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## GERMANS FAIL TO TAKE FLANDERS RIDGES

### CONCENTRATED ATTACKS FAIL TO BREAK THE BRITISH LINE--SEVERE FIGHTING

#### GERMAN ADVANCE IS SLOWED UP BY BRITISH TENACITY UNABLE TO BREAK THROUGH

##### BRIGHT DEFENCE BY GENERAL HAIG BEGINNING TO TELL --GERMANS ARE STRUGGLING DESPERATELY TO INCREASE THEIR GAINS, BUT UNABLE TO CAPTURE HEIGHTS

(Special to The Daily News.)  
London, April 13.—The report of the operations received yesterday (Friday) from General Haig says that strong enemy pressure has been maintained to the south and southwest of Bailleul. The British were slowly pushed back to positions in the vicinity of the Bailleul railway. The enemy was heavily engaged, and suffered immense losses, too costly for the gains of territory they made. Slight progress was made by the Germans between Clarence and the Lawe. On the remainder of the British front, the positions remained unchanged.

**Pushed Back.**  
Having pushed back the British positions on a front of 25 miles north and south of Armentieres, to an average depth of a little more than two miles, the Germans are struggling desperately to increase their gains. The brilliant success of Haig, however, is beginning to tell, and the enemy advance has slowed up greatly, although the German attacks have not diminished in intensity, especially on the north and the south. Messines Ridge and Wytschaete are the vital points on the battlefield and the Germans in two days have not been able to reach the crest of the hills.

By abandoning Armentieres the British have straightened out their lines.  
**The Official Announcement.**  
London, April 13.—Attacks yesterday in the neighborhood of Weststreet by the Germans pushed back the British to the vicinity of Neuve Eglise. Last night, the Germans captured Merville. Heavy fighting is continuing in the neighborhood of Merville and Neuf-Berquin. The announcement follows:—  
"Severe and continuous fighting took place last night in the

neighborhood of Merville and Neuf-Berquin, in both of which localities the enemy is continuing his pressure and has made progress. Merville was captured by the enemy during the night.  
"Attacks made by the enemy yesterday in the region of Ploegstreet succeeded, after heavy fighting, in pressing our troops back to the neighborhood of Neuve Eglise to new positions. On the front between Lys and the Lawe River and to the north hostile attacks have been repulsed. Fighting is continuing on the whole front north of Labasse Canal as far as Hollebeke. "On the remainder of the northern battlefield the situation is substantially unchanged. A part of our positions into which the enemy forced his way, north of Festubert, was regained by a counter attack."

**Attempt on Messines.**  
London, April 13.—German troops made a determined attack along the Messines Ridge and succeeded in gaining some ground but the British once again drove them out by a counter attack.

The Germans are developing great artillery activity in the southern area. The Bray Corbier Road is being fiercely shelled, heralding, it is believed, further infantry attacks.

**Picardy Quiet.**  
On the Picardy battlefield there has been no change in the situation. The British front is quiet and the French have repulsed two German attacks in the region of Noyon.

**CLOCKS TO BE PUT FORWARD TONIGHT**

Ottawa, April 13.—The Day Light Saving Bill, which was put through the committee stage and given its third reading in the Senate yesterday, will come into effect at two o'clock on Sunday morning, April 14.

**HOW TO PENALIZE THE PROFITEERS**

New York, April 12.—Chairman of the Federal Food Board John Mitchell and Federal Food Administrator Arthur Williams has sent a telegram to United States Food Administrator Hoover recommending that Swift & Company, one of the largest wholesale packing and produce concerns in the country, be prohibited from buying or selling eggs from its New York branch for a period of thirty days; that the company be also required, through contributions to the Red Cross, to pay a total of \$6,000 obtained in excess charges on eight carloads of eggs and that Zinn & Company, brokers, who acted for Swift & Co. in this particular transaction, be also suspended from doing any egg business in New York for a period of thirty days.

Officials of the Federal Food Board declared that these recommendations represented the most drastic steps that have thus far been taken to suppress profiteering in food supplies.

**BUILDING FOR SALE**

Tenders are invited before 1st May for the purchase of buildings on Lot 24, Block 17, Section 1, by A. Newham, Receiver, the Westholme Lumber Company. Further particulars at Bank of Montreal, Prince Rupert. a30

#### FOCH'S CHIEF AIM IS TO SMASH UP ENEMY ARMIES

Paris, April 12.—Paris is now learning to neglect in the official communications smaller details, the significance of which appears only to those having the whole situation before them.

"People should not allow themselves to be hypnotized by the official bulletins," said a high official, whose advice seems to have been accepted. "In a battle like this," he added, "bulletins showing more or less important advances and retreats are simply geographical summaries which have a bearing only for those who are directing the operations."

"People ask if the Boches will get Amiens. My reply is that perhaps they will if General Foch can smash more divisions by letting them in than by keeping them out. Unbeaten armies are more important than are towns, and what has happened in this battle does not show on the map."

"Germany's gains look like a fat, juicy pear to the newspaper readers, but the Kaiser knows how hollow it is at the core. "General Ludendorff is being fenced with and hustled, not by our main forces, but by little

more than our covering troops, and if it is no time for bragging and over-confidence, neither is it a time for nervousness over little fluctuations in the battlefronts."

All those in touch with the General Staff share the confidence of this official.

**Will Not Be Drawn.**  
Paris, April 12.—General Foch, it is now generally understood, will not be drawn by the Germans, but will hold his reserves for the moment chosen by him.

"Wait a bit—only wait a bit." Thus the Entente supreme commander replies with a characteristic sweep of his arm when asked about the future. Gen. Foch's calm deliberation is compared with the bearing of Marshal Joffre before and during the Battle of the Marne, and this contributes not a little to general confidence in his battle plans.

Premier Clemenceau, returning from his almost daily visits to the field of operations, unflinchingly brings back a note of confidence, and he has earned a new title, that of "Confidence Barometer." For many days that barometer has been fixed at "fair," and now it is rising.

#### JOHN DILLON FEARS TROUBLE IN IRELAND

(Special to The Daily News.)  
London, April 13.—John Dillon, in the House of Commons yesterday, said he understood that motor cars, machine guns and tanks already had been shipped and were sailing away from the battle front toward Ireland. Mr. Dillon pleaded strongly against what he termed the Government's "Guillotine methods." The promise of a Home Rule Bill by the Government has not had the slightest effect in easing the way to conscription in Ireland, says special despatches from Dublin.

#### RUSSIA MUST PAY GERMAN SUBJECTS

London, April 12.—Reuter's Moscow correspondent quotes the editor of the German newspaper Volkerfreund, published in Petrograd by the Soviet, as declaring at a meeting of representatives of maximalists and commercial and industrial interests in Petrograd that the time was approaching for beginning to indemnify German subjects for the losses incurred by them through the war in accordance with the Brest-Litovsk peace treaty.

The government, the correspondent adds, estimated the sum at 5,000,000 roubles.

The correspondent also reports M. Radek, one of the Bolshevik delegates to the recent peace conference, as saying the government was looking forward to the reopening of the Russo-German frontier and the flow of Russian raw material into Germany, and that it would shortly decree a state monopoly in order to safeguard Russian trade.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Burns, of Telkwa, who have been spending the last few days in town, left home by this morning's train. Mr. Burns owns the Telkwa Hotel and the Hudson's Bay ranch, which is one of the best in the Bulkley valley.

Mr. J. A. Heaman, chief engineer of the G. T. P., who arrived in the city yesterday morning from the east, left again this forenoon. Mrs. Heaman arrived from Vancouver today, and went east with Mr. Heaman.

#### RUSSIAN FLEET ESCAPES GERMANS

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Petrograd, April 13.—The Russian fleet at Helsingfors, aggregating two hundred vessels, apparently has escaped from the menace of capture by the Germans. The first squadron, composed of battleships and cruisers, has arrived safely at Kronstadt, the naval base of Petrograd.

#### ANOTHER BIG GUN

(Special to The Daily News.)  
London, April 13.—It was announced in the House of Commons here yesterday that steps had been taken to construct a British gun capable of throwing a shell for a distance of over eighty miles.

#### SELL OUT HOLDINGS OF ALVENSLEBEN

Vancouver, April 12.—The holdings in this province of Alvo von Alvensleben and his German clients are gradually being closed out. The sale through the courts to the Red Cliff Company of immense timber limits on Vancouver Island lately held by one of his companies was recently completed, and today arrived the news of the sale under execution of some 2,000 acres of ranching land in the interior, which Alvensleben had sold to Count Victor Voss.

The lands in question, it is stated, consisted almost entirely of ranch land, situated in the Kimberley district, up the Goldwater River. The sale was held at Kamloops by the Sheriff of Yale, and the purchaser was M. L. Grimmett, barrister, of Merritt, who it is understood made the purchase for an English client.

Wm. C. Weeks, civil engineer, of Vancouver, was the judgment creditor.

Among the arrivals by the Prince Rupert this morning was Private M. Inoue, who has gone up river to visit friends. Private Inoue is a Japanese and looked a sturdy fighter in his uniform. He has been overseas, where he lost part of his hand.

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#### CANADIAN CAVALRY SWEEP THROUGH GERMAN DEFENCES

Ottawa, April 11.—Premier Borden issued another story dealing with the work of the Canadian cavalry in the recent heavy fighting in France. It is from the pen of Roland Hill and is as follows:

War Correspondent's Headquarters, France—In brilliant April sunshine the Canadian cavalry swept through the heavy constructed German defences and onto their objectives astride the Amiens-Loys highway. Sir Douglas Haig's communique says: "In the course of some very hot attacks which were made in the region south of the Luce, the Canadian cavalry brigade has particularly distinguished itself, both mounted and dismounted."

**Started Action Dismounted.**  
This commenced as a dismounted action with the horses and reserve squadrons silently waiting behind cover, hoping that the cavalry might be used. The

#### ST. ANDREW'S HAVE INTERESTING LECTURE

Last evening took place the regular monthly business meeting of the St. Andrew's Society, and after the business was transacted, the meeting was open to the friends of the members. This is the second last of the series of lectures which had been arranged by the St. Andrew's Society, and which has been second to none ever arranged here. The high standard of excellence attained by the different speakers on a wide variety of subjects has been the chief feature of this series, which has been of a distinctly interesting and educative nature.

Last evening Mr. J. G. Steen read a paper upon the "Chemistry of Nature" which was delightfully interesting. Mr. Steen showed how chemical changes and reaction was going on at all times, and in the economy of nature, there was no such thing as waste. While matter might change its form from liquid, solid or gaseous states, yet it was indestructible. Mr. Steen gave many illustrations of Nature's chemical action which was apparent to everyone, did they notice it, and these were very apt. Mr. Steen's paper was very well received. Mr. A. C. Garde was also present, and added a few words upon the same subject, promising at some further time to take up the matter more fully with the Society in a more detailed fashion.

Both before and after the paper there were many musical numbers given by the members and their friends, which made the evening pass all too quickly.

#### PRICE OF COAL WILL SOON BE INCREASED

Vancouver, April 12.—An increase in the price of coal in British Columbia anywhere from 60 to 75 cents on the ton will probably go into effect on April 17, following announcement to this effect which will be made from the office of the Fuel Controller at Ottawa.

On that date provincial representatives of the Fuel Controller will gather at the Federal Capital to discuss the fuel situation in general, and more particularly an application from the operators for permission to bring the stated increase into effect.

The raise in the price of coal will be authorized by the Fuel Controller, it is stated, following the additional cost to the operators occasioned by granting the demands of men in the mines for an increase of 50 cents a day in wages.

action commenced at ten o'clock, our batteries firing from unexcelled positions, and the German balloons soon spotted our flashes. Their guns were not long in replying, although they put none of our guns out of action. The Canadians dashed up a mild slope. Some could be seen to fall and then limp back to the trenches. Two German machine guns were slowing up the attack on the left but suddenly above the line of the fight came a new sputter of fire. It was the arrival of the Canadian armored cars, whose guns swept the Hun's outposts and finally silenced them. The wavering Canadians rallied and dashed into the Huns. The cars proceeded along the road and kept back the German reinforcements that attempted to come out of the wood south of Demuin.

By half past four all objectives had been taken and the line joined up with the British on the left.

#### Wounded are Exchanged.

That night the Canadians came back into the woods. Not all of them, for some had been left behind in that valley where Canada had bitten into a large chunk of Hindenburg's offensive. Some of our wounded, who had advanced too far and were captured, were brought in by Hun stretcher bearers. They told of being well treated with good medical attention. "We Saxons admire brave Canadian fighters," was the message that came with them. Not to be outdone the Canadian doctor loaded up a similar convoy and sent them back for value received.

Their enjoyment was complete when the Canadian mail reached them, the first since their adventures in this greatest of battles.

#### AT THE WESTHOLME

"The Velvet Paw" is the title of the play to be screened at the Westholme Theatre this evening, and the names of the stars, House Peters and Gail Kane, are sufficient in themselves to guarantee the excellence of the production. This is a tale of politics across the line, in Washington, D. C., the capital city of the great republic. It deals with the great affairs of the nation, and the part taken therein by a woman. The whole play is a marvellous picture, and House Peters and Gail Kane demonstrate the power of Right and Love. There is also a fine comedy, and a war gazette, each of which are well worth seeing, and combining to make the programme for this evening one of the best yet.

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**THE GREAT LACK**

To appreciate the other man's point of view, and to understand his course of action in accordance therewith, is an accomplishment which every individual, like nations, is not endowed with. Major-General Sir Frederick Kenyon, K. C. B., the director and principal librarian of the British Museum, in a recent article, points out how this deficiency is at the root of most of the doings of the Hun which have caused the whole world to become aghast. He blames this lack upon the education which Germany has had in the past. He says:—

One of the most interesting problems which awaits the future historian is the psychology of the German from 1870 to 1914, and its results as shown in the present war. And not the least interesting chapter of this history will be that which deals with German education. German education has been held up (principally by themselves, but also by countless admirers in England and America) as a model to the world and we ask now with amazement how such supposed excellence is compatible with the results seen during the past three years.

German education, for those who wish to learn, has certain great merits. It is very thorough. It expects the student to make himself fully acquainted with the particular department of knowledge which he takes for his own. He must spare no trouble to find out all that has been written about it, and to give full references for every statement that he makes, hence, as books of reference, German works of learning are incomparable. The spade-work of the subject is done with the same zeal and thoroughness as the liberal spade-work of their entrenchments.

German intellectual work is also enterprising. Students are taught not to accept current theories but to propose new ones. Every scholar aims at making a definite contribution to knowledge, at setting up a new theory which will super-

cede that of a predecessor. Hence they escape the stagnation to which our own scholarship has at times been liable. With us, orthodoxy pays best; with them, heterodoxy.

The defect of German scholarship (and therefore of German education) is, to put it broadly, its want of humanity. It is a defect of imagination, of the historical sense, which ultimately means a deficiency in the sense of how human beings act and think. The path of German theology, of German history, of German literary scholarship, is strewn with the wrecks of theories which collapsed through their inherent incompatibility with the facts of human nature. These theories were often bold and stimulating. They did service to their subject by challenging inquiry; but, time after time, when the inquiry had subsided, the traditional view reappeared, corrected, it may be, and improved as the result of the research; but substantially vindicating its truth over the improbabilities of its upstart rival.

In this defect on the human side we find the answer to our question. German education is a fine machine, but its results are mechanical. The great mistakes, the great crimes which Germany has made in the present war, may be traced to this root. Before the outbreak of war they entirely miscalculated the human forces opposed to them. They made to England, as they subsequently made to America, proposals which were at once insulting and unalluring, without for a moment realizing how they would be regarded in these countries. When war broke out they embarked on a deliberate policy of terrorism, because they did not understand that terrorism intensifies hostility instead of crushing it. They have committed crimes which are blunders—the mention of Belgium, of the Lusitania, of Miss Cavell, of Ruhleben, of hospital ships sunk under a lying excuse, is a sufficient indication of what is meant—because they could not understand what other



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**LAND REGISTRY ACT**

(Sections 36 and 134.)  
Re Application Nos. 2831-1, 2833-1, 2834-1.  
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"and in default of a caveat or certificate of his pendens being filed before the registration as owner of the person entitled under such tax sale, all persons so served with notice, . . . and those claiming through or under them, and all persons claiming any interest in the land by virtue of any unregistered instrument, and all persons claiming any interest in the land by descent whose title is not registered under the provisions of this Act, shall be forever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the land so sold for taxes, and the Registrar shall register the person entitled under such tax sale as owner of the land so sold for taxes."

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AND WHEREAS on investigating the title it appears that prior to the 12th day of October, 1916 (the date on which the said lands were sold for overdue taxes), you were the registered and assessed owners as stated below.

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Dated at the Land Registry Office, Prince Rupert, B. C., this 15th day of February, A. D. 1918.

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District Registrar of Titles.  
To F. W. Clayton, Prince Rupert, B. C., assessed owner of Lots 23 and 34, Block 51; Charles Planitz, Edmonton, Alta., registered and assessed owner of Lot 12, Block 48, and sold for taxes on 14th day of September, 1915; V. Straube, 657 Powell St., Vancouver, B. C., assessed owner of Lots 7 and 15, Block 12.

**BOLO PASHA MAKES REVELATIONS OF HIGH IMPORTANCE**

Paris, April 12—Revelations of the highest importance are said by LeMatin to have been made by Bolo Pasha, under sentence of death for treason, to whom a reprieve was granted yesterday. The newspaper asserts Bolo has made only a beginning of what he has to say and that another important case in connection with the German propaganda in France is about to develop.

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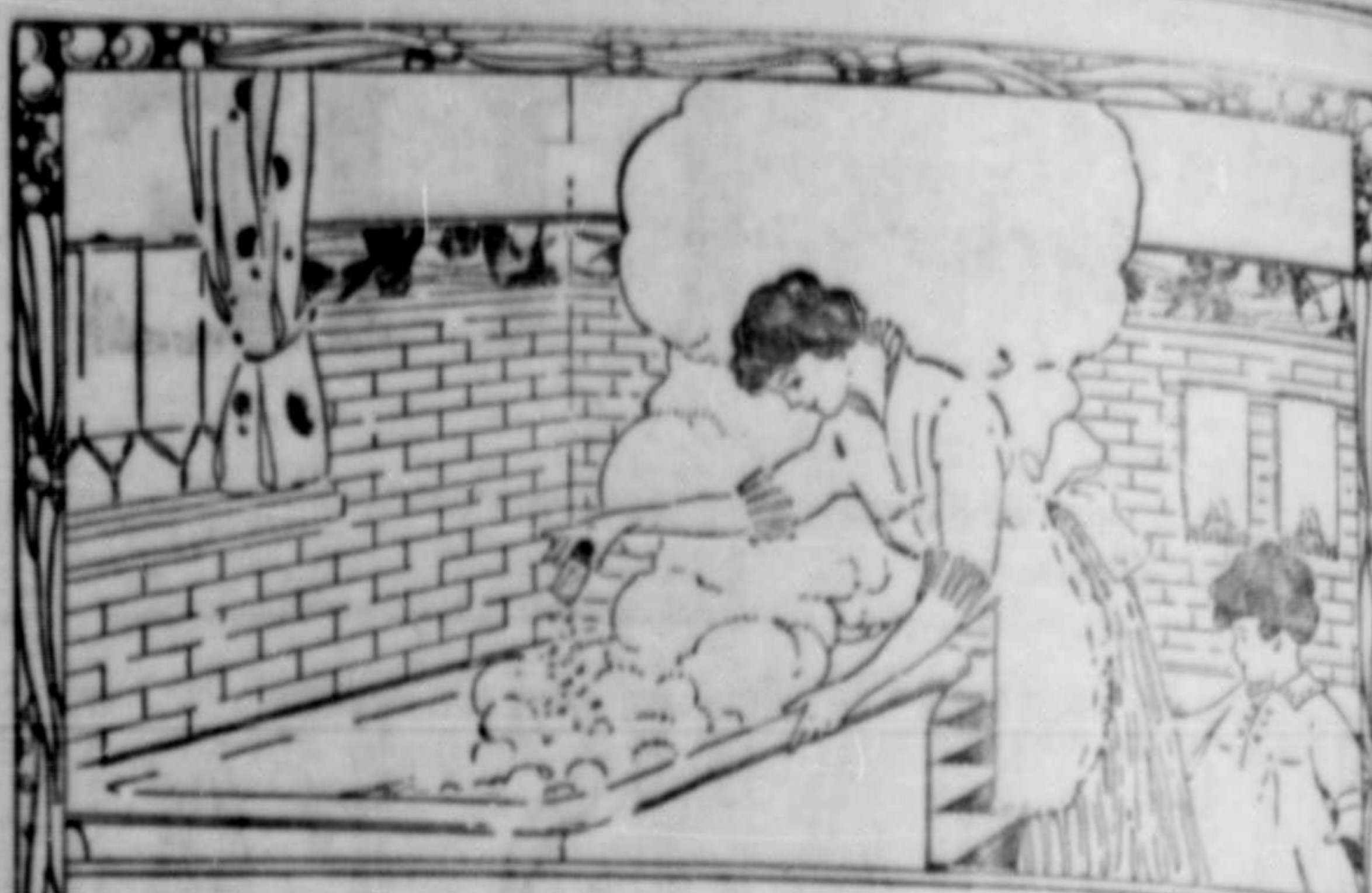
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## VERMILION, ALBERTA, SUFFERS FROM FIRE

Edmonton, April 12.—Starting from an insignificant blaze in a small warehouse, but developed by the strong wind, a fire rapidly grew out of control until the heart of the business section of the town of Vermilion was totally destroyed. The loss is estimated at half a million. The slight conflagration which originally broke out was considered as of no importance, but the flames spread with such rapidity, fanned by the breeze, that in a very short space of time, twenty-five of the business blocks were demolished, and nothing left but a heap of smouldering ruins. The post office and the branch of the Royal Bank are among the buildings destroyed.

## ROMANOFF FAMILY WORK UNDER GUARDS

Moscow, April 11.—Members of the former Russian imperial family living in the Crimea have been greatly restricted in their movements. They are not permitted to visit one another. All of them, even former princesses, are now working in the gardens under armed guards.

All the members of the Romanoff family residing in the Petrograd district have been ordered exiled to Perm and Vologda, in the Ural mountain region. According to the Reanneye Outro, the Council of Soldiers' and workmen's delegates of Vologda has refused to admit them to the city.

## GERMAN PRISONERS MOBILIZE IN SIBERIA

London, April 9.—While the Russian Bolsheviki authorities deny it, says a dispatch from Harbin by way of Tokio to the Daily Mail, there are 60,000 armed German prisoners mobilized at Tomsk, Siberia, and destined for the far east.

### Salvation Army.

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

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

### COAL NOTICES

#### SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

TAKE NOTICE that I, Joseph Sexton, of Prince Rupert, B. C., Prospector, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on the West Coast of Moresby Island. Commencing at a post planted about 1/4 of a mile southeasterly from a post located on the shore of a small Bay opening out of Canoe Pass between Moresby and Chaatl Islands, about 3 miles northerly along the Moresby Island side of Canoe Pass from Buck Point; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement.

JOSEPH SEXTON, Applicant. Located November 9th, 1917.

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TAKE NOTICE that I, James P. Reid, of Prince Rupert, B. C., Prospector, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on the West Coast of Moresby Island. Commencing at a post planted about 1/4 of a mile southeasterly from a post located on the shore of a small Bay opening out of Canoe Pass between Moresby and Chaatl Islands, about 3 miles northerly along the Moresby Island side of Canoe Pass from Buck Point; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

JAMES P. REID, Applicant. Located November 9th, 1917.

#### SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

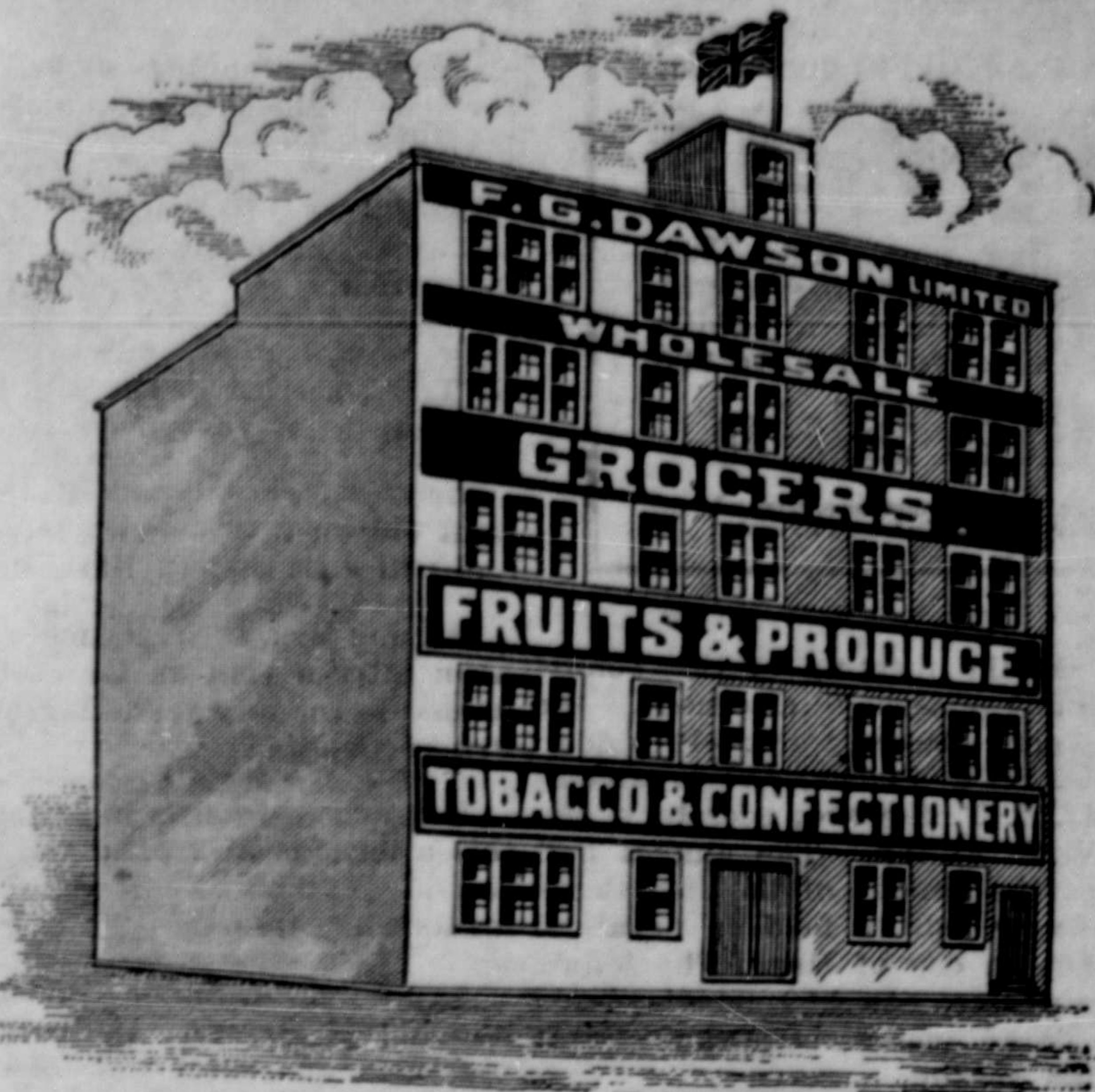
TAKE NOTICE that I, Charles E. Burgess, of Prince Rupert, B. C., miner, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on the West Coast of Moresby Island. Commencing at a post planted about 1/4 of a mile southeasterly from a post located on the shore of a small Bay opening out of Canoe Pass between Moresby and Chaatl Islands, about 3 miles northerly along the Moresby Island side of Canoe Pass from Buck Point; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

CHARLES E. BURGESS, Applicant. Located November 9th, 1917.

#### SKEENA LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

TAKE NOTICE that I, Hans K. Christensen, of Prince Rupert, B. C., prospector, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following described lands on the West Coast of Moresby Island. Commencing at a post planted about 1/4 of a mile southeasterly from a post located on the shore of a small Bay opening out of Canoe Pass between Moresby and Chaatl Islands, about 3 miles northerly along the Moresby Island side of Canoe Pass from Buck Point; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

HANS K. CHRISTENSEN, Applicant. Located November 9th, 1917.



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THE GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY, H. H. Hansard, solicitor.

### MINERAL ACT

#### CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

##### NOTICE

"In Fraction" and "Daily" Mineral Claims, situate in the Portland Canal Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Where located.—On the east side of Sarah Creek, 12 miles from the head of Portland Canal.

THE NOTICE that I, J. Fred Ritchie (the Miner's Certificate No. 9473-C.) act as agent for Reginald King Neill, Free Miner's Certificate No. 9527-C., 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 83 must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 14th day of December, A. D. 1917.

### MINERAL ACT

#### CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

##### NOTICE

"Molybdenum" and "Success" Mineral Claims, situate in the Skeena Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Where located.—About 4 miles Westerly from the head of Alic 27th, and about 1/2 mile from the Beach.

THE NOTICE that Lewis W. Patmore, Free Miner's Certificate No. 14932-C, as agent for Molybdenum Mining and Refining Company, Limited, (Non Personal Liability) Free Miner's Certificate No. 15123-C, intends 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 each of the above claims.

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WANTED—Smart Boy wanted for office and store. Apply Akerburg-Thomson & Company. 11

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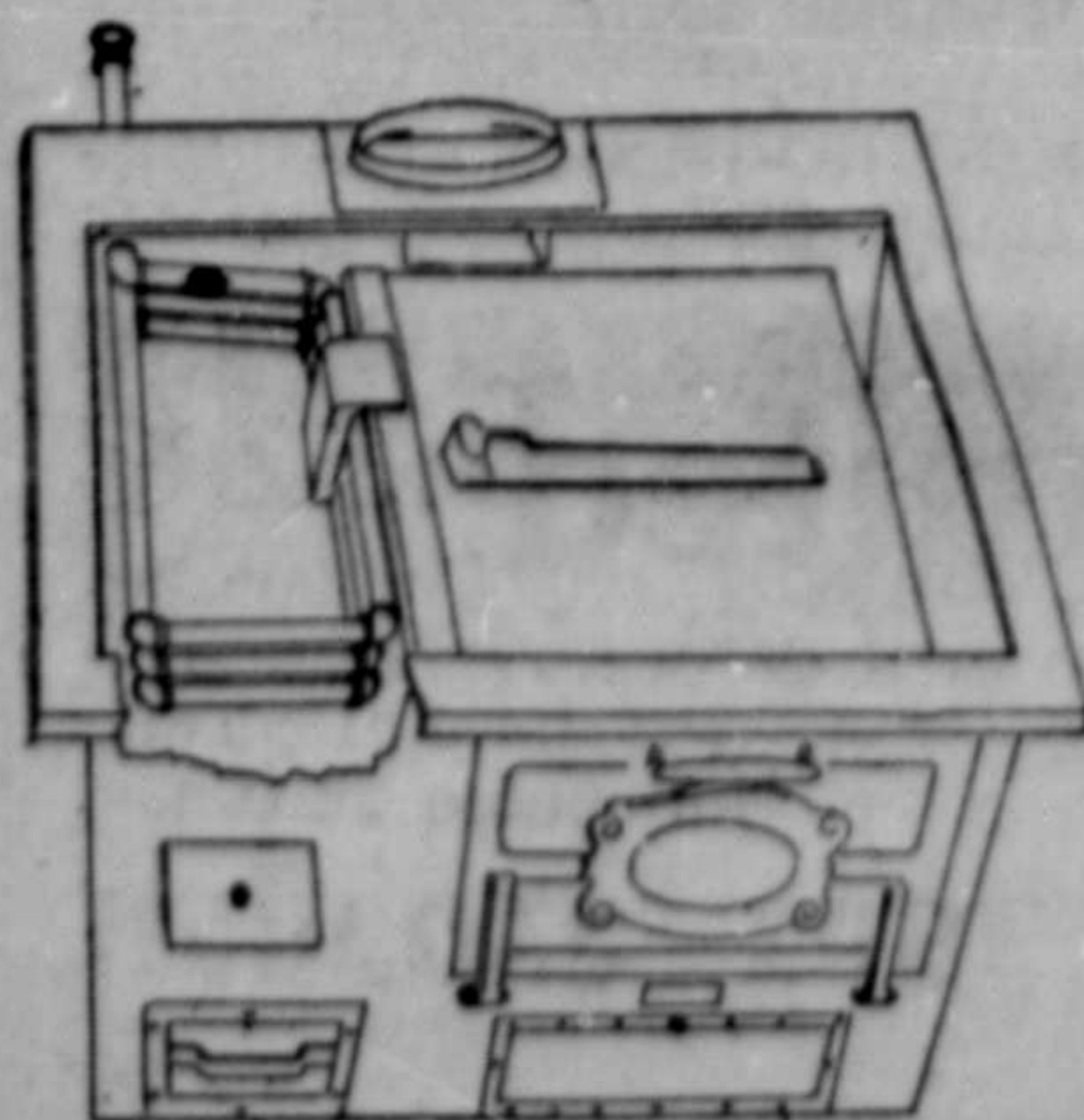
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## Local News Notes

"Valhalla" Social with Dance—May 17. Invitations only.

Mr. Geo. H. Jennings of Telkwa, arrived in the city yesterday on a visit.

Wallpapers, all grades; 10c and upwards.—Silversides Bros, Second Street.

Mr. Fred R. Hunt, auditor of the G.T.P., arrived in the city this morning from Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Bazett-Jones went out on this morning's train, and will visit at New Hazelton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Patmore returned after a visit as far east as turned to the city yesterday forenoon. Prince George.

The Prince John is expected in this afternoon at 2 p. m. and will sail at 10 tonight for Port Clements and Masset.

Men's Geo. A. Slater "Invictus" Shoes, just arrived. All the good old lasts and some new ones.—Family Shoe Store. 86

Mrs. W. D. Tippens and son arrived in town this morning from Vancouver. Mrs. Tippens will make her home here.

Mrs. McClymont returned to the city this morning from Vancouver, where she has been spending the past several weeks.

Mr. J. Viger, of Terrace, has been visiting Prince Rupert for the last day or two, and left again for Terrace this morning.

THE TILICUM, Joe McPhie, proprietor for Candies, Nuts, Soft Drinks, Cigars and Tobaccos. Books bought and exchanged.

Slater's "Invictus" arch support shoes give great relief to tired feet. Our shoe manager guarantees the fit. Family Shoe Store. 86

The local Labor Temple is undergoing renovation, for the customary spring period, and is being made more worthy as a place for Labor to meet in.

Ladies—We have the new chocolate calf shoe with white Neolin sole and heel that is all the rage in New York.—Family Shoe Store. 86

Mr. Geo. W. Nickerson was among the arrivals back in the city this morning from Vancouver and other southern cities, whither he has been on business.

Mr. A. Lalonde and family left this morning for Calgary. Mr. Lalonde was telegraphist in the Grand Trunk office here, and has been transferred to the Calgary office.

Harry Hanson, the bum plumber, left on Monday for Port Simpson and will be gone for a month. During his absence Messrs. Steen & Longwill will look after his work here. 86

Owing to a rearrangement of the service by the Prince John, there will be no sailing to Masset and Port Clements on the 20th nor to the southern part of the Island on the 24th April. 88

Mr. H. J. Fetters, who has been visiting the city, left for the east today. Mr. Fetters used to be with Foley, Welch & Stewart in the construction days here, and is interested in mining in the interior.

Official information has been received in the city that the clocks have to be put forward an hour tomorrow morning at two. Some people will feel very sleepy tomorrow morning, having to do with an hour's less sleep.

At the organization meeting of the Rod and Gun Club held last evening in the court house, Mr. D. C. Stuart was elected president, Mr. Ben Self vice-president, and Mr. R. Shockey secretary-treasurer. An executive of Messrs. F. Foster, W. E. Thompson, Geo. Bryant and Al ex-McRae will complete the details.

At the police court this morning before Magistrate Carss, Nels Larson and Charles Lang were each fined \$10 for being intoxicated. Joe Rangea, the tall colored gentleman, who was remanded when charged with vagrancy yesterday, was today charged with the theft of a watch. His case was adjourned until next Thursday.

Mr. Len Bell left this morning for his home in Winnipeg.

Mr. F. W. Holler, superintendent of the Surf Inlet Mines, is paying a visit to the city.

Dr. C. D. Carter, of Seattle, was among the passengers arriving in town today from the south.

Mrs. J. W. Ferguson of Haysport, was among the passengers for up river on this morning's train.

Mr. R. J. McDonnell, of the Northern Hotel at New Hazelton, left this morning for home, after a visit to the south for several weeks.

The services at St. Andrew's and St. Peter's churches tomorrow will conform to the new Day-Light Saving Bill, and consequently will start an hour earlier by the sun.



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## Military Service Act

Important Announcement to All

# EXEMPTED MEN

and to the Public Generally

**I**N dealing with the very large number of claims for exemption brought forward for consideration in connection with Class 1 under the Military Service Act, it has occurred, as was inevitable, that as a result of false statements and difficulties put in the way of investigation, some individuals have secured exemption whose proper place is in the Army.

It is not the intention of the Government to allow these men to evade permanently their obligation to bear their part in the military defence of the Country and of the ideals for which we are fighting. To do so would defeat the purpose of the Act, and cause grave injustice to men in the second class necessarily called out to fill their places.

### Exemptions Granted on False Grounds

It is, therefore, proposed to scrutinize carefully all exemptions granted to date in order to separate those which have been granted on false or insufficient grounds from those that are well founded.

With this object in view the various Registrars under the Military Service Act have been instructed to issue a series of questionnaires to exempted men. These questionnaires must be filled up correctly and returned promptly under penalty of forfeiture of exemption for failure to do so.

### Exempted Men Who Have Changed Address

It is therefore important in their own interest that all exempted men who have changed their address since their exemption was granted and who have not already notified the Registrar of such change should notify him at once. Under the Regulations it is the duty of exempted men to keep the Registrar advised of any change of address, and failure to receive the questionnaire by reason of neglect of this duty must be treated as equivalent to failure to return the questionnaire after receipt.

### Citizens Urged to Assist

In many instances information has been furnished by members of the public which has led to the cancellation of exemptions obtained by false or misleading statements. Further co-operation of this character is invited. The Government regard it as the Duty of all loyal citizens, not only to the Country, but to the men at the front, to assist in this way in securing reinforcements on a just and legal basis. Correspondence of this character will be treated as strictly confidential and will receive the fullest investigation.

CHARLES J. DOHERTY,  
Minister of Justice.

Correspondence should be directed to Robt. S. Lennie, K.C., Registrar under the Military Service Act, Vancouver, B.C.