## R.W. Leonard (Coniagas) Says We Can HAROLD W. CLARK Easily Refine Nickel in Canada

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### MR. KIRKWOOD TELLS HIS EXPERIENCE IN NICKEL

onsense to be scared by the threats of disaster that awaits us—we when pulpwood was the them—and no one has suffered except who was profiting by our national wealth. Do it now.

Club, Dec. 29.

Jas. G. Guise-Bagley.

## WINNIPEG OPINION ON NICKEL

CANADIAN NICKEL

From Winnipeg Telegram Dec. 29:
any fear that Canadian nickel might
each our enemies must be removed
by the recently-issued statement of
the International Nickel Company,
which refines all the cres, except those
that go to Britain, from our mines at
sudbury, the source of 80 per cent. of
the world's nickel supply. Ever since
the outbreak of the war there has been
demand that the government should
prohibit the export of nickel ore. This
lemand arose from a de ire to prevent
the product of this ore reaching Germany, where it is necessary for naval
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It was generall selleved that the gevernment had tarks precaution to prevent such assistance reaching the enemies of the Empire. To have prohibited the export of nickel would have immediately affected thousands employed in the mincs at Sudbury, and even if permitted to Britain would have seriously affected the supply of the plants there is insufficient to meet the wants of that country and her allies. The only arrangement possible was to dictate the destination of the refined article, and this was done by the Canadlan Government immediately on the declaration of hostilities. In its announcement on this question the company gives every assurance of the control of supply by our government. "Full information as to the destination of shipments of nickel made by the company has been in the possession of the Dominion authorities since the outbreak of the European war, and they are currently kept cognizant of all exports of nickel, as well as of all local shipments made by the company."

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The government by its foresight has prevented nickel reaching our enemies without interfering with the work at the mines. The question of an export duty to force the establishment of re-fining plants in Canada is one that cannot be dealt with satisfactorily un-til normal conditions prevail.

## IN THE MATTER OF NICKEL.

Manitoba Free Press, December 5: The statement given out y the Dominion Government elative to the export of nickey matte from Canada must be accepted as satisfactory for the time being; unless we are to assume that the government is in the business of hoodwinking the people of Canada in order to make possible the export of mickel products from the United States to Germany. The government declares that the exports of the International Nickel Co. are under its supervision, and that the British Government has declared itself satisfied with the precautions taken to prevent supplies reaching Germany. Canada produces over 80 per cent of the world's outless we are to assume that the government is in the business of hood-winking the people of Canada in order to make possible the export of nickel products from the United States reaching Germany. Canada produces over 80 per cent. of the world's output of nickel, but refines little or none of it. In 1913 Canada exported no less than 43.341,307 pounds of nickel, contained in ore or matte, to the United States, and 4.826,783 pounds to the United Kingdom. The International Nickel Co., an American concern, with its refineries in New Jersey, has handled the bulk of the output of the Sudbury mines. While there are uses for pure nickel, the metal is mostly used in the production of alloys, and chiefly in the manufacture of nickel steel. The value of this steel for armor plate is

In 1898 and 1899 I controlled a nickel property in the Sudbury district, and mined 1000 tons of the ore to prove the property; then I erected a smelting ant to smelt the ore. The Canadian Copper Company, thru an agent in aguise, made me an offer which I accepted because this agent represented me that the capitalists behind him were Montreal parties. The money as paid to me by the Canadian Copper Company's solicitors in Toronto. As on as they got the property in their hands they shut it down and the builders, twenty-one in number, caught fire by accident.

The Canadian Copper Company, as you know, was merged into the Intertional Nickel Company, who arranged with the Le Nickel Company in this, France, not to sell nickel in France if they would not sell their nickel inside of France. This gave the wide world to the International Nickel impany for their output until the Mond Nickel Company came into existence 1900. This I know, because I went to Paris and London with Sir Charles apper, Bart., to offer the nickel properties you refer to in The World of Wedday last to the imperial government, which they turned down. What a pity sy did not enter in the nickel industry at that time as I pointed out to them. It is not too late yet to induce the imperial government to secure the civel properties in Canada, and these they should work themselves because international Nickel properties are now being controlled and worked by nericans. They comploy American labor at, or as the heads of each department at Sudbury works. There is no reason why Canadians should not be imployed in their places as I can name dozens to fill their positions.

If I can assist you in any way I would be glad.

Toronto, Dec. 31.

one of the largest customers of the International Nuckel Co, have been the Krupps, who are also supposed to be heavy holders of stock in the con-

heavy holders of stock in the concern.

A vigorous agitation has been carried on by The Toronto World for such action by the Dominion Government as would make it impossible for any of the Canadian product to reach Germany. The World believes that Germany, directly or indirectly, gets its supply from the International Nickel Co. "There is only one thing to do," declares The World, "and that is, take over the nickel deposits, control the production and sale, and prohibt all export to Germany or to countries whence she may draw it for her own use."

### DEATH CLAIMS LEADING **NORWEGIAN PHYSICIAN**

Dr. Klaus Haussen, Leader · Fight Against Tuberculosis. is Dead.

CHRISTIANIA, Jan. 3 .- The death is announced at Bergen of Dr. Klaus Hanssen, prominent as a physician in

value of this steel for armor plate is well known, and without it battleships would like their chief protection. It has been generally understood that streets.

Selling all of our \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00 Fancy Vests for \$3.98 each. Oak Hail, corner Yonge and Adelaids

His Sudden Death From Appendicitis Was a Great

Was a Member of Several Parkdale Clubs and Societies

Germans Content to Mark Time After Reverse in Poland.

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"The Bourse Gazette's Moscom cor-respondent asserts that the Austri-ans are evacuating Bukowina and that more than 30,000 panic-stricken inhabitants of Bukowin and Transylhabitants of Bukewin and Tr mia have fied into Roumania. "Three Austrian aeropianes "Three Austrian aeropianes iropped ten bombs on Kielce, lamage is not known."

## GERMANS RENEW ATTACKS.

PETROGRAD, (Via London, Jan. 3).

— Having fortified themselves along the line thru Sochaczew, Skierniewice, Rawa and Opoczno, Russian Poland, the Germans have again renewed their stubborn attacks simultaneously to the south and west of Warsaw, and have endeavored to cross the Vistula River near Czerwinsk, evidently with the intention of directing a movement against Nowo Georgiewsk, a This is the information contained in despatches received here from the eastern war theatre.

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In the south, near Groitzy, the Germans are attempting an advance toward the Vistula in the region midway between Warsaw and Ivangorod, it is said. The German plan, according to the despatches, seems to be to have the Austro-German forces which are now near Konskie and moving in the general direction of Radom and Ivangorod, join the Germán forces around Greitzy in besieging Ivangorod.

Warsaw Not Real Goal.

Military men here express the opinion that it is now apparent that Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's real godl is not so much Warsaw, whose capture would give him only a moral advantage, as Mowo Georgiewsk and Ivangorod, for the Germans in order to keep western Poland must possess the latter two places. It is asserted, however, that the German's are still 60 or 70 miles from Ivangorod and that every day the probability of taking these places is lessened. The general cpinion expressed in Petrograd is that neither Ivangorod nor Mowo Georgiewsk can be taken. The Russians, however, do not depreciate the perfection of the German technique and fierceness of attack and the effect of the Germans' heavy artillery now in action in Poland.

# CHIEF LIBERAL WHIP SUMMONED BY DEATH

Percy Illingworth Made Member of Privy Council at New Year's.

Canadian Press Despatch.

LONDON, Jan. 3.—Percy Holden IIlingworth, chief Liberal whip in the
house of commons, and parliamentary
secretary to the treasury, died today
of typhoid fever. He was born at
Bradford in 1869.

In August, 1912, Mr. Illingworth was
appointed chief Liberal whip, succeeding Lord Murray of Elibank, whose
purchase of Marconi shares as an investment of the funds of the Liberal
party was the subject of much discussion when a parliamentary committee
in June, 1918, investigated the scandals connected with government wireless contracts.

Mr. Illingworth was included in the New Year's honor list, he having been made comember of the privy council.

### RABBI PROCLAIMS DEATH OF MRS. AHEARN REPORTED AT OTTAWA

Canada Loses Prominent Philan-thropist and Founder of Vic-torian Order of Nurses.

Canadian Press Despatch.
OTTAWA, Jan. 3.—Margaret Howitt
Altearn, wife of Thomas Ahearn, president of the Ottawa Electric Railway, WAS BURIED SATURDAY pany, died here this morning of heart trouble, after a long lilners.

With the passing of Mrs. Ahearn not only Ottawa, but Canada at large has lost one of the most prominent and useful women in philambropic and educational circles. She was one of Nurses and for some time presiden The sudden news of the death of of the Women's Canadian Historical Harold Wadsworth Clark, only son of Society, being its honorary president for and Mrs. A. D. Clark, 115 Downing at the time of her death. She was

LONDON, Jan. 3.—Gunner Horrigan and Boatswain Taylor are among the surviving officers of the Formidable.. FIVE HUNDRED MEN MORE

Reinforcements to Be Sent to England Within Fortnight at Infanto Request of War Office.

Canadian Press Despatch.

OTTAWA, Jan. 3.—Reinforcements of 500 men for the Princess Patricia's regiment will be sent from Canada to England within a fortnight. They have been requested by the British War Office and will be drawn from battalions now being recruited for the second contingent. Half of them will come from the middle west, one-quarter from British Columbia, and one-quarter from Quebec. The militia department has no information as to whether the regiment has been in action yet or not.

### SPECIAL PRAYERS SAID FOR BRITISH VICTORY

Montreal Churches All Observe Imperial Order-in-Council— Plea for Lasting Peace.

MONTREAL, Jan. 8 .- Special prayers in connection with the war were offered in the Montreal churches today. offered in the Montreal churches today, following the imperial order-in-council, and the annual week of prayer, which was thus begun today, will have special reference to the war at each service. In addition to the evening prayer meeting there will be a daily noon service this week for business men in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

## PRAYERS THRUOUT EMPIRE.

Canadian Press Despatch.

LONDON, Jan. 3.—Thrucut the British Empire and in the English churches in foreign countries, intercession services were held today for the success of the allies arms. Many of the sermons embodied exhortations to the young men to join the army. King George attended services in the village church at Sandringham.

## TOBAGGANIST INJURED.

While a party of young people were tobaggoning on the Kingston road hill late Saturday afternoon, Miss Kay of 184 Lee avenue, received a compound fracture of the ankle thru being thrown cut when the tobaggon overturned. She was removed to Wellesley Hospital in L. M. Trull's my tor ambulance. STOCKHOLM'S MOOD SUBDUED.

Canadian Press Despatch. STOCKHOLM, via London, Jan. 3.— All official functions and dinners for the new year have been canceled owing to the war, it is announced,

Holy Blossom Synagogue Stirred by Patriotic Appeal of Rev. S. Jacobs

**NO PEACE POLICY NOW** 

There is a Time When War Righteous—Jews Stand by Britain.

## **OFFICIAL STATEMENTS**

wife is situation. The weather continues to be very bad on almost the whole front.

"During the day of Jan. 2 we strengtherened the position to the north of the Lys gained during the preceding days. The enemy has shown activity only in the region of Zonnebeke, which he has violently bombarded. From the Lys to Arras there is almost complete quiet.

"There was an artillery engagement in the region of Albert and Roye, and our infantry advanced some 500 metres near

Le Pretre (northwest of Pont-a-Mouseon).

"In the Vosges we have occupied one
of the enemy's trenches. Artiflery engagements have taken place in the Ban
de Sapt and in the valley of the Save.

"In Upper Alsace our former gains in
the region of Thann have been maintained. We have bombarded a German train
in the rallway station of Altkirch and
caused some damage on the rallway between Carepach and Dierspach to the
southwest of Altkirch.

"In general the perceptible abatement
which can be noted in our active offensive should be attributed to the incessant rains, which soak the ground and
make operations everywhere impossible."

"On the Bzura and Rawka Rivers we are continuing the successful repulse of German attacks in spite of the enemy's heavy artillery fire and bomb-throwing.

"On the road to Wioszowa, in the Kielce region, at the Village of Lopuszno, on Dec. 31, German troops after a stubborn battle, took possession of a portion of our trenches, but a later counter-attack forced the enemy to abandon all the trenches previously occupied. During this affair we captured several hundred prisoners and nine machine guns.

"In western Galicia fighting continues in the region of Gorice. In the region of Colujok we occupied Austrian positions, where we took as many as a thousand prisoners.



### LIQUOR MEN TO CONTEST LICENSE REDUCTION LAW

London Interests Claim Petition Responsible for Vote In-sufficiently Signed.

NEW CHARGE ACCEPTED BY INGERSOLL PASTOR

Rev. R. J. McLean Will Take Charge of Smith's Falls Baptist Church.

Dropped Christmas Greetings, Letters From French Aviators Captured, and Query From Colonel.

## ROBERT BROWN ACCUSED

He is Said to Have Shot Wife Last November Thru

Mrs. Robert Brown, who is is alleged, was shot in the left hip by her sband early in November, was removed from 114 Euclid avenue to the Western Hospital on Friday. She was then violently ill and died Saturday night. Her body was removed to the morgue where Coroner G. W. Graham will conduct an inquest. Her husband is in jail waiting trial on a charge of attempted murder. He will appear at the winter assizes which open this month.

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Whether death was due to the shooting is the question Coroner Graham's jury will be called on to decide. If they answer "yes" to this question the charge against Brown may be changed to murder.

Early in November, according to the police, Brown came down stairs from his room at 206 Spadina avenue and shot his wife and the landlord. Both were removed to a hespital and after a time were allowed out, apparently in good condition. Brown, immediately after the crime went to Rochester, where he was placed under arrest by the police of that city. He was brought back to Toronto, where he was committed for trial on ehe first charge mentioned.

troops stormed and captured a height south of Gorlice.

"We annihilated a battalion, captured an officer of the general staff, four subatterns, 850 men and two machine guns. An enemy aeroplane was shot down, "Elsewhere there is nothing to report,"

## ENEMY ARRAIGNED IN BELGIAN REPO

Commission Publishes Furt Evidence of German Atro ties on Civilians

## ARDENNE DESTROYED

General Von Buelow Ordere Hundred People of Town to Be Shot.

Canadian Press Despatch.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. indings of the Belgian con

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