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De Valera Will See Lloyd George and Return to Dublin

Events After That Cannot Be Foretold Yet; Meeting in Belfast Between Valera and Premier of Ulster Mentioned As Possibility.

London, July 20.—To-morrow's meeting between Eamonn de Valera and Premier Lloyd George will probably be their last before the return of De Valera and his fellow delegates to Dublin.

It is problematical whether De Valera will then go to Belfast for a meeting with Sir James Craig, the Ulster Premier, which was forecasted this morning in some quarters as a probability; whether he will resume what he has termed as "long range bombardment" with Mr. Lloyd George, or whether the "republican" leaders will signify their belief that continuation of the parley would be unlikely to produce the desired results.

Separately, Mr. De Valera will be urged by his colleagues to make representations to Premier Lloyd George before the return of the "republican" delegation to London.

Some members of the party see in this a desire on the part of the Prime Minister to hold before the world the familiar picture of two separate Governments within Ireland, and which contradicts the very essence of our case.

No Recognition. "In view of our refusal to sit at the conference table with Mr. Lloyd George and the Ulster Premier, it would seem our objections on this point were unjustifiable, but what we desire to make clear is that we do not imply any recognition on our part of the Ulster's equality."

In Belfast. London, July 20.—The probability of a meeting in Belfast between Eamonn de Valera and the Ulster Premier, Sir James Craig, the Ulster Premier, is foreshadowed in some political quarters and several newspapers this morning.

Proposals. De Valera now is reported willing to go to Belfast and meet Sir James after he has discussed with his Dublin followers certain proposals which it is understood Premier Lloyd George will submit to him Thursday.

Staunch Unionist members of the British Parliament are reported to be increasingly nervous respecting the progress of Irish affairs and it is known that about forty of them met privately yesterday and discussed their positions.

WELCOME AT QUEBEC. Ottawa, July 20.—(Canadian Press)—Plans are now under way by the Dominion Command of the G. W. V. A. to have a representative delegation at Quebec to welcome Baron Byng. It is expected that R. B. Maxwell, T. Dace and C. G. Macneil will be among those who will extend a warm welcome to the Canadian veterans to their former corps commander.

NEW PARK FOR TORONTONIANS. Toronto, July 20.—W. F. Maclean, M.P., former publisher of The World, recently offered "Donlands," his farm property northeast of the city, to the city for \$700,000, and Mayor Church announced yesterday that he is favorable to its purchase for park purposes. He thinks it would be a good amusement park to create new traffic for the municipal street cars.

Judgment Reserved By Privy Council In Church Case

The Imperial Privy Council has reserved judgment in the celebrated lawsuit between the Bishop of Vancouver Island and the City of Victoria involving the right of the city to tax church lands. This information was conveyed in a cable received by City Solicitor H. S. Pringle to-day from Harold B. Robertson, who represented the city before the Privy Council. It is expected that a decision on the case, which is the most important in which any British Columbia city has been involved for years, will be delivered some time in the fall. The Privy Council's decision will determine finally whether British Columbia cities can tax church site property or not. An important principle and a large amount of money is involved in the case.

MEET TO FORCE POLICE WAGE RAISE

Police Board to Take Action Against Council Friday

Definite action to enforce the City Council to pay wage increases to Victoria policemen will be taken by the Police Commission at a special meeting Friday night. It was announced to-day. The Commission's plan to sue the council for the increase, unless the money is paid over immediately, was announced by Commissioner Hall yesterday.

MACMILLAN PARTY GOES TO BAFFIN LAND WATERS

Winnipeg, July 20.—The Macmillan party, which is exploring the Hecla Islands, seventy degrees north latitude, where no ship has been for 100 years, said Professor Donald B. Macmillan in an interview to-day on board his exploration ship Bowdoin, which arrived at this port last night en route to the Far North to explore 1,000 miles of unknown coastline on the western shore of Baffin Land.

JAPANESE MOVE ON IN CALIFORNIA

Field Laborers Leave Turlock Following Incident. Turlock, Cal., July 20.—A general exodus of Japanese field laborers and their families from this district is taking place to-day following the deportation to Keyesville of five males, and the arrest of eight Japanese male workers by white members of the union of fruit and melon pickers, the authorities announced.

TAKING VACATION

Montreal, July 20.—(Canadian Press)—No sittings of the Railway Commission are scheduled for the remaining part of July and the month of August. The next will probably be the regular sitting in Ottawa on the second Tuesday of September.

Oilfield in Mexico Ablaze: Workmen Flee

Mexico City, July 20.—The Amatlan oilfields are on fire, with drilling towers falling like chaff and the workmen fleeing, according to reports received here describing the "greatest catastrophe in the history of the oilfields." The cause of the fire is not known.

Canadian Delegate at World Air Convention. Ottawa, July 20.—(Canadian Press)—Canada will be represented by her own delegate at the conference to be held in Paris under the international convention for air navigation which is to take place as soon as ratification has been effected by a majority of the signatory states. Canada was one of the signatory states within the British Empire group and as such is entitled to direct representation. It is announced by the Air Board here.

BRITISH COLUMBIA 50 YEARS A PROVINCE

Fifty years ago to-day, by Royal proclamation, British Columbia became part of the Dominion of Canada. The intervening years have witnessed the rule of twelve Lieutenant-Governors and nineteen Premiers, running from J. F. McCrea, Q. C., to the Hon. John Oliver.

At the time of the Confederation of British Columbia with the Dominion, the present Premier was living with his parents in Grey County, Ontario. Six years later he came West to homestead in British Columbia, so that his residence here has been almost contemporaneous with the history of the Province since Confederation.

Premier Oliver to-day said that he had no doubt that the union of British Columbia with the rest of Canada was a wise act. When he came to the Province in the Spring of 1877, Victoria was a small town. New Westminster was also a small town, familiarly referred to as "Stump Town." Vancouver was non-existent.

Communication with the Interior was by stage or pack train. There was a steamer between Victoria tri-monthly, and not a mile of standard gauge railway in the Province.

Compared with conditions of those days, the changes which have taken place are marvelous, the Premier went on. "No doubt the progress of the past is only an earnest of the progress to come," the Premier went on. "With limitless resources, the united Provinces of Canada will beyond doubt attain a greatness which, without union, would have been impossible."

Armed Guards Set Over Latest Oil Discovery In Pouce Coupe Country

Premier Oliver has received word direct from the Pouce Coupe country, where the Imperial Oil Co. has been drilling for some time, and is reported to have struck oil. No official announcement has been made of the discovery of oil there, but drillers have encountered an outburst of gas with a mixture of oil.

Word the Premier received was to the effect that the Imperial Oil Co. has fenced in its plant with barbed wire and put armed guards around the place night and day to prevent secrets of the discoveries from getting out.

"I think their prospects of getting oil in that country are good," said the Premier. "The Imperial Oil Co. has 70,000 acres under lease in this district, while other organizations have 300,000 acres."

EFFORT TO SOLVE SILESIAN PROBLEM

Intervention by United States Is Suggested. London, July 20.—It was stated in authoritative quarters to-day that informal suggestions have been made for American intervention in the Upper Silesian trouble, which it is feared will disturb open hostilities.

ONTARIO THUGS ROBBED A BANK

Got Over \$5,000 in Town Near Windsor. Windsor, Ont., July 20.—Six armed bandits held up employees of the branch of the Merchants Bank at Petite Cote, about twelve miles from Windsor, at 10 o'clock last night, and secured between \$5,000 and \$10,000 in cash.

PREMIER MEIGHEN POSTPONES HIS RETURN HOME

London, July 20.—Premier Meighen has postponed his return to Canada. This indicates the probability of discussions among the Dominion Prime Ministers here regarding the Pacific conference. It is understood, however, that the purpose of these changes would primarily be to clarify the respective viewpoints and assist in the formulation of a united policy which the Empire's representatives could enter the Washington deliberations.

WORK STOPPED BY DRUNKENNESS

Bootleggers Hamper Ontario Power Commission. Ottawa, July 20.—From Niagara Falls comes the information that the expected decision of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission to discontinue all work by the night staff on the Chippewa Canal is due to the widespread drunkenness among the workers. Bootleggers are said to swarm over the canal under cover of darkness from the American and Canadian sides. It has been beyond the power of the officials in charge to cope with the difficulty.

ROCKEFELLER MAKES CHANGES

New York, July 20.—John D. Rockefeller has disposed of all his vast holdings in the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, the parent company, with the exception of 1,000 shares of common stock, valued at \$104,875, according to an account published by The New York World to-day.

NEW STATIONS AT PRINCE RUPERT AND PRINCE GEORGE

Winnipeg, July 20.—Two new stations of brick and stone construction will be erected at Prince Rupert and Prince George, B. C., by the Canadian National Railways, according to an announcement made here to-day. Tenders have been called for and will close on July 25.

FIRST LIBERAL CANDIDATE CHOSEN IN B.C.

FRED STORK recently adopted Liberal candidate for Skeena, against Col. C. W. Peck, V.C., M.P. Mr. Stork secured a substantial majority at the election in the constituency, but was defeated on the overseas vote.



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IDLE JAMAICANS WILL BE MOVED HOME FROM CUBA

Kingston, Jamaica, July 20.—The Government has decided to repatriate immediately 10,000 Jamaican laborers stranded in Cuba as a result of the conditions in the sugar industry there. Arrangements are being made to expend \$2,000,000 on public works to afford the laborers employment.

WOMEN SMOKE IN C. N. R. CARS

But No Compartments Will Be Provided. Toronto, July 20.—There are not going to be any special smoking compartments for women on Canadian National Railway cars, according to a statement made by Walter Pratt, superintendent of the passenger sleeping car department of the National system.

Mr. Pratt said accommodation for women who wished to smoke had been provided for a long time. "Not New. Some of the women want to smoke in public and many do so in the ladies' observation cars in company with men smokers," he said.

TRIANTON TREATY EVENT JULY 26

Paris, July 20.—Exchange of ratifications of the Treaty of Trianton and the signing of the protocol putting into effect this pact, formally establishing peace with Hungary, will take place July 26. It was decided by the Council of Ambassadors this afternoon.

FORTHCOMING PICNICS

July 25—Gaelic Society, at Mt. Douglas. July 25—Gyro Club, at Weir Farm, William Head. July 25—Victoria Dramatic and Operatic Society, at Elk Lake. July 25—Royal Arcanum, Cordova Bay. July 25—C. P. R. Social Club, excursion to Port Angeles. July 26—Loyal Order of Moose, Deep Bay. July 27—Esquimalt picnic for children, Goldstream. July 27—Rotary Club, at Deep Bay.

Canada Will Increase Exportation of Apples

Ottawa, July 20.—(Canadian Press)—More than 1,250,000 barrels of apples were exported from Canada last season, the great bulk of them going to the United Kingdom, it is pointed out in a statement issued by the Department of Agriculture. The fruit branch at Ottawa is organizing the export of Canada's surplus fruits in order that the Dominion may take her proper place in the fruit markets of the world.

Standard grades have been adopted for tender fruits in open packages and demonstrations are given in the proper methods of packing and loading. Experiments are also being made in the best and most convenient of these perishable products.

Apples being the most durable and merchantable fruit abroad that Canada produces, special attention is given to their handling and shipping. The exportable surplus of this fruit naturally varies according to the season.

Japan Would Have Programme for Big Conference Outlined

Tokio Government Wishes to Exchange Views With British and American Governments As to How Far Discussion at Washington Should Go.

London, July 20.—The suggestion that a meeting preliminary to the Washington disarmament conference to be held in London to enable the Dominions of the British Empire to express their views on Far Eastern questions is likely to be abandoned, it was learned in a well-informed quarter here to-day.

Tokio, July 19.—Subsequent to a Cabinet meeting to-day which discussed a report of Kijuro Shidehara, the Ambassador to the United States, it was announced that the United States, Great Britain and Japan probably would exchange views in an effort to outline the programme for the coming Washington conference.

A semi-official statement says Japan is prepared to give all prominence in the conference to the questions of the open door and equal opportunities in China, so as to place China in a fair way to the attainment of an independent national status. The statement emphasizes the necessity of cooperation by the powers in aiding China in the recovery of her rights and interests.

London, July 20.—(Associated Press)—Baron Hayashi, Japanese Ambassador to Great Britain, denies there is any question of opposition on the part of Japan to President Harding's proposal for a conference at Washington, which, on the contrary, he says, is welcomed. Japan, he says, is quite ready to discuss with the other powers questions of mutual interest, including limitation of armaments.

The suggestion that naturally arises, the Ambassador said, is whether we are again to bring up matters which the Treaty of Versailles has already dealt with.

Rome, July 20.—(Associated Press)—Premier Bonomi, in a speech opening the session of Parliament yesterday, declared that the moment the United States had taken the initiative in proposing a conference of powers on disarmament, Italy, which had approved a similar proposal within the League of Nations and had begun the reduction of her stand, had adhered promptly and cordially to the American initiative.

PREMIER STOPS FISH CRATING

Health Authorities Now Able to Handle Waterfront Chinese. Hon. John Oliver and members of the Cabinet to-day took steps to put an end to all fish crating nuisances around Victoria, Vancouver and other harbors, which have been agitating health authorities and organizations interested in the prevention of cruelty to fish.

For some time the Government has been investigating conditions. The action taken to-day by the Executive Council is a result of the activities of the Government's health department.

"The retention of live fish in boats, crates or other enclosures, in any waters of B. C. is prohibited," says the Order-in-Council. "Provided, however, that the same may be retained alive in a fishing boat during fishing operations on the fishing grounds and while in transit from said grounds to the market."

SAYS PEOPLE HAVE NEW VIEWPOINT

Ontario Farmer Leader and Alberta Election. Toronto, July 20.—"The result of the Alberta general election is only what one might expect in view of the consciousness that is possessing the people, especially the farmers," said J. J. Morrison, secretary of the United Farmers of Ontario to-day.

"We have been viewing this political upheaval that is going on in all the provinces from the old party standpoint. The common people are viewing their position in the body politic as a partnership rather than as a voting machine, as they have done heretofore. The people are now breaking up into groups, but we are still carrying on the old system and we shall have no just expression of opinion until a system is found which will afford opportunity for the various phases of political thought to express themselves."

SEARCH MADE FOR TWO BROTHERS

Cousins of Late Theodore Roosevelt Missing. New York, July 20.—Search was started to-day by the police for Charles and Latrope Leaycraft, twenty-six years old, twins, and cousins of the late Theodore Roosevelt, at the request of their brother, Reginald Roosevelt Leaycraft. The twins have been missing from their home since Monday morning. Reginald said that after an unsatisfactory discussion of a business venture at their Wall Street office, his brothers said they thought of shipping as seamen on a trans-Atlantic vessel or might go to California.

The twins are described as five feet seven inches in height, 150 pounds, fair complexion, blue eyes and light hair.

LABORERS FOR PRAIRIE FARMS

Winnipeg, July 20.—With a view to minimizing to the lowest possible degree importation of harvest labor to the prairie provinces, a survey is being conducted by the prairie offices of the Employment Department of Canada to ascertain the approximate number of men required during the rush period, according to R. A. Higgins, superintendent of the Western offices of the Department.

He pointed out that during the past years, harvest help had been sought for in the eastern provinces. This year, however, the Department would endeavor to relieve the unemployment situation prevailing at the Pacific Coast, he said.

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LOWER RATES ON LIVESTOCK

Action of Railway Will Help Industry

Ottawa, July 20.—An important reduction in livestock railway rates on all Canadian lines is assured as the result of a conference held here yesterday between representatives of the livestock industry and the railways. A basic 25 per cent. decrease is in view.

In view of the sympathetic attitude of the railway companies, it was felt that an order of the Railway Commission would be unnecessary. The railways will submit their offer to the Board within a week.

W. B. Lanigan, appearing for the Canadian Pacific Railway said the condition of the livestock industry must be regarded as an emergency. In order to retain the fertility of the soil it was most essential that the cattle industry secure a measure of support at this time. He wished, however, to have the assurance of the Railway Commission that any concessions made to the livestock men should not be regarded as a precedent for any other freight reductions, that if a general freight reduction were ordered shortly, following the impending cuts in wages, the present concessions should be taken into consideration.

Hon. F. B. Carvell, Chief Commissioner, said there was no objection to giving this assurance.

Scale Needed

Mr. Lanigan said further that a flat reduction was not feasible. A scale of rates was necessary in and out of certain Western points, so as to obviate the danger of manipulation.

Frank J. Watson, for the Grand Trunk, also agreed that the emergency called for a special concession. He was willing to recommend a 25 per cent. reduction.

Following a suggestion that the Dominion Government should be called on to help, in as much as such relief as the railways could offer would not keep the livestock industry on its feet, Hon. Frank Carvell said he had no sympathy with Government bonuses and aid. The livestock industry, like any other, must be self supporting.

Robert McKay, K. C., for the Eastern Canada Livestock Union, said that as the result of conferences held over the noon hour he was able to say that his association would be prepared to reduce demands from the former 50 per cent. reduction to a reduction to the rates prevailing previous to September 30 last. This would mean a decrease of about 25 per cent.

WAGE REDUCTION ON RAILWAYS OF THIS COUNTRY

Montreal, July 20.—Official announcement was made yesterday afternoon by all the Canadian railway companies that they had agreed to a reduction of twelve per cent. which were recently submitted to the officials of the Brotherhood, would be effective as from Saturday, July 16. About 300,000 men are affected.

The companies, it was stated, at first intended to make the reductions effective as from July 1, but found that in the case of the maintenance of way employees the thirty days' notice required under the Canadian Industrial Disputes Act did not expire until last week.

A resolution protesting strongly against the wage cut of twelve per cent. proposed by the Canadian railways following similar action in the United States, and pledging full and undivided support to the committee representing the members of the Montreal local of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railroad Employees was passed last night at a meeting of some 300 members of the brotherhood here.

Winnipeg, July 20.—Action of the train service organizations in Canada regarding the proposed twelve per cent. wage reduction will be decided by a joint conference of all the general chairmen of the running trades throughout in Montreal on Wednesday, July 27, according to H. E. Baskin, general chairman of the conductors on the Western Canadian lines. There will be approximately twenty-five chairmen at the meeting.

VANCOUVER G. W. V. A. CHANGES EXECUTIVE

Vancouver, July 20.—In future no member of the local G. W. V. A. who holds a Government position may hold a position on the executive of the association; it was decided at a largely attended meeting of the G. W. V. A. last night.

At the close of the meeting President Butterworth announced his intention of resigning immediately, although it was pointed out that the mover of the motion, Comrade Leckie, had not intended it to apply until the next annual election of officers.

An amendment which would allow members of the militia to hold positions on the executive was voted down, as was also an amendment which would have excluded all men who had been in the employ of the Government for two years before the date of election and all applicants for Government positions from holding office.

In future all members of the executive shall be nominated and elected from the floor of the house, it was decided.

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CANADIAN CATTLE SOLD IN BRITAIN

Ottawa, July 20.—The Dominion Livestock Branch's weekly cable from London states that there is a moderate demand for Canadian cattle in England. The condition and quality of the arrivals during the last week were good. Prices dropped about one penny a pound compared with the previous week.

VERA SASSULITCH DIED IN MOSCOW

Copenhagen, July 20.—Vera Sassulitch, a notorious nihilist, known twenty-five years ago throughout the world, died at Moscow yesterday, according to a report.

It was reported that Vera Sassulitch had died in Petrograd in July, 1919.

WASHINGTON COAL MINES IDLE

An Open Employee-Operator Break Probable

Tacoma, July 20.—An open break between the coal miners and the operators of the State of Washington in the near future is impending. It has become known here as a result of an unsuccessful meeting in Seattle yesterday between operators and miners, held in an effort to reach an agreement.

A telegram from John L. Lewis, president of the International United Mine Workers of America, instructing the Washington State members not to consider or vote upon the proposed settlement offered by the Washington Coal Commission, is declared to be the cause of the new difficulty.

The members of this district, who have been in a deadlock with operators since last March, practically every mine in the state having been tied up, were preparing to hold a referendum vote upon the proposals of the Commission, which investigated the situation, when Lewis notified the district officers that such a vote would not be sanctioned by the international union.

The action of the international officers, it was said here, had halted the negotiations and the operators' day's meeting in Seattle. It is reported that unless the miners and operators can reach a compromise within the next few days an open class war will result. The operators, it was reported from Seattle, asserted that because of the action of Lewis, all negotiations between the union members and mine operators would come to an end and steps be taken to resume operations without regard to the unions.

BEES HELD STREET IN MONTANA TOWN

Traffic Ceased; Went Into Nearby Park

Bozeman, Mont., July 20.—Business was paralyzed as people ran to cover and traffic ceased for over an hour for a distance of three blocks in the business district of this city yesterday afternoon when thousands of bees, apparently having lost their queen, swooped down on that section and filled the air.

Tourists heading into Bozeman over the Yellowstone Trail from both directions stopped their cars and parked them to await a clearing of the atmosphere. Finally the city street-foreman with a shovel and hammer, succeeded in driving the bees into the city park, a short distance away, by a constant clanging.

PAYMENT MADE BY GERMANY

Paris, July 20.—The Reparations Commission issued an official statement yesterday announcing that Germany had made a payment of 100,000,000 marks in European currency on account of three months' arrears of the 1,000,000,000 mark debt due before June 1.

The Commission announced that the 1,000,000,000 marks were to be made up as follows: 200,000,000 marks were accepted by the Commission in May; 300,000,000 marks paid yesterday; Germany has now redeemed 500,000,000 marks paid on account of the 1,000,000,000 marks.

The German Government has informed the Reparations Commission that it is ready to remit immediately 4,000,000 marks more in European currency, which will bring the total paid in specie and currency to more than 310,000,000 marks.

NO MOVIE MONEY TO VANCOUVERITES

Vancouver, July 20.—"No money has ever been received by this association from any motion picture company," declared L. C. Thomas, secretary of the Vancouver Symphony Society, in answer to charges alleged to have been made by Rev. C. H. Huestis, western secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, at Victoria the other day.

Mr. Huestis is said to have accused the Symphony Society of conspiring with motion picture companies in a breach of the Lord's Day Act.

DIED AFTER ELECTED M.P.P.

Calgary, July 20.—Percival Baker, elected United Farmer member of the Legislature of Alberta on Monday for Ponoka, died in Edmonton last night as a result of an injury he suffered some weeks ago. Mr. Baker suffered his fatal injuries when engaged in pulling out trees on his farm and a tree swung around and hit him on the head. He had been in the Edmonton ever since, and took no part in the campaign which resulted in his election.

Mr. Baker formerly was a Baptist minister. He was vice-president of the U. F. A. and had been spoken of as a Cabinet possibility in the U. F. A. Government.

CANADIAN CARS FOR RUSSIANS

Montreal, July 20.—W. W. Butler, president of the Canada Car & Foundry Company Limited, is back here after a four months' tour of Europe.

He states he secured a \$2,000,000 order for 500 fifty-ton tank cars for the Russian Soviet Government.

Work already has been started on this order, and will be completed by the end of November this year.

Vancouver, July 20.—A new moderator was elected by the Westminster Presbyterian yesterday in the person of Rev. J. Richmond Craig, pastor of Westminster Church and the new appointee to the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church.

Two resignations were accepted. Rev. G. S. Findlay, of Fort Hammond and Fort Haney, intends to enter lighthouse work in Alaska, and Rev. V. G. Rae will leave for the United States.

TRYING TO REDUCE COST OF BUILDING

Workers and Contractors in Toronto Meet

Ottawa, July 20.—(Canadian Press)—Eight million dollars' worth of projected building is being held up in Toronto at the present time, according to a statement made by Senator Robertson, Minister of Labor. The work is not being proceeded with because the present cost of construction would be unjustifiable from the investors' point of view. No financial return could be expected from the outlay, it is said.

To-morrow a second conference will be held between representatives of the building trades organizations and contractors, sub-contractors and vendors in building supplies, as well as the Canadian Manufacturers' Association and the Toronto Board of Trade. The purpose of these conferences is to stimulate local building, and at Thursday's meeting each of the interests represented has agreed to come prepared to say what it is prepared to contribute toward a decrease in the cost of construction, both labor and materials.

The public at large, said the Minister of Labor, is deeply concerned in this matter in view of the fact that the only item that enters into the ordinary household budget that has not decreased during the last year is rent. In fact, notwithstanding that everything else has been on the decline, rents have continued to advance.

Stagnant

The present situation is that, with millions of dollars waiting to be invested in buildings and with thousands of men out of employment and rents continuing to ascend, the building industry remains stagnant.

Cement

Senator Robertson said the cement manufacturers were not represented at the conference of last week. As cement is largely used in present-day building, the Minister thought it well to call upon the Canada Cement Company to see what it would be willing to do as a contribution toward this movement. The Canada Cement Company pointed out that while cement had not dropped in price from its last year's rate, it had never increased to anything like the same extent as other building materials. Furthermore, the cost of the manufacture was largely governed by the cost of coal and the transportation of coal, both of which were still more than double pre-war levels. Realizing the importance of decreasing building costs, the Canada Cement Company authorized the Minister to announce to those interested in the industry that if at the meeting on Thursday the manufacturers and dealers in building supplies and the labor interests should contribute their quota toward a reduction it would be prepared to put into effect on that day a reduction of 25 cents a barrel on cement. This reduction would only apply, however, east of the Great Lakes.

IRRIGATION BONDS

Lethbridge, July 20.—The Lethbridge Northern Irrigation District, through the Provincial Treasury, has just sold \$1,000,000 more of the bond issue of the district to Wood, Gundy & Company at 94.4, the same figure at which the original sale of \$2,400,000 was made.

Another \$1,000,000 was sold about ten days ago at the same price. This leaves only \$1,000,000 of the original issue unsold, and these will be held until it is learned whether the full amount will be needed to complete the project, on which rapid progress is now being made.

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BRITISHERS WISH TO INCREASE TRADE

Desire Larger Market on the Prairies

Montreal, July 20.—L. B. Beale, British Trade Commissioner for Western Canada, passing through this city en route to Winnipeg, stated that while in England he had visited fifteen industrial centres and interviewed nearly 500 different manufacturers who showed the closest interest in his explanations of Canadian commerce. As one result many scores of samples of British manufacture were being sent out to him to see how they suited the Western Canada market.

BACK TO WORK

Ottawa, July 20.—The strike of bookbinders in job printing offices here has collapsed and the men are returning, where the jobs have not been filled at \$35 for a forty-eight-hour week. The typographical men and pressmen are still out.

MIKE AND PAT WERE FRIENDS

One day Mike learned that Pat had turned Socialist. This grieved and troubled Mike, who said: "Pat, I don't understand this Socialism. What is it now?"

"It means dividing up your property equally," said Pat. "This way, if I had two million dollars I'd give you a million and keep a million myself—see?"

"And if you had two farms, Pat, what would you do?"

"I'd divide 'em, Mike. I'd give you one and I'd keep one."

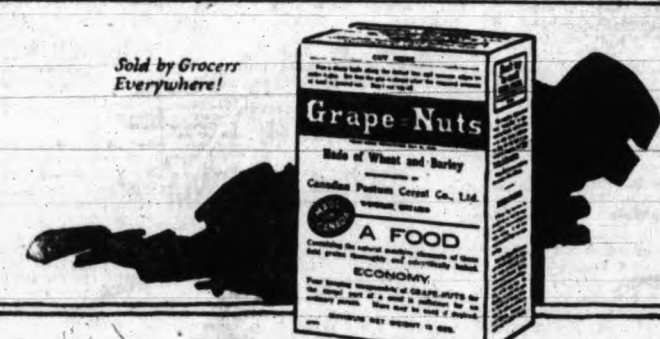
"And if you had two pigs, Pat, would you share those, too?"

"Now, Mike, you go to thunder! You know I've got two pigs!"

FELL FROM ROPE AND WAS KILLED

Niagara Falls, July 20.—John Sopher, a tight rope performer, was fatally injured in a fall while giving an exhibition at a St. Catharines, Ont. Old Home Week celebration Monday night. Sopher was a native of St. Catharines and accepted an invitation to return to his home town for the celebration.

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FINAL BISLEY CONTEST THURSDAY

Crowe, Ontario, Won Second Stage of King's Prize

Bisley, Eng., July 20.—(Canadian Associated Press)—The third and final stage of the King's prize competition will be shot to-morrow. It will be 15 shots each at 900 and 1,000 yards, the first prize being the King's Prize of £250, the N. R. A. gold medal and the N. R. A. gold badge. The places and prizes of all competitors in the third stage will be decided by the aggregate of the scores made by them in the second and third stages only.

Second Stage.

Major C. R. Crowe, of Guelph, won the National Rifle Association silver medal for the highest aggregate score in the second stage of the King's Prize, he made forty-seven at 900 yards and forty-eight at 1,000 yards, a total of 95. The possible at each range was 50. At 900 yards Major Crowe had eight bulletseyes and two inners on the score, the inners coming at the second and seventh shots. Four competitors made 94. The Canadian scores were as follows:

	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1,000	Total
Major Crowe, Guelph	47	48	49	49	49	49	49	49	380
Sergt. Anger, Calgary	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	358
Sergt. Steele, Guelph	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	360
Lieut. Patterson, Ottawa	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	357
Sergt. Wilson, Ottawa	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	357
Major Mortimer, Ottawa	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	360
Sergt. Emalie, Toronto	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	360
Sergt. Hawkins, Toronto	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	360
Major Richardson, Victoria	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	360
Pte. Caplin, Vancouver	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	360
Gnr. Tingman, Quebec	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	360
Major Northover, Winnipeg	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	357
Sergt. Coles, Regina	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	357
Lieut. Annand, Calgary	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	357
Lieut. Nix, Winnipeg	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	357
Sergt. Tyers, Ottawa	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	378
Sergt. Lucas, Toronto	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	357
Pte. Allen, London	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	315

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To many American girls life is often a heavy drag in consequence of illness, and every mother should heed the first manifestations, such as cramps, backaches, headaches and nervousness as Mrs. Hendrick did for her daughter, and give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial. For over forty years this old-fashioned root and herb medicine has been relieving women of just such troubles. (Adv.)

PREMIER MURRAY IS CONGRATULATED

Anniversary Message From Hon. Mackenzie King

Ottawa, July 20.—A congratulatory message on the completion of twenty-five years of service as Premier of Nova Scotia was dispatched to Premier G. H. Murray yesterday by Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Leader of the Liberal Party in Canada.

Your leadership of a quarter of a century constitutes a record of honest administration unsurpassed by any other British self-governing community, and one which is not less a source of pride to Liberals throughout the Dominion than of honor to yourself and the Liberals of your province, the message read in part:

Will Not Retire.

Halifax, July 20.—A current rumor that the resignation of Hon. George H. Murray, Premier of Nova Scotia, might follow the celebration to-night of the 25th anniversary of his appointment as the First Minister of the province is denied in circles close to Mr. Murray.

FARMERS' LOSSES IN QUEBEC PUT AT \$200,000,000

Quebec, July 20.—Crop and livestock losses in Quebec as a result of the drought and other causes will aggregate nearly \$200,000,000, according to officials of the Provincial Department of Agriculture.

Of this amount \$150,000,000 represents the loss resulting from hay and crop failures, and the other \$50,000,000 the loss which farmers will sustain through the necessity of sacrificing their cattle for any price.

Hon. J. E. Caron, Minister of Agriculture, admitted yesterday that the situation was grave. Appeals have been made to Ottawa for immediate reduction of freight rates on fodder, but as yet no reply has been received.

NEW LIQUOR BILL IN BRITAIN

London, July 20.—(Canadian Associated Press)—The liquor licensing measure, embodying the recommendations of the recent round table conference of the labor and temperance interests respecting public house hours, will be given its second reading in the House of Commons on Friday, and it is expected that it will be largely agreed to. One of the leading features of the measure is that the local authorities should be empowered to determine for themselves the extent and mode in which the liquor traffic may be carried on.

LOST HER LIFE

Hamilton, Ont., July 20.—Pinned between an automobile and the wall of a building when a motor car was struck by a fire truck, Miss Ruth Green, of Hamilton, was so severely injured last evening that she died a short time later. Miss Isabelle McLean, her companion, lies in a critical condition.

A LIQUOR PLANT

Winnipeg, July 20.—Temperance Act agents raided a shed on a farm at Grande Point, running at full capacity and producing 100 gallons of whisky a day. The distillery specialized in "twenty-year-old Scotch" but evidence at the hearing in the provincial court yesterday afternoon showed the plant had been in operation only one month. Two brothers were remanded while police search for a mysterious stranger who is alleged to have rented the shed for \$50 a month with a promise of liquor supplies to boot.

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NEWS AND NOTES OF THE MINES

Slocan City Ore. Designed for treating the dry silver ore of the Slocan City section and employing the flotation process to a larger extent than probably any similar plant in the country the new Ottawa mill has "turned over" and is making its first week's run on ore from the dump, which will provide its principal fodder for many months, possibly a year or two, to come, says The Nelson News. The mill, which was designed by L. H. Biggar, the flotation expert, who is partner with A. A. McPhee in the enterprise, was commenced last Fall, and completed a few days ago. It is the intention of the partners to eventually develop the mine, which they have under a lease and bond from the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, but the dump, which received all the ore taken from the mine under past management, but the hand-sorted, high grade shipping variety, will first receive exclusive attention. The Ottawa is on Springer Creek, a few miles above Slocan City.

Another Slocan City property just become active is the Black Prince at the head of the north fork of Lemon Creek and Springer Creek, which resumed operation on Wednesday, J. T. Tipping, the owner, putting on a crew of nine. The Black Prince is located 6,000 feet above sea level. A few cars of ore are blocked out, and Mr. Tipping expects to ship next month.

A car of ore from the Anna group, alongside the Ottawa, is now being shipped by Kurt Zimmerman.

D. B. O'Neil is taking out ore on the L. T., according to reports. In a short time it is expected the old Arlington will come into the operating class, R. R. Hedley, who has a lease and bond on it from the Ribbet interests at the coast, being about to place a crew of men at work.

Silver Reef Vertical stopping to a height of 45 feet, on a rich quartz vein within one mile of Nelson, has been carried on the past Winter at the Silver Reef group—on Anderson Creek. This property is owned by W. J. Richards, known as "The Boss." W. K. Symonds, and R. Barron. This group has been worked at different times by different companies or syndicates.

Rich Ore Disclosed The four claims lie for a distance of 3,000 feet along the Great Northern track, and the two parallel veins are approximately 100 feet apart. The No. 1 tunnel on the main vein, a drift, is now in 225 feet, and when the ore shoot was reached, the 45-foot vertical stop was begun. This tunnel is now being resumed. Here there is 120 feet of backs at least. Assays show ore from the stratum in the main vein to run 52 ounces of silver, \$23.60 in gold and 44 per cent lead.

WINNIE SCORED THERE "Come upstairs and let me wash your hands," said mother, when she arrived with her little daughter for tea at granny's. "I don't want to go up," wailed Winnie, aged four. "Let her wash them down in the kitchen," called grandmamma. "She can't do it just as well." "No," her mother said firmly. "I want her to come up with me." Winnie went upstairs as slowly as possible. "Oh," she said, turning a wrathful, tearful face to her mother, "why don't you obey your mother?"

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THE NEXT PARLIAMENT.

The result of the census in Quebec is being awaited with unusual interest in view of the relation of the figures of that Province to the representation of the whole country in the House of Commons to be determined by the next redistribution.

As generally known, the representation of Quebec in the House of Commons is fixed unalterably at 65 by the B. N. A. Act and the ratio of that number to the population of the Province is the unit of representation for all Canada. For example, the last census gave Quebec a population of 2,002,712 and this total divided by 65 fixed the ratio of representation at one member for 30,810 inhabitants throughout Canada. Ontario's population was 2,523,274 and this, on being divided by 30,810 the unit of representation, gave that Province 82 members. The representation of the other Provinces was determined in the same way.

In the ten years prior to the census of 1911 the population of Quebec increased relatively greater than that of Ontario, New Brunswick, or Nova Scotia, with the result that those provinces lost some of their representation, Ontario dropping four and New Brunswick and Nova Scotia two each. On the other hand the four Western Provinces gained, between them, 22 members, Saskatchewan and British Columbia adding six each and Manitoba and Alberta five each.

It is predicted the census will show another large increase in the population of Quebec, in which case the unit of representation will be considerably larger than it was after the 1911 census. If this prediction is found to be correct the representation of the Maritime Provinces will suffer most, because it is hardly likely their increase, if there has been any increase, will have been relatively as great as that of Quebec. Ontario undoubtedly has made gains in population, but it will be fortunate if it shall retain its present representation of 82.

Undoubtedly, the four Western Provinces have more than held their own in relative population increases and their representation, therefore, is sure to be increased. A snap estimate gives the total population west of the Great Lakes as 2,800,000. This would represent an increase of more than a million in the last ten years, and on the basis of representation determined by the census of 1911 those four Provinces would be entitled to a total representation in the House of Commons of 90 members, as compared with their present membership of 56 not counting the Yukon's solitary representative. But the unit of the country's representation, as fixed by the ratio of Quebec's arbitrary 65 members to the population of that Province, is expected to be much larger than it was after 1911, so the gain of the Western Provinces will not be as large.

Assuming, however, that the increase of Quebec's population, which between 1901 and 1911 as over 350,000, was 500,000 in the last ten years, and the whole stood at 2,500,000, the unit of representation determined by dividing that total by 65 would be one member for 38,460 inhabitants. This would give the four Western Provinces 73 members if their population were 2,800,000—against a present membership of 56. It is a reasonably safe prediction that Canada and the Pacific will have between 75 and 80 elected representatives in the next Parliament, and hence will be an increasingly important factor in the determination of the country's policies.

OIL.

There is nothing new in the suggestion that the financial condition of this Province does not permit of expenditure upon any enterprise which does not promise something in the nature of an immediate return. But there are exceptions in which a good deal of exploratory preliminary may have to be conducted with little tangible evidence. Oil is a case in point. Two sessions of the British Columbia Legislature have authorized the expenditure of money for research work in the Peace River section of the Province. The original report submitted to the Minister of Lands was conservative to a degree, but it was sufficiently hopeful to warrant further examination of the various formations to which the late Professor Gilliam applied his tests two years ago. At this stage there comes the report of an oil strike at Rolla and, while some doubt exists as to how much of the new centre is situated on this side of the Alberta boundary, the presence of oil all in this particular neighborhood should be sufficient inducement for the Government to continue its policy of investigation in as liberal a measure as recent developments would appear to demand. If a thorough examination of conditions should fail to reveal the presence of oil in commercial quantities more definite information than that which the government possesses would be worth the money required to obtain it. If the Rolla strike should justify the optimism contained in the early reports the Government should take the necessary steps without delay.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE MAY COME OVER.

According to a dispatch from London it is announced as provisionally arranged that Mr. Lloyd George will attend the Washington conference on limitation of armaments. If this means that he has not yet entered into a definite engagement with his colleagues to cross the Atlantic it is to be hoped that all obstacles to the carrying out of his provisional arrangement may be removed without delay. The presence of the British Prime Minister at that memorable gathering should be the most insistent condition of British participation. Not only is it essential that Mr. Lloyd George should lead the delegation from the Motherland; it is also highly desirable that he should visit the United States with a message from the British people and remove for all time the last remaining traces of that brand of suspicion which has caused some of the misunderstandings between sections of the two peoples. None better than Mr. Lloyd George would appeal to popular imagination in the Republic to the South. None better than he could forge the final link of everlasting peace between the two English-speaking nations.

THE COMING SESSION.

Although it seems to be generally supposed that the forthcoming session of the Legislature will devote itself chiefly to the subject of municipal financing and taxation matters as a whole it is to be hoped that the Government will initiate a discussion on general development. Mr. Pattullo's visit to Europe in connection with immigration and the lumber industry should place him in a position to make a statement to the Legislature and enable the Government to introduce a programme designed to realize upon the natural possessions of this Province.

It goes without saying that the profits that will accrue from the sale of liquor will be considerably less than is popularly expected and will not furnish the requisite surplus with which the Government might feel disposed to embark upon new enterprises in the ordinary way. For this obvious reason it is highly desirable that the first opportunity shall be taken to increase the annual revenue of the Province, not only to replace such diversion of Provincial funds to the municipalities as the Legislature may decide, but also to enable the people to get a more appropriate benefit from their own natural resources. The Legislature might do well to take up the question of oil and come to some decision upon

a policy commensurate with the importance of the subject. And as we have pointed out on more than one occasion British Columbia would be in a position to obtain thousands of settlers for the more arid sections of the Interior were the Legislature to provide the authority for a more liberal irrigation policy. But it is no use grumbling about the land-owning Oriental on the banks of the Thompson and in the Okanagan valley unless the public treasury is ready to provide the money to make conditions more attractive for the white man. Thousands of acres might be provided with water for an amount whose expenditure would be justified by results.

If the Legislature will assemble with the intention of discussing matters in which the people are vitally interested and agree to dispense with some of the non-productive political exchanges the people themselves would feel disposed to take a more and livelier interest in the things which after all intimately concern them. British Columbia is merely waiting to be developed. It will not develop itself. And if the governing body of the Province desires to hasten the time when the public treasury will be able to discharge its liabilities without difficulty it will have to agree to spend money and the public will have to make up their minds to authorize it in order that the right sort of conditions may be made to prevail.

These are only some of the reasons why the members of the Legislature should take advantage of the forthcoming session and authorize the Government to go after the business which awaits.

NOTE AND COMMENT

If Sir James Craig and Eamonn de Valera can make up their minds to meet in Dublin or Belfast over the week end the task of Mr. Lloyd George and the British Government as a whole might be considerably simplified.

HOROSCOPE

WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1921.
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Newspaper Syndicate.)
Astrologers read this as a doubtful day, but all the influences are distinctly unfavorable. The Sun, Jupiter, Venus and Saturn are all adverse.
The stars declare that, under this planetary government the President and those close to him may be criticized for policies that are impartial and constructive.
Persons who have patronage to bestow will not be favorably inclined to attend the claims of women who desire political rewards.
The stars appear to foreshadow pressure on Governors of States and others who have high ideals of service, for the "practical politicians" are to be insistent since they are dominated by powerful stars.
This is held an unlucky wedding day, since romance is likely to fall suddenly to an intensely practical, commonplace divorce.
Theaters will probably suffer many reverses at this time, for again sweeping changes in management and in methods of presenting plays are prophesied.
Trade is not well directed during this configuration, which is not fortunate for merchants.
Persons whose birthdate it is have rather a strenuous year before them, in all probability. They should avoid taking any business chances.
Children born on this day will be courageous, possessed of initiative and industrious. These subjects of Gemini, who are on the cusp, have Cancer traits and may meet with reverses that they can overcome.

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LETTERS
THE HIGH SCHOOL.
To the Editor:—The present situation of the Victoria High School must be viewed with anxiety by every parent in the city. As it is the duty of the appointed representatives of the people to find out the source of the trouble I do

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY
Victoria Daily Times, July 20, 1906
Prospectors who came to Victoria to-day on the C. P. N. Co.'s steamer Maude brought with them considerable quantities of rich looking quartz taken from four different locations near Alberni. A large number of men, including many experienced miners, are crowding into the Alberni district, some to prospect and others to work in the mines which are being developed.
A large street paving programme will be launched by the City Council immediately if plans under consideration now are approved.
A number of residents of Victoria West have organized a volunteer fire department to man the hose reel recently placed there by the city. The company consists of twenty men.
An indignant ratepayer called at the office of The Times to-day and submitted for inspection a flask of Elk Lake water drawn from a tap containing a well-developed, frisky leech. The moral is plain—don't drink Elk Lake water without examining it carefully.

not propose to enlarge upon that matter, except to say that the people expect them to take definite and drastic action in the matter. The remark of a Trustee "that no one would get hurt over it" in the face of such a situation, would suggest a lack of appreciation of the responsibilities devolving upon that office. In my opinion, two things have militated against the success of the Victoria High School, politics and penuriosity. In April, 1914, the new High School was opened with a blare of trumpets, and I must say I warmed to the remark of a then Trustee, "that nothing was too good for the children of our fair city." The school had an excellent staff which was everything promised well. Where is the majority of that staff to-day? They, or rather the majority of them, are following their avocation in Vancouver, South Vancouver, Oak Bay, etc., where their services are receiving the appreciation, monetary and otherwise, that their efforts deserve. Those only stayed who had fixed interests in the city which prevented their moving, but in most cases it was not for lack of opportunity to go elsewhere. Over twenty trained and efficient teachers have left the Victoria High School to take better positions elsewhere, and it is certainly an injustice to the children of Victoria to use that building as a training school for the Province. I can quote a case of one successful teacher in the neighborhood of Victoria who went to another school because the Board could not see its way to make an increase of five dol-

lars a month to keep that teacher. I do not wish to suggest that Victoria has no good teachers, but what I wish to point out is that it is the prime duty of the Trustees to keep an efficient staff when they have it, and to look for and secure good teachers when the opportunity presents itself. This exodus of teachers is not confined to the High School alone, and weakness in the lower schools is bound to make itself felt higher up, and this exodus still continues.
I have been in close touch with the school situation for fifteen years, and I can only point out two cases where High School teachers have been appointed above the minimum salary, and that was for military service, and even then some of our Trustees fought the issue. I should advise our Trustees to make enquiries as to the initial salaries paid by Vancouver, Point Grey and Oak Bay for proved teachers. I have in mind an occasion where an application came up from a very successful teacher of this Province. He specified the salary he would come for, which was a few hundreds more than the Victoria minimum and was practically the salary he was then receiving, and I was told that he was too rich for Victoria's blood.
In the face of this, I can only conclude that Victoria's Trustees, one and all, since 1914 have been delinquent in their first duty, which is to secure trained teachers, and when they secure good teachers to keep them at any reasonable cost. But what can you expect when you find them appointing a Superintendent

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The voiles are of fine quality French make, soft in texture and in perfect shades of flesh, Nile, sky, saxe, purple, pink, old rose, raspberry, canary, brown, navy, black, white, sand, champagne, silver, medium and dark grey; 40-inch material; regular \$1.25. On sale for, a yard **59¢**

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Arab Brand Tea, pound 43¢	Castile Soap, 5 bars 25¢
Cayenne Pepper, special, tin 9¢	Snowflake Flour, 10-pound sacks 55¢
Two in One White Shoe Dressing, per bottle 12¢	Quaker Puffed Rice Pancake Flour, 25¢ packages 13¢
Malkin's Best Baking Powder, 5-pound tin \$1.25	Honey, 1-pound tins; 35¢ value 29¢
Laughlin's Pure Lemon Juice, cheaper to use than fresh lemons; for drinks, salads, fish, etc.; takes the place of vinegar; 25¢ bottles 29¢	Legster, Per tin 45¢
Pure Maple Butter, jar 22¢	Jello, per package 12¢
	Apex Strawberry and Apple Jam, per tin 74¢
	Crab Apple Jelly, 1-pound jars 39¢

PROVISION COUNTER BULLETIN

Beef Dripping; at, lb. 10¢
Smoked Picnic Hams; at, lb. 23¢
Unsmoked Picnic Hams; at, lb. 21¢
Sliced Side Bacon; at, lb. 40¢
Ayrshire Ham (sliced); at, lb. 50¢
Ayrshire Shoulder (sliced); at, lb. 45¢
Swift's Premium Post-Meal Back Bacon (sliced); lb. 55¢
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EXIT BETTY

By
Grace Livingston Hill
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Author of "The Search," "Marcella Schuyler," "The Enchanted Barn," etc.

It was growing dark, and the lights were lit in the car. All the little Italian babies had been given drinks of water, and strange things to eat, and tumbled to sleep across laps and they looked so funny and dirty and on seats, anywhere they would stick with their faces all streaked with soot and molasses candy that somebody had given them. The mother looked tired and greasy, and the father was fat and dark, with unpleasant black eyes that seemed to roll a great deal. Yet he was kind to the babies and his wife seemed to like him. She wondered what kind of a home they had, and what relation the young fellow with the shiny dark curls bore to them. He seemed to take as much care of the babies as did their father and mother.

The lights were flickering out in the village now and gave a friendly, unobtrusive look to the houses. Sometimes when the train paused at stations Betty could see people moving back and forth at what seemed to be kitchen tables and little children bringing dishes out, all working together. It looked pleasant and she wondered if it would be like that where she was going. A big lump of loneliness was growing in her throat. It was one thing to run away from something that you hated, but it was another to jump into a new life where one neither knew nor was known. Betty began to shrink inexpressibly from it all. Not that she wanted to go back. Oh, no, far from it! But once when they passed a little white cemetery with tall dark fir trees waving guardedly above the white stones she looked out at almost wistfully. If she were lying in one of those beside her father and mother how safe and rested she would be. She wouldn't have to worry any more. What was it like where father and mother had gone? Was it a real place? Or was that just the end when one died? Well, if she were sure it was all she would not care. She would be willing to just go out and not be. But somehow that didn't seem to be the commonly accepted belief. There was always a beyond in most people's minds, and a fear of just what Betty didn't know. She was a good deal of a heathen, though she did not know that either.

Then, just as she was floundering into a lot of theological mysteries of her own discovery the nasal voice of the conductor called out: "Tinsdale! Tinsdale!" and she hurried to her feet in something of a panic, conscious of her short hair and queer clothes.

Down on the platform she stood a minute, trying to get used to her feet, they felt so numb and empty from long sitting. Her head ached just a little, too, and the lights on the station and in the houses near by seemed to dance around her weirdly. She had a feeling that she would rather wait until the train was gone before she began to search for her new home, and then when the wheels ground and began to turn and the conductor shouted "All aboard!" she hurried herself up into her seat as she had seen him do a hundred times that afternoon, a queer sinking feeling of loneliness possessed her, and she almost wanted to catch the rail and swing back on again as the next pair of car steps flung by her.

Then a voice that sounded a little like Jane's said pleasantly in her ear: "Is this Lizzie Hope?" and Betty turned with a thrill of actual fright to face Nellie Carson and her little sister Emily.

"Bobbie" be here in a minute to carry your suitcase," said Nellie efficiently; "he just went over to see if he could borrow Jake Peters' wheelbarrow in case you had a trunk.

You didn't bring your trunk? O but you're going to stay, aren't you? I'm going up to the city to take a position, and Mother'd be awful lonesome. Sometime of course we'll send for them to come, but now the children's little and the country's better for them. They gotta go to school awhile. You'll stay, won't you?"

"How do you know you'll want me?" laughed Betty, at her case in this unexpected air of welcome.

"Why, of course we'd want you Jane sent you. Jane wouldn't of sent you if you hadn't been a good scout. Jane knows. Besides I've got two eyes, haven't I? I guess I can tell right off."

Emily's shy little hand stole into Betty's and the little girl looked up.

"I'm awful glad you come! I think you're awful pretty!"

"Thank you," said Betty, warmly squeezing the little confiding hand. It was the first time in her life that a little child had come close to her in the confiding way. Her life had not been among children.

Then Bob whirled up, bareheaded, freckled, whistling, efficient, and about twelve years old. He grabbed the suitcase, eyed the stranger with a pleasant grin, and stamped off into the darkness ahead of them.

"That's a new experience to Betty with little houses on each side and lights and warmth and heads bobbing through the windows. It stirred some memory of long ago, before she could scarcely remember. She wondered, had her own mother ever lived in a small village?"

"That's our church," confided Emily, as they passed a large frame building with pointed steeple and bell tower. They're going to have a tournament tomorrow night, we're all going and Ma said you cud go too."

"Isn't that lovely!" said Betty, feeling a sudden lump like tears in her throat. It was just like living out a fair story. She hadn't expected to be taken right in to family life this time.

"But how did you know I was coming on that train?" she asked the older girl suddenly. "Jane said she was just lovely of you."

"I had to hunt around to find the house."

"Oh, you just came down to every train after the program came. This is the last train to-night, and we were awful scared for fear you wouldn't come till morning, an' have to stay on the train all night. Ma says it isn't nice for a girl to have to travel alone at night. Ma always makes Jane and me go daytimes."

"It was just lovely of you," said Betty, wondering if she was talking "natural" enough to please Jane.

"Did you bob your hair 'cause you had a fever?" asked Nellie enviously.

"No," said Betty. "That is, I haven't been very well, and I thought it might be good for me," she finished, wondering how many questions like that it was going to be hard for her to answer without telling a lie. A lie was something that she take care of it."

"That's true, too," said Betty. "I never thought about that. But I guess it will be less trouble this way. But it's very dirty with travel. I think I'll have to wash it before I put it on a pillow."

That had troubled Betty greatly. She didn't know how to get rid of

that hair dye before Jane's family got used to having it dark.

"Sure, you can wash it, if you ain't afraid of takin' cold. There's lots of hot water. Ma thought you'd maybe want to take a bath. We've got a big tub, but it's in the back shed. Ma bought it off the Joneses when they got their porcelain one put into their house. We don't have no running water but we have an awful good well. Here's our house, I guess Bob's got there first. See Ma's out on the steps waitin' fer us."

The house was a square wooden affair, long wanting paint, and trimmed with little scrollwork around the diminutive front porch. The color was indescribable, blending well into the surroundings, either day or night. It had a cheerful, decent look, but very tiny. There was a small yard about it with a picket fence, and a leafless lilac bush. A cheerful barberry bush flanked the gate on either side. The front door was open into a tiny hall and beyond the light streamed forth from a glass lamp set on a pleasant dining-room table covered with a red cloth. Betty stepped inside the gate and found herself enveloped in two motherly arms, and then led into the light and warmth of the family dining-room.

(To be continued.)

ENTOMOLOGIST
ON VISIT HERE
Successor to Dr. Gordon Hewitt Makes First Official Inspection

Arthur Gibson, F. E. S., the Dominion Entomologist, was in the city yesterday on his first visit since he succeeded to the position held by the late Dr. Gordon Hewitt. Mr. Gibson has not, in the position he held with the Department prior to his promotion, had much occasion to come west in recent years, but formerly he was more closely identified with the work of the department in British Columbia.

Mr. Gibson was introduced by R. C. Treherne, Provincial representative of the Department, who will himself shortly take up the position in Ottawa, vacated by Mr. Gibson, to a number of the Scotch fruitgrowers during yesterday. Mr. Gibson stated to the Times that he was pleased to see the more encouraging sentiment shown by fruitgrowers to the work of the scientists, and to inspect the tests which had been conducted at Gordon Hill.

Mr. Gibson left for the East last evening, but Mr. Treherne, who is here from Vernon, will be back in the city in a few days to lecture at the Summer School teachers.

UNNECESSARY
"I haven't any sympathy for the man who beats his wife," said a passenger in the smoker of the S.L.S.

"Well," said another, a timid underdressed fellow, "a man who can beat up his wife doesn't need any sympathy."

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Vancouver Island News

RAINBOW TROUT SPORT AT COWICHAN

Capt. Douglas, of Hongkong, and Ken Gillespie Make Catch; Many Visitors

Riverside, Cowichan Lake, July 20.—Capt. Douglas, noted sportsman of Hong Kong, who has been holidaying here for some time, has been down the river the last two evenings with Kenneth Gillespie, the successful local fisherman.

On Monday night when they came back guests at the Riverside Inn and other holiday parties had their interest in fishing suddenly stirred by the sight of fourteen wonderful rainbow trout which Capt. Douglas and Mr. Gillespie took with fly before dark. The basket of fourteen weighed 10 1/2 pounds.

Fishing is now again exceptionally good along the river and out into the lake. It is expected it will remain so for two or three weeks. The recent spell of hot weather and entire absence of rain has brought the diminutive front porch. The color was indescribable, blending well into the surroundings, either day or night. It had a cheerful, decent look, but very tiny. There was a small yard about it with a picket fence, and a leafless lilac bush. A cheerful barberry bush flanked the gate on either side. The front door was open into a tiny hall and beyond the light streamed forth from a glass lamp set on a pleasant dining-room table covered with a red cloth. Betty stepped inside the gate and found herself enveloped in two motherly arms, and then led into the light and warmth of the family dining-room.

Capt. W. M. Crawford, Mrs. Crawford, Capt. H. Dunlop, Mrs. Dunlop, F. R. Archibold and E. S. Stapleton are members of a Vancouver party who have been taking in the sport here.

Mr. and Mrs. Cubbie, H. Marpole, W. S. Harvey and his son are another lot of Vancouver people who have been here.

Mr. Walker and Mrs. Walker, of Seattle, came over to the island the other day and made for Cowichan Lake, where they have been enjoying the beauty of the lake and the fishing. A. T. Beasley, of Oak Bay, and Miss W. F. Beasley came up from the city for a change of air.

The Victoria contingent at Riverside is always large. Recent members of it include E. W. McMullen, Mr. and Mrs. Hargrave, J. Hargrave, H. J. Davis, Mrs. Davis, G. G. Fraser, Mr. Fraser and the children, Capt. J. Newby, Mr. and Mrs. Brechley, Miss Brechley, Ms. and Mrs. Napier, Miss Napier, A. E. Green, R. P. Allen, Mrs. Lawson, Mr. Lawson, Master Lawson, J. L. Mara, Mrs. Mara, C. H. Smith, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Regina, Mrs. Ferguson and J. J. Galloway with his sons have arrived at the lake.

Scouts Outing
Cobble Hill, July 20.—The party of Boy Scouts returned from Duncan after the evening service at St. John's Church, marching by moonlight, arriving at the Cobble Hill Camp at 1 a.m. Monday morning.

A number of visitors came to watch the return cricket match, Victoria vs. Cobble Hill, at Victoria, last night, consisting of Holmes, Wilkinson, Duffield, Radford, Adams, Cherry, and Carr. Cobble Hill team was composed of W. E. Brown, K. H. Hill, G. Bonner, G. Barry, A. Erout, G. Erout, and C. Meredith. Victoria scored 112, Cobble Hill 53.

Some of the ladies on the Scout Committee prepared tea and cakes for the combined troops.

The Victoria-Troop left this morning at 7 o'clock for Kail Bay which they will leave in time to make camp at Hamsterley Chait, on the Malahat. The Scouts expect to be a week on the coast before returning to Victoria.

The Girl Guides broke camp on Monday afternoon after a week of the most excellent camping weather. During their stay at Victoria, the Cobble Hill Girl Guides visited the Bamber Cement Works, which proved a most instructive and interesting sight, and a number of the guides were rough for boating and swimming every day, the Guides have returned looking rosy and lanned.

On Sunday afternoon a number of visitors from Shawigan, Cowichan, Duncan and Westholme attended the service on the beach held for St. G. Christmas for the Girl Guides.

A number of friends thoroughly enjoyed a social evening arranged by the Ladies Aid of the Mill Bay Methodist Church at the Wilkinson Beach on Friday evening, games were played by the light of the moon. Refreshments consisted of strawberries, raspberries, strawberries, and cream, and cakes, by the side of a large fire.

Hospital Week Ended
Duncan, July 20.—The Hospital Drive inaugurated by the Scattered Circle, King's Daughters, Duncan, was brought to a successful close on Saturday evening. The money received to date amounts to \$1,491, and there is still one box to be sent in. The following kindly gave to the King's Daughters by lending cars: Mrs. Fry, Miss Watson, Mrs. Dunne, Col. Collard, C. B. Colonel Brinsley Rice, Kenneth Duncan, M. P. Dr. Stephens, W. L. B. Young, A. H. Peterson, W. O'Neill, G. Share, W. H. Elkington, F. C. Mim Thurn, G. O. Day, J. P. Robinson, E. P. Tooker and Mrs. Carr, Hilton, Capt. William Rev. F. L. Stephenson. Those who collected on the outskirts were: Mrs. Elkington, Mrs. Lather, Mrs. F. Freest, Mrs. J. Maiter, Mrs. Craig, Mrs. E. W. Carr-Hilton, Mrs. F. Price, Mrs. H. P. Tooker, Mrs. G. Stuart, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Im Thurn, Miss E. Hall, Miss G. Dunne, Miss M. Stephenson and many others.

Cowichan Lake responded generously through Mrs. Harding, Miss E. S. Davidson, and the C. Cobble Hill and Shawigan Districts and those who helped her were: Mrs. G. A. Cheske, Mrs. Lonsdale, Mrs. Frank Elford, Mrs. E. P. Corneil, Mrs. Frank Porter, Miss B. Clark and Miss Alexander.

Those who collected in the city and tagged in town on Saturday were: Mrs. C. Dobson, Mrs. H. C. Mann, Mrs. Saxton White, Mrs. Spurrier, Mrs. Sawm, Miss Roberts, Mrs. Whitmore, Mrs. F. Price, Mrs. Watson and Miss M. Thurn.

As the objective was \$1,100, the King's Daughters are very grateful for the generous response to their appeal.

Regatta, August 4.
Maple Bay, July 20.—A new run-out to a float is to be started this week at Maple Bay and will, it is hoped, be a success. The regatta on August 4. The old wharf will then be taken away, as it has been condemned as dangerous for a long time.

Foresters' Ranger Visits
Cumberland, A. E. Greenwood of Victoria, was here over the week-end installing the newly-elected officers of the local lodge of the Ancient Order of Foresters. Mr. Greenwood is District Sub-Chief Ranger, and

came here as a substitute for Frank Jenkins, of Victoria, who is Chief Ranger, but could not come on account of having to undergo an operation.

Alien Land Sales
Nanaimo: The Council at its last meeting endorsed the following resolution of the Duncan Council: "Whereas, it is the desire of every loyal citizen to maintain this Province as a white man's country, and "Whereas, for many years there has been a steady influx of Orientals into this Province, and "Whereas, owing to their lower standard of living these people are steadily ousting the white man from the industrial field, and "Whereas, it is imperative that steps be taken at once to vigorously combat this evil, and especially to prevent any further acquisition of land in British Columbia by Orientals, either by lease or freehold; "Be it therefore resolved, that the Provincial Government be requested to enact a law providing that all transactions of lease directors and conveyance of title to lands and leasing of lands in British Columbia be first submitted for the approval of the municipal councils throughout the Province for their endorsement, and that copies of the resolution be forwarded to the Minister of Lands for British Columbia asking that legislation on the lines suggested be brought down at the coming session of the Legislature.

Athletic Association.
Shawnigan Lake, July 19.—The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Shawnigan Lake Athletic Association will be held in the hall on Friday, July 22. Matters of great importance will be brought up, amongst them plans for an adequate heating plant for the hall. Election of lease directors and the discussion of a forward movement also will be features of the meeting. Never in the history of Shawnigan has so many people selected the spot for their summer vacation. Every available house and shack has been taken. Tents are dotted everywhere. Those who have been unable to secure shelter are buying lots and building.

GIRL GUIDES IN CAMP AT CROFTON
Duncan, July 19.—Forty Girl Guides of the First Cowichan Company, under their officers Miss N. Denny, R. R. C. and Miss Geoghegan have returned to Duncan after a delightful fortnight's camping at Crofton. Mrs. Geoghegan had donated a flag to the company and Crofton friends put up a pole. The ordinary programme for the day began at 9 o'clock with prayers and hoisting of the flag. After breakfast were camp fatigues and at 10 o'clock tent inspection, bathing was followed by dinner at 12 o'clock, and from 1 to 2 rest. Recreation and games filled the time until tea. Playing on the beach and bathing followed tea and before supper there was the ceremony of saluting and hauling down the flag; after supper followed the camp fire and bed.

On each of the two Sundays at camp seven tent-foots were enrolled as guides before the service, and Duncan Day passed her second class test, seven more almost completed the requirements for the swimmer's badge, and two have been recommended for the enterprisers badge. Two have qualified for the cook's badge.

Twenty-two Brownies were entertained for a long day by the guides having been conveyed to and from Duncan by members of the Duncan Board of Trade and several visitors were entertained on Sunday afternoons. On the second Sunday the Rev. B. D. Porter of Chemainus conducted special service at the Crofton School house for the Guides who, with the grownups packed the room.

Mrs. Dunne and other friends entertained the Guides a delicious supper on her lawn. The guides entertained their hosts with an impromptu programme.

Messrs. Hyde-Parker and Foster and Col. Barnes took the girls a delightful trip to Lighthouse Island and gave them tea and Col. B. A. Rice took a party of twenty-three in his launch around Kuper Island.

The girls were camped in eight tents with flies for kitchen and dining room, and except for the inconveniences when the crows ate the butter, the time flew most pleasantly. The people of Crofton could not have done more to make the girls stay a happy one.

"Mention the name of some well known Greek," said the teacher of a juvenile class in history.

"George," spoke up the curly-haired little boy.

"George who?"

"I don't know the rest of his name, ma'am. He comes around to our house every Thursday with bananas and oranges."

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—Drysdale's Silk Underwear Shop, Main Floor

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2 only to clear at \$37.50 each.

—Drysdale's Dress Shop, First Floor

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She—Women may gossip sometimes, but they have better control of their tongues than men have.
He—You are right. Men have no control whatever over women's tongues.

Stranger—Do you ever think I have the gout, doctor?
Physician—Hem! What's your income?
Stranger—Ninety dollars a month.
Physician—No, you have a sore toe.

A most amusing and unexpected bit of evidence as to the resourcefulness of wild animals was seen by a Fort Collins, Col., man who has a pet skunk and a squirrel caged together. The two animals are firm friends, but when the squirrel wanted material to build a nest it proceeded to shove enough fur off the skunk's back. Now the innocent skunk has a bald spot as big as a saucer, and the squirrel has a nest made partially, at least, of skunk fur.

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She—Do you really think I shall ever succeed in making an impression with my voice?
He—Undoubtedly, if you sing into a phonograph.

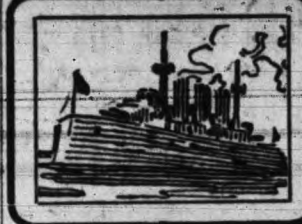
BOTH SATISFIED
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Webb—Yes. She was awarded the children and he gets the key to the wine cellar.

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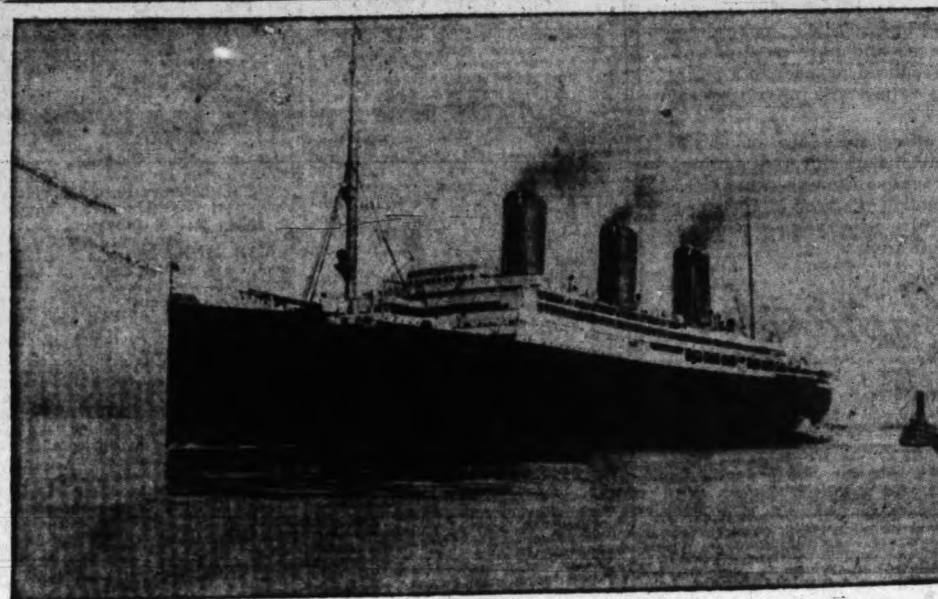


MAUD MAKING SOUTH UNDER OWN SAIL FROM NORTH

Polar Ship Maud Now on Way Home After Escaping Ice

Seattle, July 20.—Brought safely from the perils of the Arctic Ocean into the safer waters of Behring Sea by the coastguard cutter Bear, the Amundsen polar exploration ship Maud is heading southward for Dutch Harbor under her own canvas, according to a message received from Nome. At the same time a cablegram was received in Seattle from Christiania, Norway, announcing that the Norwegian Parliament has voted Capt. Roald Amundsen, leader of the expedition, 500,000 kroner with which to continue his North Pole venture. The coastguard cutter Unga will steam northward in Behring Sea to meet the Maud and tow her to Dutch Harbor. A chartered steamship will be sent from Seattle to Dutch Harbor to tow the vessel to Elliott Bay. The Bear towed the Maud to a point 100 miles south of St. Lawrence Island. The Maud will have a new propeller installed in Seattle. She broke her old propeller on the Arctic ice off Cape Serge last fall and had to winter there. Captain Amundsen, who arrived in Seattle from the Arctic July 4, will spend the winter here with his ship. Next spring he will outfit here and head again for the Arctic in another attempt to drift with the ice pack to the North Pole. This makes Seattle the 1922 base for the Amundsen expedition. Captain Amundsen has renounced a home on East Madison Street. The explorer, world famous as the discoverer of the South Pole, the conqueror of the Northwest Passage, and the first man ever to circumnavigate the globe in Arctic waters, is visiting friends in Cashmere. In his absence, the advice that the Norwegian Parliament had voted the money necessary to continue the expedition were confirmed to-day by H. H. Hammer, president of the Universal Shipping & Trading Company, which is acting as the explorer's agent. The call for volunteer officers and crew to man the chartered steamship which will be sent from Seattle to bring the Maud south, had been answered by more than 40 deck and engine room officers and able seamen up to noon to-day. The call was issued by Mr. Hammer. The men will not receive wages, but the spirit of adventure made a strong appeal.

LEVIATHAN TO BE RECONDITIONED



S. S. LEVIATHAN

New York, July 20.—The giant liner Leviathan, which has been idle at her pier in Hoboken for two years, costing forty-five thousand dollars a month for upkeep, will be ordered reconditioned—salvaged—her on the seas again as a first class passenger liner, the cost probably would be twelve million dollars, experts told Mr. Lasker. The cost of building and refitting a ship of the same size to-day would be in the neighborhood of thirty million dollars, it was declared. P. A. S. Franklin, president of the International Mercantile Marine, who was a member of the inspecting party, said his corporation had an agreement with the shipping board to operate the Leviathan for five years if the government decided upon reconditioning her.

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Directional Wireless Will Be Installed On Vancouver Island

Important Announcement Made By Deputy Minister of Naval Service, G. J. Desbarats, C.M.G., in City on Inspection.

G. J. Desbarats, C.M.G., Deputy Minister of Naval Service, who arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from Vancouver, to-day announced his tour of inspection. This morning the Deputy Minister was closeted with E. J. Haughton, superintendent of Dominion wireless, and made a tour of the Gonzales station and inspected the office of the Dominion wireless and telegraphs here. This afternoon Mr. Desbarats was taken to the wireless equipment stores at the naval dockyard, and there shown the latest experiments made with directional wireless and continuous wave receivers, which were manufactured by the local wireless engineering staff.

Directional Wireless Station. At the dockyard Mr. Desbarats was met by Engineer Lt.-Commander G. Clarke, Officer in Charge of the Naval Dockyard, and Lt. Laurie, the latter for Commander Nixon, Senior Naval Officer, who is on furlough. On his annual tour of inspection Mr. Desbarats will be in this city until Monday, when he will leave for the mainland. He is registered at the Empress Hotel.

One of the features that had brought the attention of the Canadian wireless station on Vancouver Island. For a long time such a station was talked of, but the difficulty was stated by Mr. Desbarats, in finding a suitable location. The advantages of such an equipment are immense, it is stated, as ships at sea may obtain their exact position from the directional wireless unit on shore.

The station when it is established will work with the Pacific coast chain of American directional stations, supplementing that service and deriving great benefit from the other stations in the chain.

By Triangulation. The principle of directional wireless, it is stated, is merely that of triangulation. The ship desiring a bearing at sea merely transmits a time signal, and the angles are measured for direction from three or two different stations, usually three, when angles are obtained. These angles are co-ordinated and give the bearing of the ship to a high degree of accuracy.

The station of Vancouver Island when in operation will operate in this manner and be of incalculable benefit to shipping making for the waterways of the coast.

Mr. Desbarats after a thorough review of the local wireless men of all stations of the Dominion service may inspect some of the up-country stations before returning East.

Visits Naval Colleges. At Esquimalt this afternoon the Deputy Minister was shown over the Naval College, and inspected the cadets there in training. A training school for boys is to be transmitted to Halifax, he stated, but will not conflict with the work of the Esquimalt Naval establishment, as the latter is for officers alone. It had been found impossible to find berths for all graduating from these colleges, many taking up university work, and others entering the various professions.

No Additional Ships. In relation to the visit here of the Canadian squadron Mr. Desbarats was enthusiastic over the reception tendered to the officers and men of the Canadian Navy, and stated that all of them wished to remain on this coast. Owing to the retrenchment policy of the Department of Naval Service, the station at Esquimalt will

AMERICAN MARINERS ACCEPT REDUCTION

Deck Officers Accept Fifteen Per Cent. Reduction in War Time Scale

New York, July 20.—A gentlemen's agreement, embodying a 15 per cent reduction in standard war-time pay for deck officers of American ships, and permitting masters to make their own contract with ship owners, was formulated to-day by organizations of deck officers and the American Steamship Owners' Association.

The new agreement, subscribed to by representatives of the Shipping Board, will be effective August 1, and will take the place of a signed agreement which expires on that date. Changes in working rules aboard ship were also provided to conform to pre-war conditions.

The agreement brought to an end conferences with all branches of steamship employees. Negotiations with engineers, firemen and sailors resulted in a strike last May and ended five weeks later, when officials of the unions and the Shipping Board signed a six-months' contract at Washington. This contract was accepted by the men under protest and they returned to work.

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Ships at a Glance

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Princess Victoria leaves 2:15 p.m. (standard time) daily. Princess Adelaide or Princess Mary leaves Sunday. From Vancouver. Princess Adelaide or Princess Mary arrives 6:30 a.m. (standard time) daily. Princess Charlotte arrives at 3 p.m. (standard time) daily. For Seattle. Prince Rupert, 11 a.m., Sundays (standard time) daily. Sol Duc leaves 10:15 a.m. daily (standard time) daily. Princess Charlotte leaves at 4:30 p.m. (standard time) daily. From Seattle. Sol Duc arrives 9 a.m. (standard time) daily except Sunday. Princess Victoria arrives daily at 1:15 p.m. (standard time).

For Prince Rupert. Prince Rupert, Sundays, 11 a.m. (standard time) daily except Sunday. Prince George, Wednesdays, 11 a.m. (standard time) daily. From Prince Rupert. Prince Rupert, Sundays, 7 a.m. (standard time).

TOURIST PARTY DELIGHTED

J. T. McKenney, traveling passenger agent of the Northern Pacific Company at Tacoma, was in the city yesterday with a party of 89 tourists from the American side. The majority of the party, which included many influential business men, were from Boston, who had come west over the Canadian Pacific Railway and are returning home via the Yellowstone National Park, on the Northern Pacific. The party spent some hours in "Seeing Victoria" and left expressing themselves as delighted with their first visit to the island.

FRENCH CHESS CHAMP RETAINS HIS LEAD

Atlantic City, N.J., July 20.—David Janowski, chess champion of France, retained his half-game lead in the chess masters tournament in the tenth round yesterday by defeating Stanislaw Mikolowski, of Los Angeles, after 23 moves. The final round will be played to-day.

MASTER PLEASSED WITH LOCAL YARDS

Work of Messrs. Yarrow, Ltd., on Canadian Exporter Much Praised

Vancouver, July 20.—Spick and span and looking like a vessel just launched, the C. G. M. Canadian Exporter docked here on Sunday after a visit to the Esquimalt yards. Her decks are all freshly painted and every trace of dirt removed from her winches. Captain Brandley is very much pleased with his ship's appearance and reported a fine trip.

The Canadian Rover is loading at Ocean Falls, while the Canadian Traveller is nearing Trinidad to load sugar.

JAP BOAT REPAIRS PROPELLER SHAFT AFTER WEEKS ADRIFT

San Francisco, July 20.—The Japanese freighter Maru, which has been drifting helplessly for nearly two weeks in the Pacific due to a broken crank shaft has succeeded in making repairs and resumed her voyage, according to wireless advices to the marine department of the Chamber of Commerce. She has a crew of sixty aboard and sailed from here via Puget Sound ports.

BINGHAMPTON GOES ASHORE IN FOG

Halifax, July 20.—Captain M. L. Gilbert and his crew of 30 men, of the American steamer Binghamton, landed safely to-night in the ship's boats at Chebogue Point, the vessel having gone ashore in a thick fog early this morning on Garnet Dry Ledge, about 15 miles from Yarmouth, N. S. The Binghamton was three days out from Boston to Higs, Russia, with a general cargo. Little hope is held out that she may be got off the dangerous ledge.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Hong Kong, July 14.—Arrived: Str Empress of Asia, from Manila; Str Protetia, from Seattle via Yokohama, Kobe and Shanghai; Str West Jappa, from Seattle via Yokohama, Kobe and Shanghai.

Kobe, July 18.—Arrived: Str Delight, from Seattle via Yokohama, Kobe, July 13.—Arrived: Str Cross Keys, from Seattle via Yokohama, Kobe, July 14.—Sailed: Str Delight, for Manila via Kobe, Shanghai and Hong Kong.

Christobal, July 16.—Arrived: Str Canadian Farmer, from Halifax via Baltimore and Tampa. Baiboo, July 15.—Arrived: Str West Kedron, from Seattle via Portland, San Francisco and San Pedro. Honolulu, July 16.—Sailed: Str Niagara, for Sydney via ports.

S. S. QUEEN MEETS ENGINE TROUBLE

Vessel Disabled, in Tow of Admiral Farragut, of Same Line

San Francisco, July 20.—The steamer Queen of the Pacific S.S. Company's coastwise service, with 180 passengers on board, met with an engine mishap off Point Sur, 190 miles south of here, early to-day and was picked up in a drifting and helpless condition by the Admiral Farragut of the same line, which is towing her to San Francisco, company officers here were advised. Both vessels were bound from San Pedro to San Francisco.

In the normal course of events the Queen would have cleared from this port on Saturday next, but wires yesterday stated she would be delayed in sailing until Monday. Now that engine trouble has developed it is likely that immediate sailings will be cancelled.

VANCOUVER STAR MAY MAKE DAVIS CUP TEAM

Toronto, July 20.—The elimination matches to decide who shall fill the remaining two places on the Canadian Davis Cup team are now in progress.

Paul Bennett and Holmes, of Winnipeg, have already been selected as the two leading Canadian players. In yesterday's game, McGill, Winnipeg, defeated Rhodes, Vancouver, in three sets, and LaFramboise, Montreal, lost to Milne, Vancouver, whose very fine forehand driving was too much for the Quebec champion. The score was 6-2, 6-4.

Rain caused the abandonment of the game between Rennie, Toronto, and McGill, at the end of the second set with honors even.

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PASSENGER TRAFFIC BRISK ON ATLANTIC

Ocean Liners Land Many Passengers in Quebec; Sailings

Quebec, July 20.—This season's record was established when four liners landed passengers here Monday. The steamer Pretorian, from Glasgow, had 194 cabin and 1st third class passengers. The Scandinavian, from Antwerp, Havre and Southampton, brought over six hundred passengers; most of them were foreigners, some hailing from as far off as Lithuania and the Far East. The Victorian had 186 cabin and 218 third class passengers. The Sturnia had several hundred Scotch immigrants for Western points. Sturnia, at Montreal, from Glasgow. La Touraine, at New York, from Havre, at New York, from Bremen. La Lorraine, at Havre, from New York.

ALABAMA MARU MAKES PORT TO-DAY

O. S. K. Liner, Capt. Yamaguchi, Had Good Run in Fast Time

The O. S. K. Alabama Maru, Captain Yamaguchi, made port to-day somewhat ahead of her expectations. It was expected the O. S. K. liner would make the quarantine station by noon standard time, but arrived there actually much before that, being in the William Head station at 11:15 a.m. local time. The liner sailed in a brisk breeze without trouble and came on to the docks shortly after 1:30 p.m.

The O. S. K. liner has 74 passengers for Victoria, 72 of these being Japanese steers, one British and one Japanese in the cabin class. Mail includes three bags for the post office, ordinary mail. In cargo the Alabama Maru is carrying a fair load, mostly for U. S. points. Silk, china-ware, and general merchandise complete the cargo list.

Captain Yamaguchi reported a good run without incident. The vessel has a total of 163 passengers, mostly from the American side. The first cabin list numbers 33, chiefly business men returning from commercial trips to the Orient. The Hawaii Maru, of the same line, will clear from her port outbound on Saturday next.

MARINE NOTES

The last word to-day from the B. C. Pilotage Association stated that the Katori Maru would make the station at William Head at daylight to-morrow and be up early for the Outer Docks.

The Bessie Dollar was off the Race at 5 a.m. to-day, inbound for Vancouver.

American shipowners are watching with interest the progress of the Silver State, which is reported to have made the run from Seattle to the Orient in ten days, a new record for the American service. The C. P. O. S. Empress boats still hold the record for nine days some hours for the run. On her trip across the Silver State is reported to have reached seventeen knots and a little better, which is the cause of satisfaction to her operators.

C. F. Sargent, manager of the International Mercantile Marine office in Seattle, is in the city to-day with W. A. Brown, manager of the N. Y. K. Line in Seattle. Mr. Sargent is over on steamship business, while Mr. Brown is here to meet the N. Y. K. Katori Maru, which will dock to-morrow early from the Orient.

The first of the Rivers Inlet salmon pack came down on the Union Steamship Company's Chilliwack last week, being a shipment of 2,000 tons of sockeye of this year's pack. The fishing is poor with two days a week when no fishing takes place, it is stated.

Owing to the wage cut by the Government service for marine workers, deck hands and others in the Government employ are being adversely affected. The situation, it is stated, will make the securing of a crew for the S. F. Tolmie more difficult. At Ocean Falls recently several men left the Canadian Rover following the wage cut. With other companies in the coastal trade paying deck hands \$55, the Government service dropped from \$75 to \$50 a month recently.

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The C. T. P. Prince George, Captain Moorhouse, cleared to-day on her regular schedule with a fair list from Victoria. The Prince George will go from here to Seattle and thence north as usual.

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Dramatic Society Picnic—The list of picnics for the Summer would not be completed without that of the Victoria Dramatic and Operatic Society, which is to take place on Saturday at Elk Lake. A most attractive programme of sports and other good things too numerous to mention have been arranged. Members are reminded that tickets for themselves and friends may be obtained at the Little Theatre, Oak Bay Avenue, this evening (Wednesday) at the usual fortnightly meeting, or from Mr. Barry, the secretary, 425 Sayward Building.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

To Protect Streets—To protect city streets, the civic authorities are drawing up regulations to prevent such vehicles as tractors from using thoroughfares.

Medical Fakes and Fakery—Dr. George Hall will speak on "Medical Fakes and Fakery" at the Rotary Club luncheon in the Empress Hotel ball room Thursday.

Veterans of France Meeting—The Veterans of France will meet Thursday evening at eight o'clock at their rooms. Several matters of importance will be discussed.

Muffler Cut-out—Ping Far pleaded guilty in the City Police Court this morning to a charge of driving a motor car with the muffler cut out, contrary to the by-law, and was assessed \$5 for the offence.

Motor Offences—N. Veitch was charged with turning his motor car in the centre of a block and was fined \$5 in the City Police Court this morning by Magistrate Jay. Herbert Burch, charged with holding on to a motor vehicle while riding a bicycle on Fort St. was also fined \$5.

Women's Canadian Club—The Women's Canadian Club yesterday received an appeal from the Great War Veterans Association asking for help in the 12-day to be held by the veterans on August 6. Any members of the club willing to assist are asked to communicate with Mrs. Hyndman.

Valuable Papers—Joseph Hill, 1427 Government Street, would be glad to recover lost records and documents of his corps, the Canadian Engineers and some personal papers, which he lost on the beach at Beacon Hill park, just east of Finlayson Point, between four and five o'clock on Tuesday.

Flower Shop Changes Hands—William Paul has taken over the flower shop of G. E. Wilkerson, Fort Street. Mr. Paul is himself a florist of many years' experience, and it is his purpose to run a first class modern flower shop. The store will be known as the Posy Shop, and Miss White will continue in charge.

Careless Driver Charged—William Thacker, Jr., was charged in the City Police Court this morning with having driven a motor cycle in a careless and imprudent manner in Beacon Hill Park, where a lot of children were playing on Sunday. He was also charged with driving a cycle without a license number. He was remanded on both charges until to-morrow.

Judgment For Plaintiff—Judgment for plaintiff with costs, and dismissal of a court suit was handed down to-day in the County Court by His Honor Judge Lammiman in the action of the B. C. Iron Works versus the Henshall Products Company. The plaintiff's claim was for \$800 in respect to drying machinery supplied. D. W. P. Maunsell appeared for the plaintiff with R. C. Lowe for the defendant.

Going To Alberni—Mayor Porter has signified his intention of going to Port Alberni for the purpose of attending the Board of Trade of Vancouver Island. George H. Walton, president of the Sidney Board of Trade, and J. W. Macdonald, secretary of the Associated Boards, will also motor to Port Alberni for the convention, which will open Friday evening.

Stock Exchange on Train—A stock exchange service in parlor, lounge and observation cars is the newest feature of the Great Northern Railway Company, states W. R. Dale, the local agent. This service is supplied by wire to trains and hotels, being collected from stock brokers at 11 a. m. each day. Another feature for the Summer season is the use of an open air observation car between Glacier station and White Fish, Montana, through the Glacier National Park, a novelty that is being much appreciated.

Beacon Hill Band Concert—The fine programme of music played by the G. W. V. A. Band on Monday afternoon, was listened to by a large and appreciative audience. The overture "Stradella" was played with brilliance and precision. The quartette by four French horns in opening the overture, was the subject of much favorable comment. The band is lucky to possess four such good players on this instrument. The band was also heard to advantage in operatic, descriptive and entr'act numbers. Sullivan's favorite opera, "Yeoman of the Guard," being played in second half of programme. Admirers say that this was the finest programme the band has yet played. The band has lost a valuable member, R. W. Davies, flautist, having left for Vancouver to play in the Allan Theatre.

TOBACCO AND HEALTH

Eminent Surgeon Advises Regularity in Smoking

"Smoke the same quantity of tobacco every day," was the advice of Sir James Cantle, K. B. E., the eminent surgeon, when speaking on "Tobacco and Health" in London recently.

Sir James said that a few days previous to his address he read of a man who when he died was more than 100 years of age and who smoked one ounce of tobacco per day. Probably if that man had not smoked a pipe or one ounce the next day he would not have lived so long. Smokers should not vary the amount of tobacco they smoke.

He had seen men in the rifle competition at Wimbledon shooting whilst they were smoking. Even if they had pipes in their mouths, because they found it steadied their nerves. The man with a pipe between his teeth felt a certain amount of security.

Speaking of the pleasure to be derived from tobacco, Sir James Cantle said he was sure that it was far more pleasant to be in the company of a smoker than of a man who did not smoke. Life would be much more pleasant if everybody smoked.

ORCHESTRAL CONCERT

Conservative Club Organization to Entertain Saturday Night

The first public appearance of the Conservative Club orchestra, will be made at a concert to be given by the orchestra, assisted by local artists, at the club-rooms, Campbell Building.

Announcements

Dr. W. S. Newitt, Dentist, is occupying the offices of late Dr. Proctor, corner Government and Yates. Phone 392.

Dr. W. N. Gunning, late of Rossland, has opened an office in Sayward Building for the practice of dentistry.

C. P. R. Social and Athletic Excursion to Port Angeles. Princess Adelaide leaves Victoria 1.30 p.m. (Victoria time) Saturday, July 23. Tickets at C. P. R. ticket offices. Adults, \$1.00; children, 5 to 12 years, 50 cents.

"J" Unit Chapter, I. O. O. E.—Special meeting Tuesday, July 19, I. O. O. E. rooms, Jones Building.

Silver Tea to be held at the home of Mrs. C. P. R. ticket offices, Point, Sidney, July 20, from 3 to 6 p.m.

T. Beattie, well-known band and orchestra leader, is opening a school of music next week for all young musicians who wish a thorough instruction in band and orchestra work. Small fee. Phone 4595R for information.

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LOCAL SCHOOL LEADS CANADA

Underwood Typewriter Co., Toronto, Gives Verdict in Favor of Sprott-Shaw School

The local branch of the Sprott-Shaw Schools has received a letter from the Educational Department of the United Typewriter Co., Ltd., Toronto, distributors of the Underwood Typewriter for Canada, stating that during the past year (July 1, 1920-June 30, 1921) a record number of certificates for all of Canada has been awarded to the students of the Sprott-Shaw School of Victoria.

As the report did not reach Toronto until July 2, it was at first thought that another school somewhere in Canada, held the lead, but a letter recently received from Toronto states that the local school wins.

The Educational Department of the United Typewriter Co. is under the supervision of Mr. Fred Jarrett, the champion typist of Canada. Mr. Jarrett, on his last visit to the school informed the management here that the typewriting department was as nearly in a state of perfection as anything he could suggest, and he frankly said, after close supervision of a practical type writing demonstration, that it was the best he had ever visited.

The local school takes great pride in having achieved this record, as it has striven to give the best possible service in this as well as in other departments.

Although there are fifteen branches of the Sprott-Shaw in Canada (and the Sprott-Shaw is taken as the standard in business education), the local school feels great pride in having taken the lead from the older established branches in the East.

In conversation with Miss Noonan, the principal of the stenography department of the Sprott-Shaw School, she states that she attributes the success of the year's work to the enthusiastic and diligent effort of the students, to the competitive spirit of the classroom and to the esprit de corps between the students and her associate teachers.

Farmers' Institute Meeting.—The regular monthly meeting of the South Saanich Farmers' Institute will take place to-morrow at 8.30 p. m., at the Temperance Hall, Keat in George Robinson, of Elk Lake, will talk on gardening.

PLAN TO ASK FOR CITY CHARTER AND VARIOUS REFORMS

City to Lay Plans Before the Legislature in Fall

As a result of a conference between Alderman A. E. Todd's Civic Reform Committee and representatives of public organizations to-morrow afternoon, it is altogether likely that the City Council will ask the Provincial Legislature in its Fall session to give Victoria a charter; to give civic office greater continuity; and to amalgamate under one control Council, School Board and Police Commission business.

This became pretty clear to-day when final plans for to-morrow's conference were drawn up by Alderman Todd, head of the Civic Reform Committee. It is planned to ask the conference to draw up definite recommendations in connection with changes in the city's present form of Government. Such proposals will be submitted to the City Council which, if it approves them, will be able to ask the Legislature to make the changes desired.

The proposals for civic government reform which will be laid before the City Council and later, it is hoped, before the Legislature, will grow out of a lengthy discussion of civic problems at a conference between the Civic Reform Committee and representatives of public organizations last week. At this meeting it was generally agreed that the present system of managing the city's affairs was basically correct, but that a few changes were necessary to secure the best results. The main suggestions advanced at the conference were that Victoria should be given a charter like that under which Vancouver is governed; that the Council and Police Commission should be made into a single unit; it is likely that the Civic Reform Committee's recommendations to the City Council will be confined to these points. So far as is known now there will be little opposition to most of them in the City Council. As a matter of fact, a number of aldermen attended the conference at which these suggestions were discussed and strongly favored the ideas.

Public Attitude Changes.

At to-morrow's conference Alderman Todd will lay suggestions along this line before the Civic Reform Committee and the representatives of public organizations present. "The people whom I have met during the last week or so, seem to be much more favorable toward the City Council than before. A while ago they hadn't a good word to say for the Council. Now they say that while the Council is not perhaps as good as it might be, it probably is doing the best it can under the serious restrictions which hedge it about and against the problems which have faced it during the last few years."

The recent meetings of the Civic Reform Committee, it is thought, have served to crystallize sentiment on these matters and helped to make people unanimous on the reforms which they considered are needed. As a result of such meetings it should be possible for the citizens generally to form a united whole in asking for changes from the Legislature.

Chamber of Commerce Helps.

"A strong Chamber of Commerce, such as we have now and such as we should continue to have, can do an incalculable amount of good in these directions. In fact, with this body functioning as it is at present I believe we can accomplish almost anything. If the citizens of Victoria want to help to advance the interests of the city and cannot afford the time to take positions on the City Council they can do their bit by joining the Chamber of Commerce and working actively in that organization. In this way in all our civic problems we shall get a unity of action and a unanimity of thought which will assure success in projects which we undertake."

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TOURISTS ARRIVE IN LARGE NUMBERS

Development Association Busy Giving Out Information

Tourists are now coming in large numbers, according to reports from the Victoria and Island Development Association and from now on there will be a steady influx of visitors. No less than one hundred and twenty-six visitors called at the Association offices Monday seeking information and there were 107 yesterday.

Information regarding tours and resorts was given the inquirers. Some are still in the city and others have dispersed to various parts of Vancouver Island. The roads of Vancouver Island have become famous and motorists from far and near are enjoying the delights of a trip through the beautiful scenic sections of the Island.

The influx of tourists at present is about on a level with that of last year at this time, but it is anticipated that there will be a tremendous increase in the number of travelers from now until the end of August.

"From information we are getting by correspondence, there are indications that there will be a very heavy tourist traffic this August," says J. G. Thomson, publicity commissioner. The automobile travel, says Mr. Thomson, will be very good and already there have been a large number of visiting cars from prairie and American Pacific points.

Wants Naturalization.—Hasekichi Yanai, a Japanese at Cordova Bay, applied to Judge Lammiman yesterday afternoon for naturalization and the matter was referred to Ottawa with His Honor's recommendation.

Roof Fire.—A roof fire at the corner of Bligh and Courtney Streets at 3 o'clock this morning required the attention of the Fire Department for a short time. Little damage was caused.

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Times Latest Sports News

Players Double-Crossed Gamblers and Won Game

"Black Sox" Players Told Bribes They Would Lose Third Game of Series, Then Turned Round and Won Behind "Busher's" Pitching

Chicago, July 20.—The Chicago White Sox players, after agreeing with a clique of gamblers to throw the 1919 world's series to Cincinnati for \$100,000, became sick of the deal when they were not paid the bribes promised and at a meeting before the third game decided to play their best and win the series. Bill Burns, accomplice in the alleged deal, told the state's witness, testifies today in the backsliding trial.

Erged by the alleged fixers to win the third game to improve the odds and to take the gamblers' money, the players said they had lost to two regulars, Cicotte and Williams, and would not win for a "busher." Dick Kerr, Burns said, then feeling they had double-crossed the gamblers, they double-crossed their brothers by telling them they would lose the third game, but instead won it three to nothing, with Dick Kerr pitching.

Burns himself was double-crossed by one of his share of the spoils by "Chick" Gandil, who refused to give him the witness' testimony, adding that he told Gandil then that he would "squawk" and expose the whole deal.

THOMPSON TO PITCH FOR CAPS TO-NIGHT

"Lefty" Is Showing Class Just Now and Will Be Turned at Yakima Braves

"Lefty" Thompson, the young southpaw who has been coming to the front during the last few weeks, will do the hurrying for the Capitals this evening in their opening game with the Yakima Braves. Thompson has been picked by Manager Hansen and it is expected that the left-hander will be able to stand the many southpaw hitters from Fruitville upon their bonnets.

Over in Vancouver last week Thompson showed splendid form and his heaving had the Beavers helpless. Manager Hansen expects the Capitals to give a good account of themselves.

"We have a good hitting team," he said this morning, "and this should carry us a long way. Our pitchers are alright and our fielding has been improving so that we should be able to do a clinching in the second half of the schedule."

It is expected that a big crowd of fans will be out this evening to see the Capitals renew their old battles with Yakima. The first ball will be pitched at 8:30 o'clock. To-morrow a double header will be played. The first game will be at 2:30 and the second at 8:30.

Jap Tennis Stars Are Favored for Davis Cup

Best Players in Pacific Northwest Will Be Here After Various Titles Which Will Be at Stake—Biggest Tournament Ever Held in City

New York, July 20.—Tennis experts in a compilation of dope on the Davis Cup teams, concede the chances of the Japanese trio, Kumagae, Shimizu and Kaisho to be extraordinarily good. The Japanese are favored to defeat India in the semi-final round at Chicago August 11-13 and are expected to prove dangerous opponents in the finals.

It is pointed out that the Australasian team in the upper half of the play and have compared this team with that of the Japanese, giving the latter team preference because of its dash and resourcefulness.

Kashio, the other member of the team, is wiry and active, like the others and features a freak service. The experts are inclined to favor the Australasian team in the upper half of the play and have compared this team with that of the Japanese, giving the latter team preference because of its dash and resourcefulness.

Every Seventh Year Only once in seven years does Victoria have the privilege of staging the Pacific Northwest events, each club capably handling the tournament having the championships on their court in rotation.

The late Lieutenant "Bobbie" Powell a number of years ago, finding that competition in tennis was limited owing to the isolated position of Vancouver and Victoria, conceived the idea of forming an international association and after good deal of very hard work organized what until this year was known as the North Pacific International Lawn Tennis Association. Most of the member clubs are of the same old and represent to the championship meeting wherever it is held. The member clubs are Portland (2), Seattle, Tacoma, Spokane, Salem, Lewiston and Potlatch, Idaho, North Vancouver, Vancouver and Victoria. The North Pacific International L. T. A. passes out of existence, the Pacific Northwest L. T. A. taking its place with practically the same organization and constitution as the first named.

Promise of Large Gathering It is fully expected that this will be the biggest tournament ever held on the Pacific Coast. Most of the visiting clubs are taking part in the Vancouver tournament (Mainland championships) will play in the Pacific Northwest events here.

Among the entries already received are: C. Suhr, Phil Bettens, Irving Weinstein, C. P. Association, all of California. Three or four entries will be received from each of the member clubs in the Pacific Northwest. L. T. A. is holding its year-end championships in the Victoria, British Columbia, Lewiston, Idaho, North Vancouver, Vancouver and Victoria. The Pacific Northwest L. T. A. will represent Victoria. Victoria will be represented by Garrett Vicking, Gordon, Marshall, McChesney, Leeming and others. Mrs. Lawson, Miss Idema, Miss Marjorie Leeming, Miss Pitts, Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. Rickaby and others.

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champion of the United States has entered. This player has already shown his ability by winning the championship of Oregon defeating Phil Bettens, the California star. A representative of Alberta, C. W. Alkman, is already here and shows promise of giving a good account of himself against the southern stars.

Vancouver will have a large delegation and it is hoped that Milne and Rhodes if not chosen for the Davis Cup team will be here on time. Among the more prominent Vancouver players will be found E. J. Cardman and St. L. K. Alexander, E. Y. Young, secretary of the Pacific Northwest Association and one of the most enthusiastic workers for the game will be on hand from North Vancouver with his contingent. It is fully expected that the entry list this year will be far larger than on any previous occasion.

Season's Tickets The public can secure season tickets for the week's tournament for the nominal sum of one dollar. Those desiring to attend one or more days can do so by purchasing single admission tickets at the tennis court gate for 25c, for Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday and 50c for Wednesday and Friday, the two latter being finals.

Luncheon will be served at the courts each day from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. on July 23, the dance committee will give a flange dance from 9 to 11 in the Alexandra Club Ballroom. The orchestra has been engaged. Tickets can be secured on application to the members of the dance committee of which F. A. Jackson is secretary.

THRILLING PLAY IN VANCOUVER TENNIS

Games Are Becoming Increasingly Keen as Tournament Progresses

Vancouver, July 20.—In the feature match of the second day's Mainland tennis championships of the Vancouver-Lawn Tennis Club's courts, Ingraham, the Harvard crack, who recently won the Oregon state championship, scored a decisive victory over Willy Scott, the Tacoma star. The winner won in straight sets, 6-2, 6-3, 6-2.

It was apparently not extended at any stage. The scores were 6-2, 6-3, 6-2. One of the most spirited matches of the whole series to date was that between Marshall Allen and Taylor. Both were successful in their respective matches. Marshall Allen, 6-2, 6-3, 6-2; Taylor and Young, 6-4, 6-4, 6-4. The North Pacific International L. T. A. will represent Victoria. Victoria will be represented by Garrett Vicking, Gordon, Marshall, McChesney, Leeming and others. Mrs. Lawson, Miss Idema, Miss Marjorie Leeming, Miss Pitts, Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. Rickaby and others.

BOBBIES IN FIELD BEAT POLITICIANS

Yarrows Took Advantage of Many Miscues and Won Fast Game by 8-4

Yarrows Shipbuilders took advantage of the Conservatives' loose fielding and romped home with another easy victory by the score of 8 to 4, at the Stadium last night. The politicians dished up no less than six errors and each one had a decided effect on the run column.

Yarrows started the slaughter in the third when Campbell fanned, McClelland and Petticrew worked Zaccarelli for free passes. Johnny Cummings singled to left-scoring Gandy. Moore made a mess of the ground. Cookley scratched a hit down the third-base line while the politicians stood still. Johnny Cummings scored. Jimmy Cummings hit to McLimoy who tried for Hall at the plate but Potts dropped the throw and everybody was safe. Newman scored. McLimoy's smash, Cookley scoring. McGregg's fly to Moore and Campbell ended the fireworks by grounding out in the same direction.

Yarrows came back and scored another in the fourth, and while the Conservatives booting machine was still in working order, slid two more over in the fifth, making the score 8-0 at the end of the fifth.

In the meantime McGregg had the politicians breaking their backs going after his twisters, and held the two lonely hits until the end of the seventh. At the beginning of the eighth, with darkness setting in, McLimoy drove out a single to center, fence and McLimoy was caught at the plate. Newman was safe on Petticrew's fumble. Green scoring. Minors threw wild to first and Newman came home. Moore singled to center and Potts scored when Petticrew threw out Robinson at first. Moore scored on a wild pitch. Cottle was thrown out by Gandy ending the game, as Umpire McGregg called the ball at this stage owing to rain and darkness.

The box score follows:

Conservatives: A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E. McLimoy, 2b., 2 0 1 0 0 3 1
Green, 1b., 3 1 1 0 0 1 0
Newman, ss., 2 1 1 0 0 1 0
Potts, c., 3 1 0 0 1 1 1
Moore, 3f., 4 1 1 1 1 2 2
Robinson, rf., 4 0 0 0 0 0 0
Cottle, lf., 4 0 0 0 0 0 0
Coleman, p., 3 0 0 0 1 1 0
Zaccarelli, p., 2 0 0 0 1 1 0

Totals..... 29 4 5 21 7 6
A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Campbell, cf., 5 0 0 0 0 0 4
Gandy, 3b., 2 1 1 1 1 4 0
McClelland, 2b., 3 1 1 1 1 5 0
Ino Cummings, ss., 2 1 1 0 0 1 0
Hull, lf., 4 1 1 1 1 0 0
Cookley, rf., 4 1 1 1 1 0 0
Gandy Cummings, 1b., 4 0 0 0 0 0 0
McGregg, p., 3 0 0 1 0 1 0
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Totals..... 35 8 7 24 14 2
A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Callaghan, p., 3 0 0 0 0 0 0
Conservatives..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 4-4
Yarrows..... 8 0 0 1 2 0 0-8
Summary: Two base hits—Gandy; Green; Double plays—Petticrew to J. Cummings; Struck out—by Zaccarelli, 6; by McGregg, 6. Bases on balls—Off Zaccarelli, 4; off McGregg, 4. Wild pitch—Zaccarelli, 1; McGregg, 1. Passed ball—McLimoy, 1. Left on bases—Conservatives, 5; Yarrows, 2. Umpire—McGregg.

GYROS LEARN HOW TO ROLL AND TALK TO LAWN BOWLS

There was an uproar at the Beacon Hill bowling green last evening. Twenty members of the Gyro Club who had anticipated a wordy battle with the Rotarians, gathered on the green, in order that something might be accomplished came forward and tipped off the boys in the delicate art of rolling bowls. The Gyro Club members, who were in the majority, were in a state of confusion when the Rotarians failed to put in an appearance. The "Geraniums" decided to have a game on their own in the Beacon Hill Bowling Club, and although there were but twenty Gyros in the green, they were able to accommodate sixty-four players, the whole playing ground had to be cleared. The Gyro Club absolutely nothing about the game, but at the start they decided to run the whole bluff and explain to one another just what the thing was. The members of the bowling club watched with amusement the antics of the visitors. The Gyros were in a state of confusion when the Rotarians failed to put in an appearance. The "Geraniums" decided to have a game on their own in the Beacon Hill Bowling Club, and although there were but twenty Gyros in the green, they were able to accommodate sixty-four players, the whole playing ground had to be cleared. The Gyro Club absolutely nothing about the game, but at the start they decided to run the whole bluff and explain to one another just what the thing was. The members of the bowling club watched with amusement the antics of the visitors. The Gyros were in a state of confusion when the Rotarians failed to put in an appearance. The "Geraniums" decided to have a game on their own in the Beacon Hill Bowling Club, and although there were but twenty Gyros in the green, they were able to accommodate sixty-four players, the whole playing ground had to be cleared.

SEVEN DOUBLE PLAYS FEATURE LONG GAME

Brooklyn Made Four and Chicago Three; Cleveland Has Bagby and O'Neill Back

Chicago, July 20.—Seven double plays featured the Chicago Nationals 13-inning victory over Brooklyn yesterday. Brooklyn made four, one of which Third-Baseman Johnston made unassisted.

Boeckel, of the Boston Nationals, defeated St. Louis with a home run in the ninth inning with two men out. Southworth, who had tripled in on third. The Braves were one run behind at the time.

Another Recruit Wins. A recruit pitcher was successful in his first appearance, George of the Cincinnati Nationals, receiving credit for the victory over Philadelphia.

Bush, of Boston Americans, shut out the Chicago White Sox with five hits for the second time in four days. The Cleveland world's champions were strengthened by the return of Catcher O'Neill and Pitcher Bagby to the game. O'Neill, who had not caught since May 30, took his place behind the bat in the eighth inning. Bagby, out since July 4, pitched the last three innings and received credit for the victory.

Los Angeles, July 20.—Young George, of Los Angeles, and George Shadle, of San Francisco, middleweights, fought four rounds to a draw in the main event at Vernon last night.

Official Batting Averages Pacific International League

Records of all players who have participated in five or more games. All games to Sunday, July 19, inclusive. Compiled by Stub Nelson, official league statistician.

Player and Club	Games	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	Ave.
Lafayette, Yakima	64	247	17	100	135	21	8	4	.404
Elliott, Yakima	64	243	67	84	122	17	4	1	.387
McClintock, Vancouver	58	227	46	81	129	18	0	0	.357
Anderson, Vancouver	52	201	21	36	52	10	2	0	.356
Hanson, Victoria	48	121	21	43	74	5	4	6	.355
Cooper, Yakima	32	62	12	22	31	14	2	4	.345
Wilson, Vancouver	21	57	11	19	26	5	1	0	.343
Engle, Victoria	20	49	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Marquis, Vancouver	14	45	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Nolan, Yakima	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Harrison, Victoria	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
De la Guerra, Yakima	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Engle, Victoria	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Solomon, Vancouver	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Bozice, Vancouver	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Bankhead, Victoria	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Adams, Victoria	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Cardman, Vancouver	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Dempsey, Victoria	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Shoote, Victoria	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Rego, Victoria	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Stevens, Tacoma	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Mullen, Tacoma	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Combs, Victoria	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Valencia, Yakima	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Wiggins, Vancouver	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
O'Brien, Tacoma	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
M. Purcell, Vancouver	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Jensen, Yakima	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Johnson, Victoria	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Harris, Tacoma	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
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Paton, Victoria	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Rapp, Vancouver	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Cross, Tacoma	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Barlow, Yakima	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Gibson, Tacoma	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Trendon, Tacoma	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Henson, Vancouver	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Messner, Victoria	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Hodges, Tacoma	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
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Thompson, Tacoma	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Head, Tacoma	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Church, Vancouver	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Demas, Tacoma	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
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Rachko, Vancouver	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
Wagner, Tacoma	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
James, Yakima	14	44	8	15	19	5	1	0	.343
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Saturday, July 23..... 2:30 p.m.

Ladies Free Thursday and Friday. Official Time Table.

Summary of Results

Boys Under 17

G. Cunningham beat J. A. Christie, 6-3, 6-4.

Men's Singles

Baker beat Milledge, 6-1, 6-0; Bettens beat M. A. Jones, 4-5, 8-2, 8-11; Dixon beat Casella, 6-2, 6-1; Ingraham beat Scott, 6-1, 6-4; Maw beat Edwards, 6-4, 6-1; Taylor beat Proctor, 6-4, 6-1; Weinstein beat Eddy, 6-0, 6-1; Richards beat Boggs, 6-4, 6-1; Dingman beat H. G. Green, 6-1, 6-4; Ingraham beat Scott, 6-3, 6-2; Macdonnell beat Eaton, 6-0, 6-1.

Men's Doubles

Hutchison and Carmichael beat Fraser and Jones, 6-4, 6-0; Menagh and Nicholson beat Lyford and McLaurin, 6-4, 8-6; Scott and Flye beat Hunter and Neill, 6-1, 6-3; Munro and Green beat Davison and Jones, 6-2, 4-6, 6-0; Marshall Allen and Taylor beat Young and Osland, Hill, 6-4, 6-4.

Ladies' Singles

Mrs. Broome beat Mrs. McRae, 6-0, 6-1; Mrs. Verley beat Mrs. E. Thompson, 5-7, 7-5; Mrs. Bourque beat Mrs. Staker, 6-1, 6-2; Mrs. Milne beat Mrs. Graham, 6-8, 6-1; Mrs. Muir beat Miss M. Elliott, 7-5, 6-0; Mrs. Rickaby beat Mrs. Fayson, 6-4, 6-2.

Mixed Doubles

Mrs. Graham and Cardinal beat Mrs. Parkyn and Stark, 6-2, 6-0; Miss K. Harper and McDougall beat Mrs. Hamilton and Shotton, 6-1, 6-2; Miss Leeming and Gordon beat Miss Kleopfer and Brown, 6-3, 6-2; Mr. and Mrs. Fawcett beat Mrs. MacCallum and Robertson, 6-4, 6-1; Mrs. Rickaby and Stickey beat Mrs. Bodie and Whimore, 6-2, 6-3; Mrs. Burbridge and Falls beat Mrs. Patterson and McLeod, 6-1, 6-2; Mrs. Robinson and Bettens beat Mrs. Roberts and Shawcross, 6-0, 6-0.

Ladies' Doubles

Miss Leeming and Mrs. Rickaby beat Miss Bloomfield and Miss Thompson.

OFFICIAL REPORTS PROMISE SUCCESS

Many Prizes Are Donated; Extra Attraction Added to the List

All reports turned in at the meeting of the Cordova Bay Recreation Club last night which was held at Mr. Dees' camp proved to be of a very optimistic nature. The officers have everything under way showing great interest in their work. It has been the ambition of the club since it was organized in 1919 to make the Cordova Bay regatta one of the most popular events of the season. Each year these events attract a large number of people to the Bay, and entire satisfaction is given among them when the end of the day shows that the regatta has been an entire success. Many beautiful prizes have already been secured from campers and people interested in the programme, besides the extra cup donated.

Field Sports.

The field sports hold a programme of well arranged events, both for show and for sport. The programme is of a novel nature and is sure to give a laugh to the spectators. The programme is of a novel nature and is sure to give a laugh to the spectators. The programme is of a novel nature and is sure to give a laugh to the spectators.

MAINLAND SENDING OVER WATER STARS

Victoria Swimmers Will Have Stiff Competition at the Gorge on Saturday

Vancouver, July 20.—The Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club will send some of its best swimmers to Victoria on Saturday to compete in the championship gala sponsored by the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club.

For the 50 yards championship of B. C., the Vancouver entries are Vaughan Brydone-Jack, John Bailey and Celmor Ross.

In the 200 yards championship of B. C., Vancouver will be represented by Celmor Ross, Charles Hill, John Bailey and Vaughan Brydone-Jack.

The 50 yards, open, for boys 15 years of age and under, will see Bruce Macdonald, Robert McKechnie and Leonard Stokes of the Vancouver club, competing, and there will also be entries for the novelty events.

The Vancouver contingent will leave on the Friday night boat.

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VARIETY

Another capacity audience greeted Chief and Princess White Elk last night at the Variety Theatre, where they are appearing in person with the all-star Indian cast in the photoplay entitled "Before the White Man Came."

The Chief has an excellent voice and was forced to take repeated encores, the audience refusing to allow him to go. The scenic effects were a treat to the theatregoers of this city and many favorable comments were heard on the beautiful setting for the epilogue and prologue which are given by Chief White Elk and Princess White Elk.

A much admired part of the programme was the orchestration accompanying the pictures. The music was specially written for the picture and is ably handled by the Variety Theatre Orchestra.

To-day at 2 p. m. a special matinee for the children will be given, at which Chief White Elk will present a number of prizes to the boys and girls who show the best knowledge of the Indian by answering the questions he will submit to them about the Indian.

PRINCESS

To-night at the Princess the play will be "Step Lively" a musical comedy drama with some splendid musical numbers as well as a clever plot, a lot of real comedy and a real heart interest running through the story from beginning to end.

Miss Page as the Post Mistress, Lee Jaxon as her sweetheart, her sweet brother, and James Coats her sweetheart, while Byron Alden will appear as Dave Harrison, who does his best to take the little Post Mistress away from the man she loves. There are complications and excitement enough to thrill anyone and fun enough for everyone in "Step Lively." At the performance to-night there will be the usual \$5 prize for the one guessing nearest the correct number of words spoken by Lee Jaxon in "Forty-five Minutes From Broadway" last week.

"Step Lively" will open to-night and continue the balance of the week with the usual Saturday matinee and the little folks who are interested in Captain Kidd's treasure will not only find it an opportunity for trying their luck on a guess, but they will find it an enjoyable afternoon as well. The prize has grown to \$75 this week.

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Another Geo. M. Cohan Musical
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COLUMBIA

TO-DAY
Kathleen Williams,
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Leatrice Joy

"JUST A WIFE"

Also Final Chapter
"THE SILENT AVENGER"

VARIETY THEATRE

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It's Wonderful
Chief White Elk will sing at Fletcher Bros. Music Store To-day between 12 o'clock and 1 p. m.

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AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Variety—"Before the White Man Came."
Columbia—"Just a Wife."
Royal—"The Sky Pilot."
Dominion—"The Woman God Changed."
The Gorge Park—Peggy's Pierrots.

COLUMBIA

"Just a Wife," which will be shown for the last time to-day at the Columbia Theatre, will strike local theatregoers as a thoroughly satisfactory photoplay. The story, written by Eugene Walter, author of "Paid in Full," "The Wolf," and other well-known successes, has been adapted for screen use by Katherine Reed, that hand where Nature has painted with such lavish colors.

ROYAL VICTORIA

"It's hard to register love when your feet are cold."
Thus does the pretty Colleen Moore, feminine star of Catharine Curtis' production, "The Sky Pilot," released by Associated First National, and which will be shown at the Royal Victoria Theatre again to-day describe the hardest task she was ever asked to do in her movie career.

"We were shooting the scenes where I am supposed to crawl about twenty feet on my hands and knees through the snow," said Miss Moore, "King Vidor, who directed 'The Sky Pilot,' had me rehearse several times, and then ordered the cameraman to grind. I had been out in the snow for an hour, and about half that time on my hands and knees. By the time we were taking the close-up when I was expected to register love, my feet felt like the roots of the North Pole. Yet, Mr. Vidor kept asking me to register a la Pola Negri."

"It's mighty hard to make love when your feet are cold. And that's about the hardest job I ever had to do in my movie experience."

DOMINION

There is action a plenty in "The Woman God Changed." It is that sort of dramatic action that thrills the mass spectator and makes him sit up and notice. Every scene, however, is consistent and the logical sequence of incidents is highly artistic. Here are some of them.

When Anna Janssen, a beautiful dancing girl, sacrifices her career to become the common law wife of the man she loves.

When, maddened by his neglect and her jealousy of another woman she kills him and makes her escape to Tahiti, where for years she lives in fear of avenging justice.

When she is finally arrested by Thomas McCarthy, a detective, and placed on board a steamship to return home for trial.

When they float on a spar to an island, and after years of association espouse each other.

When a vessel is sighted, McCarthy, who loves his wife, refuses to light the signal fire because he fears to lose the woman he loves. Anna herself lights the fire and both are rescued.

When Anna is convicted of manslaughter and sentenced by the judge to the permanent custody of her husband with whom she returns to their island home, both regenerated.

The fourth and last part of the Shackleton Expedition pictures will be shown, and an excellent Clyde Cook comedy is also provided on the same programme.

ROYAL—Today

Children, 10c Adults, 20c

RALPH CONNOR'S

Great Tale of the Canadian Wilds

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In new songs.

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"The Woman God Changed"

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Final Chapter of the Shackleton South Pole Pictures

COMEDY-NEWS

Mrs. J. Longfield

IN NEW SONGS

FROM THE PUBLIC LIBRARY SHELVES

"Brimming Cup"—Dorothy Canfield Fisher.
"Little Pierre"—Anatole France.
"Wounded Souls"—Sir Philip Gibbs.
"Uses of Diversity"—G. K. Chesterton.
"Queen Victoria"—Lyton Strachey.
"Mirrors of Downing Street."
"Giles of Fashion"—Gentleman with a Duster.
"Camps and Trails in China"—R. C. and Y. B. Andrews.
"Letters from China and Japan"—John H. and Hattie C. Dewey.

Holiday Literature.

Holiday literature must necessarily be light, but it need not be worthless. Among modern books, which the critics place in a high rank among literature, there are many which appeal to the most delicate taste, to the most hurried of busy holiday-makers. To give but a few examples, much enjoyment may be found in Lyton Strachey's account of the girlhood and womanhood of Queen Victoria, in a little boy's first impressions of life as recounted in "Little Pierre," or, if one prefers travel, in the delightful "Dewey Letters."

The story of the testing of a character is told in "The Brimming Cup" by Dorothy Canfield Fisher. The central figure is an American married woman of wide culture, into her peaceful, busy life in a small community comes a man, voicing loudly his repudiation of all "old-fashioned" ideals. Her victory over this attitude to life is the victory of a strong character. Education, self-determination in married life, modern business psychology, are some of the problems woven skillfully into this story.

Imperial Oil Co. Encouraged.

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ARMED GUARDS SET OVER LATEST OIL DISCOVERY IN POUCE COUPE COUNTRY

(Continued from page 1.)

Government Pushes Road In.

Edmonton, July 20.—Messages received by the Canadian Press correspondents, say that the Imperial Oil drill No. 1 encountered a gas flow of sufficient pressure to operate the outfit some days ago and Saturday morning oil mixture was appearing at a depth of 180 feet.

At Rolla, B. C. the Imperial Oil Company are continuing drilling up on claims along the Pouce Coupe River. Following the arrival Thursday of a driller and tool dresser at well No. 1, work was recommenced. Yesterday gas was encountered and oil seepage at 180 feet.

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WITNESS REFUSES TO GIVE EVIDENCE AT INVESTIGATION

Police Commissioners Hold Lively Meeting; Paine Reluctant

An emphatic direction to Police Commissioner Joseph North to visit the other regions, the giving of the lie, and a general laxity of decorum in procedure marked the investigation by Commissioners Hall and North last night into the alleged charge of wrongful arrest by Detective H. H. Macdonald of M. E. Paine.

Paine made a belated appearance at the Police Court, where the inquiry was held. Mayor Porter kept his promise and refused to attend the inquiry and Mr. North occupied the magistrate's chair, and assumed the duties of chief investigator. The affair was more in the nature of a general discussion. No rules of court or general procedure were followed.

Arrested As Presumption.

Paine is the man who, as Detective Macdonald explained, was suspected of complicity in the robbery of 48 cases of liquor from the Ritz bar at the Outer Dock. The detective explained that he had been tipped off that Paine was mixed up in the affair but the informant refused to appear in Court and give testimony and left it to the detective force to find the evidence necessary to secure a conviction. In the meantime, Macdonald thought it wise to prevent Paine from getting clear and arrested him on a charge of vagrancy which was dismissed.

The next development was that an inquiry was arranged by Commissioner North, allegedly at the instance of Paine, into the matter of Paine's arrest by Macdonald. A date was set for the hearing, but Paine was conspicuous by his absence. This undignified situation resulted in Paine being subpoenaed for last night's hearing and for some time it looked as though he were not going to turn up.

When he did appear, however, and was called to give evidence he refused to do so, and gave answers to questions put to him by the Commissioners relating to his arrest, said that he had acted in error, had nothing against Macdonald and had been "egged on" by Commissioner North to insist on an inquiry.

Commissioner North was extremely vexed over this development, and refused to let Paine go until he had answered questions put to him by the Commissioners relating to his arrest, said that he had acted in error, had nothing against Macdonald and had been "egged on" by Commissioner North to insist on an inquiry.

"I tell you, Joe, you siced me on," said Paine.

"Just a minute, you hounded me for an investigation," claimed Commissioner North.

"For the love of your life, you called me up about a thousand times," replied witness.

Commissioner North insisted that witness had been tampered with.

Statements Unwarranted.

"Did you not tell us that if you proceeded with this investigation there were parties who threatened to send you to jail on a trumped-up charge," asked Dr. Hall of witness.

"I told you I had several witnesses but could not find them. I have absolutely nothing against Detective Macdonald, but Joe here told me to go ahead and," said witness.

"Then you withdraw your charge?"

"I certainly do," almost shouted witness.

The Preliminaries.

In answer to Commissioner North, witness admitted that he had complained about the police having taken his finger prints and photograph, but as for insisting on the inquiry into his arrest by Macdonald he claimed to have been "egged on" by Commissioner North.

Mr. North asked the following question:

"Mr. Paine, didn't you come to me with a complaint that Mr. Barf, a fisherman, asked you what you were going to do about this investigation and that you told him that you got a letter from the clerk of the court asking you what you were going to do about it, and you told him you were going ahead and Barf said: 'You take my advice and lay off. Isn't it also true that Barf told you that he had it from Carlisle of the Manitoba Bar that if you did not lay off of this investigation that he and his two girls would frame up and get you from five to eight years in jail?'"

Witness admitted this, but claimed that he could not get his witnesses to come forward. Witness was then excused.

Right of Comradeship.

Detective Macdonald was then very closely examined by Commissioner North, who wanted to know who the detective was talking to on June 27 on a certain occasion which Macdonald could not remember. The commissioner recalled that he had been talking to a man named Carlisle in front of the Manitoba Bar, and witness said that he had a right to talk to his friends.

Witness was asked whether he went fishing with Carlisle, to which an affirmative reply was given.

Commissioner North also referred to the case of the St. James Hotel, and asked witness if it was not true that witness went to Stevens and inquired if he had bought two cases of the stolen goods. Stevens denied, when Macdonald said: "Don't tell me that as I got it from good authority that you did," and that Stevens replied he had not bought any liquor for four months and demanded that Macdonald produce proof.

To this Macdonald replied: "If you will bring these people here and let them make their charges, I will answer any question that you like to put."

No Animosity to Paine

Witness explained that he had no animosity toward Paine, and that in regard to Paine's arrest he had merely acted in the usual way to insure a suspected man not getting away.

They went a great deal stronger in Vancouver, where it was an easy and common thing to hold a man for investigation, witness said.

"Didn't you give Paine twenty-four

hours to squawk in," replied witness indignantly.

"No, I did not give Paine twenty-four hours to squawk in," replied witness, indignantly.

"This is the first time in fifteen years I have been called before the Police Board," said witness.

"Perhaps you did not have a Police Board," answered Commissioner North, amid the laughter of the audience.

"Previous commissioners have been gentlemen," retorted witness.

Is Suspicious

Commissioner North referred to an incident when four detectives, including witness, and a lawyer, were conferring together on Douglas Street, remarking that this looked funny.

Inspector Perdue took exception to this, being under the impression that Commissioner North had mentioned Carlisle as being one of the party, but Mr. North corrected him, and explained that it was Detective Carlow who had been present.

"You passed us at the time. Wasn't there anything funny about you being there. Is there any regulation against a detective going out and happening to meet other detectives on the street?" asked Inspector Perdue.

"Well, I thought it funny that there should be four of you meeting there at that time," replied Commissioner North, who then adjourned the meeting.

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MISFIT GIRLS REDUCED BY B. C. WAGE LAW

Board Hears Victoria Manufacturers on Proposals For New Minimum Schedule

"NOT FALCONS," EMPLOYERS SAY

Victoria manufacturers, labor men and representatives of women's and social organizations appeared before the Minimum Wage Board...

The hearing before J. McEwen chairman and Mrs. Helen Gregory MacGill is being continued this afternoon...

Most of the employers to-day said the idea of graduating the minimum wage according to time served...

Cutting Down Apprenticeships. Mr. McEwen explained that Boards in the United States show a distinct tendency to cut down rapidly the apprenticeship period...

"It is not fair to have a fifteen-year-old girl come in and in four months get the same pay for three or four years," said Herbert Pendray...

Miss Mabel Cameron, secretary of the Board, gave returns to show that the average weekly wage for girls over 15 years is \$16.34 and \$10.33 for girls under 15.

"The changes in the act are in the right direction," said Howard S. Stevenson, candy manufacturer. "Under the present act it is an injustice that girls are kept in school...

W. A. Jameson, coffee and spice manufacturer, said that in his factory he finds that girls of fifteen years just out of school are brighter, quicker to learn, their minds more keen and active...

"We want to be placed on an equal basis so we can meet competition," said A. E. Ormond, head of Ormond's Ltd. "We don't care where the minimum wage goes, as long as we can meet competition."

Mr. McEwen explained that the B. C. minimum wage was really only 42 cents a week higher as the cost of living given by The Labor Gazette is \$12.19 a week in Ontario and \$12.27 a week in British Columbia.

"We object to setting the standard here by the lower standards in other places," said Alderman Woodward, of Victoria, representing the Victoria Trades and Labor Council.

Employees Encourage Efficiency. "Don't think we are like a bunch of falcons wanting to gnaw the bones of poor girls by cutting down their wages," said Mr. McEwen.

Mr. McEwen said that the Board has found only an exceedingly small percentage of employers attempting tricks to get around the minimum wage law and that most of these men are failures in their own businesses.

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MACHINE TO SPEED UP CITY BUSINESS

Treasury Department Gets Cash Register Demanded For Years

City financial business will be speeded up by the immediate installation of a large specially-built cash register in the City Treasury Department.

The long counter in the Treasury Department will be completely altered for the installation of the cash register. Money to be used to effect these changes has been voted by the City Council.

City officials have been trying to persuade the City Council to purchase a special cash register for seven years and this year they have been successful.

The machine will be in place before the annual rush of taxpayers to pay their taxes, so that people will not have to wait so long as formerly to receive attention from city officials.

Installation of the machine is part of the Council's plan to speed up the department generally—a plan which recently caused the civic authorities to warn treasury officials to work harder than they have done in the past.

ENGINEERS TO DISCUSS STRIKE SITUATION

May Decide to Return to Private Owners as Accepted State Agreement

Seattle, July 20.—Marine engineers here will vote to-morrow night on the question of returning to work on privately-owned vessels.

The strike has been in effect since May 1, and the refusal of the United States Shipping Board vessels to work ended at a recent meeting when the men voted to accept the Washington, D. C. agreement.

WALLA WALLA JAIL WHISKEY WAS REMOVED

Walla Walla, Wash., July 20.—Thieves sometime Tuesday night cut the bars of an outer window in the country jail and removed all the bottled and moonshine whiskey which had been accumulated in several months' raiding activities.

MR. BALLANTYNE TO VISIT FRANCE AND BELGIUM

Ottawa, July 20.—(Canadian Press)—Word from Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, who is now in London, is to the effect that once the conference of Empire Prime Ministers is concluded, he and his party will make a tour by automobile through Belgium and France.

LOAN FLOATED BY ONTARIO ON GOOD TERMS

Toronto, July 20.—(Toronto Press)—A provincial loan consisting of \$5,000,000 worth of six per cent. Treasury Bills was awarded to-day at \$9.87 to the Dominion Securities syndicate.

BRITISH MINISTRY HAD A SET-BACK

London, July 20.—(Canadian Associated Press)—On the amendment relieving co-operative societies from the corporation tax on profits the Lloyd George Government suffered defeat by 127 to 125 in the Commons yesterday.

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VICTORIA MEN IN RIFLE MATCHES

Doing Well at B. C. Association Meet

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The Nantamio match fell to the rifle of J. Cavan of the Fifth Regiment with a score of 49 out of 50 possible.

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THE WELSH ALPHABET

And Its Pronunciations

A. PETCH President Cymrodion Society

I am frequently asked by many of those interested in the Welsh and their language, to give them the right pronunciation of the letters of the Welsh Alphabet, as for instance Double D or double L and the Ch and so on.

WHAT NEXT? Builder: "What's the trouble now? Aren't the men satisfied with the Foreman: "The pay's all right for the time being but the hodcarriers demand better working conditions."

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WINGO BREAKS FINGER

Philadelphia, July 20.—Red Wingo, veteran Cincinnati catcher, will be out of the game for nearly a month, it was announced yesterday.

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PETE HERMAN TO GET CHANCE TO WIN BACK BANTAMWEIGHT TITLE

New York, July 20.—The International Sporting Club which will stage the world's bantamweight championship bout between Joe Lynch and Pete Herman of New Orleans, former titleholder, at Ebbetts Field next Monday, was granted a license yesterday by the New York State Boxing Commission.

EXPECT NEW STARS WILL PRESS TILDEN

Interesting Play in Rhode Island and Tennis Championship; Japs Doing Well

Providence, R.I., July 20.—World's champion, William T. Tilden, II, former national champion, Norris Williams, II; C. S. Garland, Pittsburgh; S. Howard Voshell, New York, and N. W. Niles, Boston, continued their triumphant march towards the finals of the Rhode Island singles tennis championship yesterday.

"RED" FABER MAKING HISTORY THIS YEAR

White Sox Twirler Is Branded as Best in Business; Wins With Weak Team

Chicago, July 20.—It is about time to make a few remarks about Urban "Red" Faber, who last week won his nineteenth game of the season.

HEAVY FRUIT CROP

Statistics recently compiled by the Northern Pacific Railway Company show production of 19,683 carloads of fruit and vegetables for the Yakima Valley this season. Apples lead with 12,747 cars, while potatoes come next with 3,500 carloads.

TO-DAY'S TRADING IN WINNIPEG MARKETS

Winnipeg, July 20.—During to-day's session July wheat touched 185 1/2, a gain of 1/2 cent, but declined to 185 1/4 at the close. October sold up 1/2 cent to 185 1/2, while July futures were off to-day, with a decline of 1/2 cent at the close, while barley closed 2 cents up and October 2 cents down. There were no new features in the cash market. Exporters, though not very active, were in evidence along with domestic trade. The offerings were liberal in practically all lines. Wheat touched July prices and closed at 185 1/4, the closing bid was for the option. Cash trade in oats was very active.

SCOTCH FOOTBALLERS GAIN ANOTHER VICTORY

Lynn, Mass., July 20.—The visiting Scottish soccer team scored its twenty-fourth consecutive victory here last night, defeating the General Electric United team, six to three.

MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPION IS MATCHED WITH GREB

Chicago, July 20.—Johnny Wilson, of Boston, middleweight boxing champion, will meet Hay Greb, of Pittsburgh, at East Chicago, Ind., on August 5, it was announced yesterday. Details of the match, including the number of rounds, were not made public.

QUEBEC YOUNG MEN URGED TO TAKE UP FARMS

Quebec, July 20.—"Quebec will not encourage immigration from Europe," Hon. J. E. Perrault, Minister of Lands, stated to-day. "The Provincial Government's policy will be to attract our own young people on the available lands of the province which are now being opened for settlement. By domestic colonization we believe Quebec will make greater strides forward than by bringing in strangers who are not familiar with farming conditions in this country."

EXCHANGE SUMMARY

New York, July 20.—Prime mercantile bill, 6 1/2%.

Exchange easy; sterling, demand, 235 1/2; cables, 128 1/2.

France—Demand, 7 1/2; cables, 7 7/8.

Belgian franc, demand, 25 1/2; cables, 25 1/2.

Gold, demand, 31 1/2; cables, 31 1/2.

Italy, demand, 129; cables, 129.

Sweden, demand, 24 1/2.

Norway, demand, 12 1/2.

Argentina, demand, 18 1/2.

Brazilian, demand, 18 1/2.

FINANCIAL NEWS

DAIRY PRODUCTS STILL ADVANCING

Fruit Prices Register Advance; Vegetables Show Decline

There is no doubt that the Summer weather has been the cause of the decline in the prices of butter on wholesale row for the past three weeks. Prices have been advancing and once again they register an upward movement. With the exception of B. C. cream and McLaren's cream these all dairy produce shows an advance over last week's quotations. Eggs have remained stationary.

Fruit prices show very little encouragement to the retailer for lower prices, canteloupes indicating the only decline of noticeable importance and these are being bought up at \$5.25. Plums advanced at the wholesale houses to-day, as also did peaches, which has dropped to 14c under the price of last week's list. Tomatoes claim the biggest drop on wholesale row. Both hothouse crate and number two's have dropped 3c, and are being picked up by the retailers at \$5 and \$4.50. Potatoes are also on the decline, old potatoes selling at \$38 ton registering a 2c drop. While new potatoes have dropped 25c, being sold at \$3 and \$2.50. The wholesale quotations for to-day are as follows:

Butter	12 1/2
Cheese	18 1/2
Comox	42
No. 1	41
Salt Spring Island	42
Special Creamery	43
Grade 1 Creamery	42
Grade 2 Creamery	41
White Sox Twirler	18 1/2
Ontario, solid	28 1/2
Ontario, singles	29
Stiltons	27
B. C. Cheese	1 1/2
B. C. Cream	1 1/2
McLaren's Cheese, doz.	1 1/2
Eggs	45
B. C. New-laid	45
B. C. Fresh	45
Haddies, 10-lb. box, lb.	15
Kippers, 10-lb. box, lb.	17
Smoked Salmon	20
Smoked Sablefish Fillets	20
Potatoes, old, per ton	35 1/2
New Potatoes, local	2 50
Local, according to quality	2 1/2
Calif. Aust. Brown	2 1/2
Green Onions, doz.	25
Vegetables	98
Green Peas, new	98
Head Lettuce, local, doz.	40 1/2
Cucumbers, No. 1	1 1/2
Cucumbers, No. 2	1 1/4
Beets, per sack	3 1/2
Parsnips, per sack	2 1/2
Cabbage, local	25
Radishes, doz.	4
Tomatoes, hothouse, crate	5 00
No. 1	5 00
No. 2	4 50
Apples	1 50
New Newtons (storage)	3 50
Wineapples, storage	3 50
Bananas	12 1/4
Bananas, crated	14
Cherries	M.P.
Lamb	M.P.
Bings, Okan, lug	M.P.
Currents, black	2 50
Currents, red	2 50
Raspberries, 24	1 50
Loganberries, 24	1 50
Gooseberries, crt.	1 50
Strawberries, Vancouver	1 50
Vanilla, according to size	6 00
Valencias	6 00
Lemons	11 00
Starkist, according to size	10 50
Grapefruit—	7 25
California	14 25
Honey	10 00
New Comb Honey, 24s.	12 1/2
New Comb Honey, 11s.	9 75
Dates—	12 1/4
New Hallow	7 75
New Dromedary, 26-lb.	7 75
Meat—	
Beef, new Ontario	21
Pork	22
Lamb	25
Mutton	28 1/2
Bacon	38 1/2
Hams	39 1/2
Peaches, Calif., per box	2 50
Cantaloupes	2 1/2
Plum	2 1/2
Plats, 18	2 00
Figs	1 50
Watermelons	96 1/2

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

(Burdick Bros., Limited.)
New York sterling \$2.58-2.
Canadian sterling, \$4.05-4.
New York funds, 1 1/2% per cent.
London bar silver, 57d.

NEW WHEAT CAUSES DECLINE

(By Burdick Brothers, Ltd.)
Chicago, July 20.—The grain market showed a net loss for the day in wheat of practically four cents, selling being inspired by reports that large numbers of cars of new wheat were arriving from different points. The Washington Government weekly crop bulletin, issued to-day, stated that the threshing of the winter wheat crop was better than expected in some quarters, this showing its effect quite marked during the last hour of trading.

STOCKS IRREGULAR, NEW YORK TO-DAY

(By Burdick Brothers, Ltd.)
New York, July 20.—An irregular creeping improvement led by special stocks and assisted by a large short interest is expected by latest developments. Low priced rails are in good demand and are expected to do better.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(By Burdick Brothers, Ltd.)
Hull Telephone 25
Brazilian Tractor 25
Can. Cement, com. 25
Can. Sugar 25
Dom. Canners 25
Dom. I. & S. 25
Brompton Pulp & Paper 25
Bank of Montreal 25
Merchants Bank 25
Royal Bank 25
Bank of Nova Scotia 25
Bank of Commerce 25
Farmers Ltd. 25
Ridgeway Paper 25
Shawinigan 25
Special Creamery 25
Grade 1 Creamery 25
Grade 2 Creamery 25
Wayside Pulp 25

LOCAL STOCK QUOTATIONS

(By F. W. Stevenson)
Athabasca Oils 12
Bowens Copper 10
Bank of Montreal 25
R. C. Refining Co. 25
Canada Paper 25
Can. Fish 25
Can. Nat. Fire 25
Cres. M. & S. 25
Drum Lumber 25
Empire Mill 25
Granby 25
Hwy. Railway 25
International Coal 25
Nabob 25
Nugget 25
Pit Headings 25
Pit Headings 25
Silver Crest 25
Spartan Oil 25
Standard Lead 25
Sunbuck Mines 25
Stewart M. & O. 25
Trojan 25
Wheat, pref. 25

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TO		
\$2,529.50	Government of Argentina 5% due 1945	
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CLAIMS CARIBOO

GOLD STILL THERE IN LARGE QUANTITY

Lightning Creek Placer Miner Has Faith in Future of Cariboo

An echo of the famous Cariboo gold rush was heard to-day when H. W. Houseman, 708 Blanshard Street, called on The Times to outline the situation at Lightning Creek, one of the most famous centres during the early '60s. Mr. Houseman went to the Cariboo gold country fifty-seven years ago, and worked in placer mining at Lightning Creek. The Lightning Creek valley is a hundred miles in length, he stated, of which three or four miles has been worked for \$15,000,000 annually. From Stanley up to the head of the valley, a distance of two miles, gold claims have been worked for several millions, while from Stanley down valley are some 38 miles that have never been worked at all. There is still great prospects in this neighborhood, thinks Mr.

Houseman, who is a firm believer in the future of the Province.

All that is necessary, states Mr. Houseman is for men to cover the unexplored ground and gold will be found. In his last claim, Mr. Houseman was down 60 feet and was placer mining, with good results. He believes a rich vein of gold would be found a little further down, about 80 feet, he states.

Hydraulic mining is now in progress in connection with two claims—the Empire and the Ayreshire. With the rail facilities afforded by the P. C. E., and improved methods the gold in the ground is obtainable more readily to-day than ever formerly in Lightning Creek. Prospects on the ground are all that is required, concluded Mr. Houseman.

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GOVERNMENT MEN

MAY STILL RUN

G.W.V.A. Votes Down Move to Bar Them From Office in Association

Members of the G. W. V. A. at their fortnightly meeting last night under Col. W. N. Winaby, president, voted down the proposal of Comrade Brass that no member who holds a Government job be eligible for nomination as an official of the association except by a two-thirds vote of the meeting.

At the suggestion of Comrade Hart, proposals of the Army and Navy Veterans for the amalgamation of all returned soldier organizations will be taken up at a special meeting of the association on August 11.

TEACHER BODY DENIES PART IN SCHOOL ROW

Federation Had No Connection With High School Upheaval

Official denial that the B. C. Teachers' Federation has taken any part whatever in the present High School upheaval is made by Harry Charlesworth, secretary of the Federation in the following statement, handed to The Times to-day:

Replies to Statement

"In connection with the recent trouble in the Victoria High School, several attempts have been made to show that the B. C. Teachers' Federation was responsible for the conditions which have arisen.

"As a matter of courtesy to the School Board, and the Investigation Committee, the Federation has refrained from making any statement previously, as it did not wish to complicate the issue by the introduction of extraneous matters. However, the attacks have now grown so definite, that I have been definitely instructed to deal with the same.

"The charges have been: "1. That the Federation supported inefficiency on the part of its members." "2. That the Federation's support of High School teachers charged with inefficiency was the crux of the present trouble.

"In reply I beg to state emphatically that the B. C. Teachers' Federation does not support inefficiency on the part of its members—but the very opposite can be easily proved to be the case—as our records show.

"All of our members are called upon to sign the following obligation: "I will observe due professional etiquette and will always uphold the honor and efficiency of my profession. Surely a teacher guilty of inefficiency could not expect the Federation to support him in what would undoubtedly constitute a breach of his obligation.

"The Federation has also accomplished a great deal already—in pressing for the introduction of practical steps for raising the standards of the teaching profession—and is still working to bring about the time when inefficient teachers will be unable to obtain entrance to the profession.

"The Federation also has incorporated in all salary scales with which it has been connected two clauses designed to promote efficiency. (1) That a period of probation extending over one year, should be served before permanent appointment. (2) That increases should only be granted to efficient teachers.

"In connection with the charge that the Federation was responsible for the trouble, I wish to state that the B. C. Teachers' Federation has had nothing whatever to do with the case.

"Our last meeting took place on May 21 last, at which time no action had been taken by anyone. Neither at this meeting nor at any other held by the Federation has the Victoria High School or anyone connected with it been ever mentioned either formally or informally. Even at the present time the Federation has no knowledge of the situation except what has appeared in the public press.

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