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## A. W. CURRIE, C. B., IS MAJOR-GENERAL NOW

Able Officer Who Went to Front From Victoria Promoted

## BRIG.-GENERAL LIPSETT LEADS SECOND BRIGADE

Canadian Journalists Saw German Aeroplane Which Had Been Brought Down

## Leads First Division; Maj.-Gen. Currie, C.B.



Since he went to the front, Major-General Currie has commanded the Second Brigade, which included the Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Battalions. Now that the Second Division is in France he has been called upon to take up the greater responsibility of leading the First Division, which includes all the units sent by Canada in her first contingent. He succeeds Major-General, Sir E. A. H. Alderson, C.B., who takes command of the entire Canadian forces at the front.

Ottawa, Sept. 20.—A dispatch received to-day from Sir Max Aitken, Canadian eyewitness at the front, written after he had viewed minor operations on the Canadian front, reports a number of promotions among officers and appointments to the Canadian headquarters. Among others, Brigadier-General A. W. Currie, recently created a Commander of the Bath, is promoted to be major-general.

The message, received by Major-General Sam Hughes reads as follows:

"During the period from the 7th to the 13th of September, the situation along the front of the First Canadian Division has remained unchanged. The enemy's aeroplanes have been slightly more active than usual; the enemy's artillery also has been active, particularly on the left section. There has been little rifle fire beyond the ordinary sniping. Our patrols report the enemy still busy strengthening his defences with wire entanglements.

"On the evening of the 8th inst. a successful bombing expedition was carried out under the direction of Lieut. Bellamy, Fifth battalion. The bombs thrown all fell within the enemy's parapets, causing considerably loss and damage, and the party retired without casualties.

"Under cover of pre-arranged artillery fire, large working parties have been employed continuously in strengthening and improving various parts of our defences.

Journalists at Front.  
"A party of six Canadian journalists visited the First Canadian Division on September 12 and 13, spending considerable time in the trenches. On the 13th inst. they saw a fast model German aeroplane which had been brought down in the early morning by a young British aviator in the vicinity of the Canadian lines after a long pursuit and machine gun fight in mid-air. The party also visited Ypres and the general hospital commanded by Colonel Murray, MacLaren and Birkett.

"Appointments to Canadian headquarters are as follows—General staff officers, second grade: Lieut.-Col. C. H. Mitchell, Major R. F. Hayter, D. S. O. General staff officer, first grade: Captain R. P. Clark. Administrative staff, assistant provost-marshal: Major A. McMillan. Chief engineer: Lieut.-Col. C. J. Armstrong, with temporary rank of brigadier-general. Brigadier-General A. W. Currie, C. B., has been promoted to the rank of major-general.

"Other appointments include Lieut.-Col. A. E. Ross to be assistant director of medical service for the First Canadian Division, Lieut.-Col. E. J. Lipsett to command Second Infantry Brigade with temporary rank of brigadier-general, Captain A. B. I. Webber, Royal Irish Fusiliers, to be brigade major, First Infantry Brigade; Brigadier-General R. E. W. Turner, C. B., was appointed major-general some weeks ago.

## ARE PROMISING WHAT THEY CANNOT GIVE

## Germans Asking Bulgaria and Roumania to Allow Army to Pass

Rome, Sept. 20.—According to reports received here from the Balkans, Germany is trying to induce Roumania and Bulgaria to allow an Austro-German army to cross their territories to reach Turkey, explaining that the situation is quite different from that which existed when Belgium's neutrality was violated in order to facilitate Germany's attack on an enemy, whereas in this case she seeks only to assist a friendly country.

"As regards their giving the Germans permission to pass or for making a formal protest without offering actual resistance, Roumania is to receive Bessarabia, while Macedonia, besides the territories already ceded by Turkey, is promised to Bulgaria.

"Will Not Consent.  
London, Sept. 20.—The Times' correspondent at Sofia cables to his paper that he has learned on reliable authority that Roumania is absolutely resolved to oppose with energetic steps any violation of her territory.

## THREE QUARTERS OF A BILLION AS LOAN

Largest Underwriting Syndicate in History of States Being Formed

## THE BANKS WILL BE GIVEN SMALL PROFIT

New York, Sept. 20.—The largest underwriting syndicate the western world has ever known was in process of formation to-day to handle the proposed "billion-dollar" credit loan to Great Britain and France, which now has shrunk, it was reported, to a sum yet to be determined between \$600,000,000 and \$800,000,000.

This syndicate, according to tentative agreements said to have been arranged, will comprise national and state banks and trust companies from the Atlantic to the Pacific. A number of so-called pro-German financiers, it was reported, will join the syndicate if it finally is agreed that the proceeds of the big loan shall be used to pay for commodity exports and not for war munitions. The price at which this syndicate will put out the British and French government bonds issued to secure the loan, will be par. The bonds will pay five per cent. interest, and will be a first mortgage upon the entire British empire and France and her colonies. All other obligations of the two nations will be subordinated to the proposed big bond issue. Even the staggering sums raised by bond issues at home, with which the war has been carried on, will come second to the loan to be floated here when the time comes to pay the principal.

"Hundreds of Institutions.  
The whole big issue of bonds will be in American dollars, principal and interest. The bonds will run five or ten years. In agreeing to have the issue handled by an underwriting syndicate, the Anglo-French financial commission, whose errand here is to establish the loan, apparently has deferred to the views of the American financiers, the original intention of the commission having provided for general subscription to the bonds without the underwriter as a middleman. It is regarded as certain that the membership of the syndicate of underwriters will consist of hundreds of institutions, and possibly thousands.

"These banks will be given a small profit on the transactions, somewhere in the neighborhood of 1.2 per cent., it is believed.  
The next big question to be settled, it is said, is whether munitions of war will be paid out of the proceeds of the loan.

## LOSING TWICE AS MANY AS RUSSIANS

Germans Paying Terrible Price in Dvinsk Sector, Says Correspondent

## ARE NOT DRIVING ARMY BEFORE THEM

London, Sept. 20.—The Times to-day publishes the following dispatch from a correspondent with the Russian forces, sent on Saturday from Dvinsk:

"I have spent three days on this front, where a terrific battle is raging almost unceasingly. When attacks die away at one place, they begin instantly at another. The nearest front is only twelve miles from Dvinsk, whose deserted streets resound with the detonations of heavy gunfire.  
"The Russians are holding the Dvinsk front in an excellent line of trenches three deep, and despite constant fierce attacks supported by concentrations of heavy artillery, have held the enemy off. Many times the first line has been taken by the enemy, then retaken by our counter-attacks. The Germans are twice or thrice our strength and have an enormous superiority in guns, as always, but hitherto they have gained no decisive advantage, each of their attempts being paid for with heavy loss of life.

"I find the morale of the Russian forces unimpaired. They are fighting in the same stubborn, determined manner, while the situation as regards the supply of ammunition and rifles is materially improved and the fate of Dvinsk and the whole line along the Dvina river is undecided.  
"Only a Shell.  
"The capture of the city will be effected only by heavy sacrifices. In the meantime the town has been evacuated in the same orderly manner seen in Warsaw, and if the Russians ultimately leave, the Germans will occupy the same shell as in their former victories.

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## EVACUATION OF KIEV PROCEEDING NORMALLY

Petrograd, Sept. 20.—A dispatch from Kiev to the Times' Gazette quotes the director of the South-western railways as saying that the evacuation of Kiev was "proceeding normally" and that there were on hand sufficient cars for this purpose.  
"Military critics assume, in the absence of official information, that the Russian forces have abandoned Vilna and are retiring to the southward.

## VILNA EVACUATED; DVINA LINE HOLDS

Russian Forces Left Vilna to Prevent City Being Destroyed

## STRONG POSITIONS TO THE SOUTHEAST

Great Battle Expected; Russian Army Between 250,000 and 500,000

Petrograd, Sept. 20.—Official announcement of the evacuation of Vilna was made in a statement issued from the war office to-day. It was explained that the Russian forces withdrew to the southeast to prevent the destruction of the city. Southeast of Vilna the Russians hold strong positions and are offering stubborn resistance to the enemy's attempts. After the Germans had cut the railroad to Pinsk, "Vilna was regarded as worthless," the statement said.  
"The Dvina line is holding and is intact despite the attempts of the Germans to break through with heavy artillery.

The capture of Vilna, one of Russia's greatest industrial cities, gives the Germans control of the railroad lines running to Dvinsk.

Berlin, Sept. 20.—It is stated in the official report given out to-day that the Russian city of Vilna, at which the armies of Field-Marshal von Hindenburg had been driving and which was defended stubbornly until nearly surrounded by hostile forces, has been occupied by the Germans.

Vilna, a city of some 170,000 inhabitants, on the Warsaw-Petrograd railway line, has been the object of a German offensive movement for weeks in the course of the operations of Field-Marshal von Hindenburg.

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## SHIP DESTROYED BY FIRE; ONE LIFE LOST

Tuscana and Roumanian Prince Took Passengers and Crew Off Athina

Halifax, Sept. 20.—The Greek steamship Athina was destroyed by fire at sea with the loss of only one life, according to a message received by the agents here of the marine department to-day. The steamship Tuscana, Capt. McLean, of the Anchor line, rescued 408 passengers and members of the crew, and the steamship Roumanian Prince, 61 others.

The message from the Tuscana was dated at 7 a.m. to-day and was the first official word received from the liner since the wireless report last night that the Athina was on fire and the Tuscana had rescued the passengers. The origin of the fire was not stated in the message, which read:

"Heard distress calls at 8.30 a.m. yesterday. Arrived on spot at noon and sent line across to help them. Transferred passengers about 4 p.m. Athina was abandoned about 8.30 p.m. We rescued 408 passengers and crew and the Roumanian Prince rescued 61. There was only one life lost, that of a man who jumped overboard. We left the wreck burning fiercely in Nos. 1 and 2 holds at 10.20 p.m. Position, lat. 40.54 north, long. 57.47 west."

"The Athina sailed from New York last Thursday for Greece. She carried 61 first, 47 second-cabin and 35 steerage passengers. The others on board consisted of considerable quantities of flour, coffee, cotton, rice and lubricating oil.

"The Athina was of 6,752 tons gross and had an average speed of 16 knots. She was 430 feet long and had a beam of 52 feet. The vessel was built in England in 1904 and was owned by the National Steam Navigation company of Greece.

It was regarded here as a coincidence that the vessel took fire in almost the same latitude and longitude as the Sant Anna, which was almost destroyed by fire last week.

## OAK BAY LIBERALS

The regular monthly meeting of the Oak Bay Liberal Association will be held at the School House, Oak Bay avenue, on

Tuesday, Sept. 21 at 8 p.m.

A full attendance of members is requested. All are welcome.

## Minister Announces Second Division Has Crossed to France

Ottawa, Sept. 20.—Major-General Sir Sam Hughes announced last night that the Second Canadian Division is in France. The various brigades made the passage across from Shorncliffe between Tuesday and Friday last.

## BOTH ROUMANIA AND GREECE WOULD ACT

Invasion of Serbia or Roumania Would Cause Them to Take Sides

## BULGARIA COULD AID THE ENEMY BUT LITTLE

London, Sept. 20.—Reports, apparently authentic, from Sofia that Bulgaria had definitely aligned herself with Germany, Austria-Hungary and Turkey by agreeing to the passage through her territories of succor for the Ottoman empire in the way of supplies of food and ammunition were regarded here to-day as almost certain to bring the Balkan situation to a head.  
"This, it was pointed out, will not mean that Turkey will get the assistance she needs. Between strips of Serbian and Roumanian soil. It is declared that Roumania will protect her neutrality with arms, and only a German drive across Serbia or Roumania would enable the central powers to reap profit from the acquiescence of Roumania in their plans. Invasion of either Serbia or Roumania would bring Greece into the field. The result, unless Germany could win over Roumania, simply would be that Greece, Roumania and Serbia would be antagonistic to Bulgaria, who would have to stand or fall with her German, Austrian and Turkish allies.

"By No Means Clear.  
The Balkan situation, however, is by no means clear, and it is more than possible that the Sofia reports will be found incomplete, if they do not prove to be misleading. There undoubtedly is strong opposition in Bulgaria to a definite alliance with Turkey, and it is doubtful that Czar Ferdinand has overcome this opposition so far as to make it safe for him openly to espouse the Teutonic cause, though it is well-known he leans strongly that way.  
"German claims of a great success through the capture of Vilna are not given much consideration here. Vilna was evacuated before and Petrograd's explanation that the city was abandoned as no longer of military value, is credited, instead of the enemy's claims of a great success. There is no doubt that a great battle is raging to the southeast of the city, where the Russians have retreated to strongly-prepared positions.

Military observers here doubt the probability of Berlin's claims that 250,000 Russians are in danger of capture to the southeast of Vilna. They point out that there has been plenty of time for the Russians to construct very strong field works there in the triangle between Vilna, Lidva and Molodechno, and that from the corners of the north-east base of this triangle two railroads available for retreat run into the heart of Russia, while from Molodechno to the southeast runs the rail line to Minsk, over which troops and ammunition could be poured into the triangle where the Russians are making their stand.

Obstacles Too Great.  
The suggestion from Germany that after the expected capture of Dvinsk by them and the consequent forcing of the Russians to abandon the Dvina line of fortified positions, the German armies may entrench for the winter, is taken here as most significant. It is believed to indicate that Lord Kitchener's assertion that the Germans have "shot their bolt" is well-founded, and that now the German commanders recognize that their lengthened lines of communication and the concentration of the Russian forces interpose obstacles to a real attack on Petrograd which would be too great to overcome.  
In the southern theatre of the eastern front there is little doubt that the Russians are inflicting great punishment on the Austrians. Little is contained in the Berlin or Vienna dispatches about this section of the front, but there are no claims of victories, and this, London thinks, indicates sufficiently that the Russians are more than holding their own.

Contradictory reports of conditions in Constantinople and at the Dardanelles confuse military observers here. Credence, however, generally is given to those reports which declare that the Turks are in serious extremities and stories of disturbances in Constantinople are accepted. There is great anxiety to learn of conditions on the Gallipoli Peninsula, but confidence is expressed that the allies now have sufficient men on the ground to make a general attack with success, and news of importance is hoped for.

## BOMBARDMENT STILL BEING CARRIED ON

Great Activity on Part of French Artillery at Many Points

## DEPOT OF MUNITIONS NEAR PERTHES BLOWN UP

Duels East of Ypres Between British and German Guns

London, Sept. 20.—A report from Field-Marshal Sir John French, issued last night, says:

"Since our communication of September 15 no change has occurred in the situation on our front. There has been considerable mining activity on both sides, particularly opposite the south portion of our front. East of Ypres our own artillery and that of the enemy have been active."

Paris, Sept. 20.—The statement given out by the war office this afternoon describes great activity on the part of the French artillery at various points along the battle-line in France.  
"In Artois, we hampered the German supply service by heavy artillery fire.  
"At Fontenoy, our forces repulsed German infantry attacks.  
"At Berry-au-Bac, bomb-throwing, rifle fire and cannonading featured the engagements.  
"On the Aisne-Marne canal we captured a German observation post east of Sapieneuil.  
"A depot of munitions within the enemy's line near Perthes was blown up."

Paris, Sept. 20.—An attack launched by the Germans in the region of Fays, southwest of Peronne, after they had exploded a powerful mine, was repulsed, the war office announced in yesterday's statement, a number of Germans being taken prisoners.  
There was marked activity on the part of the artillery, with considerable infantry firing along a long part of the front. The destruction of a German anti-aircraft gun, east of St. Mihiel was reported.

## HEAVY FIGHTING TO SOUTHEAST OF VILNA

Big Battle is in Progress, According to German Reports

Berlin, Sept. 20.—The occupation of Vilna was announced to-day. The capture of at least 250,000 Russians by a great enveloping movement inaugurated by General von Eichhorn, Von Gallwitz and Von Scholtz was predicted by military experts here.  
A battle of tremendous proportions is in progress to-day in the region lying between Vilna, Lidva and Molodechno. The capture of Dvinsk within a week was predicted freely here to-day, as well as the abandonment by the Russians of the Dvina line. Then the Russian forces are expected either to entrench or fall back on Petrograd for the winter.

Advice received here from the front this afternoon said the Russians were retreating hastily along the Vilna-Lidva line, the only line left open to them.  
By a sweeping movement north of Vilna, the Germans are trying desperately to coop up the great forces which defended Vilna in the triangle formed by Vilna, Lidva and Molodechno.  
The statement issued from the war office telling of the capture of Vilna said:

"The extensive attack by General von Eichhorn against Vilna has been crowned with complete success. Our left wing has reached Molodechno, Smorzon and Warjan. Attempts of the enemy to break through our lines in the direction of Mischalitsch with strong forces hurriedly collected failed completely. Because of the uninterrupted progress of our encircling movement and simultaneous strong attacks by the soldiers of Generals von Scholtz and von Gallwitz upon the enemy's front, the forces opposing us have been forced to retreat as quickly as possible along the entire front."

Famous for its manufacturing industries, Vilna is a city of 170,000 and is the key to the northern section of the Vilna-Rovno railway.

## REACHES CANADA

Quebec, Sept. 20.—Among other passengers on the Allan liner Corsican, which reached here this morning was Pta. S. W. Chambers, of Truro, N. S., who lost his eyesight in the second battle of Ypres, and partially regained it when the liner Hesperian, on which he was traveling, was torpedoed.

## ALL RESTRICTIONS HAVE BEEN REMOVED

Bulgaria Will Allow Supplies to Pass Freely to Turkey

## THOUGHT SHE HAS TAKEN SIDES WITH THE ENEMY

Opposition Leaders Recommended Formation of Coalition Cabinet; Saw King

London, Sept. 20.—Evidence that Bulgaria has aligned herself definitely on the side of the Teutonic allies was afforded by dispatches received here to-day from Sofia, in which it was stated that the government has removed all restrictions on the passage of merchandise to Turkey.

Urged Coalition.  
London, Sept. 20.—A dispatch to Reuter's from Sofia, dated September 17, says:

"The opposition leaders during their audience with King Ferdinand declared that it would be fatal for the country to continue its neutral policy, and in order to safeguard the country against a policy which would be contrary to the interests and sentiments of the nation, they recommended the formation of a coalition cabinet and the immediate summoning of parliament.  
"The king listened attentively to the speeches of the opposition leaders and promised to consider seriously the views expressed by them." After the audience, the king summoned Mr. Radoslawoff, the prime minister.

"Five political parties were represented at the audience and the leader of each outlined at length the views of his party on the political situation. The sagaciousness of the king to receive the deputations has relieved public feeling considerably."  
Called to Colors.  
London, Sept. 20.—The correspondent of Reuter's at Sofia sends the following under date of Saturday, September 18:

"Early this morning numerous groups of Macedonian refugees who have been called to the colors passed through the town to their training grounds, where, during the entire day there have been animated scenes as recruits and legionaries, the latter Macedonians from Greece and Serbia, acclaimed their officers and cheered continuously."

## GREAT REQUIREMENT ACTION, SAYS GARVIN

Editor of Pall Mall Gazette Deals With Question of Conscription

London, Sept. 20.—J. L. Garvin, editor of the Pall Mall Gazette, writes:

"We have reached an issue on which the destiny of Britain and the result of the war probably will turn. That issue depends on the moral and executive leadership of the nation by the government. There have been alarmist stories of the speedy breakup of the cabinet on the question of conscription or of a general election to decide that question. Put aside these rumors, because it would be quite impossible for any ministry to be so reconstructed, and it would weaken the whole basis of government whatever cabinet might be formed. It was understood last week that the majority of a strong cabinet committee appointed to examine into the subject had reported in favor of some form of conscription.  
Lloyd George is believed at one with that majority. The unwieldy cabinet as a whole has yet to deal with and decide the question, which as a whole it is very ill-qualified to judge. We are in the midst of a war where what we require is action, action, action. I agree, with Mr. Churchill in his warning to the country that success can be absolutely concluded only by raising this country at once to put forth the whole of its capacity.  
The question at issue is not one which might be decided by a cabinet of 22, constituted in the way we know, and with a majority of members to whom public opinion attributes no responsibility at all. If what we have called the miniature mob of Mr. Asquith's present colleagues is indeed to be a deciding body, and if it decides at the present crisis against full effort under conscription, it will take upon itself a grave responsibility indeed.

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### FRENCH ARTILLERY DESTROYED BRIDGES

Wrecked Large Structure, Bridge of Boats, Foot Bridges at St. Mihiel

Paris, Sept. 20.—The following official communication was issued on Saturday night:  
 "In the region of Lombardzde there have been reciprocal action by trench guns. Our heavy artillery has destroyed two observation posts.  
 "In Ariols, the activity of the artillery continues, particularly in the sector of Neuville-Roclaincourt. The efficacy of our fire against the machine guns and mine throwers at several points has been established.  
 "In the region of Hoye the fighting by means of grenades and rifle fire has been attended by several artillery actions. In the valley of the Miette river, to the north of Berry-au-Bac we have captured a small German post.  
 "In Champagne, in reply to the bombardment by the enemy of the region around the Chalons camp, we have cannonaded violently the German batteries.  
 "To the east of Chailion, northeast of St. Mihiel, a captive German balloon has been brought to the ground.  
 "Before St. Mihiel our artillery has cut the great bridge, a bridge of boats and three foot bridges.  
 "In the Vosges cannonading has been going on at Ban de Sapt and Vielu."

**SKELETON WAS FOUND AFTER TWO YEARS**  
 Sol Duc Hot Springs, Sept. 20.—The skeleton of George Moyer, who disappeared mysteriously from Sol Duc Springs two years ago, was found yesterday by Robert Leveren, M. Bickstrom and Verner Cathro, employees of the hotel, about two and one-half miles southwest of the springs. A .22-calibre revolver was lying by the side of the remains, and the presumption is that the unfortunate victim met death by accidental discharge of the weapon.  
 Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. quarts \*

### FRENCH SOLDIERS WASTE NO TIME IN ANGER; SIMPLY KILL THE BOCHES

Kipling Describes His Tour Along the Southeastern Portion of the French Front; Saw German Prisoners of Low Type; "Outside All Humanity," is His Comment

London, Sept. 20.—Rudyard Kipling writes:  
 "They were doing so in the little flats and villages.  
 "You won't see any girls because they're at work on textile fabrics. Yes, it isn't a bad country for summer hotels, but I'm afraid it won't do for winter sports. We've only a metre of snow, and it doesn't lie except when you are hauling guns up the mountains. Then, of course, it drifts and freezes like at Davos. There's our new railway below there. Pity it's too misty to see the view."  
 "But for his medals, there was nothing in the governor to show that he was not English. He might have come straight from an Indian frontier command. One notices this approximation of type in the higher ranks, and many of the juniors are cut of the same cloth as ours. They get whatever fun may be going. Their performances are as incredible and outrageous as the language in which they describe them afterward is bold but convincing.  
 "I overheard the tail end of a yarn told by a child of 20 to some other babes. It was veiled in the obscurity of the French tongue and the points were lost in shouts of laughter, but I imagine the subaltern among his equals displays just as much reverence for his elders and betters as our boys do. The epilogue was as old as both armies.  
 "And what did he say then? Oh, the usual things. He held his breath till I thought he'd burst, then he dammed me in heaps, and I took good care to keep out of his sight till next day."  
 "Most Admirable.  
 "But officially and in the high social atmosphere of headquarters their manners and their meekness are of the most admirable. There they attend devoutly on the wisdom of their seniors, who treat them, so it seemed, with affectionate confidence.  
 "When the day's reports are in all along the front there is a man, an expert in the meaning of things, who bolls them down for that cold official digest which tells us that "there was the usual grenade fighting at..... we made an appreciable advance at....." etc.  
 "The original material comes in sheaves and sheaves where individual character and temperament have full and amusing play. It is reduced for domestic consumption like an overwhelming electric current; otherwise we could not take it in. But at closer range, say at any general headquarters, one realizes that the front never sleeps, never ceases from trying new ideas and ways, which as soon as the boche thinks he has mastered them are discarded for still newer annoyances and bewilderments.  
 "Germans imitate.  
 "The boche is above all things observant and imitative," said one who had counted 6,000 boches dead in front of his sector.  
 "When you present him with a new idea he thinks it over for a day or two, then he presents his riposte. "Yes, mon General, that was exactly what he did to me when I did so and so. He was quite silent for a day; then he stole my patent, and you and I had a notion that he would do that, so I had changed the specification."  
 "Thus spoke the staff, and so it is among the junior commands down to the semi-isolated posts where boy Napoleons live on their own, though unbelievable adventures. They are inventive young devils, those veterans of 21, possessors of a single idea—to kill—which they follow out with men as single-minded as themselves. Battlefield tactics do not exist when a whole nation goes to the ground. There can be none of the victories of the old bookish days, but there is always the killing, the well-schemed smashing of a full trench, the rushing and mowing down of its occupants, the unsuspecting after two nights at extreme risk alone among a rubbish of masonry and wiped out as it eats or washes itself.  
 "With the Bayonet.  
 "And more rarely the body-to-body encounter with the animals removed from the protection of their machinery, when the bayonets get their chance. The boche does not at all like meeting men whose womenfolk he has dishonored or mutilated or used as a protection against bullets. It is not that these men are angry or violent. They do not waste time in that way. They kill him.  
 "The French are less reticent than we about atrocities committed by the boches because those atrocities have formed an integral part of their lives. They are not tucked away in reports of commissions and vaguely referred to as "too awful." Later on, perhaps, we shall be unreserved in our turn. But they do not talk of them with any babbling heat or beat or make funny little appeals to public opinion that, like the boche, has gone underground. It occurs to me that this must be because every Frenchman has his place and his chance, direct or indirect, to diminish the number of boches still alive. Whether he lies out in a sandwich of damp earth or sweats the big guns up the crests behind the trees or brings the fat-loaded barges into the very heart of the city where the shell wagons wait, he is doing his work to that end. If he is a civilian he may, as he does, swear at his government, which after all is very like other popular governments.  
 "All-Helping.  
 "A lifetime spent in watching how the cat jumps does not make lion-tamers. But there is very little human rubbish knocking about France to hinder the

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### REACHED NEW YORK AND WAS SEARCHED

James Archibald, Ambassador Dumba's Messenger, Will Go to Washington

New York, Sept. 20.—James F. J. Archibald, the American correspondent who was intercepted by the British authorities while carrying a message from Dr. Dumba, the Austro-Hungarian ambassador at Washington, to Vienna, arrived here to-day on the liner Rotterdam.  
 Several secret service men boarded the Rotterdam and questioned Archibald. They were reported to have searched the man, his baggage and his stateroom and to have taken away a camera unwittingly. Archibald denied this.  
 After leaving quarantine, Archibald said:  
 "If there is any prosecution of me contemplated it is perfectly unjust."  
 "I took the letter which caused the trouble from Ambassador Dumba without knowledge of its contents and entirely unwittingly. That is all I care to say at present."  
 Archibald, on landing, met a man he described as his secretary. The man said he was Charles Mercer. Archibald and Mercer held a short conference and Archibald announced he would defer the issuing of an additional statement. He said he expected to go to Washington soon.  
 A Canadian officer, describing General Joffre, says "he looked to me exactly like an American politician." He omits, however, to mention the occasion on which the French generalissimo said he was too proud to fight.—Punch.

work or to darken counsel. There is, too, the sure knowledge of what has happened to one's own flesh and blood in the power of the enemy a few score miles away. Above all there is a little thing called "the honor of civilization," to which France is attached. The meanest man feels that he in his place is permitted to help to uphold it, and I think bears himself therefore with dignity.  
 This is written in a garden of smooth turf under a copper beech beside a castle millstream where soldiers of Alpine regiments are writing letters home while the guns shout, up and down the narrow valley.  
 Could Not.  
 A great wolfhound who considers himself in charge of the old-fashioned farmhouse cannot quite understand why his master, aged 6, should be sitting on the knees of the marshal des logis, the iron man, who drives the big car.  
 "But you are French, little one," says the giant, with a yearning arm round the child.  
 "Yes," very slowly picking the French words. "I can't speak French, but I am French."  
 The small face disappears in the big beard. Somehow I can't imagine the marshal des logis killing babies, even if his superior officers, now sketching the scene of the war, were to order it.  
 The great building must once have been a monastery. Twilight softened its gaunt wings, in an angle of which they had collected fifty prisoners, picked up among the hills behind the mists. They stood in some sort of military formation preparatory to being marched off. They were dressed in khaki the color of grass that might have belonged to any army. Two wore spectacles, and I counted eight faces of the fifty which were asymmetrical, out of drawing on one side.  
 "Some of their later drafts gave us that type," said the interpreter.  
 Outside Humanity.  
 One of them had been wounded in the head and roughly bandaged. The others seemed all sound. Most of them looked at nothing, but several were vividly alive with terror that cannot keep the eyelids still, and a few wavered on the gray edge of collapse. They were the breed which at the word of command had stolen out to drown women and children; had raped women in the streets at the word of command, and always at the word of command, had sprayed petrol or scalded flame or defiled the property and persons of their captives. They stood there outside all humanity. Yet they were made in the likeness of humanity. One realized it with a shock when the bandaged creature began to shiver and they shuffed off in response to the orders of civilized men.  
 TROOPS DISMISSED.  
 Lisbon, Sept. 20.—A report was current here Saturday that adversaries of the government, aided by the republican opposition, intended to try and start a revolt. The troops were held in barracks under arms, but at nightfall everything was calm and they were dismissed.

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Ottawa, Sept. 20.—W. Sanford Evans, chairman of the Georgian Bay Canal Commission, who has been engaged for the past year or so investigating the question of the economical feasibility of that proposed transportation route, has been appointed secretary of the sub-committee of the cabinet formed recently to deal with matters affecting the marketing of Canada's agricultural products this year. Mr. Evans will impart to the committee the valuable fund of information which he has gathered on the general question of transportation by rail and water.

"Conditions this year, it is pointed out, are somewhat abnormal, and they have increased both the difficulty and the importance of dealing successfully with the sale and distribution of Canada's products. Canada has the largest and best crop on record. The agricultural communities of Canada, as well as those of the other dominions, have answered nobly to the call for increased production, and the results have been a striking tribute to the industry of the people and the fertility of the soil. It remains, it is pointed out, for all interests in Canada to unite in doing their part to secure the greatest practical results for the Dominion. Proposals of a very varied character have been submitted. Some of them are impracticable and others inconsistent. It is necessary, the government points out, that for effective action there should be an agreement upon the measures which would be really important and helpful. It is to this end that the committee of the cabinet has been appointed.

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Russians Took Prisoners and Put Enemy to Flight at Several Points

Petrograd, Sept. 20.—The following official statement was issued on Saturday night:

"The fighting to the west of Drinsk continues with the same tenacity. We repulsed German attacks north of Blukst, inflicting grave losses on them. By counter-attacks we took about 100 prisoners. After the battle we buried a great number of German dead which lay in heaps by our wire entanglements. We also repulsed a German attack near the railway station at Yelovka, west of Blukst, inflicting great losses on the Germans, who fled. In the second attack the Germans succeeded in taking the farm of Stedern, where our trenches were completely destroyed by heavy German artillery.

"German units which attacked districts between Lakes Oville and Samava were repulsed by our artillery fire and were driven back to their trenches. During attacks on our positions in the region of the lakes south-west and south of Drinsk, the Germans were forced to resort to sniping, owing to our deadly fire. Obstinate enemy attacks at this point are unceasing.

"German detachments have appeared south of Drinsk. In the region of Eaute Driska the enemy occupied the village of Wydsy and his advance guards seized the station of Vileika. On the left bank of the Wilica, east of Vileika, desperate fighting is proceeding at several points. The same intently marks the fighting on the middle Wilica river, near the town of Vilna. The enemy is trying obstinately to break into the town.

Germans Lost Many.

"Southeast of Orany the Germans, after stubborn attacks, pressed our troops near the town of Radnyo and the village of Smilichny. Near the village of Zartschle, west of Cauczin, the fighting is proceeding. Many German bodies are lying before our front.

"In the region west of the river Lebeda, which flows into the Niemen from the right, the enemy has developed a violent artillery fire near the villages of Malevich and Dubrova. Our covering troops were pressed back somewhat.

"On the front of the river Stehara, the Germans, under cover of a fog, crossed on pontoons near the Hychitza farm, south of Slonim. Enemy advance guards, attacking between the Rivers Jasseida and Pripet, appeared in the region at the right of the lower Casalida and the town of Plinsk.

"On the Stokhold there were insignificant cavalry skirmishes and isolated fighting near the villages of Dorovno and Gulevitch. Our cavalry, pursuing the enemy in the district southwest of Koiki, charged and attacked him near the village of Rudniki and put him to flight. Sabring many and taking sixty prisoners. We stormed the village of Juravitchi south of the village of Rudniki.

Retreated in Disorder.

"By a general blow delivered on Friday in the direction of Rovno and Kovel we succeeded in overthrowing the enemy who retreated in disorder, abandoning many pieces.

"East of Gorodichez, northwest of Derazno, the enemy was dislodged from trenches. Here we captured a flag and also the commander of the Eighth Imperial Regiment and over 800 prisoners. The remnants of the enemy dispersed in the forests. Simultaneously, after piercing the enemy's front near the village of Ronda Kranasja, south of Derazno, our troops continued the attack and defeated the enemy in the wood south of the village of Tsoumane, where we captured another 1,300 prisoners. The number of machine guns taken still is unknown because they are used by the troops against the enemy.

"In the district west of Vishnevitz was repulsed an attack near the village of Lopuchino-Volitzja. We dealt the enemy effective blows at several points in the district immediately adjoining the right bank of Sereth.

"The Austrians removed the red sheets of copper from the roof of the great monastery at Potchayere.

"The German official statement regarding the trophies reported in the Russian statement of September 8, according to supplementary reports from the front, is to be recognized as conforming to the reality, namely, that the guns and prisoners taken, with few exceptions, were not German, but Austrian."

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Conscription is opposed by the executive as antagonistic to labor interests and at variance with the fundamental principles of constitutional freedom. The help of labor must be free, not forced. It must be dictated by duty, not by coercion. To bring about conscription in Canada, an entire and radical change in the constitution would be necessary, otherwise the freedom of self-government would be effaced. Conscription once admitted and put into practice under the excuse of war pressure, would be made permanent afterwards. For these and other reasons the congress is recommended to register its unchangeable opposition to all that savors of conscription either in Canada or elsewhere within the empire.

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**YOUTH WAS SHOT WHILE ATTEMPTING TO ESCAPE**

Seattle, Sept. 20.—An exhaustive investigation has been started by the prosecuting attorney's office and police officials into the killing of Carl Frisell, 18 years old, who was shot through the heart early yesterday morning while attempting, with a companion, to escape on a motorcycle. Although Alex. Gouley, merchant patrolman, who, with Policeman Norton, had pursued the motorcycleists in a vain attempt to overtake them, is held in the city jail on an open charge, neither the police nor the prosecuting attorney will venture a statement as to whose bullet struck the young man.

It developed yesterday that Frisell and his companion, Edgar Moore, 17 years old, of 805 Twenty-third avenue, who was driving the motorcycle upon which the two young men were riding tandem at the time of the shooting, may not have been members of the gang that earlier in the evening attacked G. C. Shiplet, of 228 Third avenue north, and Oscar Wickander, of 4504 Fourth avenue northeast, as was thought at first. Moore denies that he took part in the alleged assault, and Wickander and Shiplet are unable to identify him as one of their assailants.

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RUSSIA'S TROUBLES. The special correspondent of an American press syndicate writes that Russia is confronted with a revolution which may force the Czar to negotiate a separate treaty of peace with Germany and Austria.

Of course, even if Russia had been a democracy it is hardly likely that her armies would have withstood the combined onslaught of half the German army plus four-fifths the army of Austria.

Certainly if the Czar has to choose between peace and a revolution he will accept peace. But there is a third alternative, the dismissal of the reactionary elements which have oppressed the empire so long and the acceptance of the demands of the Duma for wider participation in the government.

The present system in Russia could not be saved even with a separate peace. The enemy has bitten so far into Russian territory, perpetrated so many outrages and caused so much damage and suffering, that nothing could avenge the wrath of the people.

What Russia needs is news of a big success by the allies on one or more fronts. She is entitled to it, for she has been carrying the heaviest part of the military end of the war.

The Hon. Frank Cochrane, Minister of Railways, is highly impressed with the country traversed by the Grand Trunk Pacific and National Transcontinental Railway.

region cannot come too soon, for the loss of Vilna, discounted though it has been in official bulletins, will be a sore trial to a people who already have made heartrending sacrifices.

ELECTION TALK.

The Toronto News seems to be in a panic respecting the position of the Borden government. It is making daily appeals to Liberals to agree to prolongation of the term of the existing parliament.

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Just where the new campaign will be conducted is provoking considerable speculation in the allies' press. In some quarters it is believed that Germany will attempt to force her way through Roumania or Serbia, join with Bulgaria and help to relieve Turkey.

The situation on the western front is much the same on both sides at present. Each army is safe from envelopment. The allies' left rests on the North Sea and their right on the Swiss border.

A GREAT ENTERPRISE.

The Hon. Frank Cochrane, Minister of Railways, is highly impressed with the country traversed by the Grand Trunk Pacific and National Transcontinental Railway.

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One of the consequences of the present year will be the social and economic readjustment of the globe. The balance of population between the old and new worlds will be more evenly established.

MALIGNING THE PROVINCE?

In a letter to the Toronto Globe the Premier complains that a recent series of articles contributed to that newspaper by a special correspondent who toured British Columbia maligning the province.

greater evil in an unwelcome publicity. In fact they knew that if Manitoba ever was to get rid of the incubus which was throttling her it could be done only through publicity.

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LOSING TWICE AS MANY AS RUSSIANS. (Continued from page 1.) The nature of the country is ideal for defence and undoubtedly the Germans are paying two to one in loss.

VILNA EVACUATED; DVINA LINE HOLDS

(Continued from page 1.) After the fall of Kovno, to the north-west, and Grodno, no fortress barrier remained before the Germans moving on Vilna.

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Esquimaux Teachers' Club.—The teachers of the public and high schools of Esquimaux municipality have formed a club which will be known as the E. T. C., the officers of which are: Honorary president, Leonard Tait; president, Miss Robb; secretary, Miss Morrison; chairman of dramatics committee, Miss Carson; chairman of athletics committee, Miss Carson. The use of the gymnasium of the Y. W. C. A. has been offered to the club, and two basketball teams have been formed.

**TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY**  
Victoria Times, September 20, 1890.  
Professor James Bryce, M. P. for South Aberdeen, and author of the "American Commonwealth," arrived at Vancouver on Friday, and will reach Victoria to-night. His trip is for pleasure and observation.  
The British Columbia Art Association invites the public of Victoria to place on view at the art collection in the city hall any works of art, such as vases, bronzes, carving, china or other articles representative of art, which will be received not later than Monday, the 22nd inst.  
Capt. Carroll, who arrived on the Umatilla, will take passage on the Mexico to Alaska. It is probable that Capt. Carroll will be a delegate to the U. S. Congress from Alaska this winter.

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Housecleaning in the way mother used to do it was strenuous work. Chaos reigned and elbow grease was the chief lubricant.  
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Foresters Meet.—Independent Order of Foresters, Companion Court Far West, will meet Tuesday evening, 21st inst with Comp. King, 1041 Chamberlain street (Oak Bay car). All members of the order are cordially invited to attend.  
Mounted Man Coming.—A member of the Royal Northwest Mounted police force left Battleford last night for Victoria, and from here he will take back these Private Philip G. C. Groulx of the A. S. C., who is wanted in the neighbor province on a charge of misappropriation of funds while in the R. N. W. M. P. service at Battleford.

Oak Bay Liberals.—Oak Bay Liberals will hold their regular monthly meeting to-morrow evening in the school house on Oak Bay avenue, when important business will be up for consideration. The chair will be taken at 8 p. m. by William Noble, and F. A. Pauline, Liberal candidate for the district, and other speakers will deliver addresses.  
Victoria Club "At Home."—The Victoria Club (Campbell building), will be "at home" to members and friends to-morrow afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, when the guest-of-honor will be Miss Fagan, secretary of the Pioneer club of London, the first club organized there for professional women. Her subject to-morrow will be "Woman in Club Land." Miss Fagan has had many interesting experiences. She was in South Africa during the Boer war, and was founder and president of the Outspan club of the Transvaal. She was also a member of the World's Industrial Council of Women.

Patriotic Aid Society.—The following are among the recent subscriptions received by the Victoria Patriotic Aid Society: Employees, customs house, \$125; officers and crew of steamer Restless, \$13; employees, Dixie H. Ross & Co., \$35.60; crew of steamer Princess Patricia, \$29.50; crew of steamer Charming, \$29; crew of steamer Princess Mary, \$20.75; crew of steamer Princess Sophia, \$64.75; crew of steamer Princess Adelaide, \$50; crew of steamer Tees, \$33.50; crew of steamer Princess Charlotte, \$35; crew of C. G. S. Quadra, \$102.90; officials inland revenue department, \$26.50; employees and staff of Brackman-Ker Milling Co., \$104.85; navy yard patriotic fund, \$109; B. C. Electric railway employees, \$30.75; Y. I. Power Co. employees, \$18.55; Victoria Gas Co. employees, \$4.85; officers and crew of steamer Princess Victoria, \$56; crew of tug Sadie, \$10; crew of tug Swell, \$10; proceeds of heather day, daughter of St. George, \$94.96; staff Canadian Bank of Commerce, \$45; anonymous (from Seattle), \$15; crew of steamer Queen City, \$19; crew of steamer Princess Maquinna, \$38.

**LIBERAL MEETING ON WEDNESDAY NEXT**  
Voters' Lists Close in Two Weeks for November Revision  
A general meeting of the Liberals of the city will be held on Wednesday evening in the rooms, Jeune block, at which a number of matters of interest are to come up.  
The last day for receiving applications for the addition of names to the voters' lists of the province is Monday, October 4, two weeks from to-day. If these are to be dealt with at the November court of revision, as there are many who have qualified for inclusion in the list since the last revision they should go on at the November court.  
Applications to be added to the list may be sworn to at the offices of L. U. Conyers, 559 View street; Lee & Fraser, 1223 Broad street, or E. S. Woodward, corner of Douglas and Fort streets. Anyone who is qualified to be on the list and whose name does not appear there should make early application at one of these addresses, where they can fill out the necessary form.

**REGIMENTAL ORDERS**  
VICTORIA VOLUNTEER SQUADRON MOUNTED RIFLES  
Parade will be held at the drill hall, Tuesday, Sept. 21st at 8 p. m. sharp. Orderly room open 7.45 for recruits.  
By order,  
J. B. HOWES,  
Lieut. and Adjutant.  
NATIONAL RESERVE OF CANADA.  
Lieut. Col. Gregory commanding.  
Drill will be held at the drill hall on Wednesday at 8 o'clock, Sept. 22. There will be a meeting of the association after the drill. All members are requested to attend. Ambulance class on Friday evening at headquarters.  
By order,  
GEORGE J. GRIMASON,  
Captain.  
FIFTH REGIMENT BAND.  
Excellent Concert Given Last Evening in the Royal Victoria Theatre.

It was an exceedingly large and very enthusiastic assemblage of citizens which patronized the band concert given in the Royal Victoria theatre last evening by the band of the Fifth Regiment.  
The band was helped by Mrs. Harry Bridges and Harry Davis, both of whom were in excellent voice, and had to respond to recalls. Mrs. Bridges, whose accompaniments were played with fine judgment by Mrs. Conyers Bridgewater, sang "Land of Hope and Glory," and as an encore number, "Three." Mr. Davis sang the new song by Mrs. Bridgewater and Mrs. Lewin, "Canada for Empire," with the band accompanying him. This song is steadily growing in popularity, and Mr. Davis had to repeat the last verse.  
Bandman Vinnal rendered Paul Rodney's "Calvary" as a baritone solo quite acceptably. The band selections were all well chosen and were rendered with the musicianly spirit that animates all of these pieces for which a special request had been received. Rimmer's "Eventide" was accorded a hearty reception by the audience, and was easily the most popular instrumental number on the programme. The selections from "Lucia di Lammermoor" and "Marta-tana" were also well received.

**MILITARY WEDDING.**  
Member of 5th Regiment, C. G. A., United in Marriage to Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Brown.  
A military wedding of great interest was celebrated on Saturday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, 1205 Fernwood road, when Ethel Abington, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Brown, was united in marriage to Alexander, second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Macdonald, of Caledonia avenue, this city. The rite was performed by Rev. J. G. Inkster.  
The bride was given away by her father, and was attended by her sister, Miss Catherine G. Brown; the bridesmaid, who is a gunner in the 5th regiment, C. G. A., was attended by Sgt. Atwell of the same unit. Miss Marie Camuska played the bridegroom's wedding march as the bridal party entered the room and took their places beneath the arch which had been specially and beautifully decorated for the occasion. The bride looked handsome in a traveling suit of shepherd tartan, with black picture hat trimmed with pink roses and ostrich bands. She carried a bouquet of white bridal roses and fern, and wore a gold wrist watch, the gift of the bridegroom. Her bridesmaid looked well in a becoming costume of navy blue with black velvet hat trimmed with blue roses. After the pretty ceremony dainty refreshments were served in the dining-room, which was artistically decorated with pink and white carnations, asters and ivy. Later in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Macdonald sailed on the first stage of a tour of the sound cities, and will return via Vancouver. Many of their friends accompanied them to the boat and gave

them a good send-off. The bride, who is well known and popular in Victoria, received many handsome and useful gifts from her friends. The bridegroom's gift to the bridesmaid was a beautiful hoop of pearls, and to the best man a gold-mounted fountain pen.  
**ISLAND PUBLICITY.**  
Second Article of Series on Vancouver Island Appears in Seattle Sunday Times.  
The second of Frederick Wagner's articles in the Seattle Sunday Times on Vancouver island as a tourist's pleasure ground appeared yesterday, with four illustrations of scenery on the route, and a graphic account of the journey from Victoria to Alberni. These articles are attracting much attention. Yesterday's issue, like the preceding one, refers in terms of high praise to the route over which the automobile travels on the island, and speaks of the country passed through as unexcelled for scenery in the northwest.  
There will be two other articles on the same subject to complete the series, which will then be printed in book form for free distribution by the Seattle Times and the Island-Automobile association. The book will contain logs of all the road trips on this island, with other information for the travelling automobilist.  
**Royal Templars.**—The regular meeting of the Royal Templars of Temper-

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**Matriculation Examinations.**—Examinations will be held in room 25 in the High school to-morrow and the following days for matriculation at the University of British Columbia. The dates and subjects are as follows: Tuesday, Sept. 21—Morning, 9 to 11, English literature; 11 to 12.30, botany and chemistry; afternoon, 2.30 to 4.30, English composition. Wednesday, Sept. 22—Morning, 9 to 11, Latin authors, arithmetic; 11 to 12.30, trigonometry; afternoon, 2.30 to 4.30, Latin composition and sight. English grammar. Thursday, Sept. 23—Morning, 9 to 11, algebra, part I; 11 to 12, French grammar, German grammar; afternoon, 2.30 to 4.30, French translation, German translation. Friday, September 24—Morning, 9 to 11, geometry, part I, 11 to 12.30, physics, physiology; afternoon, 2.30 to 4.30, history. Saturday, September 25—Morning, 9 to 11, algebra, part II, Greek authors; afternoon, 2.30 to 4.30, geometry, part II; Greek composition and sight. Special arrangements may be made for the examination of candidates who are prevented by severe illness or domestic affliction from presenting themselves on the dates fixed above. The first year arts and second year arts supplemental will begin to-morrow, and will also be held in room 25 of the High school.

once will be held in the "New Temple," Y. M. C. A., on Tuesday, Sept. 21, at 8 p. m. All members are requested to attend as very important business will be transacted.  
**Oak Bay W. C. T. U.**—The regular monthly meeting of the Oak Bay W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Nicholas, on Wednesday. The president requests every member to be present.  
**Women's Canadian Club.**—The members of the Women's Canadian club are reminded that reserve seats will be provided for them at the Empress hotel at 1.30 to-morrow when Lieut. Col. Currie, M. P., will address the Canadian club on the subject: "With the Canadian Army in Flanders."  
**Closing Week at Princess.**—To-night marks the beginning of the Allen Players' last week at the Princess. "Camille" will be played, and theatre-goers who know Miss Felton's ability as an emotional actress, will appreciate what she will be able to do with what is considered the greatest part ever written for a star. Dumas has painted with a master hand the empty glitter, the ghostly insipidity, the utter wearisomeness of the so-called pleasure life. There undoubtably will be bumper buses to bid the popular company farewell.  
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## AT THE THEATRES

### "THE GAMBLERS."

Those who have seen the other Klein drama, "The Third Degree" and "The Lion and the Mouse" will be glad of the opportunity of witnessing "The Gamblers," which the Royal Victoria theatre will show in picture for the first three days of this week. The play when presented here last had an all-star cast, and was produced in the old Victoria theatre at prices ranging from twenty-five cents to \$2.00. Now it is presented in the form of a photoplay with prices within the reach of all. In the dramatist deals in his usual masterly manner, with the working in the world of high finance. A poignant love story is also introduced. "The Gamblers" is one of the strongest plays written by Charles Klein, and whenever presented has never failed to arouse the utmost enthusiasm, it will be shown in five parts. In addition to this feature two good comedies have been secured. "Wife's Ma Comes Back" which gives a brilliant example of how not to treat a mother-in-law, and "The Snakeville Twins." The programme is finished off with a Weekly Pictorial with news from all parts of the world.

### PANTAGES THEATRE.

One of those mystifying semi-occult, psychological demonstrations which arouse universal interest, partly amusing, partly edifying, and partly eerie, is to be the dominating feature at Pantages theatre this week, commencing with to-day's matinee. It will be offered by a trio of the most notable mystics of the day, George Lovette, Madame Zenda and Mercedes Crane, under the general designation of "Concentration."  
These weird people answer all mentally asked questions which the members of the audience put to them, play any musical selection mentally asked for, besides a number of equally mystifying experiments which will prove a nine days' wonder to Pantages patrons.  
Second in importance among the good things promised is the Anglo-Chinese musical comedietta, called "Fung Choy," which will be interpreted by a fine company of pretty girls headed by Miss Agnes von Bracht. There are ten in the cast, all possessing unusually fine voices, exceptional good looks and a store of pretty clothes. The entire atmosphere is Oriental, and the music is described as of a most catchy nature.  
A breezy comedy act will be offered by Lewis and Chapin, the act running largely to burlesque.  
Nana, the East Indian dancer, is certain to cause a thrill, in fact, such a sensation as has seldom been aroused by a turn at a local place of amusement.  
Flynn and McLaughlin offer a series of character dances which have met with great favor from audiences elsewhere.  
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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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R. J. Sheppard, Montreal, is at the Empress hotel.

H. Mahner, of Nanaimo, is staying at the Dominion.

I. C. Leigh, of Vancouver, is at the hotel Metropolis.

D. Wolstenholme, Winnipeg, is registered at the Empress.

Dr. Eden E. Johnson, of San Francisco, is at the Dominion.

E. A. Smith, of Essondale, B. C., is stopping at the Dominion.

H. A. Duncan is staying at the Hotel Metropolis from Vancouver.

W. C. Stripp, of Seattle, is in the city and is at the Strathcona hotel.

A. Macfarlane, of Vancouver, is a guest at the Hotel Strathcona.

P. H. Casgrove, of Vancouver, is registered at the Hotel Metropolis.

J. McFadden, city, has taken up his residence at the Strathcona hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Bateman, of Duncan, are staying at the Hotel Metropolis.

C. J. Wallace and family, of Winnipeg, are guests of the Dominion hotel.

J. A. Fraser, member for Carleton, and Mrs. Fraser, returned yesterday from Banff.

Mrs. S. Travers and son and Miss E. Ryder, of Vancouver, are guests of the Dominion.

A. May, of Saskatoon, and Jas. I. Tait, of Calgary, are staying at the Dominion.

Robert Witham is in the city from Winnipeg, and is staying at the Hotel Metropolis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mackintosh, of Vancouver, are guests at the Strathcona hotel.

H. H. White and Mrs. White, of Cumberland, are registered at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. H. Maratta, of Pittsburgh, is visiting Mrs. W. P. Worthington, 2543 Government St.

N. A. McKinnon and Norman Jessiman, of Vancouver, a. guests of the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Brattshom, of Seattle, are among the new arrivals at the hotel Metropolis.

J. Lee Nicholson, New York, is in the city on his way to the fair, and is at the Empress.

Mrs. and Miss Oliphant, Park Boulevard, have returned home from a visit to Shawinigan lake.

S. Gough, Mrs. Gough and Mrs. Woodward, of Nanaimo, are staying at the Dominion hotel.

G. Dreyfus has arrived in the city from Los Angeles, and is staying at the Hotel Metropolis.

J. F. Bledsoe and T. A. C. Collins, of Alberni, were among yesterday's arrivals at the Dominion.

Miss M. M. Brown, of Vancouver, is in the city for a few days and is registered at the Hotel Strathcona.

Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Thomas, Fort street, have returned from a trip to the Panama-Pacific exhibition.

E. R. Ricketts was over from Vancouver for the week-end, and was registered at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. N. S. Clark and daughter are over from North Vancouver and are staying at the Hotel Strathcona.

Miss O'Keefe arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from Vernon, B. C. She is staying at the James Bay hotel.

John Clark, who has been visiting up-island towns, has returned and has taken up residence at the Strathcona hotel.

J. L. Reese, the mining man, has gone to Jones' lake to look into the newly discovered ore body in that locality.

Mrs. Jas. Livesley came down from Prince Rupert on the Grand Trunk boat, and is registered at the Dominion.

Mrs. Drew, accompanied by Miss Alma Irvine, left on Tuesday last for San Francisco for a few weeks' visit to the exposition.

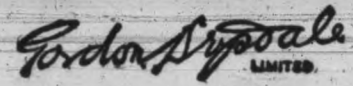
A. J. Dallain has returned from a week-end visit to Vancouver, where he attended a meeting of the St. John Ambulance association.

Captain B. Blyth, Hope, has come down to the coast with the intention of enlisting in one or other of the overseas units now in course of organization.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Eaton, Cleveland, are spending a few days in the city in the course of a tour of the west and a visit to the fair. They are at the Empress hotel.

W. Wallace Grime is recovering from an operation which he underwent at the Royal Jubilee hospital. Mrs. Grime will not be at home during this month on that account, but will receive on October 15 and 16 at "Elersk," Rithet street.

Mr. and Mrs. Birkett, who have given the use of their home at Marigold for



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The use of the Baptist Sunday school, were on Friday evening visited by the teachers and scholars and presented with a silver service in testimony of appreciation of their kindness.

Mrs. J. H. Hawthornthwaite, of Nanaimo, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. J. Goeppel, Monterey avenue, Oak Bay.

Hon. Frank Cochrane, Mrs. Cochrane, Miss Cochrane, and George W. Yates, the minister's private secretary, left this afternoon for Vancouver. After a stay of a day in the mainland city they will return east over the Canadian Pacific railway. The minister will take a run over the Hudson Bay railway on the way, in order to see the progress being made on it.

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## The Annual Meeting

Of the members of the Victoria City and District Branch of the

## Canadian Red Cross Society

Will be held on Thursday, September 23, 1915, in the Ballroom of the Empress Hotel, at 8 o'clock p. m.

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### THE MAN BEHIND THE PLOUGH

By J. J. M.

Two or three days ago, on my leaving the hospital for the second time during the past month, I received from an unknown correspondent, whose signature simply reads, "Joseph Martin, Victoria," a somewhat lengthy communication from which I extract the following:

"If, before you leave this country, you will be good enough to write a strong and forcible article against this mad scheme of conscription which is now destroying the domestic peace of the whole British empire, you will confer a great and lasting favor on those people in Victoria who are in sympathy with the movement. You can tell them, perhaps better than anyone else, that the man who stays at home and tills the soil of his country is doing more for his country's good than the man who takes his gun to fight in a foreign land."

Even though my correspondent had stipulated for an "article" minus the twin adjectives, "strong and forcible," I would be still inclined to imagine he made a mistake in the selection of his scribe; but since he has already told me what he expects me to tell "those people in Victoria who are in sympathy with the movement," then, I should say, the "great and lasting favor" would be the offering of "Joseph Martin" rather than that of "J. J. M."

A sick Irishman, however, is very rarely found minus an attitude of some kind, or for such pressing ailments as doctors and hospitals fail to diagnose and in this instance I will just fall back on a kind of compromise with Mr. Martin. For words, I would not admit that I am not able to write "a strong and forcible article" on any subject under the sun, so I propose to extricate myself from my present dilemma by transforming Mr. Joseph Martin's "strong and forcible article" into one of J. J. M.'s weak and forceless lyrics which, while it may and doubtless will soothe the ruffled feelings of my correspondent, will be able to claim exemption from all criticism under that greatest of all literary privileges—"Poetic License."

#### THE MAN BEHIND THE PLOUGH.

They sing about the glories of the man behind the gun,  
And the books are full of stories of the wonders he has done;  
There's something sort of thrilling in the flag that's waving high,  
And it makes you want to "holer" when the boys go marching by;  
But when the shouting's over and the fighting done, somehow,  
We find we're still depending "on the man behind the plough."

In all the pomp and splendor of an army on parade,  
And through all the awful darkness by the smoke of battles made;  
In the halls where jewels glitter, and where shouting men debate,  
In the palaces where rulers deal out honors to the great;  
There is not a single person who'd be doing business now,  
Or have medals, if it wasn't for "the man behind the plough."

We're building mighty cities, and we're gaining lofty heights,  
We're winning lots of glory and we're setting things to rights;  
We're showing all creation how the world's affairs should run,  
And men will gaze in wonder at the things that we have done;  
But they'll overlook the fellow, just the same as we do now,  
Who's the whole concern's foundation, "that's the man behind the plough."

Victoria, B. C., September 20, 1915.

Father, remonstrating with his daughter for not sending her young man home earlier— "Late hours are bad for one." Daughters: "Well, father, late hours may be bad for one, but they're all right for two!"

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### S.S. CONVENTION TO DEBATE PROHIBITION

#### Saloon-keeper and License Commissioner Will Address Vancouver Meeting

The British Columbia Sunday School convention will be held in Vancouver on October 5, 6, 7. A meeting of great inspiration and help for all the Sunday school workers is anticipated. There will be three hours of department conference study. In the elementary there will be considered the beginners, the primary, and the primary and temperance. In the teen age and adult grades leadership, organization, and activities will be considered. Among the subjects in the general meetings will be "Bible Study," by Rev. H. F. Waring; "The Church Organized for Religious Education," by Rev. E. Thomas; "Standardizing the Sunday School," by Rev. F. W. Langford.

These men are all specialists in the particular work with which they will deal. The last two evening meetings will be devoted to "Prohibition." Rev. F. Hardy and H. H. Stevens, M. P., will speak at the first meeting, and on the last night of the convention there will be a great temperance parade, the subsequent meeting to be in the skating arena. On that occasion there will be a debate on prohibition, two of the speakers of which will be a saloon-keeper and a license commissioner. There will be special rates on all railway lines, and it is hoped that every school in Victoria will have delegates present.

#### LAWN BOWLING CUPS NEARING THE FINALS

In two of the lawn bowling competitions have the finals been reached. The next games for the O.O. cup and Short, Hill & Duncan cup being the decisive contests. Yates won from Roberts on Saturday and will now meet Melville for the S. H. & D. trophy. In the O. O. cup competition Sturges and Ferguson defeated Dunn and Allen, thus leaving the finals to be played off by Sturges and Ferguson against Fairfull and Lothian. In the Mackenzie cup challenge competition, Oliphant and McBride captured the trophy from Mowat and Warnicker. Messrs. McBride and Oliphant successfully defended the McKenzie cup against Messrs. Dowsell and Warnicker on Saturday, the finals being 31 to 18. The winners will probably hold this trophy until next season, as no other challenges have been filed.

#### DOUKHOBORS GIVE IN

##### Faced With Prosecutions, Colonists Say They Will Conform to the Provincial Laws.

The prosecutions which were instituted against the Doukhobors in this province within the past couple of weeks by F. C. Moffatt, a Nelson barrister, at the instance of the attorney-general, have been ordered discontinued by Hon. Mr. Bowser. This action is taken, the attorney-general explains in a public statement, upon a report received from Mr. Moffatt, in which that gentleman states that the Doukhobors have decided to obey the law in the matter of taking out licenses to run steam boilers and in sending their children to school. It is the understanding, Mr. Moffatt reports, following meetings held by the Doukhobors, that they will conform to the requirements of the law in these particulars. The attorney-general, in his statement, expresses his admiration of the frugality and industry of the colonies, and his pleasure that they have decided to conform to the laws of the province.

**DOMINION THEATRE.**  
The story of the film version of the celebrated emotional drama "Sold," the latest production of the Famous Players Film Co. on the Paramount programme, starring Pauline Frederick, at the Dominion theatre is as follows: Donald Bryant and Robert Wainwright, art students and friends, are both deeply in love with their co-worker, Helen. At the expiration of their respective courses Donald wins the academy's honor prize and Robert finishes his course by just managing to pass the examination. Helen, favors Donald's suit, and shortly after his graduation from the art school they are married. Wainwright later receives an inheritance, which he uses to go to Europe to continue his training and incidentally try to forget the woman he loves. With the passing time, Wainwright, due to his commercial sense of painting what the public desires, becomes a famous artist, while Donald, because of his refusal to commercialize his ability and his aversion toward all mercenary view of his art, finds his path a hard one. His lot is all the harder to bear when Helen reads to him of Wainwright's tremendous success abroad. With starvation confronting them,

Donald finally consents to paint the pictures that the public wants, and signs a contract with Dolbeare, an art dealer, to supply him with commercial subjects. About this time Wainwright decides to return to America. Donald begins working on a nude picture for which Helen poses, and upon its completion it is acclaimed by critics and public as a masterpiece. Dolbeare calls to view the work, but Donald's artistic instincts are wounded at Dolbeare's view-point of the painting, and in a burst of rage slashes his masterpiece to pieces. This is a severe blow to Dolbeare, who has immediately realized the monetary value of the picture and he plans to force Donald to abide by the contract he has made with him. Wainwright arrives in America, and after a short meeting with Dolbeare, who tells him that it would have been better had Helen married him instead of Donald, goes to Donald's studio to visit his old friend and the woman whom he still loves. After a very friendly reunion, Wainwright, while going over Donald's sketch-book, sees the many drawings of the nude figure posed by Helen, without the help drawn in Wainwright is struck by the beauty of the figure, and states his willingness to pay a large sum of money for the services of the model. Wainwright ignorant of the fact that the model is Helen. Donald refuses all information concerning the model—but

Helen has listened intently. Dolbeare, after consulting a lawyer and learning that his case of breach of contract against Donald is a strong one, begins to press Donald to force him to live up to the contract—to such an extent that when Donald refuses Dolbeare obtains an attachment on all of Donald's personal belongings, even causing his furniture to be removed from his home. That night, facing destitution, Helen determines to sell her services for the large sum of money offered by Wainwright, in order to save her husband's honor.

She arrives at Wainwright's studio and tells him she was the model he had so admired, and that she is ready to accept his offer. Wainwright accepts, but when he attempts to make love to her she firmly reminds him that theirs is only a business relationship. Dolbeare becomes aware of the fact that Helen is posing in the nude for Wainwright, and to wreak further revenge upon Donald, has his stenographer call Donald on the phone and tell him that his wife wants him to call at Wainwright's studio for her. Donald is astonished by the message, but at once calls at Wainwright's. Then follows the big scene in which, in the midst of the sitting, Donald is announced by the butler. Wainwright hides Helen, and when Donald enters and tells him of the message he has received Wainwright tells him it is a lie, that someone has been playing a

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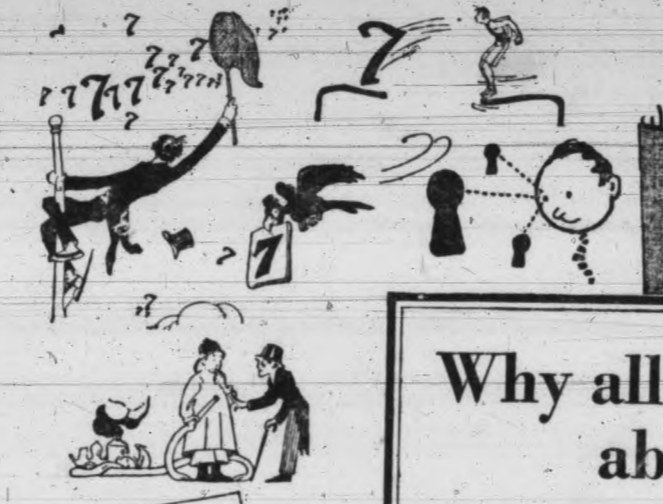
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trick on him. Donald is more puzzled than ever, and leaves. Meanwhile Helen is being tortured as to whether she is doing right or wrong, but finally decides to see her impulsive act through. Later that night she tells Donald that she has found employment as an art teacher. In the morning she arranges with Dolbeare, with the cheque she has received from Wainwright in her name, to release Donald from the contract he has signed, and asks Dolbeare to make Donald believe that he is being released of Dolbeare's own free will. Dolbeare, despite his promise to do as Helen requested, tells Donald that the cheque

was given to him by Helen, and adds a few other remarks, insinuating many nasty things to have presumably occurred between Helen and Wainwright. This is a terrible blow to Donald, who is already prepared to believe it. There is a big scene between Helen and Donald wherein he accuses her of infidelity, and sees plainly by the marks left by the bracelets which she wore while posing that all is true. He rushes out madly, determined to kill Wainwright. Helen readily understands Donald's motive, and sets out after him to warn Wainwright. She gets into a machine and passes Donald as he is running madly on the street, and arrives at Wain-

wright's in ample time to warn him of the coming of the enraged Donald. As Donald is announced, Helen hides behind the curtains. In the fight that ensues, Donald, as he is about to slash the picture, shoots at Wainwright, who falls to the ground in time to allow the bullet to pass over him in the direction where Helen is hiding. Helen is struck by the bullet and she staggers through the curtains and falls unconscious at her husband's feet. The wound is not a fatal one, and Donald at last understands what she did was for him alone and the forgiveness brings about the happy end of the story.



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Revisiting the scene of her exciting exploits of fifteen months ago, but under entirely different circumstances, the Japanese steamship Komagata Maru...

On July 2, the Komagata Maru, with her 375 Hindus, was ordered to return. Gurdi Singh, however, took the case to the court of appeal...

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S. S. KOMAGATA MARU. Japanese liner which passed up to Chemainus yesterday afternoon to load a cargo of lumber for Australia.

ORIENT REGRETS WITHDRAWAL OF MAIL LINE. WM. CHATHAM BROUGHT BIG NITRE SHIPMENT. Seattle Man Visitor in Far East Writes Telling of Conditions.

Seattle, Sept. 20.—Keen disappointment over the withdrawal of the Pacific Mail and Great Northern Steamship companies from the trans-Pacific trade is felt in Japan...

PROPOSED STEAMSHIP SERVICE TO ALASKA. Portland, Sept. 20.—Backed by shippers and other leading business interests of the city a new steamer line...

CITY OF PUEBLA WAS DELAYED BY DENSE FOG. Delayed on her passage north from San Francisco the Pacific Coast Steamship Company vessel, City of Puebla...

AUTHORITIES STORE. CARGO OF MUNITIONS. Destination of War Supplies Thought to Have Been Mexico.

Aberdeen, Sept. 20.—Nobody seems to know what is to become of more than \$25,000 worth of munitions of war stored in warehouses in this city...

BRINGING A LARGE SHIPMENT OF NITRE FROM CHILE, the freighter William Chatham, under charter to W. R. Grace, arrived at the Victoria Chemical Works dock yesterday...

MEXICO MARU WILL ARRIVE HERE FRIDAY. According to wireless information received this morning by R. P. Rithet, local agents for the Osaka Shosen Kaisha line...

BROUGHT SURVIVORS. New York, Sept. 20.—The steamship Skaafsk arrived to-day from West Indian ports with Captain M. L. Jamieson and eight of the crew of the schooner Florence M. Penley...

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## HORSESHOE WON GARDNER TITLE

Bob Gardner, winner of the national amateur golf championship after beating Johnny Anderson 5 to 4 in the finale at Detroit last week, isn't a superstitious person by any means, but he attributes a great deal of his success to the caddy and a horseshoe.

Gardner is like almost every individual who has participated in any sort of athletics—a believer in jinxes and desirous of having something or somebody to offset them. He first acquired this when captain of Yale's track team and world's pole-vaulter champion. It has remained with him ever since.

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A sporting declaration by the Congregational batsmen led to their defeat at the hands of the Albions. Congo led on the first inning by 25 runs and declared that second innings for 44 runs. Albions started a batting rally that enabled them to overtake the Congo. Stephen, Iemay and Smith getting 78 runs for the loss of one wicket. Albions winning by 130 to 121. Gardner starred, getting nine Congo wickets for 34 runs.

Garrison cricketers held a very successful smoker at Work Point on Saturday night. Most of the league clubs attended, and a very pleasant time was

passed in songs and other musical turns. A meeting of the Victoria and District association will be held in the cathedral schoolrooms to-night at 8. Important business is on the slate and a full attendance of members is requested.

## POST-SEASON SERIES.

The Seattle players have arranged a post-season series with the Tacoma Tigers, beginning Tuesday and lasting throughout the week. Hanky Shaw, Melvor, Rose, Clark, Duncan and a couple of others have already said they would play, while Kaylor, of Spokane, will also help out the local team. The rest of the lineup is not yet known.

## RESTA'S NEW RECORD.

New York, Sept. 20.—Dario Resta, winner of this year's Vanderbilt cup and Grand Prix motor car races drove his car over the new two-mile track at Sheepshead bay Saturday for ten miles in 5:32 4-5, an estimated speed of 108.02 miles an hour. It was announced as a world's record.

# SPORTING NEWS

## TEAMS MUST COMPLETE REGISTER OF PLAYERS BEFORE END OF WEEK

### Jackson's Lose Only Three of Last Year's Champions; Adams Will Lead Thistles

Though the Victoria Football association schedule does not open until Oct. 2, it will be necessary for the different clubs to file their registration forms with the secretary of the league before Saturday next. The teams will be greatly changed this year, because of the enlistments for active service. Four of the local regiments have entered with great interest in soccer throughout the capital.

## NORTHWESTERN TO WAIT END OF WAR

### Heavy Financial Losses in Season Just Closed; Bill James Out for Year

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 18.—The Northwestern Baseball league, which closed its season yesterday with a membership of four clubs, Spokane playing at Seattle and Vancouver at Tacoma, began with six clubs. Victoria and Aberdeen were unable to continue, owing to the lack of support in their home towns. None of the teams has been well patronized, although the average of play has been high and the season has developed many promising young players, who were snapped up by the big leagues or are now in process of being taken east. The league officials were not confident, when the season opened, of holding the organization together until autumn, and the success in escaping disruption is looked upon as a victory by the managers. Aberdeen was taken into the league to replace Portland, which threw up its franchise last season and, with Victoria, was dropped six weeks ago.

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Kerley, having joined the Pioneer corps, at Work point. In addition the Jacksons are said to have signed on Grant, a Vancouver soccer star, who should prove a valuable acquisition to the Albert Head eleven. Jimmy Adams will again lead the Thistles, and the backbone of that club consists of Archie Muir, Everett Taylor, Howden and Adams. The Thistles have signed up a number of new players and they should be able to line up a team that will take a lot of beating this season. They held their first practice on Saturday, and the manner in which the newcomers shaped up, delighted the officers of the club. Until the Western Scots line up on Oct. 2 against the Wests in their first league fixture, it will be impossible to tell just what players are available for the 67th battalion representatives. Stan Okell and Ord, formerly of the Wests, are certain, with a host of new material to select from.

## TERMINAL TWELVE HAS TURNED OVER LACROSSE TROPHY

### New Westminster, Sept. 20.—Yesterday the executive of the world's amateur lacrosse champions took a joint over to Vancouver, and when they returned Manager Tom Gifford had the Kilmarock cup under his wing, and he also had the verbal assurance of President Oppenheimer and Secretary Heck Fowler of the Vancouver club that the Mann cup would be transferred to the Fraser just as soon as the necessary legal documents, which would relieve him of responsibility, could be made out.

## CALIFORNIANS WON.

Cincinnati, Sept. 20.—At the tri-state tennis tournament here Saturday William M. Johnston and Clarence Griffin, both of San Francisco, defeated R. A. Holden, Jr. and Trux Emerson, of Cincinnati, in the finals of the men's doubles, 8-6, 4-6, 6-4.

## JACK LESTER BARRED.

St. Paul, Sept. 20.—As the result of an investigation into charges that he had "laid down" in his bout with a local fighter a week ago, Jack Lester of San Francisco was barred by the commission from participating in further contests in Minnesota.

## NORMAL FIVE WON.

Normal school basketball five defeated the Y. M. C. A. campers at the Association hall on Saturday night, 22 to 18. On Saturday next a match will be played between the Vets. and Rookies, of the Gorge camp.

## BUFFALO WON FLAG.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 18.—Buffalo won the deciding game and the season's pennant in the International league here to-day by defeating Jersey City, 8 to 4.

## VICTORIA BOXERS DOING THEIR BIT



SCOTTY M'KAY. Victoria amateur boxing champion, who is now at Shorncliffe with the 48th battalion.

That he is now a member of the bombing squad, commonly called the "Suicide Club," is the information received here by Billy Davies in a letter from Scotty McKay, a corporal in the 48th battalion. McKay writes that they had a very pleasant trip across the briny, and had to dodge a couple of submarines en route. He had a bout with a Winnipeg boxer, while on board ship, winning in a single punch. McKay met Hanna and Hitchin, Toronto boxing champions at Shorncliffe, and also took a peek at Young Simmons, the English boxing phenom. He

calls Albert Davies to whip Simmons inside of six rounds. Davies also received a letter from Scott Cropper, another well known boxing figure in the capital, who is now at Portsmouth dockyard, engaged in making munitions of war. Cropper writes that there are 25,000 men at work in the huge yard, Cropper receiving 42 shillings a week for 8 1/2 hours a day. He is at present engaged in making gun shields, a quarter of an inch in thickness. Cropper writes that living is high in the old country, but that every body appears to be in the best of spirits.

## BASEBALL

### SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

Northwestern. Seattle, 6; Spokane, 2. Tacoma, 7; Vancouver, 8. American. At Philadelphia—Cleveland, 5; Philadelphia, 7. Second game: Cleveland, 5; Philadelphia, 1. At New York—First game: Chicago, 7; New York, 2. Second game—Chicago, 4; New York, 1. At Washington—St. Louis, 9; Washington, 1. At Boston—Detroit, 6; Boston, 1. (12 innings). Federal. At St. Louis—First game: Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 4 (12 innings). Second game: Brooklyn, 2; St. Louis, 5 (called end 7th, darkness). At Kansas City—First game: Newark, 5; Kansas City, 6. Second game: Newark, 1; Kansas City, 0. At Chicago—Buffalo, 1; Chicago, 2. At Pittsburgh—First game: Baltimore, 4; Pittsburgh, 5. Second game: Baltimore, 2; Pittsburgh, 6 (called end 5th, dark). Coast. At Los Angeles—Salt Lake, 3; Los Angeles, 2 (11 innings). At San Francisco—Oakland, 6; San Francisco, 2. At Portland—Vernon, 6; Portland, 2. National. At Pittsburgh—First game: New York, 2; Pittsburgh, 8. Second game: New York, 7; Pittsburgh, 2. At St. Louis—First game: Boston, 26; St. Louis, 1. Second game: Boston, 6; St. Louis, 2. At Chicago—Brooklyn, 7; Chicago, 1. At Cincinnati—Philadelphia, 4; Cincinnati, 2.

### SUNDAY'S RESULTS

Northwestern. Seattle, 3; Spokane, 2. Tacoma, 4; Vancouver, 0-0. National. Philadelphia, 6-6; St. Louis, 1-0. New York, 7; Chicago, 1. Boston, 3; Cincinnati, 2. Coast. Los Angeles, 4-6; Salt Lake, 0-5. Oakland, 3-1; San Francisco, 0-5. Portland, 3; Vernon, 2. Federal. Newark, 4-6; Kansas City, 6-4. Chicago, 3-3; Buffalo, 1-0. Baltimore, 12; St. Louis, 9.

### NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Seattle	58	68	.564
Tacoma	55	72	.528
Spokane	51	74	.532
Vancouver	74	79	.483

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	79	59	.572
Brooklyn	75	64	.539
St. Louis	75	64	.539
Edison	69	75	.479
Cincinnati	66	73	.475
Chicago	64	72	.471
Pittsburg	63	76	.472
New York	62	76	.463

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	52	45	.672
Detroit	51	50	.546
Chicago	50	50	.500
Washington	46	61	.555
New York	41	75	.448
St. Louis	38	80	.421
Cleveland	34	86	.386
Philadelphia	29	91	.287

### FEDERAL LEAGUE

Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	78	60	.566
Chicago	76	62	.551
St. Louis	75	65	.536
Newark	72	64	.533
Kansas City	71	67	.514
Buffalo	70	71	.497
Brooklyn	68	74	.479
Baltimore	45	83	.354

### COAST LEAGUE

Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	100	74	.575
Los Angeles	96	79	.546
Vernon	84	50	.500
Salt Lake	82	83	.497
Portland	72	91	.441

## BRITISH FOOTBALL

London, Sept. 20.—The following are the results of the scheduled English and Scottish league football games played on the grounds of the first named: Midland Section. Bradford 4, Leeds City 2. Derby County 2, Notts Forest 4. Brimsby Town 0, Leicester 0. Huddersford Town 2, Sheffield United 2. Lincoln City 1, Bradford City 4. Notts County 3, Barnsley 0. Sheffield Wednesday 2, Hull City 4. Lancashire Section. Burnley 1, Stockport County 1. Bolton Wanderers, 3, Manchester United 5. Everton 4, Blackpool 2. Manchester City 5, Bury 4. Oldham 2, Southport 1. Preston North End 1, Rochdale 2. Stoke 2, Liverpool 2.

London Combination. Brentford 1, Crystal Palace 6. West Ham United 2, Tottenham Hotspur 1. Arsenal 2, Queen's Park 1. Croydun Common 3, Fulham 2. Millwall 0, Clapton Orient 1. Chelsea 1, Watford 9.

Scottish League. Hibernians 0, Morton 2. Clyde 1, Hearts 4. Airdrieonians 1, Aberdeen 1. Rangers 5, Ayr United 2. Dundee 0, Celtic 2. Hamilton Academical 2, Raith Rovers 0. Kilmaronock 1, Motherwell 0. Queen's Park Rangers 1, Partick Thistle 1. St. Mirren 1, Third Lanark 0.



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## COBB SETTING NEW LEAGUE RECORDS

Boston Has Four Leading Twirlers; Doyle Sets Pace in National

Chicago, Sept. 20.—Tyrus Cobb has recovered his batting eye, and with an average of .377, still leads the American league. He is three bases short of tying the American league stolen base record made by Milan, of Washington, in 1912. The record is 88 and Cobb is leading the league with 85. Cobb also leads in runs scored with 133 and hits made with 183. Detroit has another headliner in Sam Crawford, who with 225 bases leads his league. He has made 31 doubles, 19 triples and four homers. Burns, of Detroit, who has been leading in home runs, has been tied by Oldring, of Philadelphia. Each has five. Detroit leads in club batting with 268. Boston has the four leading pitchers; Foster 17 won, six lost; Ruth 16 and 6; Shore 17 and 7, and Leonard 13 and 6. Larry Doyle, the Giants' captain, leads the National league batters with 162 hits for an average of .319. Crawfath, Philadelphia, holds the lead in runs scored, with 79 and in total bases with 234, and the home-run column with 22. Carey, Pittsburg, leads in stolen bases with thirty-six. St. Louis heads the club batting with 259. Tony, of Cincinnati, is the first pitcher with 13 won and 4 lost. Others are Alexander, Philadelphia, 27 and 9; Mammaux, Pittsburg, 20 and 7, and Pfeiffer, Brooklyn, 16 and 9. Kauff, of Brooklyn, with 350, is the leading Federal league batter of those

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who have played in at least half of the games. Brooklyn with 271, leads in club batting. Kauff with 47 stolen bases, Magee with 86 in runs scored and Chase, of Buffalo, in total bases with 252 and in home runs with 17. McConnell, Chicago, is the first pitcher with 22 wins and 9 losses. H. B. "Imperial Lager Beer, quarts 1 for 60c.

## FAMOUS INDIAN TWIRLER COUNTED OUT

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He stood as the best golfer among ball players, averaging around 80. He was also a fine shot, ranking with the leaders. More than this, the chief was a good, clean sportsman, a good loser, one who undoubtedly took the pleasure of playing always the pleasure of mere winning. He had a supply of good, quiet humor always with him, and the hardest battle never drove his viewpoint into retreat. No one looked to see him break so quickly. "I expected Bender to have at least three more 'good years,'" Eddie Collins said, "and I can hardly figure out his sudden slip. He was a good pitcher last year, with many years ahead, apparently. It must have been that he lost interest in his new league, and when Bender loses interest he finds it hard to drive himself. "But he was certainly a wonder back in the old days, which are only a year or two ago. With the chief right, as he always was when needed, we always counted the game in and over on the right side. And you can talk about the speed of Johnson and Rusie, but I doubt that either had any more than this same Bender when he was at his best. He was not physically as strong as some others, but he had long, tapering fingers and a peculiar whip to his arm that certainly drove that baseball through the air. It came with a hop that was almost unhittable. It seems strange to me such a man, a man with such an arm, such a hand and such a fighting heart, dropped out this side of thirty-five."

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### SUIT FOR COMMISSION

Agent Who Worked in Exchange of Property Gets Judgment Against W. J. Hanna for \$190 and Costs.

A claim for commission in connection with the exchange of farm-property in Alberta was before Judge Lampan in the county court to-day, when Henry H. Clough was the plaintiff and William J. Hanna defendant. The plaintiff said that he had negotiated an exchange of property on behalf of Mr. Hanna. The property consisted of 320 acres and a crop at Olds, Alberta, which was to be exchanged for other property. The value of each property had been placed at \$14,700. There had been an arrangement that the property should be exchanged for property in James Bay, but this had not been completed, and the deal had lapsed. Some time later the plaintiff said he learned that the parties had made a deal in the farm lands, Mr. Hanna acquiring those at Olds. He then claimed commission.

Judgment was given for plaintiff for \$190 and costs.

### NORTHERN TRAIN SERVICE

Passenger Train to Be Run Three Times a Week Each Way for a Start.

It is announced by the Canadian Northern Pacific railway officials that a through passenger train service will be operated after October three times a week each way between the coast and Edmonton and points east. For the present the trains are to enter Vancouver over the tracks of the Great Northern railroad from New Westminster, where the C. N. P. steel ends in the Port Mann yards. The details of the agreement between the two lines are not yet completed.

The schedule provides for a run of thirty-two hours between Vancouver and Edmonton. The trains are to be of the usual transcontinental type as to accommodation, it is said.

### OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred on September 18 of Baby Harris, the ten-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest S. Harris, of 1072 Davis street. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning from the Thomson Funeral chapel, at 10.30, Rev. G. H. Andrews officiating.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Charles Green took place from the Thomson Funeral parlors on Saturday afternoon at 2.15, and fifteen minutes later from Christ Church cathedral, Rev. F. H. Patt officiating. There was a large number of beautiful floral tributes, and many friends attended the service. The pallbearers were Messrs. J. Finmore, T. Caird, S. McIntosh, and W. Finmore.

Charles Fryatt, a retired mariner of the mercantile marine, died at St. Joseph's hospital yesterday morning after a short illness. He was 76 years of age, a native of England, and had been a resident of this city for seven years. Recently he had been living on Snowdrop avenue, Garden City. He was a widower and is survived by a son and a daughter in this city. The funeral will take place to-morrow at two o'clock from the E. C. Funeral chapel.

### BORN.

HUNT—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hunt, Sunday, Sept. 12, a daughter.

### MARRIED.

SALLAWAY-BERROW—At Victoria, B. C., by the Rev. Andrew Walker, on September 12, 1915, Robert Chapman, son of Principal and Mrs. J. F. Sallaway, to Sarah Irene, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Berrow, of Chalmers, B. C.

### DIED.

DUNKLEY—On the 20th inst., at 2222 Prior street, Eva, only child of J. H. and A. E. Dunkley, aged 74 months, while sleeping; deeply mourned by father and mother.

DINSDALE—On the 13th inst., at Brooklyn, New York, Robert Chapman, son of J. H. and A. E. Dunkley, aged 20 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dinsdale. The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Chapel and will be removed to the family residence, 3020 Quadra street, on Tuesday morning, the funeral service taking place at 3 o'clock Tuesday, Sept. 21, Rev. J. B. Warnick officiating. Friends kindly accept this intimation. Funeral by motor.

## GENERAL MEETING OF AERO CLUB THURSDAY

### Working Committee is Making Satisfactory Progress With Preliminary Formation Work

Excellent progress is being made with the preliminary work in connection with the formation of the Victoria Aero club, and the working committee will have a definite proposal to place before the first general meeting, which is to be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the city hall. Notices were sent out that the meeting would be called to-morrow evening, but owing to the big patriotic meeting in the Royal Victoria theatre-falling on that night, it was decided to postpone the aviation gathering to two nights. The formation of the Aero club is a patriotic move and the members did not want two such meetings to clash.

It is hoped that Mayor Stewart will take the chair at the meeting on Thursday evening, and most of the prominent business men of the city are to be invited. An invitation was extended to Sir Richard McBride, and he replied that if possible he would attend, but that in any case, the club had his whole-hearted support, and he would lend whatever aid he could to its success.

The general public is invited to attend the meeting, and it is the aim of the committee to have the council chamber filled. Citizens will be informed of the objects and aims of the new club, the schemes for financial support will be advanced, and officers for the club will be elected.

The club has now under consideration four sites for the establishment of the school. The Duncan board of trade is anxious to have the school locate there, and has invited a club to inspect the grounds at Somenos and Qualicum lakes. The site at Swanigan Lake has been reported on favorably, and the committee has yet to look over the grounds at Deep Cove and the Gorge. F. Napier Denison, superintendent of Genoa's Heights observatory, is preparing a table on weather conditions in general for the use of the club.

The number of machines which the club will have will depend solely on the financial backing received. If everything proceeds as smoothly as the committee hopes, the school will be established in two months.

## ASKS FOR DIVORCE AFTER SEPARATION

### Petitioner Says He Has No Desire to Remarry; Respondent in Alberta

Before Mr. Justice Macdonald in the supreme court to-day Daniel Clark, a resident of Victoria for seven years, applied for a divorce from Lizzie Clark, his wife, now a resident of Alberta. George Foster Walker was named co-respondent. Following evidence taken on commission in Alberta and the testimony of the petitioner in the witness box this morning, his lordship ordered that a transcript of the evidence be sent with the record to him in Vancouver, and reserved his decision until he went over the papers again.

The evidence of the petitioner was that he was married to his wife in England in August, 1904, when she resided on a farm with her father. She owned an interest in the farm. Two children were born to them. Later the co-respondent came to work as laborer on the farm, while petitioner followed another avocation. He found occasion to object to his wife's friendship with Walker, and went to live elsewhere as before he left, when she liked Walker better than she liked petitioner. He left the two children with her.

After he had saved some money, he said, and she still refused to live with him he came to Victoria and wrote to her asking her to come to him: He wrote sixteen letters, none of which were answered, and he learned that she had come to Canada and was living in the same house under her married name with Walker in Alberta. He then began divorce proceedings.

The evidence of a police detective taken in Alberta was that the divorce papers had been served on Mrs. Clark and Mr. Walker, and that the testator found them occupying the same house under their separate names. Mrs. Clark said she was aware that her husband was in Victoria.

Mr. Justice Macdonald questioned the petitioner closely as to his reasons for asking a divorce at this late date after some period of separation from his wife in England and then seven years in Victoria. He asked why the petitioner had not claimed the two children in England.

Mr. Clark answered that he left the children with his wife when he left her, and was living by himself, saying money. He had written his wife frequently, but she had not replied, and for that purpose, Mr. Alkman, who represented him, remarked: "Once bitten, twice shy."

The petitioner smiled.

## LOCAL NEWS

### Lake Hill Women's Institute.

On Wednesday last the Lake Hill Women's Institute held their monthly meeting in the North Dairy school. Mrs. Toimie was in the chair. Mrs. Edna Lee gave a report on the recent convention held in Victoria, while Mrs. Service read a very interesting paper on "Home Training for Children." A three days' course of home nursing is to be given by Mrs. Jones, at Mrs. Calverts, Lake Hill, on the following dates of October, 11, 12, and 13. Mrs. Service and Mrs. Love served tea and the meeting concluded with the singing of the National Anthem.

### Majestic Theatre.

In the enthralling serial, "The Diamond From the Sky," part 10, of which is being shown to-day and to-morrow at the Majestic: Quabba hears Esther in the debris, calling for help. She and Hagar are unharmed. Luke Lovell too, escapes. Hagar and Esther return to Stanley hall. Blair's mother professes friendship. Luke and Esther meet Mrs. Stanley. She sends Esther to Richmond to visit Mrs. Randolph. Quabba, scenting danger, accompanies her secretly. In the train, Blair and Vivian are on the west held up. The bandits steal "The Diamond From the Sky." A pursuing sheriff shoots a robber, but fails to see the jewel fall sparkling on the sand.

### Rowland's Concert Band.

Rowland's Concert Band last night at Pantages theatre gave an interesting programme commencing with the march, "Swinging Into Line," by Victor. The feature of the evening was the rendering by Mrs. Harry Pooley of "Canada for Empire," the new patriotic song by Mrs. Bridgewater and Mrs. Lewin. The song has taken well, and has won widespread popularity. Robert Morrison sang "For All Eternity," this also winning favor with the audience. The band also during the evening played the Overture to Tancred, by Rossini, a selection from "The Bohemian Girl," and the Descriptive Fantasia, "Our Soldiers," comprising some of the popular soldier songs: "The Girl I Left Behind Me," "The British Grenadiers," "Steady Boys, Steady," "The Campbell's Are Coming," "The Advance of the Dublin Fusiliers," and "Rule Britannia." God Save the King" was played at the opening instead of the conclusion of the programme, the audience, instead of being engaged in leaving the theatre, standing throughout.

"Those bees of yours are awfully hot-headed, aren't they?" said a man who had just been stung. "Quite the contrary, I assure you!" said the beekeeper.

## CORPS OF PIONEERS LEAVING THURSDAY

### Macaulay Plains Camp to Break Up This Week

The 80th Corps of Pioneers, Lt. Col. Hodgins commanding, will break camp at Macaulay Plains next Thursday, and will leave the afternoon for Vancouver, where the work of recruiting will be carried on from the camp headquarters, Hastings Park. The corps will remain in Vancouver only until such time as the requisite number of suitable men have been selected. Then it will proceed further east, and the work of recruiting will be carried on until the full strength of the unit is made up. The strength of the establishment to date is about 150, all ranks, and it is probable that several more men will be enrolled by the time the offices are closed at Macaulay Plains on Wednesday afternoon, up to which time applications will be considered.

Major Macdonnell has retained the authority which has been given by the militia and defence department for the transfer of members of the C. E. P. or active militia forces to the Corps of Pioneers if such members are qualified for the special character of the service required by the unit. Such men desiring to apply must obtain the permission of their commanding officer to make application, then present themselves at the Macaulay Plains camp. If approved and found medically fit the formality of transfer will be considered.

## ADDISON STILL WEAK

### Was Unable to Give His Evidence This Afternoon; Case Remanded Till Friday.

It was expected that George Addison would have been able to give his evidence this afternoon in the St. Joseph's hospital before Magistrate Jay, but Dr. McMeeking advised against questioning the man for a few days, and a remand was granted until Friday morning, when it is hoped that Addison will be able to attend the police court.

The Brennan case was called this morning, but was remanded until 2.30 o'clock this afternoon, with the understanding that Dr. McMeeking give his evidence in court, and following the court should adjourn to the St. Joseph's hospital to take Addison's evidence.

Dr. McMeeking told of attending Addison, and said that the wound which the man had received was four inches long. He said the man would have died to death in another hour or two.

## PASTOR RESIGNING

### Rev. H. E. B. Speight Announced Decision to His Congregation Last Evening.

Rev. H. E. B. Speight last evening announced to his congregation at the First Unitarian church that he had accepted a call to the First Unitarian church at Berkeley, California. Early in July he had received an invitation to preach two Sundays at the First Unitarian church at Berkeley, when he intended to visit San Francisco as a delegate of the Victoria Rotary club. At that time he had declined. But later, while he was in California he had received an invitation again. During his visit he received a warm welcome, found a big and earnest congregation, and was much impressed with the corporate life of the church fellowship.

Mr. Speight told something of the church in Berkeley, which enjoys happy relations with the other religious societies of Berkeley. At the induction of the last minister the ministers of Congregational, Presbyterian, Episcopal and Christian churches took part in the service. Two notable men had helped in the upbuilding of the church, Frederick Lucian Hosmer and John Lathrop.

To-night Mr. Speight will speak at the trustees of the local Unitarian church in connection with the date of his resignation here.

## OLD RESIDENT BURIED.

### Funeral of Late John Hunt Held This Morning; Was 86 Years of Age.

The funeral of the late John Hunt (not William Hunt as previously stated) took place last Saturday from the Thomson Funeral chapel, Rev. Dr. C. T. Scott officiating. The pallbearers were Messrs. James Daly, R. S. Carroll, S. Young and T. Freeman.

The late John Hunt expired last Thursday at the Royal Jubilee hospital. A native of Derbyshire, England, he was 86 years of age. He and his family lived for about twenty years at Bradford, Ont., prior to coming west. For twenty years he was a faithful servant of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway company of Topeka, Kans., U. S. A., and for the past eight years had lived at 572 Burnside road this city. He is survived beside his widow by a son, William Hunt, of Burnside road and Washington avenue; and one daughter, Nellie at 472 Burnside road. His many friends will grieve to hear of Mr. Hunt's demise, as he was a highly esteemed citizen.

## Automobiles in Collision.

On Saturday night at 11.50 o'clock a Russell car, driven by Sydney C. Smith, and a Hudson, driven by G. H. Barnard, M. P., collided at the corner of Gordon and Humboldt streets. The former car was thrown on to the sidewalk, and the rear right wheel was knocked off the Hudson. No one was injured.

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Ribs of Beef, per lb.	25c
Rump Roast, per lb.	22c
Round Steak, per lb.	22c

Sirloin Steak, per lb.	28c
T-Bone Steak, per lb.	30c
Pot Roast, per lb., 20c to	16c
Boiling Beef, per lb.	15c
Beef Suet, per lb.	15c
Beef Kidneys, each.	25c
VEAL, LOCAL	
Fillet of Veal, per lb.	30c
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## TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Philadelphia.....	R. H. E.
First game.....	
Cleveland.....	4 4 2
Philadelphia.....	5 8 2
Batteries—Collamore and Billings; Crowell, Eccles and Lapp.	
Second game.....	
Cleveland.....	5 4 3
Philadelphia.....	3 11 3
Batteries—Garrett and O'Neill; Davis and McAvoy.	
At New York.....	R. H. E.
Chicago.....	2 5 2
New York.....	3 11 2
Batteries—Cicotte and Schalk; Brown, Pieh, Cole and Alexander.	
At Boston.....	R. H. E.
Detroit.....	2 6 1
Batteries—Dunham and Stange; Baker, Ruth, Foster and Carrigan, Thomas.	
At Washington.....	R. H. E.
St. Louis.....	0 2 3
Washington.....	6 6 1
Batteries—Sothern, Hoff and Leary; Dumont and Henry.	
NATIONAL LEAGUE.	
At Pittsburgh.....	R. H. E.
Brooklyn.....	6 3 6
Pittsburgh.....	1 8 6
Batteries—Pfeiffer and McCarty, Miller, Harmon and Murphy.	

The fat proprietor of the sweet shop was puffing at a truly remarkable speed, and his face had taken on the color that is usually associated with ripe tomatoes, as he laboriously placed in position the last shutter in front of his shop window. At this critical moment he felt a touch on his arm, and when, by a herculean effort, he turned his tomatoey, perspiring face, and fixed his small bulging eyes on the little girl who stood waiting for his attention, she asked in a delightfully expectant manner: "Please will you tek the shutters down again, as I want to see what to spend me 'appeny on?"

Those Girls—Giri—"You'll never make me believe that eggs were unlucky. Why, I was wearing them to-day, and I became engaged to Herbert." "Cat—"But what about Herbert, dear?"

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### WILL BE PREPARED TO TAKE OFFENSIVE

### Russian Forces Will Be Ready to Strike After Winter, Says Correspondent

Petrograd, Sept. 20.—A great deal has happened since the fall of Warsaw which one must regret, but which at the same time must be looked at in true perspective. The loss of Kovno, Novo-Georgievsk and many other positions was unfavorable, but must be taken as a by-product of the loss of Warsaw.

With the enormous, extended fronts which modern war presents, there always develop certain points on the line which may be called keystones.

As regards the campaign in Poland, it has been apparent that Warsaw was a keystone, and once it was given up the next line would be far in the rear, so when a general change of front came, many places had to be sacrificed. From a very intimate knowledge of the terrain the correspondent felt certain that the next jump from Warsaw would be to Brest-Litovsk. He has visited the place five or six times and was sure if the Germans made a definite bid it would not be defended.

The Russians know this, and certainly in the army there has been no keen disappointment because of its loss. No one who knows the conditions existing there thought there would be a big battle there. Many thought the Germans would never try seriously to go farther. That they have done so is contradicted by some as a mistake. Only time can show.

The Russians now are on the move to another line. The Germans may continue to follow, but in this district one does not see any point which it is possible for them to capture with any great benefit before winter sets in. Even the occupation of Petrograd would not insure peace with Russia for Germany.

No pessimism.

In Petrograd pessimism at the military situation is not shared by those who are in the confidence of the highest authorities. The only danger that seriously and immediately threatens Russia has been of the insidious sort, and apparent it is passing away rapidly.

At the moment the Russian armies left Warsaw and the entire line began to retire to new positions there was a period of great ambiguity. For several weeks the armies were in constant movement, and from day to day their exact positions were uncertain.

As they went back they obviously left many towns and positions behind them, with the result that for weeks the Germans have been having a continuous celebration of their advances. During this period very little news was available in Petrograd, which was a week or more reports were circulated with such alarm in the rapidly that at last the government was obliged to take notice of the propaganda, which was dealt with. For the moment, there is a lull in the German propaganda.

Meanwhile it is becoming obvious that the Germans, despite their pursuit of the retreating Russians, are not likely to achieve any success which can affect the political situation, immediately.

If they take Riga they will have done their worst for months to come. If Russia gets over the next sixty days, she will be safe until spring, and by that time without doubt will be able to take up the offensive in her turn.

With the allies patiently wearing down the Germans month after month, there can be but one end.

### REALIZE TERRITORY CANNOT BE HELD

### CABINET WILL MEET TO-MORROW FORENOON

### ITALIAN CABINET HOLDS LONG SESSION

### NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

### NEW YORK SUGAR

### METAL MARKET

### RAILROAD ACROSS SOUTHERN SIBERIA

### Russian Govt. Has Prepared Plans; Link Between Black Sea and Pacific

London, Sept. 20.—According to reports received in London, the Russian government has prepared plans for a railway line through Southern Siberia to connect the Black Sea with the Pacific Ocean. This will give Russia two trunk lines through Siberia and traffic for them is expected to come from the altered economic position in Mongolia and the Far East. The port of Vladivostok is being improved much and the approaches to Nicolaevsk are being deepened.

The disposition of trade relations with Europe has injured the agricultural industry of Siberia and that country is reported as chafing under an abundance of grain. To facilitate exportation to London, efforts are being made to use the northern, or Kara Sea route.

Another item of special concern to British and American merchants is that in order to secure closer connection between Russia, Japan and China, a China-Russia-Japanese company is being formed with a view to reciprocal commercial relations between these three countries. It is stated that an agreement has been made between Russia and Japan to delimit their respective spheres of economic influence.

### TRIAL WILL START EARLY NEXT MONTH

Prince George, Sept. 20.—That an attempt was made by the slayer or slayers of J. V. Coward, the Stuart Lake settler who was shot to death the week before last in his cabin, and with whose murder his wife and step-daughter, Rose Dell, are charged, to make it appear that the case was one of suicide, is the contention likely to be maintained by the crown when the trial starts at Clinton on October 4. It appears that the revolver was found beside Coward's body, but on examination it was discovered that the bullet which ended the victim's life was of 38 calibre, while the revolver was 32.

### GERMANS TRYING TO CENSOR ALL LETTERS

Paris, Sept. 20.—A dispatch to the Havas Agency from Geneva says: "Extraordinary precautions have been taken by the German military administration to prevent uncensored letters leaving Germany. A sister superior of the Order of Sainte Christianita at Metz was searched on her departure for a trip to Switzerland. Various letters intended for mailing outside of Germany were found upon her and she was sentenced to 15 days in prison. A sister who had written one of the letters was sentenced to a month's imprisonment."

### DUMBA WILL SAIL ON SEPTEMBER 28

### STATEMENT ISSUED AT CONSTANTINOPLE

Constantinople, Sept. 20.—The following announcement was issued by the war office to-day: "The Bulgarians front on Saturday night reconnoitring detachments repulsed the enemy, bombing trenches and capturing guns."

"Our artillery bombarded Kemikh-Lihan."

"French warships shelled coast batteries but did no damage."

### TEMPERATURE MUST BE A CHANGE

Paris, Sept. 20.—What they describe as the growing seriousness of the Balkan situation is discussed by the Temps and the Journal des Debats.

The Temps declares Bulgaria's position to be equivocal, as she is treating with the allies on the basis of joining them in the war, and treating with Turkey on the basis of remaining neutral. It characterizes this as an attitude which will have to be changed speedily or it will lead to serious results in the Balkans.

The correspondent of the Journal des Debats at Milan quotes a report that Turkey intends to cede territory to Germany which that country afterward will cede to Bulgaria.

### MONTENEGRINS ARE TAKING OFFENSIVE

Cettigne, Sept. 20.—Heavy fighting continues on the Bosnian frontier. The Montenegrins have repulsed the Austrian attacks.

The Austrian artillery at Cattaro fruitlessly bombarded the Montenegrin positions at Leozino. The Montenegrins, reinforced by Serbians, are taking the offensive.

### FOR SALE BY TENDER

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### WOUNDED CANADIANS CAME ON CORSICAN

### Reached Quebec This Morning; Major P. A. Guthrie Among Them

Quebec, Sept. 20.—The Allan liner Corsican, which arrived in port this morning, brought back to Canada a large number of invalided officers and men of the Canadian forces now fighting in Europe, as well as the majority of the survivors of the steamship Hesperian, which recently was torpedoed off the Irish coast.

Some of the gallant Canadians were hobbling on crutches; others had their arms in slings, others their heads bandaged and other minor injuries.

Among the passengers was Major P. A. Guthrie, of Fredericton, N. B., who is a badly wounded man suffering from a badly battered left foot and leg, besides several wounds in the stomach. Major Guthrie was among the passengers on the ill-fated steamship Hesperian, and gave a vivid account of his experiences on the liner. He described how, when the vessel was torpedoed, Capt. Goggin, of Quebec, carried him on deck. He spoke of the splendid heroism of the Canadian boys and boys and said that the crew was "the most experienced lot of sailors I have ever encountered." The major was pushed into a boat as it was lowered, and lost his crutches.

He told also how he had been blown up at Festubert by a high explosive shell.

Major Guthrie was met at Rimouski by Mrs. Guthrie, who is accompanying her husband back to their home in Fredericton. He is on leave of absence until December 27, and if well enough then, will return to the front.

### GERMANS ATTACKED SERBIAN POSITIONS

Berlin, Sept. 20.—An official statement issued to-day says: "On the northern bank of the Danube, German artillery engaged in battle with Serbian positions south of the river near Semendria (24 miles southeast of Belgrade). The enemy was driven off and his artillery fire was silenced."

### WARSHIPS BOMBARDED COAST OF BELGIUM

Berlin, Sept. 20.—Allied warships bombarded Westende and Middlekerke, on the coast of Belgium, yesterday and were damaged seriously by the land batteries, according to a bulletin issued to-day by the admiralty.

The statement follows: "Western theatre.—Enemy ships which were bombed without result Westende and Middlekerke, on the Belgian coast, withdrew before our fire. Some of these ships were struck."

"Eastern theatre.—Army of Field-Marshal von Hindenburg, in the vicinity of the bridgehead at Dvinsk, the enemy was forced to retreat from Novo-Alexandrovsk to a position further to the rear. We took 55 prisoners. The enemy attempted to break through our lines at Oron but was repulsed.

"The attack upon the Russian forces which are retreating from the district of Vilna is proceeding farther to the south. We have reached a line on the Niemen. The enemy offered temporary resistance at a few points only."

### UNITED STATES' NOTE HAS NOT BEEN SENT AS YET

Washington, Sept. 20.—The time at which will be sent to Great Britain the note protesting against the blockade, to-day was still a matter of doubt, despite the fact that President Wilson has completed amendments denouncing the ruling of the British prize court placing the burden of proof upon American shippers and importers in case of seizure.

Secretary Tamm refused to talk. Counselor Polk "hopes" the note will be sent shortly.

But even persons close to the administration are puzzled as to why the sending of the note is not expedited. It was said that the president was awaiting settlement with Germany. But now Count Bernstorff has promised complete satisfaction, and the administration has accepted his promises.

Meantime, pressure on the administration from commercial circles increases.

### BARON VON BISSING HAS BEEN INTERNED

London, Sept. 20.—Baron von Bissing, brother of Gen. von Bissing, German military governor of Belgium, and a naturalized British subject, after fighting for months for his liberty, has been interned. He was mysteriously spirited away to-day from his luxurious home in Kensington by detectives. It is reported that the Islington workhouse will be the baron's domicile during the remainder of the war.

### SHIPMENTS WILL MOVE FROM RUSSIA TO STATES

Washington, Sept. 20.—A special messenger was dispatched by the state department to-day to Secretary Lansing at his summer home on Lake Ontario with the agreement for the lifting of the Russian embargo against exports to the United States. The agreement will become operative as soon as signed.

Under the agreement Russian exports to the United States will be released if consigned to the American secretary of commerce and if Russia is given satisfactory guarantees that the goods will not reach her enemies.

### M. BARK IN PARIS; WILL GO TO LONDON SOON

### ITALIAN CABINET HOLDS LONG SESSION

### LONDON EXCHANGE TO BE CLOSED SEPT. 25

### NO ALARM

### NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

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### HORWOOD AGAIN ON STAND AT WINNIPEG

### Questioned by E. F. B. Johnston, K. C., Leading Counsel for Defence

Winnipeg, Sept. 20.—Clearly it is the line of the defence in the trial of the four ex-cabinet ministers to try and break down the value of the testimony of the ex-provincial architect, V. W. Horwood, which forms so essential a part of the case for the Crown. This was brought out to-day as soon as the direct examination by R. A. Bonnar, K. C., was concluded and the witness was turned over to E. F. B. Johnston, K. C., leading counsel for the defence.

Mr. Johnston came from Toronto with a great reputation as a criminal lawyer, particularly for searching and withering cross-examination, and as a consequence the court was crowded to the doors.

Including the investigation carried on before the Public Accounts Committee, Horwood now has been four times under examination. Each time he has added something new to the sum total of his evidence. At Minneapolis he confessed he had stated falsehoods before the Public Accounts Committee and told the story of the plan to get a Conservative campaign fund out of the parliament building contract. Subsequently he enlarged on this, adding much new detail before the Matthews Royal Commission in Winnipeg. For the past three days he has told the story over again, and again he has made many new statements.

This morning, for instance, he related what he declared were conversations he had had with Dr. Simpson and Mr. Caldwell, one of the defendants, in relation to the disappearance of the witness Salt. Mr. Caldwell had said that the government supporters in caucus wanted Salt back, whereupon Simpson had said they must be kept in line—where did they expect the campaign fund was to come from? Another conversation he told of the first time to-day had been with Mr. Elliott, the contractor, and Elliott, when the former, "much rattled," had told them Premier Roblin would resign if he gave the word, and Horwood himself had remarked that it "looked like the pentitentiary."

Mr. Johnston started by getting Horwood to acknowledge he had made mis-statements under oath, that under instructions he had willfully falsified public documents, that he had been a party to stealing public money, that he had made false certificates and had endeavored to get Salt to swear a falsehood. Horwood's explanation of all this was that his work for the government had dulled his moral sense, and that he was acting with the intention of protecting Sir Rodmond Roblin until they left him stranded. The twenty-five thousand dollars he said they were to raise for him had not been forthcoming.

Crown counsel tried to break down this line of questioning, but the magistrate announced that the defence was to have the freest hand.

### CONSIDERING CHANGES IN THE PRAYER BOOK

Toronto, Sept. 20.—The two houses of the Anglican general synod are discussing in joint session to-day the Book of Common Prayer. The Bishop of Huron, vice-chairman of the committee, presented a report to the effect that no serious changes had been considered. The committee had worked on the adaptability of the English Book of Common Prayer to the needs of the Canadian church. The joint session is divided, several members of the synod feeling that in changing the creed of St. Athanasius they are changing the entire creed of the church.

The lower house presented a complimentary address to the primate of Canada this morning in recognition of his birthday and also in connection with the fact that he has been primate of all Canada for six years.

### SHIPMENTS RELEASED

### TO-DAY'S TRADING ON THE WINNIPEG MARKET

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### Financial News

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The local market continued active, as on Saturday; with the various advances of the previous session maintained and gains elsewhere in the list being scored. Canada Consolidated was bid \$197. There was moderate bidding for Slocan Star, resulting in a slightly hardened price quotation. Offers of Granby appreciated one dollar, while even Portland Cement was inclined to less alacrity because of the general belief to be noted in prices.

Outside influences were favorable to a higher range here and an otherwise unresponsive inquiry for bull stocks received more impetus accordingly.

### WHEAT DREW SUPPORT ON DECLINE IN PRICE

Chicago, Sept. 20.—With the enormous American and Canadian crops, it is not unreasonable to believe that by the end of November the principal trading market will be called upon to take care of hedging sales to the amount of not less than one hundred million bushels of wheat. With this great weight hanging over the market, a gradual depreciation in values seems natural. The action of to-day's market was one of weakness, but support was tendered on declines, possibly the fears that Bulgaria had joined with the central powers inducing the bullishness. Primary receipts are liberal and a good increase in stocks is looked for in the near future.

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Phoenix Stout, \$1.50 per doz. quarts.

# WEILER'S DAILY STORE NEWS

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- Bleached Honeycomb Towels, doz., \$1.35, \$2.25 and ..... \$2.70

## Marseilles Bedspreads

Snowy white, satin finished Counterpanes with beautiful designs woven in relief, giving a very rich and pleasing effect. A large variety in qualities, designs and sizes from which you can make your choice. Cash prices \$1.80 to \$18.00.

## Fresh Air and Sunshine

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Our buggies are big and roomy, with soft upholstery, but are very light and easy running. The collapsible Go-Carts have good resilient springs and backs, that are so necessary for baby's comfort.

**CASH PRICES**  
Go-Carts up from only ..... \$2.25  
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You'll enjoy seeing our great variety of Oriental, floral and conventional designs in Brussels Carpets. They can be made up with or without border, and are laid without extra charge.

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## French Fireproof Ware

Thousands of housekeepers are using this beautiful brown or green ware to make their food taste better and look more appetizing, and they greatly appreciate the comfort and convenience of serving the food right from the stove with none of the troublesome process of re-dishing. The French Fireproof Ware cooks slowly and thoroughly, and retains all the rich, natural flavoring of the food and seasoning.

### CASH PRICES

- Round Covered Casseroles, each, \$1.35, \$1.80 and ..... \$2.58
- Oval Covered Casseroles, \$1.80, \$2.05 and ..... \$2.70
- Handled Saucepans, 90¢, \$1.13 and ..... \$1.80
- Coffee Percolators, 90¢, \$1.13 and ..... \$1.35
- Shirred Egg Dishes ..... 35¢
- Round Bakers, 18¢, 23¢, 27¢ and ..... 32¢
- Hot Milk Jugs, \$1.13 to ..... \$2.05

## NAVAL SPORTS WERE THOROUGHLY ENJOYED

### Exciting Events Marked Field Day at Canteen Grounds on Saturday Afternoon

Splendid sport was provided at the field day of the army and navy held at the Canteen grounds on Saturday afternoon, and the 3,000 spectators revelled in the activities of the legs in navy blue. Every event on the lengthy programme was keenly contested, and the times made in the races, and the heights and distances recorded in the jumps, showed that there are many fine athletes serving with his majesty's forces both on land and sea.

The spectacle at the oval was brilliant. The sailors saw to it that the grounds were laid out in the proper manner, and every person in the vast assemblage was able to view the various contests without interruption. The green was in splendid condition, and in the centre sat the Fifth Regiment band, which added further delight to the afternoon by their splendid rendition of patriotic and other selections. The people swarmed around the line of the oval, and at one end a section was reserved for the invited guests. The weather was beautiful, and summer dresses and hats were the order. The sky attire of the ladies gave a beautiful touch to the spectacle.

At 1.30 o'clock the long programme commenced, and although the last race was not run until 5.45 o'clock the crowd was so enthused over the spirited contests that it remained almost entire until the close. Mrs. Barnard, wife of the lieutenant-governor, presented the prizes, which were handsome and serviceable, at the conclusion of the programme.

The feature of the day was the tug-of-war, open to the army and navy, and which resulted in an easy victory for the team of Japanese sailors. It could hardly be considered a fair pull and test of strength between the brown men and the sailors and soldiers of this port. The Japs sat down, and when they went into action their arms and bodies swung backward and forward like the crew of a racing shell. The Japs were not even forced in any of their pulls. The local men stood on their feet and the sea-sawing of their opponents did not give them a chance to maintain a footing. The Japanese officers then offered to give an exhibition pull, and two teams of 32 men each demonstrated, each side winning one pull. It was a new style of pulling to most people, and it was questioned whether it should be allowed against a straight pull.

The navy and army were equally represented in the winning column. The performance of the representatives from the submarine C. C. 2, was quite noteworthy. This ship's company took home a number of trophies, including the cup for the 100 yards, open to officers of the army and navy, which was won by Sub-Lieut. Pitts. In the half-mile Petty Officer Roberts of the C. C. 2, lost out to Stoker Yates after a very hot race. The time for this race was 2.10 minutes, which is fast travelling on the Canteen grass track. Every time the C. C. 2 had a competitor in an event it was a sign for a struggle.

Great credit is due the committee which arranged the field meet. Nothing was left undone to make the day a grand success. The Navy League Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire served tea during the afternoon.

The committee which arranged the naval sports was composed of the following: President, Rear-Admiral Wm. O. Story, R. N.; vice-presidents, Commander John T. Shenton, R. C. N.; Commander Walter Hose, R. C. N.; Lieut.-Commander Bertam E. Jones, R. N.; Secretary, Assistant Paymaster Arthur V. Kenah, R. N. C. V. R.; Committee, Lieut. George H. S. Edwards, R. N. C. V. R., Sub-Lieut. Arthur S. Pitts, R. N. C. V. R., Sub-Lieut. Peter D. Hickman, R. N. C. V. R.; Sub-Lieut. Richard E. Winslow, R. N. C. V. R.; William McDonagh, R. C. N.; F. King, R. C. N.; Chief Petty Officer Cross, Chief Petty Officer Lewis, Ordinary Seaman McDougal, Ordinary Seaman Elsdon, Judges, Lieut.-Commander Hugh E. Holme, R. C. N.; Lieut.-Commander John H. Knight, R. C. N.; Paymaster, Gerald P. Haddon, R. N.; Lieut. Geoffrey Lake, R. N. C. V. R.; Starters, Lieut. Wilfred T. Walker, R. N.; James E. Cox, R. N.; Chief Petty Officer Watson.

The prize winners were as follows: 100 yards (navy)—1, P. O. Hollingum; 2, Seaman Tidswell; 3, Lance-Corpl. Jessop, Time, 36 3-5. Sack race—1, Nishimoto; 2, Hirakawa; 3, Unemoto.

Tug-of-war—(inter company R. C. N. V. R.)—No. 1 company (Victoria), won from No. 2 company (Vancouver) in two out of three pulls.

One mile race (navy and army)—1, Pte. Edwards; 2, Sgt. Norris; 3, P. O. Roberts, Time, 4.43.

High jump (navy and army)—1, Pte. Thompson; 2, Seaman Price, Height, 5 ft. 1 in.

Three-legged race (navy and army)—1, Ptes. Carter and Green; 2, Sebma and Fukuhara; 3, Choumi and Nakamoto.

Quarter-mile (navy)—1, Stoker Yates; 2, Seaman Tidswell; 3, Ldg. Stoker Wedgewood.

Obstacle race (navy and army)—1, Pte. Sanger; 2, Hashimoto; 3, Moran.

Throwing the cricket ball (navy and army)—Seaman McIvor, 106 2-3 yards.

Tug-of-war (navy and army)—Japanese team.

100 yards race (naval volunteers)—1, P. O. Hollingum; 2, Seaman Bailie, Time, 10 4-5.

Bandmen's race—1, Viner; 2, Ord.

Half-mile race (championship of navy)—1, Stoker Yates; 2, P. O. Roberts; 3, Writer Kensington.

Long jump (navy)—1, Seaman Bailey; 2, Pte. McNair, Distance, 18 ft. 8 in.

100 yards race (officers of navy and army)—1, Sub-Lieut. Pitts; 2, Lieut. Molesworth, Time, 11 seconds.

Obstacle race (naval volunteers)—1,

Seaman Melvor; 2, Seaman Howarth; 3, Jenner.  
Putting the weight—1, Seaman Butt; 2, Ldg. Stoker McDonough.  
400 yards, for men over 40 years—1, Ldg. Stoker Austin; 2, C. P. O. Reilly, Time, 12 1-5.  
Relay race (navy and army)—1, Black Rock Battery; 2, Belmont Battery.  
Consolation race, 100 yards—1, Seaman Lee; 2, Restall; 3, Daglish.

## WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 20—5 a. m.—The barometer remains abnormally high over this province, and fine, warm weather continues throughout the Pacific slope. Rain has fallen in Manitoba and portions of Saskatchewan.

Forecast.  
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Tuesday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warm during the day.  
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warm during the day.

Reports.  
Victoria—Barometer, 30.01; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 59; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday, 65; minimum, 55; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 50; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
Hastings—Barometer, 30.17; temperature, maximum yesterday, 59; minimum, 50; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 46; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 66; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, clear.  
Seattle—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 64; wind, 6 miles N. E.; weather, cloudy.  
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, maximum yesterday, 76; minimum, 64; wind, 10 miles S. W.; weather, clear.

Temperature.  
Cranbrook ..... 62  
Fort George ..... 62  
New Hazelton ..... 62  
Nelson ..... 62  
Calgary ..... 62  
Edmonton ..... 62  
Q. Appelle ..... 62  
Winnipeg ..... 62  
Toronto ..... 62  
Ottawa ..... 74  
Montreal ..... 72  
Halifax ..... 62

Victoria Daily Weather.  
Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Saturday:  
Temperature.  
Highest ..... 65  
Lowest ..... 52  
Average ..... 59  
Minimum on grass ..... 48  
Maximum in sun ..... 118  
Bright sunshine, 10 hours 18 minutes.  
General state of weather, clear.  
Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Sunday:  
Temperature.  
Highest ..... 68  
Lowest ..... 47  
Average ..... 57  
Minimum on grass ..... 42  
Maximum in sun ..... 117  
Bright sunshine, 10 hours.  
General state of weather, clear.

An Irishman was walking along a road beside a golf links when he was suddenly struck between the shoulders by a golf ball. The force of the blow nearly knocked him down. When he recovered the anxious golfer was by his side. "Are you hurt?" asked the player. "Why didn't you get out of the way?" "An' why should I get out of the way? I didn't know there were any assassins round here." "But I called 'Fore!'" said the player, "and when I say 'Fore!' that is a sign for you to get out of the way." "Oh, it is, is it?" said Paul. "Well, then, when I say 'Fore!' it's a sign that you're to get hit on the nose. 'Fore!'"

Photographer's Assistant—Mrs. Van Perkins complains that her portrait "don't look like her." Photographer—"Complains, does she? She ought to be grateful."

## PROMOTION COMES TO VICTORIA OFFICERS

### Three Majors Are Advanced to Rank of Lieutenant-Colonel After Long Service

Three officers of the militia service in this city who have been for some time majors have been promoted to the rank of lieutenant-colonel, in recognition of the great service they are rendering in the present busy times.

These are Major Richard Angus, officer commanding the Fifth Regiment, C. G. A.; Major Ridgway Wilson, formerly of the Fifth Regiment and now in temporary office for Military District No. 11; and Major E. R. Tooley, C. A. P. C., the district paymaster. Announcement of the promotion of these officers is made from Ottawa.

The promotion of Major Angus to the command of the regiment in which he has served so long was made in these columns on Saturday. Lt.-Col. Wilson was with the same corps for about sixteen years, joining it on its formation. He came here in the late eighties and enlisted in the British Columbia Battery, Garrison Artillery, which was then commanded by Colonel Prior, as a gunner. He served for three years and then retired on account of the call of his profession. On the formation of the Fifth Regiment he was given a commission in No. 6 company, now part of No. 5. Step by step he rose to captain and major, and for seven years he was adjutant. At the outbreak of the war he returned to the service, and was attached to the staff of the D. O. C. at Work Point barracks, being placed in charge of the enemy aliens in the district of British Columbia. Lt.-Col. Tooley has been identified with the militia of Canada for over twenty years, both on the civil and military side. While in the department of militia and defence at Ottawa, for a while in the adjutant-general's branch and later in the accountant's branch, he was connected with the Second Field Battery, Ottawa, in which he held a commission as captain. He was a very keen officer, and in what was one of the crack artillery corps of the Dominion, he had a large part in bringing and keeping it up to its high standard.

Eight years ago Lt.-Col. Tooley, then a captain, was sent out to this district to organize the pay corps, where he remained for three years. Transferred east again, he was stationed at Ottawa and London, Ont., returning to this coast in November last. Lt.-Col. Tooley is one of the most efficient officers in the corps and has in his present position to watch the expenditure of some half million dollars every month. The work of the office has grown immensely since he first came to Victoria, and the staff has trebled.

## TERMINAL ELEVATORS

### General Manager of Canadian Northern Pacific Says They Are Essential Here.

M. H. McLeod, general manager of the Canadian Northern Pacific railway, who was in the city for the week-end, laid emphasis while here on the need for terminal elevators at Victoria and other B. C. ports for the handling of the grain crops of the prairies, an increasingly large proportion of which will be coming this way for transit to the east and to Europe.

The estimates of this year's crop, Mr. McLeod says, put the total crop 600,000,000 bushels—250,000,000 bushels of wheat, 300,000,000 bushels of oats and 24,000,000 bushels of barley. Of this he believes the C. N. P. will handle 100,000,000 bushels, and its elevator capacity in the interior and at the lake ports he gives as 42,000,000 bushels. At 640 stations grain can be loaded now.

As a vast amount of the crop is bound to go out by the Panama canal it is essential, Mr. McLeod says, that elevators be erected here to trans-ship

it to steamers for the voyage through the canal, and the business interests of the port demand that these facilities be provided with the other harbor improvements.

## LOCAL TEAM WON DECIDING CONTEST

### Victoria Bowlers Were Chiefly Responsible for Third Victory of Annual Series

Victoria cricketers took the third match of the inter-city series at Vancouver on Saturday, when they defeated the Mainland eleven at Brockton Point by 40 runs, in a splendidly contested match. The clever batting of the Victoria team in the first inning, when they compiled 164 runs by good, hard hitting, gave them a big lead.

Vancouver batters could do little against the effective bowling of Westwood and Orr, the entire side being retired for 84 runs. Victoria went to bat and scored 80 for five wickets, declaring in favor of the Terminal eleven. The latter scored 120 in the time allowed before stumps were drawn. Jephson, Radcliffe, Hudson, Orr and Denby reached double figures for the Victoria team, Barra and Dwyell being the chief Mainland batsmen. The score:

Victoria—First Innings.	
A. G. Bush, b Stroyan	4
G. N. Walton, c Barra, b Peters	3
V. Westwood, c Silcock, b Mends	25
H. Hudson, run out	25
H. Orr, c Barra, b Silcock	25
E. W. Ismay, c Stroyan, b Silcock	0
N. S. Radcliffe, not out	44
H. Jephson, run out	1
J. H. Denby, c Silcock, b Illingworth	31
H. Hindmarsh, c Barra, b Illingworth	1
R. Sumner, b Stroyan	9
Extras	9
Total	164

Victoria—Second Innings.	
H. Orr, c Peters, b Mends	8
N. S. Radcliffe, b Mends	12
H. Jephson, c Silcock, b Westwood	20
J. H. Ismay, c Barra, b Stroyan	10
Extras	9
Total	60

Mainland—First Innings.	
Smith, run out	20
Barra, c and b Orr	1
Peters, c Ismay, b Westwood	9
Chandler, b Westwood	3
Dwyell, b Westwood	20
Illingworth, c Bush, b Orr	17
Mends, c Hudson, b Westwood	5
Silcock, b Westwood	1
Killick, not out	9
Stroyan, c Ismay, b Westwood	6
Extras	0
Total	84

Mainland—Second Innings.	
Smith, b Westwood	0
Barra, not out	0
Chandler, b Radcliffe	15
Dwyell, b Ismay	27
Illingworth, not out	1
Mends, c Walton, b Westwood	13
Silcock, c Radcliffe, b Orr	15
Extras	4
Total for 5 wickets	120

Bowling Analysis.			
Mainland's First Innings—O. W. R.			
Stroyan	14	2	50
Peters	11	1	55
Mends	9	1	36
Silcock	9	2	8
Illingworth	2	2	6

Second Innings—O. W. R.			
Stroyan	4	1	37
Peters	2	0	37
Mends	2	2	1
Silcock	4	2	7
Illingworth	4	0	3

Victoria's First Innings—O. W. R.			
Westwood	11	6	37
Orr	11	2	47
Second Innings—O. W. R.			
Westwood	4	2	19
Orr	6	1	23
Ismay	6	1	22
Radcliffe	5	1	38

Reporter—"I've got a good piece of news here this morning. I found a person who had been confined to one room his entire life." Editor—"Good! Send him us. Who is it?" Reporter—"Why, a three-day-old baby, at our house."

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Irving S. Cooper Concludes Series of Interesting Discourses Here

"The Great Awakening; or, the Inner Meaning of the War" was the subject of the concluding lecture of his series of six discourses given here during the past week by Irving S. Cooper, national lecturer for the American Theological Society.

The lecture took the form of a philosophical analysis of the religious tendency of the period in which we live, and of the great spiritual undercurrent which he believed was diffused through the whole of modern civilization.

An excellent speaker, and one of the few members in the House of Commons who can talk Gaelic, Lieut.-Col. Currie will be able to speak of the conduct of the Canadian troops not only from personal knowledge, but entertainingly and well.

W. A. TO MISSIONS

Many Matters of Business Disposed of at Monthly Meeting.

A mass of business was disposed of at the monthly meeting of the diocesan board of the Women's Auxiliary to Missions held last Friday morning and afternoon at the Cathedral school room.

Reports included that of the organizing secretary, which stated that a new junior branch had been formed at St. Matthias, Fowl Bay, and that eight new members had joined St. George's branch.

The pessimist, on the other hand, saw civilization going backward, the increase of drunkenness, suicide, and crime; saw how politicians controlled the destinies of the nation, noted that children were employed in factories and men and women engaged in sweat-labor.

Restoring Civilization. The deductions and observations of the two lines of thought were too seldom mingled, he said. There was truth in both. But both too often represented an acquaintance with only the land-side of civilization.

Mr. Cooper reminded his audience of the attitude toward religion a hundred years ago. On the surface mankind was more religious than to-day.

Letters read by the corresponding secretary were from the Bishop of Columbia, thanking the women of the diocese for the handsome pectoral cross and chain presented to him before his consecration.

Mrs. Luxton reviewed the current events of the W. A. work. A resolution of sympathy with Mrs. Davis in her recent bereavement was taken by standing vote, and votes of thanks were passed in favor of Mrs. Toller, Miss Orwin, and Mrs. Lichfield.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. quarts. H. B. "Imperial" Lager Beer, pints for 25c. Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. quarts.

ELECTION RUMORS QUITE PERSISTENT

McBride-Bowser Government Liable to Go to Country at Any Time Now

There is a rumor persistently going about town just at present of a provincial election as likely to be sprung upon the people at any moment, and there is no doubt that the ward organizations of the government party have received word to be prepared.

Since the abortive announcement of last spring it has been felt that an election might be expected any time. Whether the premier has had the consent of the lieutenant-governor to a dissolution ever since, or will have to ask for his permission over again, matters not.

SIR HERBERT AMES TO LECTURE TO-MORROW

Will Tell Public What Canada is Doing for Soldiers' Dependents

"What Canada is doing for the dependents of soldiers and disabled men" is the title of the lecture which will be given to-morrow evening, in the Royal Victoria theatre, by Sir Herbert Ames, M. P.

A large number of interesting slides, depicting Canada's army in the making, will be shown, and will undoubtedly add greatly to the general enjoyment of the meeting.

The band of the Fifth Regiment will be in attendance, and will play selections, while songs will be rendered by three well known local artists.



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MOUNTED POLICEMAN HERE

Corp. Fripps Comes for Pte. P. G. C. Crouch, Who is Charged With Misappropriating Money.

Corp. Fripps, of the Royal North-west Mounted Police, arrived in town this morning from Wilkie, Sask., to take charge of Pte. Phillip G. C. Crouch, of the Canadian Army Service Corps, who is wanted for misappropriating funds of the interior police force.

The wheat crop this year is a bumper one, according to the visiting police officer. In the farming district surrounding Wilkie wheat is averaging from 40 to 50 bushels an acre, which is an exceptionally high run.

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For Our Brave Soldiers

The shower of Socks under the auspices of the Red Cross Society will be held on Thursday, Sept. 23, at the Empress Hotel, as previously announced.

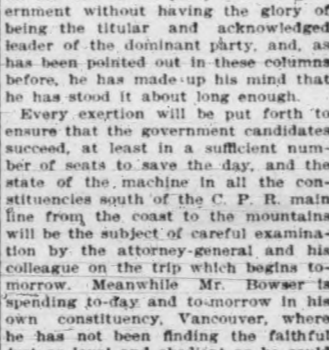
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