

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m., Wednesday: Victoria and vicinity—Moderate winds, generally fair and colder at night.

Royal—Ace of Hearts, Dominion—A Wise Fool, Columbia—The Branding Iron, Capitol—Experience, Variety—Nobody's Kid.

Borden Is Named to Represent Canada At Big Conference

Former Prime Minister Will Attend Conference In Washington; Lloyd George to Leave For U. S. Soon

DELEGATES ANNOUNCED

London, Oct. 18.—Official announcement that Canada will be represented at the Washington disarmament conference was contained in a statement by Premier Lloyd George in the House of Commons to-day.

The Dominions, said Premier Lloyd George, would be represented as follows:

Canada—Sir Robert L. Borden, Australia—George Foster Pearce, New Zealand—Sir John Saffmond, India—Zastri.

South Africa—By representatives of the British Government. The senior British naval expert, the Premier announced, would be Admiral Earl Beatty, commander of the Grand Fleet, who would be succeeded in due course by Admiral Chadwick.

Lord Cavan, in charge of British army operations in Italy in the last year of the war, would be the principal military expert, and Air Marshal Higgins would be the aviation expert, the Premier stated, while the secretary of the delegation would be Sir Maurice Hillier, secretary of the cabinet since 1919.

Lloyd George. London, Oct. 18.—Premier Lloyd George stated in the House of Commons upon the re-assembling of that body to-day that he hoped to go to the Washington conference on limitation of armaments and disarmament problems as soon as the parliament is opened and general situation rendered it possible.

Appointed. Ottawa, Oct. 18.—(Canadian Press) The Canadian Government has appointed Sir Robert Borden as representative of Canada at the Washington disarmament conference, it was officially announced this afternoon.

Loring C. Christie, legal adviser to the Department of External Affairs, will attend as a member of the secretariat.

TO RENEW ONE-MAN STREET CAR FIGHT

Opposition Forces Plan New Effort Monday

The battle against the one-man car halted last night when the City Council rejected all resolutions on the question—will be resumed at the Council's next meeting.

Plans for re-commencing the fight were whipped into shape to-day and will be complete when the Council sits again next Monday. At Monday's meeting Alderman E. S. Woodward will ask the Council, as he did last night, to appoint a special committee to investigate the B. C. Electric Railway Company's plan of operating one-man cars here and suggest what steps may be made necessary to protect the best interests of this community.

Opponents of the one-man car were hopeful to-day that it would be possible to solidify the Dimdale and Woodward forces which, while striving toward practically the same end, are going about their work in different ways. If it were possible to unite the two factions which are opposed to one-man cars, it is thought, definite action by the Council would follow.

Intending to renew his fight again next week, Alderman Woodward was successful last night in defeating a motion, proposed by Alderman Sangster and seconded by Alderman Todd, which would have filed a letter on the one-man car question from street railway employees. As a result of Alderman Woodward's success in defeating this motion, the letter will come up again for discussion at the Council's next meeting. Thus an opportunity for renewing the fight against one-man cars will be created.

EXTENSION OF DOLES FOR IDLE

Period is Lengthened in Britain

London, Oct. 18.—(Canadian Press) It is officially announced that 600,000 employees who have exhausted their unemployment benefits will be entitled on November 3 to begin a further period of benefit amounting to 15 shillings weekly for men and 12 shillings for women for sixteen weeks, which may be later extended to twenty-two weeks.

The official returns show unemployment among trade unionists as steadily improving. Unemployment fell to 14.8 per cent. at the end of September compared with 16.3 at the end of August. The cost of living for the same period declined ten points and is now 119 points higher than before the war.

RAILROAD MEN TO MEET BOARD

Conference in Chicago Thursday Forenoon

Effort to Avert Threatened Strike

Figures of the Proposed Wage Cut

Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 18.—A scheduled meeting here to-day of the "Big Five" transportation brotherhoods was cancelled this morning when the five executives were requested by the Railroad Labor Board to meet with the Board in Chicago Thursday morning, Warren S. Stone, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, announced.

Chicago, Oct. 18.—The proposed ten per cent. reduction would bring railroad wages back nearly to the level prevailing prior to July 29, 1920. For the principal classes of labor these schedules were: Passenger service engineers (day), \$5.50-\$6.20; freight service engineers (day), \$5.40-\$5.52; yard service engineers (day), \$5.40-\$5.52; passenger service firemen (day), \$4.35; freight service firemen (day), \$4.35-\$4.45; yard service firemen (day), \$4.16-\$4.22; yard service foreman (day), \$5.23; helpers (day), \$5; switch tenders (day), \$4; machinists (hour), 72 cents; boiler makers (hour), 72 cents; blacksmiths (hour), 72 cents; carpenters (hour), 45 cents; track laborers (hour), 40 cents; section foremen (month), \$109; yard firemen (helpers) (hour), 53 1/2 cents; hostlers, outside (day), \$5.50; hostlers, inside (day), \$5.53 1/2; helpers (day) \$5.53 1/2; yard firemen (helpers) (hour) 53 1/2 cents.

A test. Washington, Oct. 18.—The action of the Railroad Labor Board in summoning railroad union chiefs to Chicago for a conference was described in high official circles to-day as a first step to determine whether the Board is to be regarded as an efficient Government agency or a failure.

NEW WIRELESS RECORDS MADE

London, Oct. 18.—(Canadian Press Cable)—A message from Cape Town, South Africa, states that press messages from the high power French wireless station at Bordeaux were received direct by the Peninsular & Oriental steamship Baradine throughout a voyage from England to Cape Town. The vessel was fitted with the latest Marconi three-electrode power-receiving apparatus. The high power stations in America, including Annapolis and San Francisco, were also distinctly heard throughout the voyage.

CAPTAIN G. S. LAING TO SPEAK HERE

Will Address Canadian Club Luncheon on Friday

An interesting luncheon of the Canadian Club has been arranged for next Friday at noon at the Empress Hotel, when an address will be delivered by Captain George S. Laing, who for twenty-five years was connected with the British mercantile service.

Captain Laing is now touring Canada, and will speak on the development of the mercantile marine, which in his hands will receive full justice to its story of romance and historical assistance.

The captain is an excellent speaker, and is now engaged in making a tour through Canada in the interests of the mercantile service, and his visit here will certainly prove an attractive one, co-inciding as it does with the anniversary of Trafalgar Day.

NEW SHEEP GLAND DIET FOR CHICAGO BACKWARD PUPILS

Chicago, Oct. 18.—Pupils in sub-normal classes in Chicago schools will be fed on a sheep gland diet as soon as arrangements can be completed, it was announced to-day by Dr. Frank Bruner, director of the special schools department of the Board of Education.

The glands diet is the idea of health department physicians, and several thousand children will partake of the sheep glands prepared in the school kitchens.

HOUSING LOANS ARE DISCUSSED

Proposal Considered at G. W. V. A. Convention

Petition to Federal Government Suggested

Second Day of Port Arthur Gathering

Port Arthur, Ont., Oct. 18.—(Canadian Press)—Housing was the first subject taken up at the convention of the Great War Veterans' Association, when it opened the second day's session here this morning. A resolution was offered proposing that the convention petition the Federal Government to amend the Land Settlement Act to enable soldier citizens to borrow amounts sufficient to enable them to become owners of their own homes at the same rate of interest as the farmer-soldiers. Conditions of housing were becoming worse instead of better, it was stated in the discussion.

ARMY REDUCTION IN BRITAIN URGED

Recommendation Made by Business Men's Committee

Expenditures of War Office Were Examined

Cut of One-third in Household Cavalry

London, Oct. 18.—Reduction of the size of the British army and a cutting down of the Household Cavalry by one-third is recommended in a report formulated by a committee of business men appointed to examine the expenditures of the War Office. The committee, however, urges that British troops be retained in Mesopotamia, says The Daily Sketch. Sir Eric Geddes, who has tendered his resignation as a member of the Cabinet, acted as chairman of the committee.

The Household Cavalry includes the Life Guards and Horse Guards. It is asserted by The Sketch that the committee was surprised to find the number of men in the British army at present to be 10,000 in excess of the forces in 1914. This condition may be ascribed to the formation of tank units and the building up of the air forces, it is said.

REGISTRATION TO BEGIN OCTOBER 31

Full Information Regarding Election is Given

Registration of voters for the Federal election to be held December 5 will begin on Monday, October 31, and will last until Saturday, November 5. For this purpose registration booths will be opened in the various wards.

There will be one registration officer for every 4,000 of the population, but as the Provincial voters' list as revealed by Registrar Mabon last June will be used by the Federal authorities as a basis on which to work, the registration of voters will be greatly facilitated.

General R. P. Clark, returning officer for Victoria, has been handed a copy of the revised list, and the General states that every possible assistance has been given by the Provincial Government in preparing the list for the Federal election.

A further opportunity will be given those who fail to get on the list during the week of October 31-November 5, to get their names on the list when the Court of Revision sits, the date of which will be November 14-26. Electors are advised, however, to see that they are registered at the booths when they are opened the week of October 31. Provision is made in the advance polling stations, employees, sailors, travelers and those whose vocation keeps them on the move may cast their vote by calling, during the three days preceding the election at the advance polling stations, which will be opened.

Due notice as to the location of the various ward registration booths will be given by General Clark. November 22 will be nomination day, and nomination papers will be received on that date.

CONFERENCE WILL NOT FAIL, DECLARES SIR GEORGE FOSTER

Montreal, Oct. 18.—"We have, I believe, lived through the last great war," declared Senator Sir George Foster, former Minister of Trade and Commerce, speaking before the Montreal Women's Club yesterday afternoon. It could neither be permitted nor afforded, he added. Science had discovered destructive machinery and was further discovering it to such an extent that a world war in the future would go far toward destroying not only the accumulated wealth of the world but also its life.

The coming Washington conference on limitation of armaments in the opinion of the speaker is the greatest which ever had been taken if it succeeded, and if it failed it would be a disappointment and retrograde movement. "Therefore, my argument is that it will not fail," he concluded.

VANCOUVER VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT

Campbell Failed in Sur Libel Case

Decision in Suit Was Made Last Night

Judge Spoke at Length in Charging Jury

Vancouver, Oct. 18.—The suit brought by Charles E. Campbell to recover damages from R. J. Cromie for an alleged libellous article printed in The Vancouver Sun was dismissed by a jury in the British Columbia Supreme Court last night. The case was heard before Mr. Justice Morrison. The jury deliberated three hours, finally reaching a verdict for the defendant.

After hearing the judge's charge, the jury retired at 9 p. m. At 11 p. m. the jurymen returned to the court-room and asked if a split verdict would be acceptable. The plaintiff demurred and the court gave the jury three hours in which to make another effort to arrive at a unanimous verdict.

In his charge to the jury Mr. Justice Morrison explained the application of the law of libel to this particular case, speaking at some length. He did not sum up the evidence, but briefly enumerated certain portions of it for special consideration.

ARGUMENTS OF DEFENCE COUNSEL

Addressing the jury, Joseph Martin, K.C. counsel for the Sun and Mr. Cromie, read the article complained of in The Sun, and said there was no suggestion they were libelling Mr. Campbell. If there was any wrongdoing, it was attributed to the Government. He argued that they had proved that the whole deal was veiled in secrecy because nobody knew anything about it but the parties immediately involved. He repeated that there was no wrong against Mr. Campbell, but against Premier Oliver and his colleagues.

"We did not prove that the property was really listed for sale," said Mr. Martin, "but it was in the hands of Thomas Matthews as his property." Mr. Campbell, he said, had a quit-claim deed in respect to it, and Mr. Matthews was ready to sell it for \$74,000. It is not a libel to say that a man was willing to sell his property at a certain price."

Situation changed. As to the two leases that had been entered into before the lease of the entire building, Mr. Martin said they were not improper, because at that time Mr. Campbell was competing with other warehouse men. The situation was very different, he said, when the Government took over the entire building.

Counsel added that it seemed to him that the Government had the Sun had heard of the transaction. They made inquiries in regard to it as a public matter, and it was the function of a newspaper to deal with such public affairs. The Sun made a fair statement without any unfair motive, he claimed.

NO OBLIGATION TO GIVE SUPPORT

In regard to the statements made by Premier Oliver about Cromie's dispute with the Powell River Paper Company, Mr. Martin said Mr. Cromie was under no obligation to support any Government. It was usually considered that the Government paper supported anything the Government did and that the newspaper not supporting the Government thought everything the Government did was wrong. Mr. Martin considered that what the Government did was wrong it was the paper to attack the Government.

Mr. Campbell continued Mr. Martin, seemed to have occupied a peculiar position with the Government. He told them he and another gentleman collected campaign funds. He admitted that the funds were collected as a result of his going over to Victoria and interviewing the Government and getting the Government to do things for those parties who afterwards paid over the contributions. The state of affairs, he said, had never been paralleled in Canada. The Government had no right to deal with personal applications, he said, except on their merits. If it was a right application they should grant it, and if it was wrong they should refuse it. Apparently, he continued, the Government felt that they were under such an obligation to Mr. Campbell that they had to purchase this building and give him such a price.

Counsel closed his address by claiming that The Sun was justified. (Continued on page 2.)

"Main Street," Most Talked Of Novel, To Be New Serial of Victoria Times

"Main Street," the outstanding novel of 1921, will be published as a serial by The Victoria Times. The first instalment will appear in the next few days.

This story by a young Yale graduate does not follow any rules common to "best sellers," does not truckle to a popular taste, but leads the list of book sales this year. More than 300,000 copies of "Main Street" have been sold already and the demand is increasing.

It is the outstanding fiction success since the end of the war. That is why The Times has bought it for publication in Victoria. At the Victoria Public Library the demand for "Main Street" is so great and the waiting list so long that the Library will not be able to satisfy it until well into next year. Read "Main Street" every night in The Times. Watch for the first instalment.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR WHO OPENS LEGISLATURE



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LABORITES ASK CANDIDATES' VIEWS

Questionnaire to Men Seeking Election

More Contestants in Federal Field

Ottawa, Oct. 18.—A manifesto from the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress of Canada is being issued to-day to all affiliated unions and all trades councils and federations of labor throughout the country, enclosing a questionnaire containing eleven questions to be asked of individual candidates in the Federal election. Definite answers are asked as to the attitude of the candidates on the various points in the labor programme.

Nine Named. Ottawa, Oct. 18.—(Canadian Press) With the approach of nomination day for the Federal election on December 5, the selection of candidates goes on apace. The following were nominated yesterday:

Ottawa—H. B. McGivern and E. R. Chevier, Liberals. Wright County—R. M. Gendron, Liberal. Labelle, Que.—R. A. Fortier, Liberal. Victoria, Ont.—J. B. Begg, Liberal. West Toronto—H. C. Hocken, Conservative. Norfolk—William Sutton, Conservative. East Peterboro—J. A. Sexsmith, Conservative. Dundas—Preston Elliott, U. F. O. Prescott.

Ottawa, Oct. 18.—Rev. J. Bennett, East Hawkesbury, was unanimously chosen candidate of the United Farmers of Ontario in Prescott in the forthcoming Federal election.

Saskatchewan Laborites. Regina, Oct. 18.—The Saskatchewan branch of the Canadian Labor Party was organized here yesterday to take part in the Federal election. Alderman Watson of Moose Jaw, was elected president, and it was announced that the party will include in its membership every branch of organized and unorganized labor, and also farmers who care to join.

Not a Candidate. Edmonton, Oct. 18.—George P. Smith, late Minister of Education of Alberta, has announced that he is disposing of all his interests in Alberta and removing to Ontario. This announcement disposes of reports that he would be a candidate in the coming Federal election.

IRISH PRISONERS DESTROY CAMP

Uproar on Spike Island, Near Queenstown

Cork, Oct. 18.—The work of destruction begun Sunday by the occupants of the Spike Island camp for interned prisoners when they became enraged because they were not permitted to attend Mass, it is alleged, was continued to-day, the cheering of the prisoners as they carried on their operations being plainly heard in Queenstown. The buildings on the island known as Block J were destroyed yesterday, while another group known as Block A was pretty well demolished to-day. Volumes of smoke were observed ascending from the island, where the interned men, it was said, were burning their sleeping kits.

Four of the prisoners have been badly injured.

SOVIET SIGNS PACTS WITH REPUBLICS

Riga, Oct. 17.—A peace treaty between the Turkish Nationalists and the Soviet Republic of Azerbaijan, Armenia, Georgia and the Mountain Republic was signed October 13, says a dispatch to the Rosta Agency.

AN AUTO FATALITY

Regina, Oct. 18.—When his automobile overturned on the road near Poam Lake, Edward Waldron, a farmer of that district, was instantly killed.

Fall Session of B. C. Legislature Is Opened To-day

Lieutenant-Governor Performs Ceremony In Crowded Chamber; Speaker Says He Will Insist On Strict Parliamentary Behavior of Members.

Fifteen guns of artillery boomed forth in salute across the harbor from Work Point Barracks at 3 o'clock this afternoon as Lieutenant-Governor Nichol drove up to the main entrance of the Parliament Buildings. He wore his Windsor uniform, cocked hat and sword.

As he stepped from the car a guard of honor from the Princess Patricia Regiment under Major Clarke, M.C., Capt. J. H. Carosso and Capt. J. S. Woods presented arms. The Lieutenant-Governor inspected them, then accompanied by General Ross and Commander Nixon of the Navy he went up the entrance stairs, through the beautiful gates, under the dome. The centre aisle of the Legislative Chamber was lined with officers as the Lieutenant-Governor passed up to the Speaker's dais.

LONG RANGE SALUTE

Artillery under Major Hughes boomed forth from Work Point Barracks this afternoon instead of from in front of the Parliament Buildings on Belleville Street. This is the first time artillery has not been brought into the centre of the city for the opening.

Artillery can be heard just as well at Work Point, and it does not interfere with traffic to and from the C. P. R. wharves, which are at their busiest in the middle of the afternoon, it was explained.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR'S SPEECH

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Legislature: In summoning you to meet for the second time within the calendar year, I am fulfilling an undertaking given by the Premier during the First Session of the Fifteenth Legislative Assembly of British Columbia.

During the recess investigation has been made into the financial conditions of municipalities, and legislation will be submitted providing for extension of the sources of their revenues.

Amendments to the "Taxation Act" will be submitted in order to apportion more equitably the burden of taxation on all classes of property and persons.

Progress has been made on the construction of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, and it is estimated that the financial provision made at the last Session of the Legislature will prove adequate for the completion of this line to Prince George.

Valuable information respecting feasible route to connect the Coast with the Interior links of the Transprovincial Highway has been assembled, permitting decision of the route to be selected and early undertaking of construction of this important link.

Having in view the better investigation and prevention of fires, a measure will be laid before you extending the work of the Department of Insurance.

Minor amendments to the "Government Liquor Act" will be submitted. Amendments to the "Mineral Act" will be laid before you. Further amendments to the "Placer-mining Act" will be proposed.

The Public Accounts for the last fiscal year will be brought down at an early date. The Estimates of Expenditure for the ensuing year will be submitted for your earnest consideration.

Members of the Legislature: In leaving you to your deliberations, I have confidence that you will apply your best endeavors to the solution of the problems before you, and I pray the blessing of Providence on your labors.

WAGES REDUCED. Montreal, Oct. 18.—The Dominion Textile Company announces that wages of employees will be reduced 15 per cent. from next Monday, and has posted notices to that effect in its plants in this city. Nearly 5,000 workers, men and women, are affected by the wage reductions.

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MEMBERS MUST BEHAVE

The Legislature then adjourned until 2.30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, when Joseph B. Clearhue, of Victoria, will move the reply to the speech from the throne. Members are being encouraged to cut their talk short.

Speaker Mansson plans a number of improvements in the mode of conducting the Legislature. "There will be nothing this session like the way some of the members conducted themselves last session," he said to-day.

No Silver Buckles Yet. The Speaker planned to have page boys garbed in velvet uniforms with silver-buckled slippers, instead of the ordinary clothing worn by page boys in former years to help carry out plans for adding to the dignity of the House. Page boys, however, appeared to-day without their velvet uniforms. Further negotiations concerning the velvet uniforms are to be carried on.

The big mahogany table which the Speaker has placed in the centre of the chamber to give some of the impressive atmosphere of Westminster, was not in place for the opening ceremonies, as it would block the aisle to the Governor on his way to the throne. The Speaker plans to put the table in the centre of the aisle until the last couple of days, when attendants began shuffling the desks of members and crowding things up to make room for visitors at the opening of the House.

After the ceremonies guests of the members were entertained at tea at the Empress Hotel. To-night all members of the Legislature are guests of the Lieutenant-Governor at the formal state dinner at Government House.

BODIES OF 500 SPANISH SOLDIERS FOUND AT ARRUIT

Madrid, Oct. 17.—An official communication from Melilla announces that an armored motor car to-day reached Mount Arruit and found there the bodies of 500 Spanish soldiers who were killed at their posts.

A REGINA DEATH

Regina, Oct. 18.—Norman A. Douglas, chief clerk in the Provincial Legislature, died here yesterday after a long illness.

ATTEMPT ON LIFE OF SCHEIDEMANN

Berlin, Oct. 18.—Phillip Scheidemann, former Secretary of Foreign Affairs, was fired upon during a meeting of the German People's Party in Ludenscheid, Westphalia, last night. The bullets flew wild and Scheidemann was not injured. Five persons were arrested for the attempted assassination. Employees of printing offices and newspapers went on strike last night and the newspapers did not appear this morning.







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that they had proved all their statements, and that there had not been shown any reason why the case should have been brought into court.

Davis's Address.

In addressing the jury E. P. Davis, K.C., counsel for Mr. Campbell, said the question was whether Mr. Campbell charged the Government double what the warehouse was worth. If they found that Campbell was deliberately taking money from the Government that he was not entitled to, then Campbell was not libelled, but if he was taking what he considered only fair, then he was libelled, and the article accused him of graft.

Counsel disputed the claim of the defence that the statements were true and the justification they set up that what had been said was fair comment and without malice or malicious intent.

Mr. Davis contended that the evidence showed that the rental charged by Campbell was fair and reasonable. It was absolutely untrue that for some time prior to the time the Government bought the warehouse Campbell had been willing to sell it for \$75,000. The year before the sale was made Mr. Campbell had regained possession of his property and never tried to sell it.

Question of Malice.

Counsel then spoke in the question of malice, and to the circumstances which, according to the evidence, had led up to the attack on the Government.

On the question of malice, he said they had evidence that stood undisputed. The power of the press, he continued, was very great, and it was a tremendous factor for good where it was properly directed. It was equally a great factor for evil if it was misdirected. It had been said that it was the duty of the press to criticize men in public life. At the same time it was malice, spite or revenge to cause the person attacked would not do something for the newspaper that was the motive, then it was a most despicable thing and most dangerous.

Stated in Interview.

Continuing, he emphasized the point that it had been stated in an interview with Premier Oliver that if pressure was brought to bear on the Powell River Paper Company by the Government, the Government would get the unconditional support of the newspaper. The attack on Campbell, he said, was part of the attack on the Government.

Mr. Davis closed his reference to this aspect of the case by saying that language too strong could not be used in condemning such coercion as had been indicated. He argued that Mr. Campbell had been libelled and

that substantial damages should be given.

Judge's Address.

Charging the jury, Mr. Justice Morrison said:

"Gentlemen of the Jury: As you doubtless know, this is an action seeking damages for an alleged libel. Now the law of libel is very simple and very understandable as questions of law go, but like most simple things it is susceptible of mystification owing to its malicious motives and calumnious tendencies.

"Now libel, such as is alleged here, is a publication without justification or lawful excuse which is calculated to injure the reputation of another by exposing him to hatred, contempt or ridicule. Try to remember and carry that in your mind throughout your consideration of the facts. A publication without lawful justification or excuse of anything in writing which can be by any reasonable construction shown to be disparaging of the character of another may be libellous; and it is essential that the imputation alleged and put to you as being involved in the statements—it is essential that the imputation be false.

Malice.

"Along with the consideration of that question of malice, of which you have been told by the respective counsel, now malice in law means merely that a wrongful act has been done without legal justification or excuse. It is implied by law in the absence of privilege, from the publication of the libel itself, and that is its special and technical narrow sense.

Duty to Publish.

"And in this case there is what is called qualified privilege claimed and pleaded—that is, that the articles in question were written and published, actuated by a sense of duty to the public. Now to submit the language of a privileged communication, which this is claimed to be, to strict scrutiny, and to hold all excess beyond the absolute exigency of the occasion to be evidence of malice would, in effect, greatly limit, if not altogether defeat, the protection which the law throws over the privileged communications so that in considering that aspect of the case try to recall the evidence.

Precautions.

"For instance, Mr. Cromie, one of the defendants, has put before you at least it has been put before you on his behalf—his attitude in that respect—that is, what steps he took to verify his statements, what precautions he took against statements which could not be verified substantially or to which there was no foundation.

In Different Sense.

"Of course in that it is always open to the defendant, in a case of this kind, to give evidence on his own behalf to show that the words were used on the occasion in question in a different sense from that which is imputed to them by the plaintiff. Along with that I am bound to tell you that it is not the law that a man

can defame, we will say, in one sense and defend himself in another. If you find the words are substantially true—substantially true, which the defendant claims they are—if you find the words are substantially true, yet you have to find whether the comment based on them was fair, such as might, in your opinion, be reasonably made. Personal attacks may form part of fair comment upon given facts truly stated if it be warranted by those facts. If base or sordid motives, which are not warranted by the facts, be imputed, the fact that the writer bona fide believed his comment to be well-founded, affords no defence. But the comment is not libellous if it is the expression of a well-founded opinion of the writer based upon the true facts. So throughout this evidence you must look for facts—the true facts underlying this whole matter; and it is for you to say whether the facts which you heard and which you will find to be proven justify the imputations alleged.

Fair Comment.

"Now in an action for libel there are certain defences open to journalists, newspapermen, which they possess in common with other persons, with you and me, and this is that the words complained of are true, or that they are fair comment on a matter of public interest if it be one to which public attention has been invited, either by the plaintiff or his conduct thereto—in fact any matter that is brought before the public in such a manner as to invite criticism of a public writer.

No Random Statements.

"On the other hand, I must point out to you that because a topic may be of general interest it is no excuse that random defamatory statements may be made with regard to the reputation of individuals who may be concerned in them. If the words clearly refer to the plaintiff and his conduct or otherwise clearly touch and injure him in his avocation or in his association with the facts elicited, then it is unnecessary that he should be expressly named or his position be very clearly defined.

"It may be that you might be a little puzzled to know just what Mr. Campbell's position was in all this, but you heard the evidence. It is no answer that the imputation on the plaintiff should be stated explicitly in so many words or expressed in direct and positive language.

To Be Proved.

"So in a case of this kind there are certain things a plaintiff has to prove and then see just how many of those he has proved. He has to prove the publication. Now that has been done. Then he must prove that the publication of the allegations were of the plaintiff. I think you may be satisfied that the plaintiff has done that. Then he comes to the defamatory words, and that is what I mean thereby the libellous character of the words; and that is what lawyers call, and you have heard it here called, the innuendo.

"Now a man has a right to comment on the conduct of another. He can go very strongly on so doing, but he must at his peril comment on facts not on supposed facts or what he would desire or like to be facts. No one has the right to set out statements which are not facts and then comment on them as if they were facts; and of course it is for you to say whether that is the position here.

"The defendants must establish the facts, and then, and then only, arises the question of fair comment for your consideration.

Declared True.

"But suppose it is defamatory and not fair comment, the defendant has yet another defence, and that is, as I claim here, that the statements are true. Firmly and definitely and confidently he says the statements are true, and he wants you to so find; but the defendant must prove that that is on him; and of course it is not for the plaintiff to disprove the defendant's allegation in that respect.

"It is for the defendant to prove for your satisfaction that the statements are true, and in order to lay the foundation of fair comment, the defendant has to prove that those statements, I repeat, are true—keep that in mind—not that they believe them to be true; and it does not matter what the defendants intended when they wrote or published or caused to be published those statements.

"Now if you find that some of the statements are defamatory, and not fair comment, and not true, then you will be bound to find a verdict for the plaintiff.

Several Viewpoints.

"The question may be considered from several points of view, one of which is in the interests of the defendants, and that is the point of view of newspapermen, publishers of newspapers, writers to newspapers, that it is of advantage to the community to have fair and reasonable comment and to be comparatively untrammelled in so expressing themselves.

"Now in a case of this kind, involving alleged libel, the whole of the libel must be true. Justification must be shown as to the charge and if a material part be not proved to be true, the plaintiff will be entitled to a verdict.

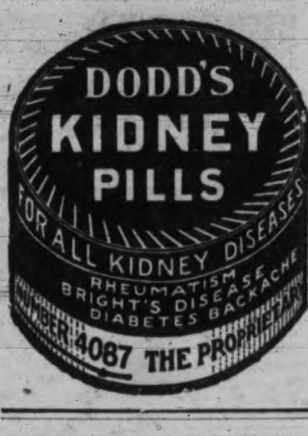
Officials' Conduct.

"And when I tell you that, I must begin direct your attention to the position of the defendant. He submits to you—and he told you it here—that it is in some measure the duty of the press to watch narrowly the conduct of all Government officials and the workings of all public institutions and to comment freely on all matters of general concern to the country and to freely expose abuses.

"True, there is no Government department a party to this suit, there is no Government official a party to the action, but you have seen that the Government and its officials have been dragged into the matter and that is a matter before you, and it is submitted to you that those officials were, or if not them, individually or collectively, under the name of the Government, have dissipated the money of the public recklessly, improvidently and in an unbusinesslike way; and associated with that alleged improvident handling of our affairs is Mr. Campbell—the plaintiff—who says that he is involved in all that is his reputation and his character, for which he says he has suffered injury, and wants a remedy at your hands.

Administration.

"In that way you see the action and the conduct of the administration of the Provincial Legislature is before you, and if you were to find that, for instance, the administration did do that which you think would be a subject matter for consideration by you in this case, then you must carry along Mr. Campbell with you and as-



sociate him in that way. You see that is what is put to you and what are asked to do.

"So you see in that case, in that attack made on the Government it is for you to say whether Mr. Campbell is not mixed up with that, and whether he is not carried along with that imputation against and that direct charge against the Government. And then, is that a matter which reasonably means, or is it into an attack upon the character of Mr. Campbell, of such a nature that it would prejudice him, as is claimed, in the eyes of the community?"

Any Reflection?

Referring to the alleged libellous words, the judge said the jury must ask itself if they contained anything that a man could take umbrage at; if there was anything reflecting on him in a serious manner. "Is there anything at all," he asked, "that would lead a person to think that it meant that Mr. Campbell had corruptly procured \$67,000?"

Pressure.

"Then the next innuendo is that Mr. Campbell had secretly and corruptly brought pressure to bear on the Government in order to secure that \$67,000 without any consideration whatever. Now you ask yourself the question, are they susceptible in so many words or expressed in rather stretching it—is that going too far?"

"Then you come to No. 3, that the plaintiff had made use of bribery, corruption and other illegal and improper methods to influence the government of British Columbia in making the said payment. Would you put that meaning on it? Is that what it says?"

Reward.

"Four—that the plaintiff had rendered services to the present Government of British Columbia during the election campaign of 1920 for reward, and that the purchase by the Government from the plaintiff of the property in question for \$150,000 constituted the reward demanded by the plaintiff for said services. Now you take that, and what it means, is that very specific charge wrapped up in those statements, those articles, and what to an ordinary reader, a reasonable-minded man who knows the facts, not on supposed facts or what he would desire or like to be facts, would be attach that meaning to that stuff that you heard read?"

"Then, five, that the plaintiff was not a strict and upright man and was not a responsible member of the

community in which he lived. Now, seriously, would you say that the writer of that article meant to convey to the public reading that article that Mr. Campbell was not a strict and upright man and was not a responsible member of the community?"

Valuation.

"And six, that the plaintiff had used improper and corrupt methods to bring pressure to bear upon the real estate valuator who valued the property in question for the Government of British Columbia. Does the article say that? Does it mean that? That the plaintiff had used bribery, corruption and other illicit methods to secure the valuation of the property in question for the purpose of the said sale. Do the words mean that?"

Conduct.

"That the plaintiff had been guilty of dishonesty and gross, discreditable and disgraceful conduct? Now, gentlemen, it is for you to say—seriously to say whether those words in any way could be construed to impute to Mr. Campbell, whom I suppose you must assume to be known pretty well to the average reader of the papers in this city—can you go so far as to say that it meant that Mr. Campbell—that that was meant to convey the idea to you and ordinary citizens reading them that Mr. Campbell was dishonest, that he was guilty of gross, discreditable and disgraceful conduct? It is for you to say whether you can go that far?"

Encroachment.

After referring to the testimony on the question of encroachment, the judge said: "You need not go to extremes, doubting or criticizing. Dealing with that in an ordinary sensible way, stating what he did in regard to encroachment? There was an encroachment—of that there is no doubt."

"Then there is the evidence of Mr. Austin, who dealt with the valuations, and told you about this real estate exchange; Mr. Reeve—these men probably are men known to you. Then comes Mr. Baines, the man who built this—erected this building, or a substantial part of it, and you recall what he says. As against his evidence is that of McQueen, here today, and I think possibly Colonel Ryan—you heard what they said; and Mr. Baines's evidence was put directly to them. Then Mr. Palmer, the City Assessor, Mason, the Land Registrar and then Mr. Mahoney in regard to these cheques.

"Now is the evidence as to the value of this lot, and as to whether Mr. Cromie and The Sun Publishing Company, telling you and me that Mr. Campbell should not have got \$150,000 for that property, which was only worth what those witnesses for the defendant said it was worth."

Defence.

"Then you come to the defence—you come then to the evidence of the plaintiff in rebuttal. You heard Mr. Campbell's evidence, he appeared before you and stated his views on the case; Mr. Mathews and Mr. Bekins and Mr. Roberts and Mr. Gilchrist and these other witnesses.

"Now, do not forget that in justifying—because it is put to you more extreme than I think—at least I cannot agree with the extreme way in which the manner and extent of the justification must be put to you. (Continued on page 4.)

Vancouver Island News

Duncan, Oct. 17.—The wedding took place this afternoon at St. Peter's, Quamichan, of Ruby Margaret, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Gibb, state captain in the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, and second son of George Rutherford-Gibbs, of Derbyshire, England.

The Rev. F. L. Stephenson, performed the ceremony, which was very quiet owing to the recent death of the bride's mother, on the 14th instant, and is being present.

The bride, who was given away by her father, looked very handsome in a taupe cloth suit and becoming hat to match. After a merry trip up the hill, Mr. and Mrs. Gibb will reside at Rockhurst, Quamichan.

Good Shooting.

Excellent sport is reported from all parts of Cowichan. Saturday was a great day for ducks and all who visited Cowichan Flats had their limit in a very short time.

Good bags of pheasants and quail were also brought in, and the general opinion is that birds are plentiful.

Advisory Board.

Kenneth Duncan, M. P., held a meeting at the Oddeford on Friday evening for the purpose of electing two members to his Advisory Board. H. F. Prevost was in the chair and after Mr. Duncan had addressed the meeting and some discussion, Pitt and W. A. Willett were elected. A suggestion was put forward that it would be in the best interests of economy and efficiency if the Government and municipalities would join together in having one police force.

Some discussion followed and Mr. Duncan said that he had already made that suggestion on the floor of the Legislature.

In reply to a question Mr. Duncan said that the session to be opened on October 18 was the regular session and there would not be one in the Spring.

A delightful concert was given those taking part being Mrs. W. Dobson, Mrs. W. Hopkins, Miss Dr. Savage, Mrs. Ellingham and Mesdames Dick, Martinech and W. Hopkins.

Gulf Islands Service.

Pender Island, Oct. 17.—A largely attended meeting of the Pender Local of the United Farmers of British Columbia passed the following resolution unanimously:

Resolved that the Post Office Department be requested to, at an early date advertise for tenders for the regular and permanent delivery and carrying of mails in the Gulf Islands district by a safe and suitable boat with a stipulation in the advertisement that the successful tenderer must provide a boat with suitable passenger accommodation to meet the requirements at all seasons of the year, and the present steamer is utterly inadequate for the service.

Resolved and carried unanimously: That this Local U. F. of B. C. endorse the Gulf Islands Board of Trade in their efforts to procure a better steamship service for the Gulf Islands, and that we pledge our hearty support and co-operation to the Board of Trade in every effort to bring about this much desired result.

That we request the Post Office Department to refuse to accept the

schedule as proposed by the present carriers for the Gulf Islands route. The "Sage" steamer, as such steamer cannot give adequate service and is utterly unfit for passenger service."

Gulf Islands Board.

Ganges—Officers for the ensuing year of Gulf Islands Board of Trade have been elected as follows: President, W. E. Scott, Ganges; vice-president, Captain E. Maude, Mayne Island; secretary-treasurer, W. M. Mout, Ganges; council, Mesdms R. S. Corbett, Pender Island; J. C. Lang, A. J. Smith, W. Sutherland and H. Price, Saanich; A. H. Menzies, Pender Island; H. G. Scott, Port Washington; F. Robson, C. J. McDonald, Mayne Island; F. A. McChester, C. Morgan, Galiano Island; W. A. Peing, South Pender, and H. D. Payne, Saturna Island.

To Have Chess Club.

Port Alberni—A meeting was held recently at the residence of A. H. Blakemore, when a chess club was formed, to be known as The Alberni District Chess Club. The club was appointed, provisionally, for preliminary essentials, are as follows: President, A. H. Blakemore; vice-president, J. R. Mahoney; secretary, treasurer, J. E. Bandy; executive committee, M. M. Stephens, C. Hayne and H. Mayer. It was decided, in order to get the club fairly started, that an entrance fee of \$1 be charged as well as an annual subscription of \$1. Until further arrangements are considered, on greater development, the place of meeting will be the All Saints' Church, where members and their friends will meet each Friday evening, when it is hoped that any who are interested will attend.—Port Alberni News.

Dance Planned.

Cumberland—On Friday, November 4, a big whist drive and dance will be held in the Ho-Ho Dance Hall under the auspices of the Canadian Collieries St. John's First Aid and Mine Rescue Association. This is always a very enjoyable dance and there should be a big attendance on this occasion.

Chautauqua Planned.

Cobble Hill, Oct. 17.—On Saturday afternoon a full committee for the Chautauqua met at the Bakery and made final arrangements for the performance to take place at the end of the month, after a discussion it was decided that "Every season ticket holder will be entitled to a free admission for the first night to be held on the first and second nights of the Chautauqua."

Owing to the heavy rains on Saturday afternoon it was impossible to hold another bee on the Community Hall.

The Boy Scouts held a meeting at Cobble Hill and discussed the fixing up of their headquarters for the winter.

At the Sunday evening service at St. Mary's Church, Cobble Hill, the congregation had an unexpected pleasure of an organ recital given by Mr. Sadler, organist of the Presbyterian church at Courtenay. Mr. Sadler has offered to take choir practice on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock, and also expects to be able to take the organ for the Sunday evening service. The Rev. Ashie Everest will officiate.

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AFFIXING THE SEALS.

While the bond of common sacrifice on the battlefield established an indissoluble partnership between the peoples of the British Empire and the United States of America the impressive ceremony at which General Pershing was the central figure in Westminster Abbey yesterday will have affixed the seal of goodwill and brotherhood for all time.

WHOLESALE ADVICE.

If the Great War Veterans' Association as a whole will take the advice which Dominion President Maxwell gave to the assembled delegates in annual convention at Port Arthur yesterday it cannot fail to benefit itself and the country in general.

THAT HIGHWAY.

Unless the session of the Legislature which commences this afternoon is to prove an exception from the rule the House will be able to refresh its memory on the various proposals for the trans-provincial highway.

ASK YOUR CANDIDATE.

While the various political aspirations will wrestle with the tariff and kindred subjects during the next few weeks not one of them should be allowed to wind up his campaign without an expression of opinion as to what should be done for Canada's tuberculous population and particularly those ten thousand ex-soldiers who are suffer-

ing from this dreaded malady. The question is urgent and a more vital one in its relation to the economic life of the country than most people appear to imagine.

CANADA'S DELEGATE.

Canada will learn with a sense of satisfaction that the people of this country are to be represented at the Washington conference by a former Prime Minister. Sir Robert Borden will be highly acceptable to the people of the United States for his understanding of the Western point of view and his influence with the Government of the Motherland.

BOTH AGREED.

Whether the German Government likes the decision or not Great Britain and France have agreed to accept the solution which the League of Nations has provided for the Silesian problem. The Wirth Administration will object and fume about the settlement; but the Chancellor will either have to make the best of it or take the only alternative.

My Government, or rather the Government of which I am Chancellor and Minister of Finance, is the only democratic Government that Germany possibly could have now. We accepted the ultimatum in good faith on the understanding that the voters in Silesia would decide under which flag they would live.

That is what it is necessary to avoid in the interests of European peace. In the meantime not a few statesmen are realizing the mixed blessings of self-determination.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Protectionist politicians seem to forget that if the farm is forsaken the factory chimney topples.

There is still an opportunity for a Provincial politician to distinguish himself by introducing a resolution to limit speeches to five minutes' duration.

Phillip Scheidemann was fired at during a meeting of the German People's Party at Luden-shield last night. Although the bullets went wild he should remember that a man is known by the company he keeps.

President Maxwell of the G. W. V. A. says the law of the jungle must not be permitted to prevail against human thought. Was he thinking of the manner in which some politicians try to fool the public?

All the various nations which will participate at the armament conference have proclaimed themselves in favor of limiting fighting equipment. There is nothing wrong with the hope

that they will all "stick to their guns."

Now that the World Series and the Campbell-Cromie libel suit are out of the way the stage can be cleared for the Washington Conference.

What an uninteresting session it would be if every member of the British Columbia Legislature would say only that which he actually believed to be true and in the best interests of the Province.

Everybody is talking about the need for a real immigration policy. We still contend that the cheapest programme would be one that drops the settler on to land from which there is a reasonable chance of crops within a reasonable time.

Quite a number of people in Great Britain seem to think that Victoria is a part of Vancouver. Mayor Porter should ask the Prince of Wales to give him signed testimony to the contrary.

CITY GETS DEED

TO BRIDGE LAND Alderman Sargent's Efforts at Ottawa Successful

As a result of efforts made by Alderman W. J. Sargent when he was in Ottawa last Summer, the city has secured a deed to waterfront land needed in the construction of the new Johnson Street Bridge.

Yesterday a deed to the land was received by Mr. Pringle, much to the relief of the city authorities.

At the City Council's meeting last night Mayor Porter took the opportunity to congratulate Alderman Sargent upon the success of his efforts at Ottawa. "You certainly deserve the thanks of the city for the work you were able to do," said the Mayor.

RECEIVES MEDAL

OF HUMANE SOCIETY Mrs. Wilfrid Gibson Honored For Gallantry

At the High School last evening Lt. Governor Sir James Douglas presented the Royal Humane Society medal to Mrs. Wilfrid Gibson for a gallant rescue at Langford last week.

Two small girls were playing at the wharf one day when one of them, Ruth, fell overboard and fell into deep water.

Hearing screams, Mrs. Gibson ran to the wharf and jumped into the water fully dressed, and succeeded in dragging out the child, who by this time was unconscious. With the assistance of Mr. Stevens and others who had arrived in the meantime Mrs. Gibson resuscitated the child.

When the presentation was made last evening Mrs. Gibson received hearty congratulations from those present for her gallantry.

Thanks are due to Mr. Lincoln Smith for assembling the necessary proofs to secure the award of the medal.

HOROSCOPE

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1921. (Copyright, 1921, by The McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

Astrologers read this as an unfortunate day for Neptune, Mercury, Saturn and Mars are all adverse government the mind may be disturbed, for the stars incline toward despondency, lack of energy and even a distorted view of existing conditions.

All the signs seem to forecast weeks in which many lines of business suffer from necessary readjustments. Mercury is in an aspect read as indicating much newspaper agitation concerning middle men and profiteers who keep up the price of food.

This is not a propitious time for farmers who may express great dissatisfaction even though benefits are forecast for them. Mars still frowns on all universal peace ideals and seems to give warning of delays in the best-intentioned hearty world harmony.

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NEWS AND NOTES OF THE MINES OLD TIME MINERS ARE NOW IN CITY. S. Sweeney, a pioneer mining man from the Dease Lake District, is now at the Dominion Hotel en route to Winnipeg, where he will spend the Winter.

He reports promising conditions in the upper waters of the liard, and a bright future for the Cassiar District when transportation is improved. "It is a good prospector's country," he said, "but a terrible one to get about in, as soon as the rivers are deserted for the hills."

Mr. Sweeney has been in that section for the last nine years. He has mined throughout Alaska and the Yukon, as well as northern British Columbia, and has come across R. Lennon, of Dawson, is also staying at the same hotel.

Visits Iron Claims. A. G. Langley, of Revelstoke, the provincial mining engineer, was a visitor to the Cassiar section, and accompanied by Geo. Young made quite an extensive examination of the C. P. R. group of iron claims up Thompson Creek. Considerable initial development work has been done on the property and Mr. Langley was most enthusiastic as to further development of the properties, demonstrating that the claims are equal to any other iron deposits he has come across anywhere in the province, analysis of the ore having shown it to be a very high grade of hematite.

The owners intend shortly to get on with opening up the property in anticipation of C. P. R. Hill and his associates for sufficient water to be taken from Goat River to enable him to carry on work on a very large scale. The British Columbia Iron Company, Limited, also have a group of about three dozen claims in the same section, which are equally promising, and on which a diamond drill will likely be put to work next Spring to determine the extent of the ore body.

KILLED BY FALL. Abbotsford, Que., Oct. 18.—Jumping out of a moving automobile to reach his wife's hat, which had blown off, E. G. Beaudry fell and fractured his skull. He died of his injuries.

STORE BURNED. Quebec, Oct. 18.—Fire destroyed the Massicot Tremblay store at Chouinard, the loss being estimated at \$200,000.

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THREE CASES FOR FALL ASSIZE. Mr. Justice Murphy on Charlie Bo Case

The Fall Assizes for the County of Victoria opened to-day before Mr. Justice Murphy with three cases for presentation to the Grand Jury. The Grand Jurors included Arthur Coles, foreman; William Benson, Anderson, Presiding; Gray Aldous, George W. Sprott Balcom, Clarence Bailey Deaville, Harold M. Dignon, William Foxall, Francis M. Gibbs, Harold M. Lewis, Samuel M. Offutt, Austin J. Arthur H. Piggott and Percy A. Raymond. Mr. Aldous was counted absent when the roll was called by Sheriff Richards.

The order of trial was set as Francis Turner, forgery; Mike Seminoff, arson; and Charlie Bo, attempted bribery.

The Judge's Charge. In charging the Grand Jurors with their duties Mr. Justice Murphy congratulated them upon the light "docket which," he stated, reflected credit on the city of Victoria, which was maintaining its record as a law abiding community.

"In the consideration of these indictments," said His Lordship, you have but two things to consider, the first is whether the crime has been committed and the second, is the accused connected with it to the extent of being rightly called upon to explain his actions. "It is alleged that this is a case of law and not a court of morals.

"The first case for your consideration is that of Rex versus Francis Turner, charged with arson. There are two counts in this indictment. The facts are this man Turner was at the race track here in Victoria and betting under the pari-mutuel system. It is alleged that Turner, after a race had been run, changed a ticket to represent a winning horse, from a horse that did not win. If a person does this he is guilty of a criminal offence.

"You have but to decide if the ticket was changed at all, and if Turner was connected with it. The second case is that of Rex versus Seminoff, charged with arson. In this case it is alleged that the accused was employed by a man to build a house. Apparently some dispute took place over the question of wages. Seminoff apparently was dissatisfied. The house was burned down. The question for you to decide is whether the evidence shows that Seminoff took place over the question of wages. Seminoff apparently was dissatisfied. The house was burned down. The question for you to decide is whether the evidence shows that Seminoff took place over the question of wages.

"The last case for your consideration is that of Rex versus Charlie Bo, charged on four indictments, the essence of which is that he bribed or attempted to bribe one John Fry, a police officer of Victoria. It is a crime for a person to bribe among other persons, a Chief of Police. Fry is Chief of Police. There is evidence that he directed your particular attention to this, that the evidence is that it was not Fry, but one of the Police Commissioners, or one of them, and gave him \$400 and the amount is stated that Bo's object in this was to be allowed to open Chinese lotteries. There is evidence that he actually did pay over \$400 to the Police Commissioner.

"You have to decide, did Bo intend that North should pay Fry to make Fry allow these lotteries to run. I trust that you gentlemen will see the distinction between the transaction as it is alleged, and the fact that Fry may consider for the purpose of this trial, that it is not a crime to bribe North.

Bo is charged with that he either bribed or attempted to bribe Fry, Chief of Police, a peace officer, and I will tell you the reason for this. A police constable is not a peace officer. After the money was paid it is alleged that the money was given to Fry, but you must first connect Bo with the intention do that, either by his own actions or by his own words, which must signify that intention, if you are to find a true bill.

"If, however, you believe that Bo intended to 'square' the Police Commissioner, who would issue orders to Fry, you should not bring in a true bill against Bo for that would not be a crime or at any rate not the crime that he is charged with in these indictments.

There are four counts—the first of attempting to bribe, the second of corruptly and unlawfully offering \$400 to Fry to refrain from doing his duty. The third and fourth counts are that he is alleged to have conspired North unlawfully to offer to Fry, a peace officer, \$400. With regard to the third and fourth counts—that is an attempt to bring the North transaction before you, but in order to entertain that you must find that North did bribe Fry, and did it for the purpose of preventing Fry from doing his duty. You would have to find that North handed money to Fry to keep Fry from doing his duty.

Privilege of Tradition. "Gentlemen of the grand jury, that completes your first duties, but you have another function which you may exercise if you will. It is your privilege to make presentations to me in fit connection with any public institution, and to do this it is your right to inspect any public institution where public funds are expended. As between the administration of law and the executive of the country, so that any representations you may make I shall pass on to the proper channels.

The court was then adjourned until 2.30 this afternoon. The petit jury was called by the Sheriff, and several members released, two for being called on Friday to attend to some extreme pressure of private business.

VIGOROUS ELK LAKE FIGHT IS PLANNED. City Prepares to Oppose Saanich Proposals

Determined to fight to the last ditch against taxation of the Elk Lake watershed area, Victoria city delegates on the Victoria-Saanich Beaches and Parks Committee will meet Friday afternoon to make recommendations on the Elk Lake question to the City Council.

"We cannot accede to Saanich's request that we declare Elk Lake a park area," Alderman George Sangster, who is the leading figure in Elk Lake disputes in the past, declared this morning. "We must look to the future, when we may need to use our land at Elk Lake for other purposes. We shall fight Saanich's plan to the limit. I do not think for a moment that the Legislature will give Saanich the right to tax the area."

"I am in favor of developing the Elk Lake land into a beautiful park but I am tired of this continual squabbling over the matter," Alderman Aitken, who last night proposed the sale of the Elk Lake area, explained to-day. "It seems as if we couldn't do anything at Elk Lake without causing trouble."

GLASS OF SALTS CLEANS KIDNEYS. If Your Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers You, Drink Lots of Water.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salt which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness. Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent drink which everyone should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache. (Advt.)

stition, and to do this it is your right to inspect any public institution where public funds are expended. As between the administration of law and the executive of the country, so that any representations you may make I shall pass on to the proper channels.

The court was then adjourned until 2.30 this afternoon. The petit jury was called by the Sheriff, and several members released, two for being called on Friday to attend to some extreme pressure of private business.

VIGOROUS ELK LAKE FIGHT IS PLANNED. City Prepares to Oppose Saanich Proposals

Determined to fight to the last ditch against taxation of the Elk Lake watershed area, Victoria city delegates on the Victoria-Saanich Beaches and Parks Committee will meet Friday afternoon to make recommendations on the Elk Lake question to the City Council.

"We cannot accede to Saanich's request that we declare Elk Lake a park area," Alderman George Sangster, who is the leading figure in Elk Lake disputes in the past, declared this morning. "We must look to the future, when we may need to use our land at Elk Lake for other purposes. We shall fight Saanich's plan to the limit. I do not think for a moment that the Legislature will give Saanich the right to tax the area."

"I am in favor of developing the Elk Lake land into a beautiful park but I am tired of this continual squabbling over the matter," Alderman Aitken, who last night proposed the sale of the Elk Lake area, explained to-day. "It seems as if we couldn't do anything at Elk Lake without causing trouble."

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ARTS AND CRAFTS EXHIBITION OPEN. Fine Display at Annual Collection of Paintings and Craft Work

That the Island Arts and Crafts Club is doing an invaluable work in encouraging art on Vancouver Island is more than proved by the very excellent collection of paintings and craft-work gathered together for the annual exhibition which opened this afternoon. The exhibition is staged on the fourth floor of the Belmont Building and occupies five rooms. There is a notable increase in the number of exhibits, particularly in the craftwork, and the exhibition which will remain open for a week, both afternoon and evening, deserves the support of every Victorian and every visitor in the city.

Water colors as in previous year are in the majority and among the well-known exhibitors Mrs. Horace Deane-Drummond, better known as Sophie Pemberton, who has entered two charming studies, one of a mountain vista and the other of a mountain vista at Cameron Lake. Mr. Bamford whose bold style is unmistakable in mountain scenes, with pine-clad slopes enveloped in a purple haze, and torrential mountain streams. Two charming little woodcut studies, fairly like in their soft treatment, are from the brush of A. H. Parker, while Miss Hilda Wright has entered two boldly-treated sketches of Polperro, Cornwall.

Great promise is shown in the animal sketches by Miss Myrtle Gale, a sixteen-year-old pupil of St. George's School, whose horse studies are reminiscent of those of Bonheur. Miss J. Cross, a faithful exhibitor, has several little scenes of local spots, including the Royal Yacht Club at Uplands and the L. O. D. E. plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. Miss Kitto, another well-known exhibitor, is showing several charming little sketches, including waterfront scenes, as well

as the broom which she has made so familiar. Among the seascapes are two clever studies, one by D. C. Cameron in soft browns and blues with the reddish sails of fishing smacks, and a striking picture by C. Woodward of an angry sea, with crested waves against a lowering sky, and overhead the seagulls.

Miss Mary Mason, without whose pictures no arts and crafts club exhibition would be complete, has entered two figure subjects, and in this section are also several clever portraits by Miss Nora Southwell of Vancouver, formerly of Victoria. Sylvia Brooklebank has three little studies of Mount Baker at sunrise, sunset and noon respectively, showing clever treatment of the subject. Lack of space prevents adequate reference to each of the exhibits but special mention must be made of Col. H. N. Roome's beautiful etchings of Indian scenes, and R. B. Buller's oil-color of a maple tree in all the glory of Fall coloring. In the portraits, Miss Dorothy Dean, a promising young artist, has three exhibits: Will Menelaus' study of an elderly woman shows virile treatment, and Mrs. Paget has entered a striking portrait of the late J. J. Shallocock. Fine technique and strong perception is revealed in a charcoal study of a Chinese girl, executed by a young Chinese boy.

In the craft section much space is given to a comprehensive and artistic exhibit from the Red Cross workshop showing wicker work, carpentry, inlay work, china painting, lacquer work, wood, sewing, felt, plush and beaten metal work, art jewelry, needlework, and modeling in plaster are also shown, craftsmen from all over the Island being represented.

Mr. Davis—I would ask your lordship to tell the jury that they can find that the language, in its natural meaning is defamatory irrespective altogether of any immunities alleged. I think your lordship told the jury that they must find that the innuendo does were warranted.

The Court—Oh, yes, I didn't note that. There is one innuendo—that is, the amendment—that the plaintiff had been guilty of conspiring with some member or members of the British Columbia Government or other person or persons belonging to the Government of British Columbia. Again, gentlemen, it is for you to say whether the words convey to an ordinary intelligent, reasonable man that meaning.

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### Wednesday Bargains in the Women's Whitewear Department

Overall Aprons made with large bib and in assorted patterns of dark print; they are neatly finished with braid. Special value at ..... **45c**  
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### Women's Fleece Lined Vests and Combinations

Women's Fleece Lined Knit Cotton Vests, short and no sleeves; also long sleeves in slip-over style and button; sizes 36 to 40; a strong, hard wearing garment that will give great satisfaction. On sale, each, **75c**  
Fleece Lined Knit Cotton Combinations, low neck, short, long or no sleeves and ankle length; sizes 36 to 44. Good value at, a suit, **\$1.50** and ..... **\$1.75**  
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### Novelty Curtains at \$2.95 a Pair

100 Novelty Curtains of superior quality, with scrim insertion and lace edges, in several attractive designs; in shades of beige or cream, and 2 or 2½ yards long; formerly \$5.00 values. Special for Wednesday at, a pair ..... **\$2.95**  
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33-Inch Stripe Flannelette, usual price 50c. Sale price ..... **28c**  
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### Three Appreciable Bargains in Stout Work Shirts for Men

Men's Stripe Galatea and Duck Shirts, patterned in blue and dark stripes, with collar attached, pocket and hand cuffs. All sizes at ..... **\$1.35**  
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Heavy Drill Middies with navy collars and cuffs, trimmed with two rows of white braid. Special at ..... **50c**  
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Cocacnut, per pound ..... **21c**  
Ruffed Wheat, package ..... **15c**  
Bread Flour, 10-pound paper parcels for ..... **25c**  
Shelled Walnuts, half-pound packages for ..... **25c**  
Gold Seal Milk, tin ..... **20c**  
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Creamettes Macaroni, package ..... **12c**  
Wild Rose or Velvet Pastry Flour, 10-pound sack ..... **45c**  
Preserved Ginger, pound ..... **35c**  
Robin Hood Oats, large packages ..... **25c**  
Shredded Wheat Biscuits, pkg. ..... **15c**  
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Swift's Pea-Meal Back Bacon, sliced, at, lb. .... **55c**  
Smoked Picnic Hams, at, lb. .... **23c**  
Unsmoked Picnic Hams, at, lb. .... **21c**  
Unsmoked Side Bacon, in the piece, at, lb. .... **30c**  
Ayrshire Roll for roasting (any weight) at, lb. .... **42c**  
Choice Smoked Side Bacon sliced at 40c lb. By the piece, at, lb. .... **35c**  
Fine New Zealand Honey, in bulk, at, lb. .... **30c**  
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### Grocery Bulletin With Delivery

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Randall's Grape Ais Syrup, pint bottles ..... **25c**  
Quart bottles ..... **45c**  
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# IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

## Social Personal

Mr. Frank Clark, of Toronto, has arrived at the Empress Hotel. Dr. and Mrs. J. Fletcher, of Vancouver, are registered at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. H. G. Perry, M. P. F., and Mrs. Perry have arrived in the city from Prince George for the session.

Mrs. Dugald McMurchy, of Toronto, is spending the Winter in Victoria as the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. C. Wilson.

Major and Mrs. Patrick Howden, nee Dolly Smith of Victoria, have taken up their residence at Caroline Court, Vancouver, for the Winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Howard-Gibbon, of Hampton Court, have as their guest for the week Mrs. C. Howard-Gibbon, of Vancouver.

Lady Lougheed and Miss Dorothy Lougheed have left for their home in Calgary after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lougheed, Belmont Avenue.

The engagement is announced of Anna Isobel, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Holmes, of Carberry, Manitoba, widow of the late Richard Marpole, to Mr. George Horrocks, of Bolton, Lancashire.

Mrs. E. C. Cuppage, social editor of The Daily World, Vancouver, is in the city to attend the opening of the Legislature. While here she is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Reade.

Two well-known hotel men at the Empress Hotel are Mr. Nat Head, assistant manager of the Del Monte Hotel, California, and Mr. A. A. Short, manager of the Washington Hotel, San Francisco, and the White Pelican Hotel, Klamath Falls, Oregon.

P. E. Farney and Mrs. Farney, of Port Renfrew, and Mrs. Sheridan Rice, of Duncan; W. A. Harries, of Courtenay; Mr. and Mrs. Dohmann, of Chemainus; Ed. Clark, of Sidney, are island visitors at the Dominion Hotel.

For twenty-three years' Indian Agent at Hazelton, and now retired, Mr. R. E. Loring is re-visiting old friends in the city, and is staying at the Dominion Hotel. He remembers the city as it was thirty-seven years ago when he first came to Victoria, when he says the city presented a very different physical appearance than it does now.

A wedding of interest, taking place in Winnipeg on Saturday next, is that of Miss Frances Peters, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Peters, to Mr. Herbert Hercher, also of Winnipeg. Both are well known in this city. After the ceremony the young couple will leave for the West. They expect to make their home in Vancouver. Miss Peters is a niece of Colonel Peters, of Esquimalt.

Among the social gatherings following the opening of the Legislature this afternoon was the tea given by Mrs. H. H. King, wife of the Minister of Public Works, at the Empress Hotel this afternoon. Her guests included Chief Justice and Mrs. Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Butchart, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baird, Mrs. C. P. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. King (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wilson, and Mrs. Bonnell of Fernie.

At the Strathcona Hotel are: J. C. McLeod, Mrs. Pauline Cochrane, Vancouver; Miss Letty, Mrs. Clayard, Sidney; Geo. S. Gibson, A. Waterman, Shawanigan Lake; Mr. and Mrs. G. Dunne, Mr. Fisher, Courtenay; Mrs. J. W. and Miss D. L. Taylor, Ganges; Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Melrose, Kamloops; Miss D. Mahood, Nanaimo; Mr. and Mrs. C. Fahman, Kronan, Sask.

The management of the Empress Hotel announces the resumption of the weekly tea-dances on Saturday next. With the advent of Fall weather, dancing has again come back into popularity and there is every indication that these Saturday after-



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Delicious salads, tempting enough to please the palate of the epicure and the gourmet, were made in the kitchen at the Jubilee Hospital to-day under the supervision of experienced dietitians. Chickens, eggs, mysterious ingredients known only to capable cooks, mayonnaise, greenstuff celery and other good things went into huge bowls to emerge as toothsome salads.

These preparations were not intended for the delectation of the patients in the hospital, but were designed to tempt the guests at the benefit ball to be given at the Empress Hotel to-morrow night in aid of the Jubilee Hospital. Practically all of the supper materials have been donated and gifts of cash are still being received from the various women's organizations of the city.

With this splendid assistance, it is hoped that money donated from the sale of tickets will be handed practically intact to the hospital.

Already the dance has assumed the guise of the biggest social event of the year. The ingress of parliamentarians for the session has given additional interest to the ball, many of the members and their wives have signified their intention of attending. Last minute preparations are in progress for the affair, which promises to eclipse in magnitude any similar event ever held in the city.

To Conclude Business Details. The management of the Empress Hotel wish all donations for the hospital ball to be in by 12 o'clock on Wednesday, up to which time Mrs. Fletcher will be at the porte cochee door to receive donations.

All tickets not sold must be returned to Mrs. Umbach, who will be at Spencer's Music Department to-morrow morning up to 12 o'clock. Tickets for the ball may be obtained at Hibben's, Wilkerson's, Short, Hill and Duncan's, Spencer's Music Department, and at the Empress Hotel.

## FORMER VICTORIANS CELEBRATED GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marrion, formerly of this city, celebrated their golden wedding on Saturday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. A. L. Sonley, 329 Eighth Avenue East, Vancouver, when they received the good wishes of relatives and their many friends. Other sons and daughters were present. Their five children are Frank W. Marrion, licence department, City Hall, Vancouver; Mrs. and Mrs. Marrion, lawyer; Mrs. P. G. Barwick, Seattle; Mrs. William Thorburn, Vancouver; A. H. Marrion, manual training instructor of South Park School, Victoria, and Mrs. A. H. Sonley, of Vancouver.

Mr. Marrion is 72 years of age, Mrs. Marrion is 76, and there are 14 grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Marrion arrived from England in Victoria in 1836, just the day before the Vancouver fire. After staying there a year they moved to Vancouver. Mr. Marrion was the manager of the fitting department of the Vancouver Gas Company and turned the first gas into the city. He remained in that position for seven years. Mr. Marrion went into the newly created position of plumbing and sanitary inspector. He remained with that department until 1915, when he retired. With the war the call came for men, and Mr. Marrion, despite his age, enlisted and spent three years with the army, one year in the B. C. Horse at Vernon, and two years at Esquimalt in the medical service.

Mr. and Mrs. Marrion, who have been residing in Victoria, have returned to Vancouver and have taken up their residence at Thirteenth Avenue, near Oak Street. Next year they intend making a visit to England, not having returned there since they left for British Columbia in 1836.

## ST. JOSEPH'S LADIES' AUXILIARY TO HOLD BIG CARD PARTY

To raise funds for the carrying on of their splendid work for the hospital, the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Hospital have arranged to hold a bridge and five hundred party at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday evening, October 25, at 8 o'clock. Already twenty-six tables have been reserved and would-be players are invited to make their table reservations as soon as possible to telephone No. 309.

Players are reminded to bring their own cards and score pads.

## WILL CELEBRATE "TRAFALGAR DAY" WITH BRIDGE TEA

Friday, October 21, is Trafalgar Day of glorious memory. The Ladies' Guild for Sailors will celebrate the anniversary at the Dallas Hotel in cheerful fashion. A bridge-tea will be held in aid of the funds of the Connaught Seamen's Institute and the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt. These quarters are for the descendants of the brave men who fought and died so gloriously—a real home away from home. Bridge will commence at 2:30 p. m. Tea will be served at 5 o'clock.

Twenty-five tables are hoped for, and many have already taken tables. Among the many friends of the Guild who will either play bridge, five hundred or come in to tea are the following: Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. J. H. King, Mrs. J. W. de R. Farris, Mrs. Jack Rithet, Mrs. Forbes Proctor, Mrs. J. H. Hardie, Miss Pooley, Miss S. Spencer, Mrs. Purser, Miss Nescombe, Mrs. K. C. Poyntz, Mrs. W. B. Monteith, Mrs. R. I. Miller, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Mayhew, Mrs. Hayward, Mrs. J. A. Sayward, Mrs. P. Criddle, Mrs. F. O. Weston, Mrs. Wilders, Mrs. R. Powell, Miss Leitch, Mrs. R. Jameson, Mrs. Ellison, Mrs.

## KUMTIKS CLUB NOW DULY INCORPORATED

Old Executive Elected Board of Directors

A splendid attendance of members marked the annual general meeting of the Kumtiks Club held in the Empress Hotel last evening with the president, Miss Lottie Bowron, in the chair. The club is now duly incorporated and in accordance with the requirements, the election of officers was held, the old executive being made the new Board of Directors, with the addition of Miss McCrae to the directorate.

Considerable discussion took place over the planning of a Winter programme and it was decided, when possible, to have addresses on live topics by outside speakers for the evening meetings. This will in no way affect the club's practice of having its members give the addresses at the fortnightly luncheons.

Miss Evans, Mrs. H. U. Knight and Mrs. H. P. Hodges were appointed a committee to arrange the programme. Miss Ringland as the convener of the legislative committee will follow the proceedings of the Provincial Legislature and bring before the club any new measure laid down in the House.

Excellent reports were given by the conveners of the standing committees. Members were reminded by the president of the necessity of registering by the payment of a road tax at the City Hall, before October 31, for the municipal voters list.

Gratifying results of the dance were announced by Miss McLaren, convener of the finance committee. The members voted a donation of \$10 to the hospital ball.

C. G. I. T. Give Banquet—On Saturday evening last the Canadian Girls in Training of the Hampshire Road Methodist Church marked the opening of the Winter activities by giving a banquet to their mothers in the schoolroom of the church. A toast was given by the girls to "Our Mothers," which was appropriately replied to by Mrs. (Captain) Ormiston, Rev. Mr. Townsend, recitation, Mildred Williams, Alice Sandiford, the president, was chairman of the evening. Mrs. Powers, the leader, thanked those present for the interest shown in the work.

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## CHARITABLE CAUSES LOSE WARM FRIEND IN DEATH OF MRS. DURHAM

The death of Mrs. T. P. Durham who passed away yesterday morning in this city, has removed one of the warmest friends of the W. C. T. U., Old Ladies Home, B. C. Orphanage, and the Woman's Literary Society of the Metropolitan Methodist Church, of which she was a life member, besides the various other activities of the church to which she devoted her attention since coming to this city thirty-five years ago.

Her death at the age of eighty-three closes a long career crowded with beneficence, her name will always be enshrined in grateful remembrance in the annals of the various societies, she served so loyally and loved so well. Her husband, who preceded her about twenty-one years ago.

She leaves to mourn her loss, one brother in New York, Joseph Sketchley, one sister in this city, Mrs. J. W. Williams, and three daughters, Mrs. J. D. McMartin, Mrs. Dr. Clemons and Mrs. L. W. Hall, besides a large number of grandchildren.

## FOR CHILDREN THE SANDMAN STORY FOR TO-NIGHT

MRS. FOX HELPS MR. FOX

Mr. Fox was trapped, if not caught, he knew it, and so did Mrs. Fox, who had been following her husband as he was chased by Mr. Dog through the fields and down the road to the woods.

Not that Mrs. Fox expected her husband to be caught, but she was not a bit hurt, there was only one way to get out, and Mr. Dog was standing right at that very place barking fit to split his throat.

Mr. Fox began to think of home and Mrs. Fox. He did not know she had been trailing the run he and Mr. Dog were having; he was thinking that he would never see her again, for as I told you Mr. Fox knew that he was trapped, and that at any moment Mr. Man might hear the barking of Mr. Dog and be there with a gun.

Mr. Dog's bark said as plainly as words, "Here is a fox, here is a fox, here is a fox, here is a fox," every time Mr. Fox heard it he trembled—though with Mr. Fox while there is life there is always hope and Mr. Fox was hoping every time Mr. Dog barked that hope dropped to the tips of his toes.

Mrs. Fox knew what had happened. She knew just what Mr. Dog was saying as well as her husband, and she was thinking very hard and fast, and as she lay under the bushes looking toward the place where her husband was trapped her bright eyes saw a tree which had fallen right across the river, which was deep and full of rocks, that ran through the woods. Mrs. Fox's thoughts began to come fast. She jumped up and ran out from her hiding place straight to the tree and ran along it making sounds that attracted Mr. Dog's attention.

He stopped barking, for there on the fallen tree he saw as he thought, Mr. Fox, though he had been sure a second before he had gone for Mr. Fox's nose among the leaves between the rocks.

Mr. Dog left the place he was guarding and went toward the end of the tree which was on his side of the river. Then he stepped back and looked between the rocks. He didn't see a thing, so he ran for Mr. Fox's moment he stopped barking. Mr. Fox, thinking Mr. Man was in sight with the gun, had crouched deeper under the leaves.

Mr. Dog went to the end of the fallen tree and ran along it, while Mrs. Fox stood a little way from the end of the side of the river looking right at him, but when he reached the middle of the tree she gave a leap into the air and down she came on the tree, which was a shake, and off tumbled Mr. Dog into the water among the slippery rocks.

Mrs. Fox bounded to the side of the river where her husband was a prisoner and called to him that the coast was clear, and out came Mr. Fox in the twinkling of an eye and

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  - Cereal Cookers, 1-quart size. Sale price \$1.95
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Mrs. Willis Dean is the convener for the tables, telephone 4184; Mrs. Weaver, convener for the tea table, phone 6108; Mrs. Sayer is making arrangements for a musical programme. During the afternoon efforts will be made to dispose of a splendid Paisley Shawl, which has been sent in to the Guild.

## Y. W. C. A. MUSICAL

The musical tea to be held by the Y. W. C. A. on Thursday afternoon is for the purpose of further increasing their funds for the new building. The arrangements for this event are in the hands of Mrs. R. Chave and the members of this social committee.

## Garden City Women's Institute

A special meeting of the Garden City Women's Institute will be held at the Marigold Hall on Thursday, October 20, at 2:30 p. m. All members are asked to attend.

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**Dr. Dowling Returns From Northern Tour**

After a long season's work in the north country Dr. D. B. Dowling, Dominion Government geologist, has returned to Edmonton. He was accompanied by his son, Allan Dowling and E. D. Irwin, the entire party being from Ottawa, to which city they expect to return within a few days.

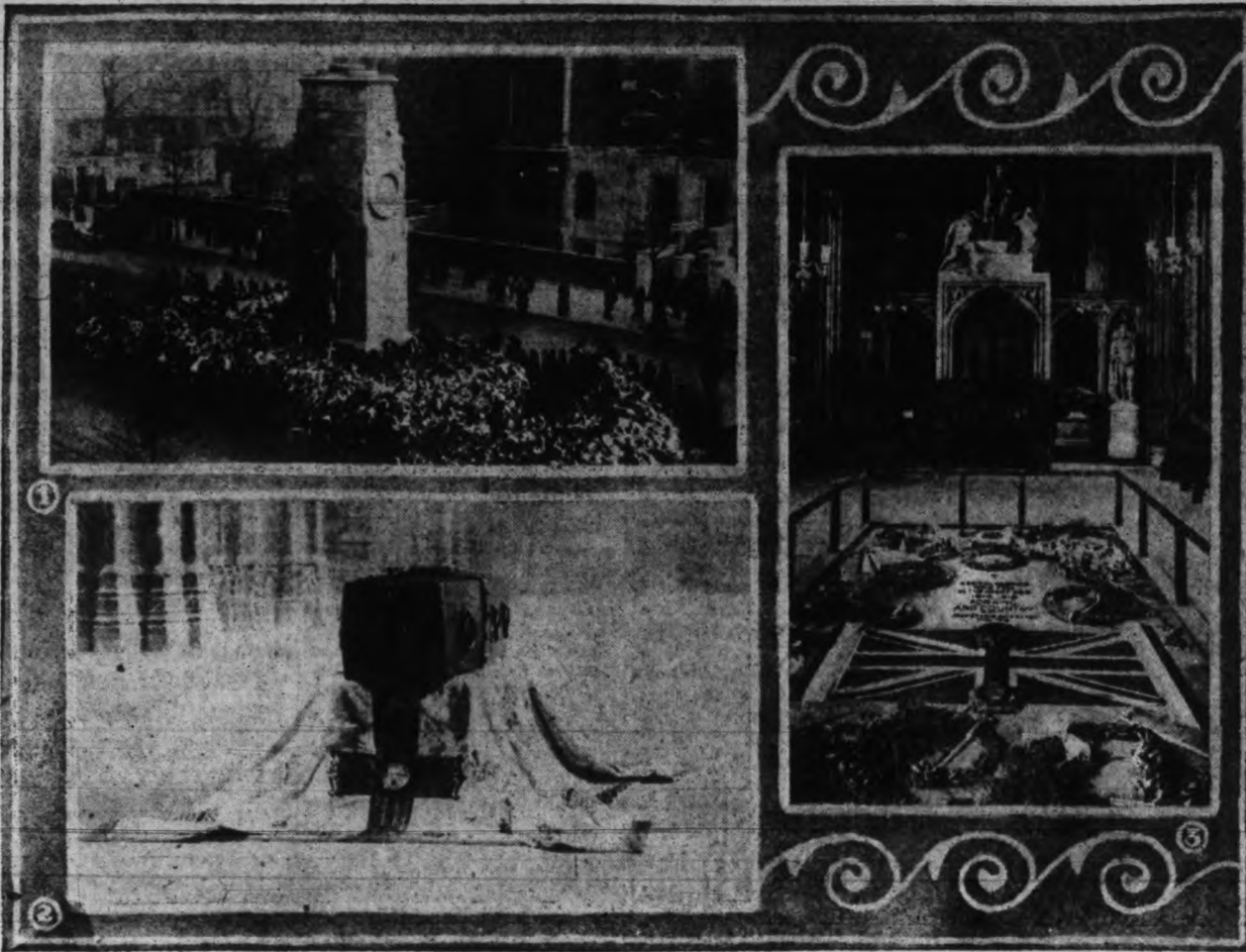
Dr. Dowling proceeded north in the Spring to look over general operations by parties under the Dominion land survey all over the Northwest territories, by the astronomical branch of the department of the interior and by the geological surveys department. The entire territory between Fort Smith and Fort Norman was covered, particular cognizance being taken of the progress of the governmental parties en route. In this stretch of country practically the entire territory was surveyed while the astronomical branch made important observations for longitudinal points for wireless using the stream telegraphic instrument which actually made connections with the wireless station of the American naval station at Annapolis, Maryland. Astronomical parties were established by the government parties every two and a half miles from Smith for a distance of 190 miles north.

A map, which is as close to being perfect as possible, was also made by the government party in regard to the formation of the land and the possibilities of the Mackenzie River in regard to making soundings for depth. Buoys were also set out in different channels where the stream is dangerous for navigation.

Dr. Dowling also accomplished a great deal of work in the Fort Norman field where his operations extended from Norman to the Carajou River near Good Hope. During the time spent there he took a very careful survey of the field with the idea of preparing a report as to general conditions.

In the opinion of Dr. Dowling development and drilling in the north country is being very greatly impeded and handicapped owing to the difficulties encountered at Smith portage.

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**CAPT. HARBORD'S STATEMENT.**

To the Editor:—Re statements issued by President Captain D. M. Harbord, B. C. Shipowners, Ltd., in The Times of the 13th and 14th instants: The burden is an arraignment of the Dominion Government, one might suspect for political effect, as Cap-

tain Harbord is now President of the City Liberal Political Association. It is submitted:

1. That the Government ignore the captain and his board of directors, because they do not inspire their confidence, as the directors do not hold office by virtue of the votes of a majority of shareholders, but by the votes of ex-directors who obtained large blocks of shares by their contracts with the company. The validity of some of these shares is open to question.

2. There are two causes for the wreck of the shipowners:

(a) Uncommercial conditions insisted on by the Government, which the promoters and directors knew of, but the bulk of the shareholders were ignorant of.

(b) The interest of a majority of the directors was at variance with the interest of the shareholders, for when the board was composed of four of them were interested in contracts with the shipowners. They are set out on page 19 of the prospectus, as follows:

"Mr. Clarence Hoard, one of the directors of the company, is the president and managing director of the Bainbridge Lumber Company, and its principal shareholders."

"As above mentioned, Captain Hans Christoffer Hansen, one of the directors of the company, is one of the owners of the Gøalberg Shipyard, as above mentioned, Christian Chølberg being equally interested with him."

"Mr. William Meed, one of the directors, is the business manager of the Chølberg Shipyard."

"Captain Harbord, one of the directors, is the managing director of the Vancouver Island Riggers & Sail-makers' Association, Limited, which Association has a large interest in the rigging of the ships and on the supply of sails, and if they are awarded such work, propose to take payment in shares to the extent of \$5,000 per vessel."

"The Captain, I believe, is interested in a contract with the shipowners for the sails and rigging of four ships, submitting a large part of it to a Seattle firm which is quite as objectionable as the Government having some work done in Vancouver, of which he complains."

"His complaint that the Government has taken over assets approximating one million dollars, is very wild, for there is little doubt but that they could be easily duplicated in the open market for \$400,000, or very much more."

"What I believe the directors and ex-directors interested in contracts with the shipowners would like the Government to do, is for it to assume the bankrupt shipowners' liability under these contracts, and complete the four ships so that the contractors could finish their contracts at the high level prices they have them at, instead of at the 40 to 50 per cent. lower prices of to-day."

"The Government is very properly resisting all pressure brought to bear to do this, for any reasonable person is bound to admit that there is no justification for additions to shipping at the present time. Personally, I think there are brains enough in either party to find work better calculated to be more productive than building ships at ridiculously high contract terms for which there is nothing to do."

"The directors' minute book shows precisely the terms on which the Government subscription was made, also the conditions insisted on by the Labor representatives (See minutes for January, 1920). These, taken together, present a most dismal picture. Directors I think should have known this, yet (on February 11, 1920) they authorized the placing of an order for 1,000 prospectuses, and on February 13 they authorized their issue to the public. On page 8 the following appears:

"Security of Investment."

"With the practical and experienced men who will conduct the company affairs, there will be no problem to solve and no need to try experiments of any kind."

"All the factors from beginning to end are known ones, every hazard and risk can and will be insured, capital will be absolutely safeguarded, and all business transactions conducted on sound principles. In the formation of the company there is no watered stock, no promoters'

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"It will thus be readily apparent that an opportunity is now offered to the investors of acquiring ship property on exceptionally advantageous terms, and there is every reason to believe that under proper management, the operations of the company will be successful and profitable."

The Government conditions were embodied in an agreement signed by the president of the company in March, 1920, so that the directors have no cause for complaint against the Government; they went into it with their eyes open.

"One thing is certain, the onus for the company's part in the failure rests on the directors, for they resisted all efforts of the shareholders to protect themselves, i. e.:

(1) They refused to send every shareholder a copy of the Special Investigation Committee's Report;

(2) After the report had been printed and sent to every shareholder, by private enterprise, they refused to call a meeting of shareholders to consider it;

(3) The report sent contained a suggestion for action by the shareholders to get some salvage from the wreck, and, in the event of their concurrence, a request for their proxy. The directors blocked this by the following advertisement in large type, in both newspapers, June 14-18, 1920: "Victoria (B. C.) Shipowners, Limited."

"It is understood that a communication has been sent to all shareholders asking that a proxy be signed in favor of one of the shareholders. The directors strongly advise all shareholders not to sign the proxy, as it is in violation of the provisions of the charter, and is pending, and this action might tend to prejudice them. Any information will be gladly given by the Secretary, Chas. Shephard, Room 314 Pemberton Building, Fort Street, phone 1585."

President Harbord, in his statement to The Times of the 14th instants, speaks of incidents occurring in April and February 23 last, and then says:

"From that time, no communications were received from the Government, and letters forwarded to the Minister of Finance and Minister of Marine."

"It would appear that the above advertisement was disingenuous. There were no important developments pending."

"Though the directors did not have the accounts and balance sheet required by the 'Companies' Act' for submission to the shareholders, at their last annual meeting, there is little doubt that the company is bankrupt; and if the directors will only efface themselves by a voluntary winding up of the company, there would be some chance for the cash paid shareholders, and bona fide creditors of the company, getting some sort of settlement with the Government, for it is only just that, at least, we should be placed on a partnership basis and take our proportion of the assets and the loss from which our directors expected to protect us, which they should have foreseen, when that heavy subscriber on being apprized of the conditions attached to the Government subscription withdrew both his subscription and his name."

On behalf of sixty-seven shareholders, whose proxies I have been honored with, and

**JOHN DEAN,**  
Victoria, Oct. 15, 1921.

**CHORAL SINGING.**

To the Editor:—It is gratifying to note that there seems to be a revival of choral singing in this city, and to which too much publicity cannot be given. No more pleasant evening can be spent than by joining together in singing either the famous works of the great composers or the simple but beautiful folk-songs of the various nations. Now we listen to, at nearly every concert, those wonderful songs of England, Ireland and Scotland, and you rarely hear the songs of Wales. Why? Is it because only the Welsh people can put the feeling and fire into their own music, or is it because their beautiful and inspiring melodies are not sufficiently known. In either case it is an opportune moment for the Welsh people of Victoria and dis-

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Women's Cotton Nightgowns in slip-over style, have shaped neck, back and front trimmed with cotton flit lace, trimmed with narrow ribbon bows on shoulders and have no sleeves; **\$1.25 each.**

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**The WEATHER**

Daily Bulletin Prepared by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 18—5 a. m.—The barometer is high and fair weather is general in B. C. Fair, mild weather also continues in the prairies.

**Reports.**

Victoria—Barometer: 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 45; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, rain.

Vancouver—Barometer: 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 42; wind, calm; rain, 26; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer: 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 40; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer: 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 40; wind, 6 miles S. E.; weather, fair.

Penticton—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; rain, 0.2.

Grand Forks—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; rain, 1.0.

Nelson—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; rain, 3.1.

**Temperature.**

Place	Max.	Min.
Barkerville	52	32
Tatoush	54	34
Portland, Ore.	54	34
Seattle	54	34
San Francisco	78	60
Crabbrook	44	24
Kaslo	47	27
Calgary	68	38
Edmonton	68	38
Winnipeg	64	34
Qu'Appelle	64	34
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Meetings to Discuss the Amateur Situation

British Columbia Football Association Will Convene Meetings in Victoria, Vancouver and Nanaimo of All Sporting Organizations

Believing the time to be ripe and opportune, the British Columbia Football Association will take the initiative on the much discussed amateur status situation, and will shortly convene simultaneous meetings in Vancouver, Victoria and Nanaimo, to which all branches of amateur sport will be invited, and when a complete expression of British Columbia opinion as to just what should constitute an amateur will be obtained. It is believed that sportsmen in this province consider the present A. A. U. rule a wrong one, and should have a meeting in any one line of sport, and also professionalizes all participants, either as team-mates or as opponents, in any match in which a professional player takes part.

Came to a Head. A week ago Saturday the Westminster United team of the Vancouver and District Soccer League used in a league game the services of Hattie Stoddard, the well-known professional lacrosse player, thereby compromising, as regards amateur standing of two score athletes. At the request of the league, the United did not use Stoddard in Saturday's game with Sapperton, consequently the matter was left until the matter was taken up and an understanding reached in the question of all bodies concerned.

Vancover Rugby. Vancouver, Oct. 18.—Rowing Club ruggerers are two games up in the Miller Cup series by virtue of a 16-0 win over the Bank of Commerce squad on Saturday afternoon. This was the only senior club of the after-noon series. The field at Brockton Point was a little heavy, but nevertheless some excellent play was shown. The Commerce squad gave the Rowers a good run, and the lopsided score only resulted because the Bankers blew up for a short time in the second half.

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RUTH IS DUE FOR GIFT FROM LANDIS

Judge Intends to Punish Slugger For His Infraction of Baseball Rules

Chicago, Oct. 18.—A decision in the Babe Ruth post-season case by Judge K. M. Landis, baseball commissioner, is expected within a few days and the general impression prevailing here to-day was that Ruth would be let off with a suspension long enough to keep him out of a few of next season's games without pay.

Chicago, Oct. 18.—Without specifying what action he will take in the case, Judge K. M. Landis, baseball commissioner, is expected to announce his decision on the Babe Ruth case. Ruth is expected to be let off with a suspension long enough to keep him out of a few of next season's games without pay.

Surprised at Ruth. Judge Landis expressed surprise that a player of Ruth's prominence should openly defy club owners and officials of the game. "In the meanwhile," said the judge, "law abiding baseball players need not have any fear of the law. The law is still in force and what goes up is bound to come down."

Ruth Can Get Job. An offer of \$25,000 for six months' work in the office of the baseball commissioner, William Nissen, prominent Chicago semi-pro club owner, in the event Ruth is barred from organized baseball, Nissen announced today.

Stand By Judge. New York, Oct. 18.—Regret that some Yankee players had violated the rule prohibiting world series contestants from appearing in post-season exhibition games was expressed in a statement issued last night by Col. Jacob Ruppert and by T. L. Huston of the New York Americans. Asserting that the rule had been violated so defiantly that Baseball Commissioner Landis had no alternative but to meet the situation firmly, the statement continues.

THISTLES TO DANCE. On Thursday evening the Thistles Football Club will make merry in the Caledonian Hall. The St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society have invited the footballers and their lady friends to a dance and social evening, starting at 8.45 o'clock.

Times Latest Sporting News

VARSITY RUGGERS PLAN VISIT SOUTH

U.B.C. Star Fifteen May Meet Stanford in California on New Year's Day Team Is Now Re-organizing Its Three-quarter Line, Which Has Lost Hunter

Vancouver, Oct. 18.—Varsity's crack senior squad of ruggerers may go south this winter during the Christmas holidays, according to word from the University student officials. It is definitely settled that Stanford will be here on Christmas Day to play the British Columbia boys in the annual game for the World trophy, and it has been suggested that the local squad should play a return game in Stanford on New Year's Day.

The Cardinal ruggerers were anxious to have the U.B.C. Varsity play in the South last year, but it was found impossible to arrange the series. It is thought that if correspondence gets underway immediately, the return game in the South will become a possibility. It has been suggested that the Cards and the blue and gold squad might play exhibition games in Washington and Oregon universities on the way South, in order to encourage the game in those places.

Barred From City League. The senior "A" squad of University ruggerers has been turning out to practice very faithfully, and they are rapidly rounding into shape. They are barred from playing in the Miller Cup series, but they plan to get one or two exhibition games immediately, to keep in shape. Nearly all of last year's men are available, but a new three-quarter line will be necessary.

KIRKHAM'S WANT TO HAND LEADERS LOSS Weiler's Promised Stiff Game in Wednesday Football League To-morrow

Two soccer games are down for settlement in the Wednesday Football League, the leaders, are to meet Kirkham's at Beacon Hill lower grounds, and the Garrison will meet Spencer's at the same place. The kick-off in each game will be at 3 o'clock.

UP-ISLAND SOCCER. Nanaimo, Oct. 18.—The football game played at Granby on Sunday between Nanaimo City and Granby was won by the former by the score of seven goals to one. Notwithstanding that the score was rather one-sided and the ground was in a slippery condition, it was a hard-fought contest, the Granby players, although outclassed, fought stubbornly until the last.

LOUISVILLE WINS TITLE FROM BALTIMORE TEAM. Baltimore, Oct. 18.—The post-season series between Louisville and Baltimore was brought to a close yesterday, when the American Association champions came out at the long end of an 11 to 5 contest, this giving them the necessary fifth game to clinch the junior world's series.

Rugby Season to Open Saturday; Two Games

Wanderers and Bays to Meet at Oak Bay and Old Boys and Naval College Will Play at Canteen Grounds; Keen Competition For Honors Expected; Intermediate League to Be Formed.

Rugby will get away to a good start here on Saturday afternoon when two games will be played. The J. B. A. A. and Wanderers are billed to meet at Oak Bay Park and the Royal Naval College and the Old Boys will perform at the Canteen Grounds. The games will start at 2.30 o'clock.

An effort is to be made by officials of the Victoria Rugby Union to have His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor kick off at the Bays-Wanderers game. After a great deal of hard work the Rugby Union has at last completed arrangements for the opening of the season. Four of the best teams in the city have been selected to play in the local gridiron.

Expect Big Crowds. The four teams embody a great wealth of material and there will be no doubt a large crowd on the sidelines to see just what the prospects are for a rep. team that will cop the McKechnie Cup this winter from the Mainland champions. The Bays are expected to prove the surprise of the league. They won the championship last year. Lately they have been scoring the high points by way of players and have a long string, including many of their best oarsmen who are being taught the game. The Bays are keen on copying the city honors and they wish to meet the champions of the Vancouver League for the inter-city title.

A New Wanderers' Team. The Wanderers have a great many new faces on their club. They will have the services of many of their veterans who have held them together for so long, but it is expected that many of their youngsters will develop and fill the places of the old stalwarts. The Old Boys have the speed and makings of a great team. Last year they performed splendidly and if they show the same class this winter they will make everyone hustle to keep ahead of them.

Intermediates To Organize. Victoria is to possess an intermediate Rugby League this season. Three clubs, the Old Boys, Wanderers and Bays, have entered and the schedule will be drafted at the next meeting of the Rugby Union. This will give the Capital more rugby teams than it has ever had in its long history. There will be four teams in each the Senior and Junior School leagues, making a total of fifteen teams.

TO REVISE HANDICAPS OF U. S. CLUB PLAYERS. All members of the United Services Golf Club are requested to turn in three cards of 18 holes before November 13 for the purpose of revising handicaps. The officials of the club hope that all members will see that this duty is carried out as early as possible.

ATLANTA RACING. Atlanta, Oct. 18.—The Grand Circuit of 1921 season here was opened by Tommy Murphy increased his earnings when he piloted Roy Grattan to victory in the feature of the card, the 2.95 pace, winning all three heats, the best time being 2.05. The purse was \$2,500. Peter Kennedy, driven by Walter Cox, won the 2.12 pace by taking the last two heats, the best time being 2.05. Kennedy, driven by Pittman, took the 2.09 trot by winning the first and third heats and coming in second in the middle heat.

CURVE BALL STILL BEST SAYS EVERS

Ball With Hook on It Had It On Freck Deliveries in World's Series Johnny Thinks Barnes and Nehf Showed Wonderful Class With Their Curves

New York, Oct. 18.—They have put baseball to bed for the winter with the closing of the world's series. The victorious Giants have received just tribute. The defeated Yankees have been consoled. But there is aftermath worth while recounting. It has to do with curve ball pitching. Let John Evers discourse on it.

"The hook ball had as much to do with the Giants' victory as anything else in the series," said Evers. "It really put the Giants where they are to-day, and if you will go back over the casualty list you will see why. Two spit-ball pitchers worked in the recent series—Phil Douglas and Jack Quinn. But the spitter wasn't as deadly as the curve ball, after all. Jack Quinn couldn't get away with it. Douglas used it only part of the time. Curve With Change.

"The curve ball with a change of pace behind it was the real feature of the series. "Less Barnes and Artie Nehf, who pitched from opposite angles, put the McGraw men over. Both are hoodoos with a curve ball. "Barnes gave a vivid example of curve-ball pitching at its best, for although Barnes used more speed than usual in this series, he depended more on curves than anything else to get him by. They did it. "Nehf Less Hits. "Art Nehf, though he lost two of three games he worked, allowed less hits than any of the other pitchers for that many games. "The aggregate of hits of Barnes and Nehf was held down to the ridiculously small total of twenty-one in five games. "The curve-ball is still supreme. Without it baseball wouldn't be the game it is. The spitter and other freaks of pitching can't compare with the good old 'hook' ball. I've nearly broken my back on many a good curve ball just as Barnes and Nehf did in the recent series. The pitcher who knows where a good curve ball is going doesn't need to know much less."

WINNERS OF U.S. GOLF COMPETITION DECLARED. The monthly competition held at the United Services Golf Club returned Miss Harris as winner of the ladies' prize and Peter Tostevin as victor in the men's section. LEWIS GIVEN DECISION. Columbus, Ohio, Oct. 18.—Ed Vanderlander, former heavy-weight wrestling champion, defeated George Kotsanos of Columbus here last night. Lewis won in one hour 29 minutes, using a headlock. BAYS TO WORKOUT. There will be a general practice for all J. B. A. A. rugby players in the club gymnasium at 7.30 to-night. It is particularly asked that every rugby man of the club turn out and not merely members of the team. JUNIOR FOOTBALLERS GET READY TO-NIGHT. The regular weekly meeting of the Victoria and District Football Association will be held to-night in the Victoria Hotel. A reminder is issued that entries close to-night for the junior league and the Association hopes that some further entries will be received this evening, as it is desired to get the juniors started as soon as possible. CAMBRIDGESHIRE RACE. London, Oct. 18.—(Canadian Press Cable). In the Cambridgeshire Stakes to be run on October 26, the latest betting is 20 to 1 against Placiditas. YARROWS TO MEET. Yarrows football club will hold a workout and meeting to-morrow evening at 7.30 o'clock at the Veterans of France club rooms. All members are asked to attend. BOXING BIFFS. Winnipeg, Oct. 18.—Babe Asher, Chicago A. E. F. champion, outpointed Johnny Erie, St. Paul banister weight, in a fast 15-round bout here last night. Friedman Victor. Philadelphia, Oct. 18.—Sailor Friedman, Chicago, outpointed Mickey Donley, Newark, N. J., in a slow 8-round bout last night. Friedman weighed 135 and Donley 139 pounds. William T. Tilden II, of Philadelphia, national tennis champion, now holds more titles than any other exponent of the racket game. He is world champion by reason of his triumph at Wimbledon, England; the American titleholder, also champion of New Zealand and France, the latter carrying also the world's hard court honor. The Atlanta Express trotter Saika has had thirteen races in fourteen starts.

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Senior Basketball To Stir City This Year

Meeting Called for To-morrow Evening at J. B. A. A. to Organize City Senior League—Dozen Teams Expected to Enter

To discuss the formation of a senior basketball league a meeting of all clubs interested has been called for to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock at the J. B. A. A. It is expected that as a result of the gathering a league will be formed and play started within a couple of weeks.

Many Entries Looked For. It is expected that a dozen teams will enter in this league. The Bays, Y. M. C. A., Huskies, V. I. A., Fifth Regiment and a number of the Sunday school senior teams are looking upon as certain of obtaining franchises. Last year a city senior league was organized towards the close of the season, but it did not give many clubs a chance to organize, and as a result the entries included mostly Sunday school teams, which were in good condition after a long season of play. The First Presbyterians won the title and then met the Towers, champions of Vancouver, for the provincial championship, which they won. Great Old Days. In pre-war days the city senior basketball league provided some of the keenest sport this city has ever known. The games were played in the old drill hall and the roller skating rink which once stood on Fort Street. The Wests, Bays, Fifth Regiment and Y. M. C. A. quintettes fought many stirring battles, and once interest was brought to fever heat by the visit of the Dawson team which made a victorious sweep of the Pacific Coast. In the old days the team which won the Victoria championship entered in the Pacific Coast tournament and many trophies were brought to this city. For some years the Capital was the king pin in Coast basketball. Hold All Titles. It is the desire of the promoters of the new senior league to bring basketball back to its pre-war status. Last year local teams captured every basketball title. This year the ambition is to cop some Coast titles. The Sunday School League has played a wonderful part in the regeneration of the game. Games in the new senior league will likely be played in the Y. M. C. A., J. E. A. A., V. I. A. A. and Armories. These floors are all in good shape and would undoubtedly be taxed to their capacity at all games. The Armories has a splendid gallery for the accommodation of spectators, and will more than likely take a place this winter similar to that of the old drill hall in former years.

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**Oak Bay Council.**—In the financial report of the Oak Bay Council, presented last evening, it was stated that \$20,000 worth of ten-year debentures had matured and had been redeemed. This will bring the amount of debentures redeemed during the year to \$55,000, it was stated. Two letters were read on the one-man car project, one from the B. C. Electric Railway advocating and explaining their use, and another from the street railway employees organization protesting against the use of the single hand car device. The letters were referred to a committee of the whole. Police Chief Syme, in his capacity as fire marshal of Oak Bay reported several innovations in fire prevention, that he wished to see taken up, the matters were referred to a special committee appointed for the revision of the work suggested. Two plans for subdivision of Uplands properties, and one for dividing in Mr. Alexis Martin's property on Bow Bay Road were passed.

**Centennial Forum.**—R. E. Collis will address the Centennial Forum at Centennial Methodist Church next Sunday afternoon on the subject, "The Duty of Citizenship." The forum meetings are attracting wide interest, and there was a large attendance at last week's meeting when W. P. Marchant gave a very excellent address on politics.

**Climbs Fire Escape.**—It was reported to the police to-day that somebody has been entering the Scott Building by means of climbing the fire escape and entering through a trap door on the roof. Some articles of furniture were missing.

### NEWS IN BRIEF

**Court Cameroun.**—Court Cameroun, No. 2233, A. O. F. will hold their anniversary social this evening, to which all Foresters are cordially invited to be present.

**St. Jude's.**—The Rev. John Antle will give a lantern lecture on the work of the Columbia Coast Mission at St. Jude's, Obed Avenue, on Wednesday at 7.30 p.m.

**South Saanich Farmers.**—The regular monthly meeting of the South Saanich Farmers' Institute will be held at the Temperance Hall on Thursday next at 8 p.m. An interesting address on "Fertilizers" will be given.

**Rubbish in Cemetery.**—M. T. Robertson wrote to the City Council last night to complain about rubbish which, he said, was littered over Ross Bay Cemetery. The civic parks committee will investigate the matter.

**Want Lot Conception.**—The City Council was asked by the Victoria and District Cottage Gardeners' Association last night to bring vacant lot conception into force again next year. The matter was referred to the Increased Production Committee.

**Complains of Road.**—The unsatisfactory condition of Esquimalt Road for a short distance west of the Point Ellice Bridge was pointed out to the City Council last night by R. H. Pooley, M. P. P. The matter referred to the chairman of the streets committee and the City Engineer, who were authorized to make minor repairs in the thoroughfare.

**Goat Breeders Meet.**—The regular monthly meeting of the local branch of the B. C. Goat Breeders' Association was held last night in the Y. M. C. A. Major J. P. Hibben, president. The recent goat show at the Fall Fair was declared a great success, and a number of suggestions for improvement were offered. It has been decided that in future "The Bleat" will be the organization's organ.

**G. A. U. V. Meeting.**—Comrade J. MacKenzie presided over last night's meeting of the Grand Army of United Veterans held in their rooms, Langley Street. It was decided to support the amalgamation project in every possible manner. Comrades Eva and McCague, the two delegates to the Provincial command of the organization, presented their report, consideration of which was postponed until the next general meeting. About fifty members were present.

**Calls Aldermen "Things."**—"Do I have to pay \$2 to vote for those things called aldermen?" an indignant lady, the wife of a prominent Victoria clergyman, demanded when she asked City Clerk E. W. Bradley to put her name on the civic voters list. Mr. Bradley said she certainly had to pay and so she handed over the necessary money. Alderman Robert Dewar was standing at the counter and heard the lady's remark. He smiled patiently and walked away.

**"A Journey Through Space."**—Dr. J. S. Plaskett, director of the Dominion Observatory, Saanich, gave his popular illustrated lecture last night on "A Journey Through Space" before a large gathering of members of the Christ Church Cathedral Branch of the Anglican Young People's Society in the Cathedral school-room. The speaker was accorded a hearty vote of thanks as the conclusion of his interesting address. Musical selections given by Miss D. Locke and Mr. Steenson were greatly appreciated. A. R. Morris, president of the society, presided over the meeting.

**Trinity Mission Hall.** Happy Valley Sunday afternoon last, the Harvest Thanksgiving service was conducted by Mr. H. W. Hitchman of Victoria. Mr. Robert Hamilton, also of Victoria, preached a very telling and powerful sermon, based on the text: "How shall we escape if we neglect so great salvation." (Heb. 2:3) They were accompanied by a goodly number of friends, and a very capable choir under the able leadership of Mr. Wilcox. The Thanksgiving offering added the handsome sum of \$29 to the building fund. Efforts are being made towards seeing the Mission Hall completed during the next few months.

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**Rummage Sale—Sunday School Room, corner Humbolt and Blanchard, Thursday, October 20, at 2 p.m.**

**Musical, Sale of Home Cooking, Etc.—Y. W. C. A., Yates Street, on Thursday, October 20, 3-6 p.m. Tea, 25c.**

**MANY BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.**

The Canadian National Railways have just published a circular containing a list of the Business Opportunities offered in principal towns located on its lines in British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Ontario.

There appears to be many openings for blacksmiths, barbers, dentists, millers, hardware stores, garages, pool rooms, jewelers, moving picture theatres, boarding houses, tailors, bakers, milliners, lawyers, veterinary surgeons, etc., etc. Copies of this pamphlet may be had on application to City Ticket Office of the Canadian National Railways, 911 Government Street, Victoria, or to Mr. R. C. W. Lett, General Agent, Industrial and Resources Department, Edmonton, Alta.

**Police Board to Meet.**—The City Police Commission will meet to transact routine business Thursday night, Mayor Porter, chairman of the Commission, announced to-day. "No, there is no excitement in sight," the Mayor answered to queries concerning the business of the meeting.

**Young People's Parliament.**—Tomorrow evening the Young People's Department of the First Presbyterian Church will hold its mid-week meeting commencing at 8 o'clock. The devotional period will be led by Miss Mona Hayes, who will read a paper entitled "Dispensation of Christianity." This will be most helpful and interesting to all. The next part of the programme will consist of the second session of the Young People's Parliament at which Rev. T. Menzies, M.P.P., will be present to guide the proceedings. The speech from the throne will be debated and a new bill introduced entitled the "Highways Act." All young people will be made most heartily welcome, especially strangers in the city.

## TEN NEW SAFETY CARS ARE ORDERED

### B. C. Electric Prepares For One-man Control Transfer

Ten new safety cars, one-man control, have been ordered from the J. G. Brill Company, Preston, Ont., for service on the Victoria street railway system. These cars are of the "Birney" type, 28 feet and half an inch over all in length, eight feet over all in width and equipped with every modern feature of automatic safety control, according to a statement issued to-day by A. T. Goward, local manager of the B. C. Electric Railway.

Special attention has been given to the design of the springs to ensure easy riding qualities under all conditions of passenger load. Mr. Goward states. In the past springs had to be made stiff enough to support the heaviest load the car was likely to carry, with the result a slightly load-ed car did not receive the full cushioning effect of the springs.

The new cars are equipped with the Brill graduated system of springing, which, without going into mechanical details, automatically adjusts itself to the varying conditions of passenger load, ensuring comfortable riding qualities at all times.

Provision also is made to counteract any tendency to side-sway while rounding curves by a special link arrangement on the truck connecting to the car-body at diagonally opposite corners.

**Best Workmanship.**

The specifications call for the best in material and workmanship. All doors, sash, mouldings are to be of cherry and all trimmings of bronze. Mr. Goward states.

The seating arrangement of the cars has been designed to give a maximum of comfort, the seats being thirty inches, wide, sixteen inches wide and set out three inches from the wall.

Destination signs of the latest design and located on the roof of the car will be used. These signs will be readily visible from all directions. A method of illumination will be employed whereby these signs will be distinctly visible during the hours of darkness.

**Safety Devices.**

The automatic safety control features will include the "dead man" control, the pneumatic operation of doors, steps, sanders. The work of converting the present two-men cars for the change in the rule of the road is proceeding simultaneously with that of installing the necessary automatic control appliances for one-man operation.

It is expected to have the first car completed and set for a trial trip by the end of the month, the local manager-announces.

### Dance To-night—Seigers Council

Y. M. I. will dance this evening in the C. Hall, 502 Government Street. Dancing will begin at nine o'clock and continue until one o'clock.

**G. W. V. A. Meeting.**—A general meeting of the G. W. V. A. will be held in the club rooms at 8.15 o'clock, to be preceded by a meeting of the executive at 7 o'clock. Topics to be taken up will be the Asiatic question, and amalgamation.

**Automobile Club Meeting.**—Members of the Victoria Automobile Club are reminded of the meeting to be held in room 312 Pemberton Building to-night at 8 o'clock. Some very important matters are to be brought before the club, and the directors wish for as large an attendance as possible.

### Daughters of St. George.

The Daughters of St. George Lodge No. 53 met last night and held successful business meeting. The sum of \$10 was voted to the hospital ball. Plans were made to hold a social and dance at the next meeting on November 7.

**Burglary Reported.**—Burglars entered the home of Ross Sutherland on Fowl Bay Road last night, and removed a large quantity of silver plate.

**False Alarm Rung.**—A false alarm at box 22, Caledonia Avenue, at 9 o'clock last night gave the fire department a useless run to the scene of the supposed conflagration. The police are investigating.

**Scottish Daughters League.**—The Esquimalt Scottish Daughters' League will hold their second social evening on Friday next, in the Station Club Esquimalt, at 8.30 p.m. Wallace's orchestra has been engaged to supply the music for dancing, and a good time is anticipated. Refreshments will be served.

**Will Give Displays.**—The premises at the northeast corner of View and Broad Streets will be utilized next week by the Victoria Branch of the Navy League in Canada, as their headquarters for a seven-day drive for funds to aid in the work of the Boys' Naval Brigade. The Brigade will give interesting exhibitions of their work in training. The Navy League sets out to raise \$4,000 to carry on this work.

**Hudson's Bay Co. Store.**—In the October issue of the "Beaver" the monthly publication of the Hudson's Bay Company, an interesting article by A. S. Woollard, associate editor, who is with the store here, deals with the opening of the Victoria store. The newest link in the company's chain of stores in Canada. An excellent front page illustration shows the fort built in 1843 by Chief Factor Sir James Douglas, and the new premises here.

**Address on Burma.**—The Rev. J. W. Storey, of Sidney, will give an illustrated lecture in the schoolroom, of the Centennial Methodist Church tomorrow evening, on "Burma: The Land of Paddy and Pagoda." Mr. Storey has spent three and a half years in Burma and has gathered a large collection of hand-painted slides, which, coupled with his own observations, gives one an insight into the habits and customs of that country, not easily obtained otherwise.

**Formed P. T. Association.**—An enthusiastic gathering of residents of the Mease Street district met in the Sir James Douglas School last evening and formed a branch of the

### Headache

Recurring headaches usually come from an exhaustion of the nervous system, and they do not disappear until the vigor of the nerve cells is restored by such building treatment as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Temporary relief by use of enormous expense to the nervous system and the general health.

Get the nerves right and the headaches will not return.

Mrs. W. J. Pearce, Nunn St., Cobourg, Ont., writes:

"My system became run-down and I suffered greatly with pain in head. This was so severe that I would have to bind a cloth tightly about my head so that I could get my work done. A friend advised the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and after taking the first box I found quite an improvement in my condition. I continued using them until I had taken about seven boxes, and they strengthened and built up my system splendidly, completely relieving the pain in my head."

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50c a box, all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.



## A Piano For the Winter Evenings

Winter with its stay-at-home evenings is at hand; now is the time when you should choose that long-promised piano for the home-folks.

At Fletcher Bros. ten of the world's leading pianos await your selection. Headed by the great Steinway you will have a choice of such famous instruments as the Gerhard Heintzman, Nordheimer, Mendelssohn, Cecilian, etc. Prices, on easy terms, from \$425.00

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Plain, figured or spot effects in black or white slip-on veils; regular at 25c each. Special at 2 for ..... 25c

Other qualities of slip-on veils in black, navy, taupe, brown, etc. On sale at 15c, 20c and ..... 25c

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## BICYCLE SALE

40 Bicycles, with new tires	.....\$15.00
20 Bicycles, with new tires	..... 15.00
15 Bicycles, with new tires	..... 21.00
10 Bicycles, with new tires	..... 23.00
5 Bicycles, with new tires	..... 30.00
2 Bicycles, with new tires	..... 35.00

Dunlop's Imperial, and Special Covers, at ..... 2.75

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**Guild of Health.**—Dean Quinlton will deliver the address at the weekly meeting of the Guild of Health in the Cathedral schoolroom on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

**Parent-Teachers' Association.** The following officers were elected: President, A. D. King; vice-president, Ernest Campbell and Miss George; secretary, Mrs. J. V. Boyd; executive, Mrs. Harold Grant, Mrs. Melrose, Mrs. A. E. McFicking, Mrs. George Brown, Messrs. Lancaster and Kenneth Ferguson.

**Car Strikes Auto.**—A serious accident between a Beacon Hill street car and an automobile driving on Menzies Street between Niagara Street and Simcoe Street took place to-day at 9 o'clock. The motor car was driving south along Menzies, when it was caught between the curb and the street car by the latter, and badly smashed up. No persons were injured.

**Game Act Offences.**—In the Provincial Police Court to-day Richard Veness was charged on two counts, one with being in possession of a greater number of grouse than the bag limit of any one day, and the other with having game in a shop. The prosecution is being brought by game warden Gidley; after finding two suit cases full of dead birds in a store on Johnson Street recently, Veness was fined \$30 on the second count, the other charge being dismissed.

**In Police Court.**—One of the largest hauls of opium smoking material from 1708 Government Street was brought in evidence to-day in charges against Lee Dong and Sam Lee in the city police court. Sam Lee was fined \$25, plus \$150 costs, while Lee Dong, who had been previously convicted was given a sentence of three months in jail without the option of a fine—a fact that surprised and pleased the accused so much that he requested the sentence to be altered to a fine—the court remained firm, however, and Dong will be put away for a quarter of a year.

**CRAMPS! CRAMPS! CRAMPS!**

### HOW TO STOP THEM QUICK

When you have cramps, it is a mighty quick relief that you want. Good Old "Nervine" is sure as death to relieve cramps in a hurry. Just a few drops in sweetened water, and the pain is gone. Buy a bottle of trusty old "Nervine" to-day and keep it handy. "Nervine" is a common household necessity, and so useful in case of sudden illness at night, or when cramps, nausea, diarrhoea, vomiting or the like occurs. Sold everywhere in large 25 cents bottles. Adv.







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## THE PURCHASING POWER OF YOUR DOLLAR

Is Fully Emphasized In This Page of Wanted Merchandise

### Aprons for Wednesday Morning Selling

#### Band Aprons at 49c Each

Smart aprons of good quality chambray, circular shape, with white rick-rack braid; in nice, clean looking print, fancy stripes; come in colors of grey, blue and sand, with heavy white embroidery, pocket and belt. Very good values for Wednesday morning's selling, each .... **49c**

#### Kitchen Aprons at 59c Each

Made of good quality washing print, shaped to waist, full skirt length, pocket and band. Wednesday morning's selling, each ..... **59c**

#### Out-Size Overall Aprons at \$1.10 Each

Made of good print in fast colors, fancy stripes and dots, pocket and belt and neck finished with white piping. Wednesday morning's selling, each .... **\$1.10**

#### Flannelette Blouses at \$1.95 Each

In shirt waist style, with convertible collar; white with small stripes in delicate colorings, button front and cuffs. Wednesday morning's selling, each .... **\$1.95**

#### Floral Petticoats at \$2.75 Each

In extra good quality taffetine, black ground with all-over patterns in conventional designs and choice colorings; knee flounce trimmed with groups of pin tucks and knife pleated frill. Wednesday morning's selling ..... **\$2.75**

#### Fall Weight Knickers at 85c

Comfortable to wear and snug fitting, with elastic at waist and knee; colors blue, white and black. Wednesday morning's selling, per pair ..... **85c**

### Women's Black Cashmere Hose at \$1.50 a Pair

All-wool, made in England; full fashioned, with elastic tops, spliced ankles and double toes; in black only; sizes 8½ to 10. Wednesday morning's selling, per pair ..... **\$1.50**



#### Women's Cotton Hose at 39c Pair

Lisle finished; made from strong yarns, seamless, tight knit toes and heels, which saves darning, in black, brown and white; sizes 8½ to 10. Wednesday morning special, per pair ..... **39c**

### SIX QUICK SELLERS FROM THE HARDWARE DEPARTMENT

#### Black Japanned Coal Hods at 75c Each

Only 26 in the lot, but all are slightly dented in transit. They are going Wednesday morning at ..... **75c**

#### Willow Clothes Baskets at \$1.98 Each

The housewife who can appreciate a real snap will be on hand early Wednesday morning for these large Belgian willow clothes baskets; square, size 19 x 36. Wednesday morning selling at each ..... **\$1.98**

#### Kitchen Cannisters

A most useful kitchen necessity, saves the housewife endless trouble; consists of four in set, including tea, coffee, sugar and flour. Wednesday morning's selling, each ..... **\$1.59**



## We Look For a Busy Morning at These Prices

### CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' GLOVES AT \$1.00 A PAIR

A very comfy, warm, brushed wool glove for the chilly days; in white, heather and Lovat. Wednesday morning's selling, per pair ..... **\$1.00**

### CHILDREN'S SWEATERS

In slip-over style, fine rib, with plain knit at waist, V-shape neck or sailor collar, white crochet edge; colors of blue, pink and white; sizes 20 to 24. Wednesday morning's selling, each ..... **\$1.35**

### Boys' Suits at \$7.95 Each

Just enough of these suits for quick morning disposal. These are made from mixture English Tweeds in grey, brown and green mixtures; single breasted belt style; a sensible, sturdy wearing suit; sizes from 7 to 15 years. Wednesday morning's selling ..... **\$7.95**

### Women's Serviceable Walking or Business Oxfords, \$7.50 Pair

Here's an exceptionally good offering in smart Oxfords which should create brisk buying on Wednesday morning. Although the price is so moderate, the quality of these shoes is excellent, and good fitting is guaranteed. They come in black calfskin with medium pointed toe, Goodyear welted sole and smart Cuban heel; an all-round serviceable Oxford for Autumn wear. Wednesday morning's price ..... **\$7.50**



### Men's Dancing Shoes for Wednesday Morning Selling

Our stock of men's evening dancing shoes is now complete and without a doubt comprises the finest assortment to be found in the city. For such high grade quality our prices are exceedingly moderate.

Men's Evening Dress Pumps and Oxfords, made by Church & Co., of Northampton, England; in several smart styles in patent and glace calf. Wednesday morning's price ..... **\$8.50**

Men's Patent Leather Pumps and Oxfords of excellent quality; easy fitting, and will give good service. Wednesday morning's price ..... **\$5.95**

### MEN'S OVERCOATS AT \$17.50 EACH

A most dressy garment, modelled on conservative lines, in a good quality fancy weave grey Tweed; a comfortable fitting and sturdy wearing coat; serviceable lining, loose fitting back; excellent value. Wednesday morning's selling, each ..... **\$17.50**

## OUR READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT

Offers Three Exceptional Morning Values

#### Fur Trimmed Coats at \$39.50 Each

The best coat offer to-day; just opened, being a recent special purchase; in velours and Bolivia cloth in the popular shades of beaver, reindeer, blue, taupe, Pekin and dark brown; trimmed with handsome beaverine or French seal collars; some plain, others embroidered. Wednesday morning's selling, each ..... **\$39.50**

#### Serge Skirts at \$8.95 Each

Serviceable, sturdy serge skirts in pleated styles, narrow belts, trimmed with buttons; in navy and black only. Wednesday morning's selling, each ..... **\$8.95**

#### Smart Dresses at \$25.00 and \$29.50 Each

In materials of suede and English serges in the new silhouette models; smart collars, new sleeves, embroidered in silk. Wednesday morning's selling, each, **\$25.00** to **\$29.50**



## A Special Purchase of Ready-to-Wear Hats for Wednesday Morning

This special offering comprises a number of smart ready-to-wear hats in the newest models. Most of them have soft velvet crowns and rolled brims of duvetyn, and are shown in all the latest shades for Autumn and Winter wear; most useful everyday hats. Price for Wednesday morning, each, from **\$6.00** to ..... **\$7.50**

### BUY A SHIRT TO-MORROW MORNING FOR \$1.95

Men—If you want the best shirt for the money of offering to-day, buy several of these well made cambric negligee shirts in neat stripes; all sizes. Wednesday morning's selling, each ..... **\$1.95**

#### Men's Pyjamas at \$2.39 a Suit

Made from soft, downy English flannelette in neat stripes; well made, and good, comfortable garments. These come also in white; all sizes. Wednesday morning special ..... **\$2.39**

#### Men's Work Shirts at \$1.35 Each

A sturdy shirt to stand hard wear; in a blue chambray, popular for its splendid washing qualities; all sizes. Wednesday morning special, each .. **\$1.35**



### WOOL GLOVES AND GAUNTLETS

#### Women's British Made Scotch Wool Gloves and Gauntlets at \$1.25 a Pair

In flat weave, also brushed wool; come in shades of white, grey, natural and heather mixtures; sizes 6 to 7½. Wednesday morning's selling, pair, **\$1.25**

#### French Suede Gloves at \$2.50 a Pair

The celebrated Marcella make in soft French suede; a most useful glove for all occasions; in colors of grey, tan, brown, black, beaver and mole; two-clasp; best value for the money. Wednesday morning's selling, pair, **\$2.50**

#### Slip-On Veils, 2 for 25c

This new slip-on veil does not require tying or pinning—so easily adjusted; colors black, brown, purple, navy and taupe. Wednesday morning's selling, 2 for **25c**

#### One Price Wednesday

For these suit collars and lace vestees; made in fine nets with Valenciennes or filet lace. Wednesday morning's selling, each ..... **\$1.75**

#### Laces, 10c a Yard

We have gathered together about 800 yards of Torchon, Valenciennes and Filet Lace Edging and Beading. All for quick Wednesday morning's selling, yard .. **10c**

#### Good Lawn Handkerchiefs at 3 for 25c

For every day use, and an economical handkerchief for school children; nice quality Irish lawn; hemstitched edges. Buy them by the dozen. Wednesday morning's selling, 3 for .. **25c**

## Wednesday Morning Offerings From the Staple Department

Which Will Create Brisk Selling

#### Bleached Cotton Sheets at \$2.75 a Pair

Made from sturdy cotton and fully bleached; size 63 x 85. Wednesday morning's selling, per pair, **\$2.75**

#### White Wool Blankets at \$11.95 a Pair

Splendid wearing white wool blankets, woven from thoroughly scoured yarns. These blankets will give you excellent wear; size 62 x 84. Wednesday morning's selling, per pair ..... **\$11.95**

#### Hemmed Pillow Cases at Four for \$1.00

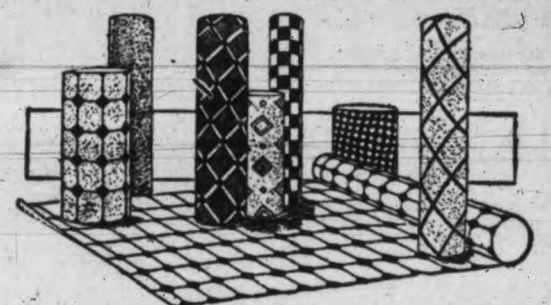
A splendid pillow case at the money; made from excellent quality cotton and fully bleached; 40-inch. Wednesday morning's selling at 4 for ..... **\$1.00**

#### White Huck Towels at 35c Each

100 dozen white huck towels of a splendid Irish make; these towels will launder perfectly, and are excellent values at the prices. Wednesday morning's selling at, each ..... **35c**

#### 1,000 Yards Canadian Flannelette at 19c a Yard

In a good, soft weave, close texture, in stripe flannelette; suitable for nightgowns, pyjamas and undergarments; 36 inches wide. Wednesday morning's selling, per yard ..... **19c**



### 400 YARDS HEAVY PRINTED LINOLEUM AT 98c A SQUARE YARD

In a selection of block and floral patterns; 6 feet wide; splendid quality cork base, and a well finished surface; will give good wearing satisfaction. Wednesday morning's selling, per square yard ..... **98c**

#### 100 Cocoa Door Mats at 89c Each

In close weave, diamond back heavy cocoa mat; size 14 x 24. Wednesday morning's selling, each ..... **89c**

#### Silkline Chints at 23c a Yard

300 yards of Silkline in floral design, for side curtains, cushion and comforter coverings; 56 inches wide. Just enough for quick selling Wednesday morning, per yard ..... **23c**

#### Art Cretonnes at 29c a Yard

About 300 yards for speedy selling; in a good collection of designs and colorings; very appropriate for loose covers and side drapes. Wednesday morning—per yard ..... **29c**

## "Seal of Quality" Groceries and Provisions

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| Del Monte Pork and Beans in Tomato Sauce, No. 2½ tins, 3 for ..... <b>69c</b> | Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes, 3 for ..... <b>35c</b>       |
| Del Monte Pork and Beans in Tomato Sauce, No. 2 tins, 5 for ..... <b>90c</b>  | Pacific Sterilized Milk, tall tins, 3 for ..... <b>37c</b>  |
| Quaker Brand Sweet Corn, No. 2 tins, 5 for ..... <b>95c</b>                   | Crown Brand Norwegian Sardines, 3 for ..... <b>55c</b>      |
| Quaker Brand Tomatoes, No. 2½ tins, 3 for ..... <b>57c</b>                    | Cooper's Marmalade, 4-pound tins, each ..... <b>65c</b>     |
| Quaker Brand Standard Peas, 3 for ..... <b>50c</b>                            | Clark's Tomato Ketchup, two bottles for ..... <b>59c</b>    |
| Sockeye Salmon, ¼-lb. tins, 4 for ..... <b>95c</b>                            | Empress Jelly Powders, all flavors, 3 for ..... <b>25c</b>  |
|   | Jello Powders, all flavors, 3 for ..... <b>35c</b>          |
|   | Faultless Brand Preserved Pineapple, 3 for ..... <b>65c</b> |

## Family Drug Needs

Six Extra Special Items

The following useful drug requisites are bottled by our own druggist in accordance with pharmaceutical requirements, and we guarantee only purest ingredients are used in their preparation.

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| Oil of Eucalyptus, 1½-ounce bottle; Wednesday morning's selling ..... <b>19c</b>                       | Pure Glycerine, 4-ounce bottle, Wednesday morning's selling ..... <b>19c</b>  |
| Glycerine and Rose Water, 5-ounce bottle, Wednesday morning's selling ..... <b>19c</b>                 | Witch Hazel, 5-ounce bottle, Wednesday morning's selling ..... <b>19c</b>     |
| Glycerine, Rose Water and Carbolic, 5-ounce bottle, Wednesday morning's selling, each ..... <b>19c</b> | Camphorated Oil, 2-ounce bottle, Wednesday morning's selling ..... <b>19c</b> |



# Along the Waterfront

SHIPPING NEWS

FROM DAY TO DAY

## EMPRESS OF JAPAN HELD FOR REPAIRS

### Re-tubing of Ship's Boilers Will Delay Departure Until Saturday

The liner Empress of Japan, of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., has been slightly delayed in her departure for the Orient owing to the decision of the company to complete the work of re-tubing the vessel's boilers, it was reported here today.

The liner was scheduled to sail for the Far East to-day, but in view of the nature of the work being carried out, she will be delayed on this coast four days, clearing on Saturday next for Yokohama and Hongkong.

It is significant that although the Empress of Japan has been operating on the Pacific for the past thirty years, she still carries her original boilers which speaks for the excellence of the work of the British builders.

It is customary for refitting work to be done on the Empress liners when at Hongkong, but on this occasion, although the repairs are comparatively slight, the work was authorized to be effected on this side of the Pacific.

The Empress of Japan is taking out a full cargo on her forthcoming voyage to the Orient, and she will also have a good list of passengers.

The liner Montague, of the same fleet, is reported to have reached Yokohama on Saturday.

## FRENCH SERVICE TO PACIFIC COAST

### Compagnie Generale Transatlantique Opens Schedule With Three Ships

Seattle, Oct. 18.—Following the steamship Honduras, first of the new service to be started to this coast by the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique (the French Line), which vessel is due here November 15, will be the steamships Mississippi and St. Joseph, according to advices reaching local agents.

The French Line proposes to maintain a monthly sailing from Pacific Coast ports to Bordeaux, Havre, Antwerp and Hamburg, with calls at North Europe ports where freight offerings in sufficient quantities may warrant.

The Mississippi will sail from Bordeaux for this coast October 25, putting her on berth here for early December, and the steamship St. Joseph, the third vessel, will leave Bordeaux November 10, to be here for early January loading.

A fourth vessel is to be added to the fleet, which will insure monthly sailings at both ends of the service.

## SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B. C., for the month of October, 1921:

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	
Hour	Min.	Hour	Min.
1	6:19	5:42	
2	6:20	5:41	
3	6:21	5:40	
4	6:22	5:39	
5	6:23	5:38	
6	6:24	5:37	
7	6:25	5:36	
8	6:26	5:35	
9	6:27	5:34	
10	6:28	5:33	
11	6:29	5:32	
12	6:30	5:31	
13	6:31	5:30	
14	6:32	5:29	
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16	6:34	5:27	
17	6:35	5:26	
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19	6:37	5:24	
20	6:38	5:23	
21	6:39	5:22	
22	6:40	5:21	
23	6:41	5:20	
24	6:42	5:19	
25	6:43	5:18	
26	6:44	5:17	
27	6:45	5:16	
28	6:46	5:15	
29	6:47	5:14	
30	6:48	5:13	
31	6:49	5:12	

## KASHIMA MARU WILL SAIL NOVEMBER 13

The N. Y. K. liner Kashima Maru, which is bringing the Japanese disarmament delegation to the Washington conference, and is due to make this port October 28, will sail on the return voyage to the Orient on November 13, instead of November 18, as scheduled, it was announced today by W. R. Dale, local agent.

## CITY OF VICTORIA COMES TO DRYDOCK

### Ship Will Be Floated Out Tomorrow for Overhaul by Yarrows, Ltd.

Preparatory to again being put into commission after being laid up at Vancouver for some months, the S. S. City of Victoria, built and owned by the Coughlan interests, this morning arrived from Vancouver to enter drydock here.

The City of Victoria is moored near the drydock and will be floated into the graving basin early tomorrow morning for cleaning and painting.

Yarrows, Ltd., of Esquimalt, will have charge of the drydocking, and will carry out the overhauling operations.

The steamer Leebro was hauled out on the marine ways at Yarrows, Ltd., last evening for overhaul and minor repairs.

Progress on Crib. Yarrows, Ltd., are making excellent progress on the timber and reinforced concrete cribs which the Esquimalt firm is building for the substructure of the new drydock wharf.

The third crib was completed on Saturday and Monday and by the beginning of next week will be ready for launching. The fourth crib is now well under way.

## A STUDY OF OLD AGE

Is always interesting, and reveals the fact that the blood is usually thin and lacking in the strengthening properties of young folks' blood. If you want to fill your blood with the fire of youth, build up your strength, restore your nerves, just use Dr. Hamilton's Pills. This wonderful medicine is a grand system regulator. Keeps the bowels in good condition, restores the body free of waste and impurities. For young and old the use of Dr. Hamilton's Pills is recommended. At all dealers or The Cataract Co., Montreal. (Adv.)

## M'ICKEN PREDICTS BIG ALASKA TRAVEL

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 18.—E. G. McKicken, passenger traffic manager, and C. O. Hirschberg, formerly Admiral Line agent at Skagway, who has been transferred to Portland, Ore., as traveling agent, both predict a big tourist season for Alaska next year.

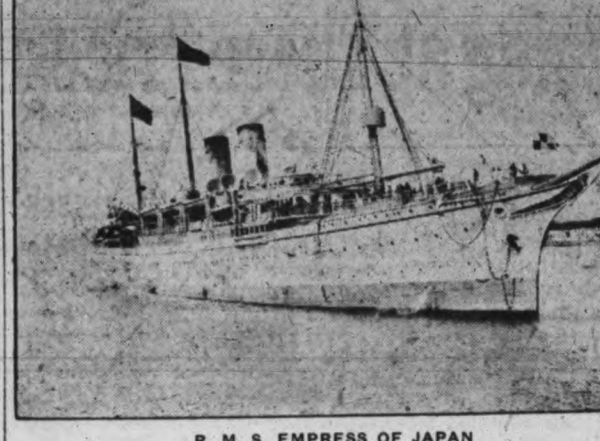
Mr. McKicken is in the East, where he went to attend a national conference of passenger traffic officials. At this conference, held in Chicago, the fact was brought out that passenger rates a force between Seattle and Alaska are a great deal lower than the rates in force between Seattle and California, or those prevailing for any water trip beginning at other American ports. In some cases, it was stated, a comparison showed a difference amounting approximately to 49 per cent. in favor of Alaska.

## MELVILLE DOLLAR ARRIVES

The Dollar Line freighter Melville Dollar, bound from New York for Vancouver via the Panama Canal, reached William Head this morning, and after picking up her mainland pilot, proceeded up the Gulf.

## Clipper Delayed on Outward Trip

The clipper ship Mafalda, which was scheduled to sail for the Orient on Saturday, has been delayed on this coast four days, clearing on Saturday next for Yokohama and Hongkong.



R. M. S. EMPRESS OF JAPAN

## OCCUPATION OF SANTO DOMINGO

### American Military Control May Continue Indefinitely, Says Judge Ostrand

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 18.—Through an unusual and entirely unintentional coalition of diametrically opposed political forces, the tenure of the United States military occupation of the island republic of Santo Domingo is likely to continue indefinitely, according to Judge James A. Ostrand, of Manila, who is returning home on the Admiral liner Wenatchee to assume his place on the supreme bench of the Philippines, after having served a year and a half as chief justice of the Dominican land court.

The conservatives of Santo Domingo oppose immediate evacuation by the United States on the ground that it is impossible at present to establish and maintain a stable independent government, while the radical elements are violently opposing the negotiation of a treaty of evacuation as proposed by the military governor, for the reason that they see an opportunity to lay claim to about \$50,000,000 damages on account of the occupation, provided the acts of the military government are not ratified or validated.

Judge Ostrand, who presided in the court of first instance at Manila in the two-year case, was summoned to Santo Domingo to organize a land court which had been created in an effort to bring some semblance of order out of the chaos involving land titles throughout the island. This work is only partially completed, but has been suspended on account of a lack of funds. Judge Ostrand recently received an appointment as one of the nine justices of the Philippine Supreme Court. He is a native of Minnesota, and went to Manila twenty-two years ago.

The present interesting political situation in Santo Domingo developed shortly after the military government issued a proclamation calling an election for the choice of members of the Dominican Senate and House of Deputies, who in turn were to select plenipotentiaries to negotiate the treaty of evacuation. One of the main points of the agenda was a proposal to ratify the acts of the military government.

Radical elements at once formed an anti-election league, issued manifestoes violently attacking the administration of island affairs, and so far succeeded in preventing an election. And until such an election is held and a treaty negotiated, the United States probably will maintain the position it assumed in the republic during the turbulent period of 1918.

## DESTINATION MAY YET BE ALTERED

### Ship Mafalda Likely to Carry Construction Gear to Another Contract

Although the full-rigged ship Mafalda is at the present time destined to deliver her cargo of breakwater construction equipment at London, England, it is on the cards that her scheduled itinerary may be changed before she finally puts to sea.

The British engineering firm of Sir John Jackson, Ltd., have various new construction projects in contemplation in various parts of the world, and it is impossible at present to establish closed in the meantime, the Mafalda may be diverted to another destination, even after she clears from Victoria for London.

The work of loading the Mafalda with heavy construction gear is proceeding slowly, the cumbersome nature of the equipment is not conducive to rapid loading. The Mafalda, an old Norwegian vessel, was purchased by the Sir John Jackson firm as an economical means of shipping the equipment used here in connection with the construction of the Ogden Point breakwater, back to England.

It is not expected that the Mafalda will be ready to put to sea before the end of the year.

## TOURIST MANAGER LEAVES CUNARD

Harley J. Dickinson, for the past four years in charge of the tourist department of the Cunard Line, has resigned his position with the company to accept the post of general manager with Frank C. Clark, organizer of cruises to the West Indies, the Mediterranean and around the world. Mr. Dickinson has had an experience covering twenty-five years in the tourist business. He conducted the famous cruise to the Mediterranean, Egypt and the Holy Land by the Cunard Steamship Laconia in 1913. He also assisted in the booking of twelve hundred Rotarians who sailed last spring on the Caronia and Cameronia for the International Convention in Edinburgh, Scotland.

## VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Baltic, at New York from Liverpool. Kronland, at New York from Liverpool. Megantic, at Liverpool from New York. Frederick VII., at Christiania from New York. Tunisian, at Glasgow from Montreal. Seattle, Oct. 17.—Arrived: Osum, San Francisco; Sailed: Northumberland, Glasgow; Hattie Luckenbach, Mobile; Admiral Schley, Los Angeles via San Francisco. Portland, Oct. 18.—Arrived: Rose City, Daisy Putnam, San Francisco; Cape Romani, Mobile; Sailed: Providencia, Winslow. San Francisco, Oct. 17.—Arrived: Noorderdyke, Tacoma; Sailed: Port Angeles; Charles Nelson, Port Angeles; Alaskan, Portland; West Camah, Sydney; Sailed: Benjamin Brewster, Talara, Peru; Tenyo Maru, Hongkong; Teba Maru, Yokohama; Albion, Albion; Daisy Gadsby, Grays Harbor. Seattle, Oct. 17.—Arrived: Nle, San Francisco. Yokohama, Oct. 15.—Arrived: Montague, Vancouver. Hongkong, Oct. 15.—Arrived: Suwa Maru, Tacoma; Persia Maru, San Francisco. Liverpool, Oct. 15.—Arrived: Steel Mariner, Tacoma. Greenock, Oct. 16.—Arrived: Myrmidon, Seattle. Copenhagen, Oct. 11.—Sailed: Indian, San Francisco. Norfolk, Oct. 15.—Arrived: Vancouver, Portland; Reuben, Astoria; Anglesia, San Francisco. London, Oct. 16.—Arrived: Chancellor, San Francisco. Belfast, Oct. 17.—Arrived: Atlantic Maru, Portland, Ore.

## CANADIAN WIRELESS GOVERNMENT REPORT

Point Grey—Misty; calm; 30.20; 42; sea smooth. Cape Lazo—Overcast; calm; 30.12; 42; sea smooth. Estevan—Overcast; calm; 29.98; 49; sea moderate. Spoke str West Keats, 7.10 p. m.; 5.75 miles from North Head; spoke str Admiral Schley, 10.30 p. m., passing out at Tatoosh, southbound; spoke str Wilhelmnia, 11.50 p. m., Honolulu for San Francisco, 5 p. m., 1.59 miles from San Francisco; spoke str Wenatchee, 11.50 p. m., Seattle for Yokohama, 8 p. m.; lat. 51.38; long. 139.12 W.; spoke str Yokohama Maru, 8 p. m., 1.46 miles from Yokohama, 8 p. m.; lat. 35.27 N., long. 133.36 W. Alert Bay—Overcast; S. E. light; 30.16; 48; sea smooth. Bull Harbor—Cloudy; S. E. fresh; 30.02; 51; sea moderate. Spoke M. S. Apex, Lama Pass, northbound. Dead Tree Point—Clear; calm; 29.97; 34; sea smooth. Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; 29.82; 41; sea moderate.

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## THE DEAN'S RETORT

The other day Dr. Harner, the Bishop of Rochester, was saying how he disliked the word "board," and he then recalled a conversation between a Dean and a Free Churchman. "I would not be under a Bench of Bishops," the latter remarked. "What are you under, then?" questioned the Dean. "A Board," replied the Free Churchman. "Well," said the Dean, "what is a Board but a Bench without a leg to stand on?"—Tit-Bits.

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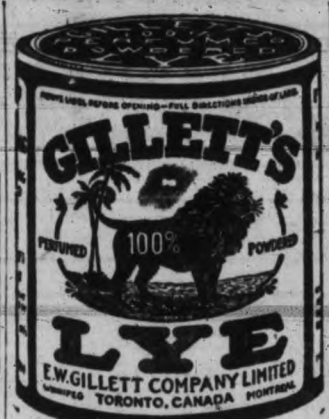
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These glimpses should give some impression of the heavy and varied role of the villainess and it is safe to say that the Dramatic Society could not have done better than to choose Mrs. Fred Healy for the part.

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"You will realize that in this game the situation changes rapidly, and that the dropping of drugs overboard from ships in the areas that we have closely patrolled. But I believe, now that we have closed to this traffic, we must expect efforts to continue drug smuggling at some new point, even further distant. And to completely assure ourselves that we have effectively blocked the disposing of drugs en route, our air patrols should be regularly carried out when daylight and weather permit, by the Jericho station, and whenever deep-sea liners from the Orient are coming in, they should be usually 'sitting on top' on the lookout."

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Before the "arduous" work of the campaign begins the members and their friends who are supporting William McK. Ivel as the Liberal candidate for Victoria, gave over an evening to enjoyment and to-morrow night, with the meeting of the central executive the serious work will begin.

THREE HUNDRED PRESENT

There were over three hundred people present at last night's affair, and everyone thoroughly enjoyed every moment of the entertainment.

Those who did not dance played cards and the happy throng were loath to leave when the dancing was brought to a close at one o'clock this morning.

THANKS TO LADIES

The highest praise is due the lady members for the excellent repast that was served, after which dancing was again resumed and to carry out a close with the singing of the National Anthem.

A good sum was realized from the entertainment which will go toward the campaign fund.

LOCAL PILOT IS MENTIONED IN AIR MINISTRY REPORT

Pilot Navigator W. H. Brown, M.C., Doing Good Work at B.C. Air Station

Vancouver, Oct. 18.—General progress report No. 8, covering the activities of the Canada Air Board during June and July, which are published in the "Air Ministry Report," mentions some interesting sidelights on the work of the seaplanes from the Jericho Air Station in the prevention of drug smuggling in the Pacific Coast, where seaplanes have been placed at the disposal of the customs officers in their fight against the dope smugglers.

"Further reports from the Jericho Beach Air Station give evidence of the increasing success of the anti-smuggling campaign."

"I am pleased to state that following my two trips to Nanaimo by plane one longshoreman was apprehended at the smugling shore about \$1,500 worth of opium from the S.S. receiving new information, I radically change our plans at the last minute, and because of the short time it was only possible to do so by making the trip by plane."

"The actual taking of the longshoreman, while very gratifying in itself, is not nearly as important as the fact that we have discovered this point and the method of smuggling. We have realized for some time past that the dope smugglers had adopted some new method other than Vancouver for illicitly landing their drugs, these later finding their way to Vancouver, and we now feel that the second round of this campaign has been won."

"You will realize that in this game the situation changes rapidly, and that the dropping of drugs overboard from ships in the areas that we have closely patrolled. But I believe, now that we have closed to this traffic, we must expect efforts to continue drug smuggling at some new point, even further distant. And to completely assure ourselves that we have effectively blocked the disposing of drugs en route, our air patrols should be regularly carried out when daylight and weather permit, by the Jericho station, and whenever deep-sea liners from the Orient are coming in, they should be usually 'sitting on top' on the lookout."

"Flying is revolutionizing the game of primary reconnaissance. You can readily understand, where triangles of very long sides are being picked out over a high range of mountains, what an awful business it is, without an adequate view of the country, to pick out a point that will give the proper strength of figure. Ordinarily it is a labor that sometimes lasts for months without getting very far, but by this

method, where the whole country is spread out before you, it is simply revolutionary, as far as this particular survey work is concerned; and this is important work, as it is the basis for all future survey work.

An example of the time saved by planes is also given in the letter, as follows:

"The last point we landed at was Jones Lake, near the Cham Peaks, a range of magnificent mountains up to 7,000 feet. The lake is at 2,900 feet, and our landing point, near the peaks, was at 6,400 feet, which left 4,500 feet of climb for the machines to negotiate. We were in position and climbed the peak and down again in two days, a feat we could not ordinarily have done on foot in less than a fortnight with luck. The great advantage in transport by air is that no good weather is really lost in getting to your point."

Pilot Harry Brown, M.C., is a Victoria boy and well known in local aeronautical circles, being one of the first R. A. F. pilots to fly in this city upon the cessation of the war.

VETERAN LIBERAL PRESIDES AT CLUB

James S. Murray is Campaign Organizer; Executive Meeting

James S. Murray, better known to his many friends as "Jim," is now presiding over the affairs of the Liberal Association as campaign organizer, and his popularity and ability will insure a great measure of success for the candidature of William McK. Ivel, representing the Liberals in the Victoria riding.

Mr. Murray was organizer with H. E. A. Courtney eighteen years ago when the Young Liberal Club first made Liberalism a distinctive factor in the public affairs of the city.

The Liberal Club is open every day, and evening, and Mr. Murray will attend to greet Liberal friends and give them such information as they may require in regard to the Voters' List, registering and other features.

EXECUTIVE TO-NIGHT

The first meeting of the new Central Liberal Executive will be held in the club rooms at 8 o'clock to-night, and a full attendance of members is requested in order that the final arrangements and the striking of the campaign in support of Mr. Ivel may be consummated.

The greatest feeling of confidence prevails among the Liberals that Mr. Ivel will be returned. "The people learned some time ago that there was ample reason for a change of Government at Ottawa. Another con-



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Frank Burnett, Sr., has spent this year in Peru and other parts of South America, and will embody his adventures in book form. Francis Dickson, now living at Heriot Bay, and long known to magazine readers as a writer of short stories has written an animal story of book length entitled "King of the Barrens" which is to be published next Spring.

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Marjorie L. C. Pickett has been a resident of Victoria for over two years and may be claimed as a British Columbia writer. Her latest novel "The Scenic" is the first of a series which will appear serially in this year's "Everybody's Magazine" and later will be published in book form. This writer's third book of verse is also in the hands of her publishers. Miss Pickett is a regular contributor to the "Window-Gazer" and other English magazines, and her work is attracting international attention.

Mrs. Evah McKowan, of Cranbrook, who has made many friends among the reading public as author of "The Valley of the Windmills" and "Graydon of the Windmills," is writing another story of life in the Pacific Coast Province, but it will not be ready for publication until next year.

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Robert Watson's new book "Spillings of the Valley" has just been issued from the press. It is a western story of distinctive type, fast moving and humorous and deals with conditions of the valley of the Okanagan Valley. This is Mr. Watson's fourth novel and readers will find him at his best in this stirring romance of our own province.

Another British Columbia author, R. M. Eassie, has a book of verse ready for publication dealing mainly with the original characters connected with the logging camps in this province. Mr. Eassie's first book "Odes to Trifles" was published in England and Canada a few years ago. Frederick Niven, of Nelson, author of "A Tale That is Told," "S. S. Clary," etc., has been writing articles for English and American magazines and will not have a new book this year.

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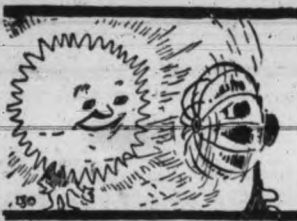
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## COUNCIL, TANGLED UP, FAILS TO ACT ON ONE-MAN CARS

### Five-cent Fare and Probe Plans Both Quashed

### Reduced Costs Should Reduce Fares, Aldermen, Contend

The City Council attempted last night to grapple with the one-man street car problem and got so tangled up in a mass of words and resolutions that it failed even to pass a motion on the subject.

Minority forces led by Alderman Robert Dinsdale attempted to get through a resolution demanding the return of a five-cent car fare if one-man cars were put into operation here. Another faction, headed by Alderman E. S. Woodward, strove to have a committee appointed to negotiate on the one-man car question with the B. C. Electric Railway Company. Ballots on these proposals were so confusing that no one realized what had happened until Mayor Porter, after counting the votes again and again, declared both motions defeated.

Alderman Dinsdale's motion, framed after the alderman had returned from an inspection of the one-man cars in operation in Seattle, ran as follows: "Whereas the B. C. Electric Railway is contemplating bringing into effect the use of one-man cars in the city of Victoria, thus throwing out of employment a very large number of men, which would aggravate the already serious unemployment conditions—

"And whereas such action on the part of the company would, in the opinion of the council, bring about a less efficient service to the public, and reduce its operating expenses to such an extent as to permit of a reduction in the fares charged.

"Therefore be it resolved that in the opinion of this council, the five-cent car fare should again be restored, if the contemplated action of the company should be carried into effect."

**Wants 5-Cent Fare.**  
Alderman Dinsdale described Seattle's one-man cars and said that there was a vigorous agitation for the return of the five-cent fare proceeding in the Sound City. "I have no doubt we shall have one-man cars here but if we do we should certainly have the one-man fare of five cents," he declared. One-man cars, he said, were cheaply operated in Seattle.

"We are justified in asking for a five-cent fare if one-man cars are used," said Alderman Fullerton, who seconded the Dinsdale motion. "If they put on a five-cent fare with transfers they will reap a greater benefit than they do with the six-cent fare because people won't pay six cents for a ride. The Hamilton jitneys show this by taking all the traffic on their line practically."

**Wants Investigation.**  
The Woodward resolution, seconded by Alderman Dewar, was as follows: "Whereas the B. C. Electric Railway has announced its intention to institute certain changes in the operation of its car service.

"And whereas these changes vitally affect the comfort and safety of the citizens of Victoria.

"And whereas the said changes were not contemplated by this Council when it agreed into the agreement now in force between the company and the Council.

"Therefore, be it resolved that it is expedient to appoint a special committee to investigate and report the desirability of the said changes and to suggest what steps may be made necessary to protect the best interests of this community, and that in the meantime the company be requested to take no further steps towards the installation of the one-man cars."

**Opposes Small Cars.**  
Alderman Dewar could not see how one man could operate a street car as efficiently as two men. If cars were not operated more slowly by one man they would be operated to the danger of the public, he believed. The volume of business done by the Electric Railway Company now, he admitted, was not like that of eight months ago, but conditions were bound to improve, he thought.

**Should Protect Capital.**  
"Industries have got to be protected and we must be careful. There is a lot of money invested in the electric railway," Alderman Harvey warned.

"I cannot see how one man can operate a car in the congestion of rush hours with the same safety to the public as two men can or with the same expedition," said Alderman Sargent.

**Hears of Government Action.**  
"I was told to-day that the Government had passed an Order-in-Council allowing the use of the one-man car," Alderman Sargent announced.

Mayor Porter said that he had been assured by public officials in cities east of the Rockies that one-man cars were satisfactory. "I thought they were slower than the Victoria cars, however," he added. "I think the six-cent fare with a transfer is better than the five-cent fare."

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ity of two now, however," he observed. The Woodward motion was put to the Council. The count was taken several times and finally the Mayor declared the motion defeated, 5 to 4. Angry protests and loud argument preceded the ruling of the Mayor that the Dinsdale motion also had been defeated.

## NO PENSIONS FOR CITY'S EMPLOYEES

### Turn Down Superannuation Scheme for This Year

Pensions for civic employees will not go into force here this year, the City Council decided last night. The proposal that the B. C. Superannuation Act be made to apply to civic departments was referred to the 1922 Council.

The Civic Finance Committee thrashed out the pension scheme yesterday afternoon and turned it down. Its attitude was endorsed by the Council.

"In view of the statement received from the City Comptroller, which shows the total contribution covering the Pension Fund for all departments, amounting to some \$15,000 yearly," said the Finance Committee's report, "it is inadvisable at present, owing to the city's finances, to adopt a scheme of superannuation for all employees, and we therefore recommend that this matter be referred to the 1922 Council."

**Police Wage Increase.**  
"The police are willing to allow their recent wage raise go to the pension scheme so that it would cost the city very little," Alderman Woodward pointed out to put the pension scheme into effect in the police Department. "It is an excellent opportunity to put the scheme into effect. If we wait for a better opportunity we'll wait a long time. Here is a scheme to start pensions at practically no expense to the city."

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## POLICE SPONSORING DANCING FLOOR FOR COMMUNITY CENTRE

T. Catterall & Co., contractors, have been awarded the contract for laying of the new floor in the Drill Hall, at the expense of the Victoria Police Mutual Benefit Association, at a cost approximating \$1,500. The work is now proceeding under the supervision of the Canadian Engineers, permission having been granted for the police to lay the dancing floor for the forthcoming annual ball, to take place November 24. Chief Fry explained to The Times to-day that the decision to forego the Agricultural Hall at the Willows was due solely to the fact that the police wish to give valuable aid to the community centre project by the new arrangement, and that the use of the Agricultural Hall had been very much appreciated by the department in former years, but now it was felt that putting a dancing floor in the community centre, it would be giving valuable aid to that project, and at the same time help to stage the annual police ball in a manner that was more in keeping with the generous patronage attending the police functions.

**DR. TOLMIE TO GET MORE WOODEN SHIPS**  
Minister Says He Can Obtain Building of One; Maybe Two, Here

The Hon. S. F. Tolmie last night told his supporters at N. L. & C. headquarters that he believes that he can induce the Government to build at least one more barkentine here, at perhaps two. He said the barkentines would be similar to those contracted for by the Victoria Shipowners' Co.

Dr. Tolmie said that he is taking steps to have Hospital Rock in the Inner Harbor removed in order to improve navigation, and this will provide work for a number of men. He urged Victoria to get busy and devise some plan to use the \$5,000,000 Outer Docks, which have been built by the Government. He said that D. B. Hanna, head of the Canadian National Railways, says his company will co-operate with Victoria in any plan feasible.

**Tells of Drydock Charges.**  
The Esquimalt drydock is now actually under way, Dr. Tolmie said, and it will do more for the upbuilding of industry here than anything else.

Dr. Tolmie took up the question of drydock charges here explaining that while at Prince Rupert he received a wire from Norman Yarrow, telling how repair work on the Ariscon had been lost to this community because the drydock rates were prohibitively high. He immediately telegraphed Ottawa, but in the meantime Ottawa had replied to Mr. Yarrow. Dr. Tolmie said he did not know how much the high charges had to do with the transfer of the repair job to United States firms, but it was unfortunate that that ship was taken away at a time when unemployment was acute. He said he proposed immediately to take the matter up with Ottawa, for undoubtedly it was necessary that

## NAVY LEAGUE IS APPEALING FOR PUBLIC SUPPORT

### Want Aid in Carrying on Boys' Naval Brigade

### Successful Concert Staged Last Evening

"If you want Canadian men in Canadian ships, get behind us next Tuesday night," the secretary of the Victoria branch of the Navy League of Canada, at the Boys' Naval Brigade concert in the Princess Theatre last night. "We are out for \$4,000 to permit us to carry on the splendid work being done by the Boys' Naval Brigade. We get nothing from either the provincial or federal governments, and if you want this work carried on get behind us, and the government will see what is your wish and aid in this matter."

**A Change of Heart.**  
"We hold the record for the work accomplished by the Navy League in Canada throughout the Dominion," continued the speaker. "Last year two boys were wanted for the Canadian Importer, and it was with the greatest difficulty that we could get the boys and then get their parents to consent to the boys going to sea. Now we have over fifty boys at sea, and even that is not all. It is very hard to have to disappoint the numbers of eager applicants we have for the post. That means educational work to our credit, and we are proud to help the boys and their parents to the honor of the British merchant service and the manliness of the calling of the sea."

**Praises Bandmaster.**  
"We have 110 boys on our roll and we could take 200 more. We have found that that is an easy number to train. From the commanding officer down the instructors give two nights a week to the training of the boys, and all this service is voluntary. The band which you see and hear here to-night is due solely to the energy and patience of Mr. Albert Rumsby, who has brought it to this pitch of perfection from a very unpromising start. We want your aid in carrying on this work, in training Canadian boys for Canadian ships. It is the ambition of the Navy League within the next twelve months to make the Canadian marine 100 per cent. Canadian manned, and we want your support in this work to do this."

In opening the concert W. H. Langley, president of the Victoria branch of the Navy League in Canada, announced that the organization would put on a drive for funds and that the concert had been called to show the public what the boys of the Boys' Naval Brigade could do, and enlist the assistance of all.

**Help the Boys!**  
"The Boys' Naval Brigade is training boys for the sea, and in such a manner that they can take their place on ships with any other boys the world over. In the last twelve months fifty boys from Victoria alone have taken up the career of the sea—and everyone of these is a traveling propagandist for the home town. Several of them have been around the world. The Navy League stands for a Canadian merchant marine," he stated. "No country ever prospered on imports and exports. We must have export trade, and we must have our goods carried in and out by Canadian ships, Canadian manned."

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Victoria should be on a basis where it can compete with American firms. Up until now Yarrow had been able to face such competition, thereby securing work for local residents. The dock rates, Dr. Tolmie said, had been raised during the time Hon. F. B. Carvell was Minister, and at that time he had pointed out the difficulty of competing with United States yards, but the Minister had held that the dock should be put on a paying basis. In view of the fact that there are sixteen yards on the American side, it was apparent that this competition must be met.

**URGES SALE OF ELK LAKE WATERSHED LAND**  
But Council Rejects Aitken Plan; Act Cautiously

Sale of the city's Elk Lake watershed area to avoid further trouble with Saanich over the property was urged upon the City Council last night by Alderman A. M. Aitken. The Council, however, decided to act cautiously in its present Elk Lake dispute with Saanich. It referred to its representatives on the Victoria-Saanich Beaches and Parks Committee to go into the question—they are familiar with it," Alderman Fullerton suggested.

"Let us sell it and get rid of it," Alderman Aitken urged.

"That would suit me fine," Alderman Sangster remarked.

"They say they are willing to forego taxation on Elk Lake if we call it a park," Alderman Sargent pointed out. "Mount Douglas is a park, and yet we pay taxes on it. Why don't they start tax exemption out there?"

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