walker, Mrs. Murdo McLeod, Mrs. G. H. Munro, Mrs. Fuller, Mrs. D. H. Morrison, Mrs. D. McD. Hunter, Mrs. M. M. Stephens, Mrs. R. L. McIntosh,

### FROM FAR AND NEAR

Henry A. Wise Wood has written to President Wilson, saying "For God's sake be an American." Mr. Wood accuses the President of pulling Von Bernstorff's chestnuts out of the fire.

W. G. Gillett, former mayor of Prince George, was presented with a handsome gold watch by prominent citizens of the interior city on his leaving for the coast last week.

The Hawaiian Islands are considering the passing of a drastic Prohibition Bill which will make Hawaii "bone dry."

Vancouver prohibitionists claim that the holding of the soldiers' vote on prohibition was a "frame-up" and that Sir Richard McBride closed his eyes to irregularities in the taking of the vote. They demand that a Royal Commission be appointed to make a full enquiry.

Joshua Moody, one of the best known of the Bella Coola Indians, fell off a ladder while climbing to the second story of his house a week ago and fractured his knee. Joshua has been an invalid for years past through the breaking of the same leg.

B. F. Jacobson has been appointed recruiting officer at Bella Coola. Many of the young men of the valley are enlisting for active service.

The Rocher De Boule Copper Company last Thursday started a drift on the middle vein which was cut by the long tunnel at a depth of 1050 feet. Samples of the ore have been sent out to be assayed.

Mrs. Walter Thompson, Mrs. Dowling, Mrs. D. G. Stewart, Mrs. Jabour, Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. Allison, Mrs. Murray, Mrs. W. J. Kilpatrick, Mrs. Wm. Miller, Mrs. Hal Peck, Mrs. Vance, Mrs. Jennings, Mrs. Jenns, Mrs. Kilpatrick, Mrs. Lord, Mrs. Winsly, Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Woodland, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Smithers, Mrs. Sweet, Mrs. Starr, Mrs. Healey, Mrs. de Gex, Mrs. Parkin, Mrs. Allan, Mrs. Irwin, Mrs. H. F. McRae, Mrs. D. C. McRae, Mrs. Little, Mrs. Gambie, Mrs. Besner, Mr. Morte Craig and "Fitz."

A box of chocolates is held over for this week and Mr. D. L. Sutherland re-donated a box as well for another sale.

Sheets, pillow cases, blankets, bed-spreads receive our 20% reduction—Geo. D. Tite. tf.

**Salvation Army.**  
 Public meetings, Tuesday Thursday and Saturday at 8 p. m. Sundays at 7:30 p. m.

The Daily News delivered by carrier, 50 cents per month.

### MINERAL ACT

NASTURTIUM, IRIS FRACTION, BELLIS FRACTION, GENTIAN, BLUE BELL FRACTION, COSMOS FRACTION, THISTLE FRACTION, MARIGOLD FRACTION, LILAC FRACTION, FERN FRACTION, PINE APPLE FRACTION, COXCOMB, BEGONIA FRACTION, MINERAL CLAIMS situate in the Queen Charlotte District, located at or near Ikeda Bay, Queen Charlotte Island, Province of British Columbia, and lawfully held by Ikeda Mines Limited.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John A. MacInnis, solicitor for Ikeda Mines Limited, Free miners' certificate No. 70354 B, intend after the expiration of sixty days from the date hereof to apply on behalf of the said Company to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant to the above claims.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action under Section 85 of the Mineral Act must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 31st day of May, A. D. 1916.  
 JOHN A. MACINNIS,  
 solicitor for Ikeda Mines Limited.

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TERMS—PHONE BLUE 278



2,000,000 Belgians Depend on us for Bread!

Since shortly after the German invasion, the Belgians have depended for food entirely on the "Commission for Relief in Belgium". Their own store of food, even if not destroyed or pillaged, would last only three weeks—they have had no chance to raise more—and the ruthless Germans refuse to supply them!

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so generously contributed in the British Empire and the United States, the neutral Belgian Relief Commission has imported enough wheat, flour and other foods to feed the whole nation so far. The great majority of the 7,000,000 Belgians left in the country have been able to pay for their daily allowance of bread—but a steadily growing number have no money left.

Unless we are willing to let these hundreds of thousands of women, children and old men starve, they must be fed at the expense of the Belgian Relief Fund. To make this possible someone must contribute nearly \$3,000,000 a month—every month—all this winter!

No people under the Allied Flags are as well able to contribute generously as we Canadians! No cause has ever been more deserving of help! In the name of Justice and Humanity—for the sake of our own self-respect—let us give all we can to help our martyred Allies!

Send your subscriptions weekly, monthly or in one lump sum to Local or Provincial Committee, or to the

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**\$2.50 Feeds A Belgian Family A Month.**



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 "CANADAFIRST" Milk is the BEST Milk sold by Your Grocer. The Government Bulletin No. 305 tells the story—IT COSTS THE SAME.

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This good old soul's case is not unique. Many of us, if the truth be confessed, resemble him; we allow ourselves to be sold merchandise with an unknown brand or trade mark instead of buying merchandise which is well known to us through the medium of advertising. In slang language, we get "stung" pretty often.

In most of these cases we have ourselves to blame, for "the road to the right" thing to buy has been made plain by advertising.

There is no good reason for passing by the known thing, soundly guaranteed, to buy a dubious article, which, quality for quality, cannot be cheaper than the known, branded article.

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If you are doing a local business talk over your advertising problems with the Advertising Department of this newspaper.

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ADAMS BUILDING  
Telephone 5283, Edmonton  
Alberta.

**RAW FURS! RAW FURS!**

**LONG DISCUSSION ON INDEMNITY BYLAW**  
(Continued From Page One.)

He felt that the principle was right and that was the main thing. A man who is absent from a meeting is incurring no loss and is therefore entitled to no indemnity. It was simply a case of being paid for services rendered. He did not understand what Ald. Montgomery meant by patronage. If Ald. Montgomery had any fair proposition to make, which was to the city's interests, he would gladly support it.

Ald. Montgomery claimed that the city was paying 25 to 30 per cent more for some things by buying them from firms in the city, when they could buy better outside. He thought that no man should sit at the council board and deal with the city at the same time. (Ald. McRae interjected that if the city could buy better elsewhere it should do so). Ald. Montgomery thought that no alderman was morally justified in doing business with the city, though he might be legally right. He did not say that any undue influence had been brought to bear in placing city business, still he did not think that a man should hold a chair and do business with the city. He was willing to sacrifice something if Ald. McRae was willing to do the same and take no business from the city.

Ald. McRae said that the thought of the business his firm might do with the city did not enter his mind from Jan. 1st to Dec. 31st. The firm had always sold goods to the city just as to anyone else. It was done by incorporated firms in all the governments and municipalities. If there was anything wrong with the patronage system Ald. Montgomery should go ahead and say so and he would willingly support him in anything he proposed which was in the interests of the city. His firm's business with the city was only a trifle in the year's business and he saw no reason to change his mind about it.

Ald. Dybhavn took serious objection to Ald. McClymont's suggestion that the deduction only apply to aldermen who were out of town. It left a loop-hole for aldermen who might, on occasion, prefer to miss certain meetings. If a man cared to sit at home he could do so, without any penalty and he had known of cases where aldermen had deliberately stayed away from meetings. He heartily supported Ald. McRae's amendment.

Ald. McMeekin, in supporting the amendment, said that he had to supply a man to take his place when he attended meetings. He recognized this as one of his responsibilities in accepting the seat and had governed himself accordingly. He felt that it was only right that any absentee should have a deduction made.

Ald. McClymont said he was glad Ald. Dybhavn had pointed out the weakness in his amendment to the amendment. The amended clause carried, Ald. Montgomery dissenting.

**HALIBUT ARRIVALS**

The schooner Commonwealth, of the Booth Fisheries fleet, arrived this morning with 8,000 pounds of halibut and 4,000 of black cod. The American schooner Sitka had 20,000. Bidding at noon was around 12% cents.

Mid-winter sale at Geo. Tite's. Complete home furnishings at cost.

The Oddfellows will give a whist drive and dance in K. of P. Hall, Tuesday, Feb. 6th. Tickets 50 cents. 2-3 0-1

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come mostly from disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels. Regulate these organs and keep free from headaches by using

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**Local News Notes**

Iron beds at cut-in-two prices at Tite's sale.

The city council last night passed the second reading of the Ensch bylaw.

The fire chief submitted his annual report to the city council last night. It was received for publication in the annual report.

Regular meeting of the Helping Hands Society will be held at the residence of Mrs. L. W. Reilly on Wednesday, Jan. 31st at 8 p.m. Members are requested to attend.

Fred. Scaddon has received a letter from "Billy" Hoskyn, who is on active service. "Billy" says that Harold Briery is all alive and kicking. He lost a brother some time ago in action.

Pte. Mortal and Pte. Van Dyke, two of the boys who left here with the first contingent for overseas service, arrived back home yesterday, having been discharged on account of wounds.

Bramley's Grocery Prices, not specials, but every day: B. C. Cream, 20 oz., per case, \$4.70; Flour, all brand., 49 lbs., \$2.40; Finest Butter, 2 lbs. for 95 cents; Blue Ribbon Tea, 3 lbs. for \$1.45. Phone Blue 413.

300 tons of Ladysmith lump coal for the Prince Rupert Coal Co., is being discharged from the Prince Albert. For the past few weeks, owing to shortage in the south, coal from another mine had to be sold, but this is the Ladysmith article and first class in every way. Get your order in early.

**CITY ASSESSMENT UNDER WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION**

The city solicitor presented to the city council last evening the assessment notice sent out by the provincial government under the Workmen's Compensation Act. The rates for the various departments run from \$1.50 per cent. to \$5.00 per cent., the latter covering the police staff and fire brigade. On the motion of Ald. Dybhavn, seconded by Ald. McRae, it was referred to the finance and general committee. The total assessment, which is based upon the payroll, is \$398.34 and is payable on February 1st.

**INTERESTING LECTURE IN EMPRESS THEATRE**

"The Great War by Land and Sea," is the subject of a lecture by Lieut. D. J. Gordon and Sergt.-Major H. Matier (late of the French army) in the Empress Theatre on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Sergt. Matier will deal largely with the Senegalese and the revolt of the tribes in Tripoli. Mr. Matier was in Egypt at the time Enver Bey held sway. The sergeant is a traveller, journalist, explorer and soldier and his lecture should be well worth hearing. It will be illustrated and there will also be a musical program. Admission is free, with a collection in aid of the Returned Soldiers' Fund.

**THE CRADLE**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gavigan, a daughter, at the general hospital yesterday afternoon.

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Vancouver Land District—District of Coast, Range 2.  
TAKE NOTICE that Archie Barnes Martin, occupation mill manager, of the city of Vancouver, Province of British Columbia, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
Commencing at a post planted on the south shore of Cousins Inlet about five chains west of the southwest corner of Lot 31, Range 3, Coast District; thence south 20 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 35 chains, thence north 18.5 chains more or less to H. W. M. of Cousins Inlet, thence following the H. W. M. to this post and containing one hundred and twenty-five (125) acres more or less.  
DATED at Vancouver, B. C., this 1st day of November, A. D. 1916.

**ARE BATHS NECESSARY?**

This looks like a foolish question in this enlightened age, but there are nearly a million Americans who knew nothing of internal bathing a few years ago and are now eager to testify that they are fully as essential to health as External Baths.

By a purely natural process of properly using warm water, the "J. B. L. Cascade" removes ALL the poisonous waste from the Lower Intestine, which physicians agree is the cause of 95 per cent of all human ailments.

It instantly relieves constipation, properly regulates the bowels and prevents all the dragging-down which Biliousness and Liver Troubles always create.

E. W. Southall, M. D., of Genesee, N. Y., writes:—  
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Cyril H. Orme, Druggist, corner 3rd ave. and 6th street, Prince Rupert has filed a tremendous demand for "J. B. L. Cascade" in the past few years, and will show and explain it to you on request. A free and interesting booklet on Internal Bathing, "Why Man of Today is Only 50 Per Cent Efficient," can also be obtained for the asking. If you prefer, write to Dr. Chas. A. Tyrrill, 163 College street, Toronto, for same.

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Now is the time to have your heating plant put in shape for the winter; roofs and skylights seen to.

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"OLIV" GAS ENGINES.  
PHONE 525.

**MINERAL ACT**  
Certificate of Improvements NOTICE

Silver Bow Mineral Claim, situate in the Skeena Mining Division of Cassiar District. Where located:—At the head of a branch of Lime Creek about four miles from the beach on the south side of Alice Arm.

TAKE NOTICE that I, George B. Naden, Free Miner's Certificate No. 94996B, acting as agent for Thos. McRostie, Free Miner's Certificate No. 69991B, and James L. Hatch, Free Miner's Certificate No. 87066B, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 24th day of March, A. D. 1916.

GEORGE B. NADEN.

**THE MINISTER OF FINANCE REQUESTS THE PEOPLE OF CANADA TO BEGIN NOW TO SAVE MONEY FOR THE NEXT WAR LOAN**

JAN. 9, 1917  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE  
OTTAWA

**"The Daily News" CLASSIFIED ADS.**

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WANTED—Small light rowboat, phone Black 292.

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**MISCELLANEOUS**

GASOLINE ENGINEER—has small amount of cash to invest with services. What have you? Write Box 123, Daily News.

**LOST**  
LOST—Gold medal, name J. Judge inscribed. Finder return to O.K. Baths.

**FOUND**  
FOUND—Silver net purse. Apply Daily News Office.

Fixtures for sale, phone 493, Cavenaile & Hamman.

**CARBONVOID** for sale by Lipssett & Cunningham, and Parkin-Ward Electric Co.

**FOR RENT**

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**LAND ACT**  
SKENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE THREE  
TAKE NOTICE that I, Francis Joseph Beale, acting as agent for the Empire Pulp and Paper Mills, Ltd., of Swanson Bay, B. C., occupation logger, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—  
Commencing at a post planted on the south shore of the lagoon at the end of the East Arm of Mussel Inlet, about one and one half miles in a westerly direction from the N.W. corner of T. L. 44846, 205, 11600P.; thence south 20 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 20 chains more or less to shore line, thence following shore line in an easterly direction to point of commencement.  
FRANCIS JOSEPH BEALE, Applicant.  
October 18th, 1916.

PHONE 93 P. O. BOX 38  
**PACIFIC CARTAGE, LTD.**  
Transfer and Storage  
BEST LUMP & NUT COAL  
NO LONG WAITS  
NO SHORT WEIGHTS  
When You Order from Us.

**LAND REGISTRY ACT**  
(Sections 36 and 134.)  
Re Application No. 91,111, Filing 5314.  
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), Reg 923.

You are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within thirty 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 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 5th day of September, 1914, (the date on which the said lands were sold for 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, 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,  
Apr. 17, District Registrar of Titles,  
To Simon Peterson, Davisville, California.

**LAND ACT**  
Prince Rupert Land District—District of Coast, Range 2.  
TAKE NOTICE that Pacific Mills, Limited, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation pulp and paper makers, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 299 on the west shore of Cousins Inlet, thence west 40 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 10 shores, thence northeasterly along shore to point of commencement containing 65 acres, more or less.

PACIFIC MILLS LIMITED.  
Mark Smaby, agent.  
Dated May 13th, A. D. 1916.

**PRINCE RUPERT LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE III.**  
TAKE NOTICE that Pacific Mills, Limited, of Vancouver, British Columbia, occupation pulp and paper makers, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of Kooeye river, about one-quarter of a mile up-stream from the shore of Fitz-Hugh Sound; thence north twenty chains, thence east twenty chains, thence south to river's bank, thence along shore in a westerly direction to point of commencement and containing forty (40) acres, more or less.  
Sept 9  
Dated June 10th, 1916.

PACIFIC MILLS LIMITED,  
by "Mark Smaby," Agent.

**NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT.**  
R. S. O. CAP. 115.  
PACIFIC MILLS, LIMITED, hereby give 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 Registrar of Titles at Victoria, British Columbia, a description of the site and the plans of certain structures to be erected in front of Lot Thirty-one (31), Range Three (3), Coast District, British Columbia, at the head of Cousins Inlet.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this Notice, Pacific Mills, Limited, will, under Section 7 of the said Act, apply to the Governor-in-Council for approval of the said site and plan.

Dated at Vancouver, British Columbia, this 26th day of April, A. D. 1916.

BODWELL, LAWSON & LANE,  
Solicitors for Pacific Mills, Limited.