

In the Letter Box!

GRATEFUL FOR COURTESIES

Prince Rupert, Aug. 27.
To the Editor, The Daily News,
Prince Rupert, B.C.

Dear Sir:—We should feel grateful if you would, through the columns of your paper, thank the Colonel and officers of the Irish Fusiliers for the way in which they received and treated some of the survivors of the Prince Albert.

Some of us on landing went to see Col. McSpadden, who in his usual kind hearted way presented us with money to buy dry clothes with and furnished us with bread and lodging. Both the officers of the Fusiliers on the Prince John who came to our rescue, and the officers and men in the barracks were untiring in their efforts to make us at home.

TWO SURVIVORS.

FROM THE BISHOP

To the Editor.

Sir,—In this terrible war now raging, the Emperor of Germany appeals to God. The Czar of Russia appeals to God. The King of Great Britain and Ireland and the British Dominions over the Seas appeals to God.

The sceptic scoffs and says God will have a hard time answering all. Many people feel confused and yet in ordinary life we are all familiar with the case of two parties in a dispute appealing to a judge, each fighting his cause most warmly confident that he is in the right but leaving it to the judge with his calm mind and unbiased judgment to decide the issue, and so there need be nothing bewildering to us when those in this great conflict who take different sides appeal to the Sovereign Lord of the universe and the Judge of all mankind. In the calm mind of the Eternal there is no heated prejudice. He can over-rule the wild

NOTICE

The Presbyterian S.S. picnic will be held Saturday, August 29. Boats leave Government Wharf at 1:30. Members are requested to bring baskets. Programme of sports and prizes given. 199-01

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For the Lastest Happenings of the War

CARDINALS TO MEET MONDAY TO NAME POPE

London, August 27.—A Rome dispatch to The Exchange Telegraph Company, says it is announced by the cardinal who administers the Holy See on the death of the Pope, that the conclave of cardinals will begin August 31, and it is expected that the new pope will be elected by September 3 or 4.

Cardinal Francesco Della Volpe, as camerlengo (chancellor), is now the acting head of the Roman Catholic Church. He will conduct affairs until the conclave elects a new pope. He is 69 years old. He was at the time of his elevation to the cardinalate the maggiordomo of the Pope and controlled the whole administration of the papal residence, supervising the Vatican employees. He had held that position for eight years, having previously been the maestro di camera, the official who has charge of arranging for papal audiences. Many Americans who visited Rome when Cardinal Della Volpe held this office remember his affable manner and courteous attention. He has spent all his life in Rome. He is archbishop of Bologna.

SOLDIERS GUESTS OF WESTHOLME THEATRE

A large number of the Irish Fusiliers and the staff of the hospital ship Prince George were guests last night of the Westholme Theatre. This was a very happy thought of the theatre management who appreciate the universal popularity of the soldiers. The soldiers on duty last night will in turn be the guests of the Theatre tonight. The pictures showed the review of the British and French troops, some of which were taken from an aeroplane above. The appearance of King George at certain points in the review brought forth peals of cheers. Patriotic songs were sung during which everybody sprang to their feet. These exercises will be repeated tonight.

POLICE COMMISSION AFTER BOOZE DISPENSERS

The city police commission met yesterday afternoon when the chief reported on the escape of the prisoner Ellis. The man was being used as a trustee to take out ashes and carry coal. When he went for coal he ran up over the hill back of the city hall and got away. The officer in charge was fired.

The police expect to get the man as he was reported having crossed Zanardi bridge. The commission confirmed the chief's action.

The question of the illegal selling of booze on Comox avenue was discussed and the police were asked to take strict measures to stop it. Recommendations in compliance with this effort will be made to the license commission.

PROTEST FROM EMBASSIES

(Special to The News - 8:30 a.m.) Antwerp, August 27.—The ministers of the foreign Powers have protested against the bombardment of Antwerp by Zeppelin dirigible balloons.

Not stopped by war: Every boat brings new fall goods to Wallace's. 198tf

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Effective Monday, August 10th, Household Coal will be \$1 per ton DELIVERED IN SECTIONS 1, 5, 6; \$12.00 per ton DELIVERED IN SECTIONS 2, 7, 8. COAL WILL BE SOLD FOR STRICTLY CASH. NO BACKS WILL BE LEFT.

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GILLETTS EATS LYE DIRT CLEANS-DISINFECTS

PROMISCUOUS DANCING A SIGN OF SAVAGERY

Sermon Preached by Rev. Sydney Strong at Queen Anne Church

Seattle, August 27.—Rev. Dr. Sydney Strong, preaching at the Queen Anne Congregational Church on the subject "The Sign of the Savage as Seen in Modern Society," rapped men's and women's modern attire and the modern dance. Dr. Strong's sermon, in part, follows:

"The ancestors of the most of us, a few centuries ago, were savages. If you were fortunate to have as your ancestors Italians or Jews, or more especially Chinese, then would this period of ancestral experience be pushed back to a remote period. But if your ancestors were mere Englishmen or Germans or Scandinavians, then were they savages in recent centuries."

"The native tribes of South Africa often complained most bitterly of missionaries because they were made to work. The comment of an African savage on visiting Cape Town, after seeing the big buildings, car lines, parks etc., was characteristic. 'Ugh!' he said, 'what work these white men make for themselves!'

ELECTRIC CURRENT IN WIRE FENCES

Furious Charge of Germans Results in Rout in Front of Liege Forts

Paris, August 27.—The Petit Journal publishes the following details of the fighting around Liege, obtained from a Belgian officer:

"German troops rushed on the barbed wire defences before the forts of Liege in the darkness of night. A strong current of electricity was being maintained in those wires and as a result the first ranks of the Germans were electrocuted."

"Unchecked, the assailants formed en masse, but they were blinded by the glare of powerful searchlights. They hesitated and started to retire. At that moment a heavy fire of rifles and artillery was concentrated on the mass of German troops and they were cut to pieces. The mass of bodies formed a mound, in some places many feet high."

"To drown out the groans of the wounded, the bugles sounded martial airs and the troops still alive united in cheering."

GERMAN ATTACKS ON FRENCH FRONTIER WERE ALL REPULSED

London, August 27.—The German forces who have delivered an attack on the French frontier were repulsed all along the line. This information is given by the official bureau yesterday afternoon.

It is officially announced that on August 25th the French on the northern frontier of Belgium were attacked in force by the Germans. The attack was repulsed and the enemy retired all along the line.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

This is to warn the public that patent is now pending for a patent on a coil I am installing in kitchen stoves and ranges, and anyone installing such coil or infringement on said coil, or any one having this installed, will be subject to be sued for damages upon my receiving patent papers.

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BRANDS ASTROLOGY AS ONLY A WEAK SUPERSTITION

Washington, Aug. 27.—Astrology is branded as a superstition by the Department of Agriculture in its current weekly news letter.

Discussing the question of whether the planets affect the weather, the Department declared "the belief still to be found in all countries, that the planets and the moon do affect the weather never had any scientific basis whatever. It is only a remnant of the many superstitions generated and fostered by that other greater superstition, astrology."

PRINCE RUPERT BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Otto D. Jurgs and their niece, Miss Muck, leave today for a visit in Portland.

Among the passengers to Masset last evening were: Mr. Satterthwaite, Mr. Cramer and Mr. McIntosh.

W. S. Marshall, manager of the Prince Rupert Importing Company, returned to the city last evening from his home in Hamilton where he has been for some months.

The City of Seattle will be in today southbound. Among the passengers out will be Miss Mary Lillie, S. F. Mongin, Mr. and Mrs. Otto D. Jurgs, Miss Margaret Muck, Miss Elsie Savan, H. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mellish.

BUSY SESSION AT POLICE COURT TODAY

The police court had a busy session this morning and gathered in nearly \$100 in fines. Most of the cases were only minor offences.

May Brown was charged \$25 for conducting a bawdy house.

Pete George paid \$20 for keeping a gaming house. Two others found on the premises were fined \$10 each.

Pete Close was fined \$5 for fighting.

Mary Wesley, an Indian woman was charged \$40 for being d. and d. Three other drunks were charged \$5 each.

LADIES' AID ELECT OFFICERS

The semi-annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church was held yesterday in the Church Hall. The following officers were elected:

Mrs. H. R. Grant, honorary president.

Mrs. Reddie, president. Mrs. Arnold, vice-president. Mrs. Sinclair, secretary. Mrs. D. C. McRae, treasurer.



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Box 17—1st Ave. and 7th St. (Central Hotel)

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Box 23—3rd Ave. and McBride St.

Box 24—1st Ave. and McBride St.

Box 25—2nd Ave. and 2nd St.

Box 26—2nd Ave. and 6th St.

Box 27—Q. T. P.

CIRCUIT NO. 3.

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Box 32—Borden and Taylor Sts.

Box 34—7th Ave. and Fulton St.

Box 35—9th Ave. and Comox Ave.

Box 37—8th Ave. and Dodge Pl.

Box 38—6th Ave. and Thompson St.

CIRCUIT NO. 4.

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Box 42—5th Ave. and McBride St.

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