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MCBRIDE'S DAY IS DONE

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## BRITISH FORCES HAVE MADE IMPORTANT ADVANCE

### CANADIANS IN ANOTHER ATTACK ARE COMMENDED--TURKS AFTER BULGARIAN NEUTRALITY

#### BRITISH ATTACK SUCCESSFUL-- CANADIANS IN THICK OF FIGHT

GERMANS MADE COUNTER ATTACK ON SATURDAY WHICH WAS REPULSED--GENERAL FRENCH CONGRATULATES GENERAL ALDERSON OF THE CANADIAN FORCES.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
London, March 15.—Official—A heavy counter attack which took place on Saturday was repulsed. The British train at Don Station was destroyed by our air craft. In three days we took 1,720 prisoners. The enemy's losses amount to 10,000.  
**Canadians Praised.**  
London, March 15.—Official—A dispatch says that the British attack is absolutely complete.

The British heavy and field artillery are doing splendid preparatory work.  
The Canadian forces are a part of the solid wedge at Neuve Chapelle. General French has congratulated General Alderson for the splendid work done by the Canadians.

#### German Plans.

London, March 15.—The Germans are massing a large army in the Yser region in preparation to break the British lines.



GERMANS LOADING CAVALRY AT LODZ FOR ATTACK ON WARSAW.

## BOWSER-McBRIDE SPLIT CONFIRMED-- THE INNER HISTORY OF THE TROUBLE

### Dissolution of the House Was McBride's Bluff to Pull the Party Into Line--Bowser and His Following Refused to Submit and Called His Bluff

Vancouver, March 14.—The provincial political pot is now boiling to an extent never before attained in British Columbia. A battle for supremacy for the reins of government, not only between the two political parties, but between the leaders of the Conservatives, is evidently being launched. The McBride-Bowser partnership seems to be on the verge of dissolution and a fight for who is to be master is waxing hot between Sir Richard and Bowser. An announcement was made last Monday by the Premier that the election would be held on April 10, nomination, March 27. Like a bolt from the blue comes the announcement today from the same source that the election is indefinitely postponed. This change of plan suggests the strenuous war being waged in inner political circles. Owing to

open revolt on the floor of the House, in caucus and dissention in the Cabinet, and because of fear that lesser scandals unearthed may divulge some suggested larger similar operations the Premier is said to be heart-broken. When the majority of members, led by Bowser, went against him in caucus last week, McBride is said to have attempted to pull off a colossal bluff by publicly announcing the election date without consulting his colleagues and to have afterwards stated that unless the members decided to stand by him in the additional subsidy vote for railway policy he would carry his case to the country. It is rumored members have given McBride till today to back down from his position or else go it alone. The Bowser faction evidently is in the ascendancy as an announcement was made today that an election would be postponed indefinitely, although rumor says May 10 is the likely new date. Besides the Cabinet upheaval the government's overwhelming majority has brought about dissention in the well ordered machine and everywhere there is a scramble of party workers for plums, with the result that three and four Conservative candidates are fighting for the nomination in many ridings. Several present members are being ousted by the machine, while others are retiring on account of old age, some from satisfied ambitions, cold feet, and other disabilities, including revulsion of feeling owing to the autocratic attitude of Bowser on all matters political. Rumor has it that the machine has to provide many of the faithful from Vancouver with plums, as there are not enough to get round on the coast. Many political aspirants are to be sent to outlying districts to win their spurs. Amongst other rumors, it is said that the Provincial Conservative machine has delegated to a Vancouver barrister the task of carrying the new Fort George riding for the McBride government. With the rapidly changing political events there is a belief gaining ground steadily here that possibly the postponement of

election day may mean that the government has decided to live out the full term of office possible to them, which would be almost two years more, rather than take a chance with the electorate at a time when there is so much internal dissension, coupled with the widespread feeling throughout the province that the present government has outlived its usefulness.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church is holding a St. Patrick's Tea on Wednesday, March 17, at the home of Mrs. J. A. Kirkpatrick, Fifth Avenue East, from 3 to 6 p. m. A domestic table will be arranged and all are welcome. 61-2

Ladies' Blue Serge Suits, \$15. Man tailored, smartly cut; look as good as the \$35 kind.—Wallace's. tf.

#### \*\*\*\*\* THE MAYOR'S TRIP \*\*\*\*\*

The mayor and Alderman Morrissey have returned. They went as far as Montreal and it is safe to say that they accomplished nothing that could not have been done by mail. It is also a safe prediction that they got no money but that possibly the Bank of Montreal has agreed to defer the payment of the certificates—for what else could they do? It would also be a safe bet that the cost of the trip is nearer two thousand than one thousand dollars. The mayor will of course present a detailed statement and justify this waste of public money. He made this demand of a former opponent and he should be consistent. ?

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**THE WEATHER.**  
By F. W. Dowling, Observer.  
(5 a. m., March 15, 1915.)  
Barometer ..... 29.864  
Max. temp. .... 52.0  
Min. temp. .... 38.0

#### GERMAN ADVANCE IS STOPPED BY RUSSIAN FLANK MOVEMENT

NEW MOVEMENT OF GERMANS IN MŁAWA DISTRICT IS FRUSTRATED--NORTH OF PRZASNYSZ ENEMY'S INFANTRY HAS LIKEWISE FAILED.

(Special to The Daily News.)  
London, March 15.—Telegraphing from Petrograd, a Times correspondent says:  
"The German advance in the Mława region of Poland has been delayed by the Russian action on their front and flanks. The German columns moving up the Orzsewo and Amulew Valleys have been checked.  
"The enemy's infantry has failed to make headway on the plains north of Przasnysz. Milder weather has enabled them to

entrench but during Friday night they were seized with panic and withdrew three miles to the north, abandoning arms and ammunition.  
"Our action on the extreme left of Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's armies appears to have modified his plans."

#### SOCCER CHAMPIONSHIP.

Vancouver, March 15.—The Coquitlam soccer team won the Mainland championship by defeating the B. C. Electrics 3 to 0.

#### NEUTRALITY HANGS IN BALANCE

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Athens, March 15.—Former Premier Venizelos appeals to the government to abandon neutrality. He says the present is an opportunity for Greece to help herself.  
"Greece has offered to renounce her islands in the Aegean Sea and to occupy Greek Macedonia. The Premier's reply is non-committal."

#### AVIATOR AT FAIR MEETS SUDDEN DEATH

(Special to The Daily News.)  
San Francisco, March 15.—Lincoln Beachey, the famous aviator, was killed at the Panama-Pacific Exposition Sunday afternoon in making a sensational perpendicular drop.

#### SOLDIERS ACQUITTED OF HUNTER'S DEATH

Canadians Found by Welland County Jury to Have Been Justified in Shooting.

Welland, Ont., March 15.—The bill charging manslaughter against a Provincial police officer and three Canadian soldiers, who last fall fired upon two American duck hunters, Walter Smith and Charles Dorsch, killing Smith and wounding his companion, was dismissed by the Welland County grand jury. The men who were named in the bill are Police Officer Thomas C. Delaney, Corporal Archie Mayo and Privates Leslie Kinsman and E. McIntosh.

The shooting, which resulted in diplomatic correspondence between the United States and Great Britain and the paying by Canada of \$5,000 to Dorsch and \$10,000 to Smith's relatives, occurred on the Niagara River. Smith and Dorsch were said to have approached the Canadian shore, which was being guarded by soldiers against a possible invasion of Canada by Germans from the American side.

The soldiers, according to their own statement, fired when the two men failed to obey an order not to come any nearer.

#### HELEN KELLER IS ILL.

The Girl Who Overcame Lack of Senses in Danger of Pneumonia.

Austin, Texas, March 13.—Miss Helen Keller, in this city to deliver a lecture, was taken to a hospital yesterday suffering from a severe cold. Physicians said pneumonia might develop.

#### MONEY TO LOAN.

Have \$500 for short loan or purchase of agreement for sale. Apply Box B, Daily News. tf.

Suits Pressed—50 cents. Guarantee Tailors, Sixth Street. Phone Black 69. 51-63  
Flower and vegetable seeds.—Wallace's.

#### BRIBE FOR BULGARIA NOT YET ACCEPTED

(Special to The Daily News.)  
London, March 15.—Halil Bey, president of the Turkish chamber at Sofia, offers Adrianople to Bulgaria and also to return the territory won by the second Balkan war if Bulgaria will attack Greece and occupy Greek Macedonia. The Premier's reply is non-committal.

#### JUMPED SIXTY FEET BUT IS STILL ALIVE

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Vancouver, March 15.—Lillian Green, aged 22, tried to commit suicide last night by leaping from the sixth story of the Coral Rooms, on Hastings Street. She struck a roof sixty feet below, breaking her right leg and injuring her head. She was clad only in a night dress. She will live.

#### L. D. TAYLOR WAS RE-ELECTED MAYOR

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Vancouver, March 15.—In the civic elections on Saturday, L. D. Taylor was re-elected over all opponents by a substantial majority. The number of votes secured by Taylor were 5,839; Hepburn got 4,656, and Whiteway only 85.

#### TURN OFF ORATORY TAP, MR. STEVEN'S PROPOSAL

Would Limit Speeches to 45 Minutes in House and 20 in Committee.

Ottawa, March 8.—The limitation of Parliamentary oratory is sought by Mr. H. H. Stevens, of Vancouver. He has given notice of a resolution in the Commons providing for the appointment of a special committee to consider and report on the question of limiting all speeches to forty-five minutes in regular sessions and twenty minutes when the House is in committee of the whole, excepting in the case of movers of a bill or resolution and the reply thereto, or in the case of a minister of the crown and a member replying to a ministerial speech.

#### COPPER CABBAGES.

Milan, Italy, March 13.—Notwithstanding the precautions taken by the authorities to prevent the re-exportation from Italy to belligerent nations of goods classed as contraband of war, it has been discovered that large quantities of copper have been sent to Berlin concealed in trucks loaded with cabbages. Officials now have increased their vigilance in attempting to check this trade.

#### INDOOR BASEBALL.

Terminals vs. Catholic Club at the Auditorium tonight at 8:15.

## St. Patrick's Concert

Wednesday Evening, 8.15 p.m.  
AT THE WESTHOLME THEATRE

Tickets at Orme's 3rd Ave. Drug Store. Tickets, 50c. and \$1.00

## VOTERS' LIST

Any local person who is on the provincial list elsewhere in British Columbia and did not have time to get transferred before the recent announcement of the election should immediately apply for change of registration.

Forty days must elapse between the change of registration and election, and as the date has been deferred, there may still be lots of time. Get busy! Apply to any commissioner or friend of the party.

#### MAJESTIC THEATRE

MONDAY AND TUESDAY  
March 15 and 16

"FOR HER FATHER'S SINS"  
Beautiful Story, Well Pictured,  
in Two Parts.

#### —DRAMA—

"LOGGING FOR THE NIGHT"  
Thrilling Tale of the Hills Featuring  
Ed Cohen and Charlotte  
Burton.

#### —COMEDY—

"DAD AND THE GIRLS"  
A Novel and Refined Comedy—How  
Father's New Steno Broke into  
the Family.

#### —KEYSTONE—

"THE WINNING PUNCH"

U. S. ARMY MANEUVERS

MR. HARRY J. LACELLE  
Comedian, Has a Few Good  
Corny Songs for You,  
Don't Fail to Hear Them