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(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Nov. 21.—A remarkable tribute to the bravery of the British soldiers in France is paid by Sir John French in a special letter addressed to the Second Army Corps. He says:
"Your commander in chief has been touched with the greatest admiration and solicitude the splendid stand made by the soldiers of His Majesty the King in their splendid efforts to maintain the forward position which you won by your gallantry and steadfastness. Your courage and endurance is beyond all praise. It is an honor to lead such an army."

CANADA WILL RECRUIT 50,000 MORE MEN

(Special to The Daily News.)
Ottawa, Nov. 21.—The Cabinet has decided to increase the number of recruits to 50,000 to assist in the war effort. The greater part of the recruits will be recruited from the West.

INDIANS ARRESTED FOR HIGH TREASON

Mr. Snyder and his two sons, Arthur and Arthur, are under arrest for high treason. They are charged with attempting to take the Canadian reserves across the border to the American side. They are liable to a death penalty. The Snyders have been under surveillance for some time. They were caught in a trap. They were offered \$40 to land four boats on the American side. The money was paid and four boats were brought. A squad of militiamen surrounded the party and imprisoned the Snyders in the armory. The case is in the hands of the court.

THE WEATHER.

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Nov. 21, 1914.
Barometer 29.128
Temp. 46.0
Wind 42.0
Rainfall33

WASHED NUT COAL—\$8.00.

New Wellington Coal Co., Ltd., Phone 116.

AUCTION SALE.

The stock and equipment of Philip J. Hamilton, assigned (formerly Khott & Hamilton), will be sold at Public Auction on Tuesday, the 24th day of November, 1914, at 3 o'clock P. M., at the premises on Third Avenue, next to the Bank of Montreal.
C. B. PETERSON,
Assignee.

WANTED.

People to come and see our immense stock of Second Hand Furniture. We must dispose of it at once. Prices to suit everybody. Corner of Third Avenue and Seventh Street. Furniture Stores. Phone No. 86 and 465.

FRANCE ADMITS FREE PRESENTS TO SOLDIERS

(Special to The Daily News.)
Ottawa, Nov. 21.—A dispatch has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies stating that presents to individual soldiers or bodies of men belonging to the Canadian expeditionary forces will be admitted to France free of duty.

WILL HOLD CUSTOMS.

Monies From Vera Cruz Collections to Be Retained in Trust.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 21.—The United States will hold the several million dollars in customs collected at Vera Cruz until a stable government is established in Mexico and will not turn it over to the French bondholders. President Wilson said the money would be delivered to neither faction in Mexico under present conditions and indicated that only a government recognized by the United States would receive the money.

He feels that responsibility for which faction gets control of Vera Cruz after its evacuation by American troops does not rest with the United States. No confirmation has been received of reports that Villa had promised to leave Mexico.

RAILWAY MANAGER ENLISTS IN NEW ARMY

London, Nov. 21.—F. G. English, freight manager of the Grand Trunk Railway, has joined as a private a new battalion of Earl Kitchener's army.

Tea Drinkers Must Pay.

London, Nov. 21.—David Lloyd George, Chancellor of the Exchequer, announced in the House of Commons that an additional duty of six cents per pound would be placed on tea.

BAZAAR.

On Wednesday, November 25, afternoon and evening, the ladies of the Presbyterian Church will hold a sale of work in St. Andrews Hall of plain and fancy sewing, candy and home cooking. Many useful and ornamental articles suitable for Christmas gifts. A musical program will be given during the evening. Bring your friends.

What is more acceptable than Photos for X-mas gifts. Benson Studio, Second Avenue, is the place.

The latest march song success—direct from the firing line—'It's a Long, Long Way to Tipperary.' Mrs. Carpenter's Music Store, 6-0



IN THE MARKET SQUARE AT FURNES.—This little Belgian city has been in the thick of the fighting for the coast cities. The picture shows the center of the town occupied by a convoy of French and Belgians.

FISH BANQUET PROVED VERY POPULAR-- HEARTY INTEREST SHOWN INDUSTRY

Management of Hotel Prince Rupert Gives Complimentary Dinner to City Council, Leaders in the Fish Business And the Press--Developed Great Interest in the Welfare of the Fish Industry in This Vicinity

The Hotel Prince Rupert gave a complimentary dinner last night to the members of the City Council, the representatives of the local fishing business and the members of the Press. The idea was to make it a "Fish Dinner" in honor of our great industry and almost every course was in some delectable form of that wholesome food. Even the lubricants, which some people call "Scotch," Mr. Morrow assured his guests was a product of salmon, turned out at the Cassiar cannery.

The menu was as follows:
Hors d'Oeuvres
Bouillon de Lucines en Tasse
Smoked Black Cod a la Shrubbsall
Pome Julien
Filles of Sol a la Peregrueux
Petit Pois
Saumon de Goree
Pommes en Glace
Sherbert au Kish
Salade Sasanova
Petits Fours
Cafe Noir

It is safe to say that as a result of that dinner fish will become more popular in Prince Rupert, especially among those who tasted of the dainty dishes there provided. The chef of the hotel came in for considerable notice and complimentary remarks because of the excellence of the spread.

The idea of management, however, was two-fold. Besides complimenting the members of the Council and Press for sympathy and assistance during the construction of the hotel they de-

sired also to give a boost for the industry that will make Prince Rupert.

After due attention was given to the spread a list of toasts was provided, the Mayor presiding. After the toast to the King was duly honored the toast to "Our Greatest Industry" was proposed by the Mayor. He referred to what the fishing industry had done for Eastern cities and for cities in the old land. It would make Prince Rupert the Gloucester of the Pacific. The industry should receive the help and assistance of the city. Mr. Morley Donaldson had intimated to him his great faith in what the fish would do for Prince Rupert.

Referring to the complimentary dinner, the Mayor said that instead of them thanking the City Council for doing what was their duty in assisting them the thanks of the city was due to the management of the hotel for providing such high-class accommodation in the city.

Mr. T. H. Johnson, of the Cold Storage, responded. He apologized for not being a speaker, but when he got started he proved that he was quite at home on his feet. He told how the fish business was different to all others in that it was a perishable trade. It had to be handled quickly. The fish trade in this district was hardly begun. Only halibut and salmon were handled to any great extent. Other lines would develop, such as the herring, cod, etc. The best advertisement for the fish business

was that the present companies should succeed. Then others would come. The city should give all the assistance possible to this industry. Free bait was a step in the right direction, but facilities also should be provided so that the independent fisherman could sell his fish for cash instead of taking a chance on an uncertain market.

Mr. Harry Sheere, of Haysport, also spoke to the toast. He believed Prince Rupert would be the greatest fishing center in America. The sea contained innumerable varieties which soon would be developed. He had great faith in the outlook here.

Alderman Morrissey proposed the Toast to the City Council and their part in the development of this industry. He referred to the great expenditure this city had to undertake and the need of economizing funds. The council might assist by low tax rates and inducing the G. T. P. to give low rentals on waterfront. Speaking about the free bait, he outlined conditions in the East where similar conditions prevailed and showed how there would be strong opposition to the principle being established here. The Council wanted to open up Eighth Avenue to the Cold Storage but while the G. T. P. provided access the Council had no authority to build a road over private property.

Alderman Dybhayn thought that private citizens could help the industry more than the Council. The Municipal Act prevented the city from giving bonuses

RUSSIANS HAVE BOMBARDED TURKISH ARMENIAN PORTS

PORT ON BLACK SEA BROKEN UP BY RUSSIAN FLEET—CUSTOM HOUSE AND AMMUNITION DEPOT DESTROYED—PLACE SET ON FIRE

(Special to The Daily News.)
Petrograd, Nov. 21.—(Official.)—A Russian warship has bombarded Port Khopa, in Turkish Armenia, about eighteen miles southwest of Batum on the Black Sea, whence the Turks are preparing an offensive movement in the direction of the Zatcharekh region. Besides destroying the port customs house and blowing up the ammunition depot they set the place on fire.

to competitive firms. Free taxation could be given and a low valuation placed on waterfrontage so that the maximum rate of 6 per cent on assessed valuation, which the government allowed the G. T. P. to charge, would not be too severe.

G. W. Nickerson said that all Prince Rupert wanted was the same rights the East had now. They had the free bait principle there and shipment in bond to the States under the modus vivendi.

Alderman McClymont proposed the toast, "Fish, Markets, and Transportation From Prince Rupert." He said it was contended the industry would support a population of 25,000 here. Even if that were cut in half it was a big thing. (Mr. Johnson interjected that it would support 60,000 if developed.) He was in favor of removing any barriers to the industry.

Mr. Noonan, of the Atlin Fisheries, had come here from Gloucester. He believed this port would be greater than Gloucester. His company was the first to send a schooner to the halibut banks.

Alderman Montgomery believed the road should be built to the Cold Storage out of general fund even if not exactly legal.

Captain Rorvic pleaded for the small fishing business. He said he didn't believe the G. T. P. was doing all they should to help. Waterfront rentals were too high.

Mr. Poole, one of the latest additions to the business, spoke in loudest praise of the outlook here. He was brought up at Gloucester, where "his father lived for 300 years." He believed the outlook here was far greater. The city should cater to the independent fisherman. There were lots of men here now—old Gloucester men who asked him why he didn't supply boats so they could get busy. He had gone to Seattle to get boats and Seattle had got alarmed. The Chamber of Commerce feared Prince Rupert had decided to build a half million dollar wharf for the free use of the fishermen. Even yet he believed Prince Rupert could "beat them to it."

The Overseas Contingent, the Press and the Ladies were duly honored.

The event was one of the most popular ever pulled off in Prince Rupert. Messrs. Morrow and Rochester proved excellent hosts. Indeed it was with difficulty that the party broke away and it would be unwise to publish the hour, since every man no doubt had to swear to his better half that he was home by midnight—but he wasn't.

RUPERT MUST COMPETE WITH CITIES IN SOUTH

The most patriotic and telling speech made at the banquet last night was that of Mr. George W. Morrow. Mr. Morrow has always been a great booster for the city but he is more than that. He understands economics and if the city is standing on the wrong foot he is not afraid to attack it. Last night in words that were clear and convincing he showed that the first thing this city had to do was to reduce the cost of living. He had been in the meat business in the early days and was accused of charging big prices. The same prices are in effect today after direct communication was secured. This, the centre of the fishing industry, paid more for fish than they did in New York. Something was wrong. We could never induce fishermen to locate here till we showed them that they could live here as cheaply as Seattle. If he ever took it into his head to run for mayor he would run on that one issue, to cut everything down to a level with other cities in the south. Then and only then could we expect to compete with other cities. If we wanted to remain at 5000 population we could keep on as we were. In order to develop a city we must get down to a business basis.

NOTICE.
* Until further notice *
* subscribers are asked not *
* to pay subscriptions to any *
* traveling collector. *
* MANAGER. *

SEND BELGIANS FISH.

* It has been suggested *
* that all contributions to *
* the Belgian relief shall *
* consist of local products. *
* This is the plan followed *
* in Vancouver and the *
* same should be done here. *
* What the Belgians need *
* most of all at present is *
* food and what better food *
* could be sent them than *
* Prince Rupert salmon and *
* halibut. It also has the *
* advantage of keeping the *
* money in the district and *
* we need it. The advertis- *
* ing it will give Prince Ru- *
* pert, too, is considerable. *
* No doubt a very cheap *
* rate could be had from the *
* G. T. P. and a shipment *
* could be easily made. Let *
* those in charge of the *
* fund get busy and see that *
* this is carried out. *
