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CLAIM THEY HAVE ENTERED SERBIA

Germans State Austro-German Forces Have Crossed Drina, Save and Danube

NEW PHASE OF THE GREAT WORLD WAR

No News Has Come Yet of Bulgaria Having Joined in Attack

Berlin, Oct. 7.—It is stated in an official report issued to-day that large German and Austrian forces have invaded Serbia, having crossed the Drina, the Save and the Danube rivers at many places. It is stated that the invading troops have established firm footholds on the other banks of the rivers.

"German and Austro-Hungarian troops crossed the Drina, the Save and the Danube at many places and obtained firm footholds on the eastern bank of the Drina and the southern banks of the Save and the Danube."

The German announcement indicates that the invading movement is in progress along a large part of the boundary between Austria and Serbia. The Danube forms the border from the Rumania frontier to Belgrade, the Save from Belgrade to the northwestern corner of the country, and the Drina runs along the western boundary from a point not far north of the Montenegrin line.

Bucharest, Oct. 7.—A large force of Austrians, drawn from Galicia, to-day is moving on Serbia, according to advices received here.

A New Phase.
London, Oct. 7.—Invasion of Serbia to-day by the Germans and Austrians started a new phase of the world war. The Germans and Austrians in large numbers simultaneously crossed the Drina, the Save and the Danube rivers, throwing thousands of men into the attempt, apparently with the object of dominating the Morava valley. This ancient route of the Crusaders is the natural pathway to Bulgarian territory and then to Constantinople and the east.

No news has come yet of Bulgarian participation in the attack on Serbia, but it is expected hourly. It is believed here the Teutons' plan is a general attack along the northwestern and northern frontiers of Serbia, while Bulgaria will try to strike in through the Stara Planina mountain passes to the east. This probably means that the Teutons have abandoned hope of active aid by Rumania, and it is felt that reports of assurances given of their neutrality are well-founded.

It is believed certain here that the Teutonic attack will produce a crisis in Greece which may result in Greece joining the allies, and may even tend to produce a revolution menacing the throne of King Constantine.

BULGARIA EXPECTS DECLARATION OF WAR

Bulgarian Minister to Italy Given Passports; Statement by Venizelos

Berlin, Oct. 7.—"Bulgaria to-day awaits a declaration of war by the allies," says a dispatch from Budapest to the Lokaj Anzeiger, as given out here to-day.

Given Passports.
London, Oct. 7.—The Bulgarian minister to Italy was handed his passports to-day by the Italian foreign minister, according to a Stefani News Agency dispatch from Rome.

Will Be Stopped.
Athens, Oct. 7.—The government was notified by the British legation here to-day that merchandise consigned to Bulgaria is to be treated as contraband.

Only One Subject.
Athens, Oct. 7.—"There has been no real accord between King Constantine and myself since I resumed the premiership," M. Venizelos told Greek deputies and other friends after his break with the king. "The only subject upon which we were in full agreement," he added, "was the mobilization of the Greek forces in view of Bulgaria's menacing attitude."

AUSTRIAN WAR LOAN.
Berlin, Oct. 7.—The issue price of the third Austrian war loan is 92.60 and the interest rate 5 1/2 per cent. The loan will be free from taxes.

SERBIA



GOVT. WILL FLOAT LOAN IN DOMINION

Minister of Finance Discloses Plan in Speech at Toronto

Toronto, Oct. 7.—Hon. W. T. White, minister of finance, in addressing the board of trade to-day, foreshadowed the launching in Canada of a Canadian war loan. He said that for the six months preceding the war, Canada's loan had aggregated \$39,000,000, or over a million a day. In the previous five years Canada had been borrowing from \$200,000,000 to \$300,000,000 a year. On account of this borrowing, the balance of trade had been against Canada. The gold reserve had been maintained and a panic avoided. There had been no depreciation in the currency.

Canada in one year had reversed her trade balances.

"We are growing richer despite the war," he declared, "and will be able to finance our war expenditures, and later, after the war, our domestic enterprises. The people should exercise not parsimony, but reasonable thrift."

Reducing Expenditures.
The government now was gradually reducing the expenditures on public works. After the war there would be a brief period of business dislocation, which the government would bridge over by pressing vigorously useful public works.

"As concerning the war," he said, "there could be no talk of financial prudence. Life and liberty were at stake."

He did not want to strip Canada of her gold and so he had arranged to borrow from Great Britain. Canada's finances were now excellent through borrowing abroad, economy and the production of great crops.

"You will all have a chance," he said, "when the time arrives to contribute to a Canadian war loan. We have shown we have resources of men unsurpassed in the world for courage and valor. We shall show that we also have money to uphold the cause which we know to be just, and the ideals for which we stand. Those who remain at home should use their utmost endeavors to produce and save."

"Our money resources may be a decisive factor in a war of attrition." The war loan, it is believed, will be \$150,000,000.

STATED AUSTRO-GERMAN ARMIES TOTAL 400,000

London, Oct. 7.—An official dispatch reached London to-day stating that the Austro-German armies concentrated against Serbia comprise a total of 400,000 men.

PRESENTED WITH BIBLE.
Tokio, Oct. 7.—Dr. E. A. Sturge, of San Francisco, presented to the emperor to-day on behalf of Japanese Christians in America a Bible, in which are inscribed expressions of Japanese-American friendship.

PRIVATE SANFORD BACK FROM FRONT

Was Wounded at Festubert; Went From Victoria With Thirtieth Battalion

Vancouver, Oct. 7.—Proudly wearing the little round bronze badges which proclaim that the wearer has done his "bit" and has received his honorable discharge from further military service, three Canadian soldiers, one from Vancouver and two from Victoria, arrived back in Vancouver this morning on the C. P. R. train from the east. The warriors are Private C. Thomas, of the Princess Patricia's, who had his left arm shattered and permanently disabled by shrapnel; Private C. R. Sanford, of the 15th Battalion, Canadian Scottish, who left Victoria with the 39th Battalion and was blown up by a high explosive shell; and Private W. T. Milne, of the 7th Battalion (First British Columbia), who was shot in the leg.

Private Sanford received his injuries in the memorable charge on the orchard at Festubert. He was one of seven men out of fifty who survived an attack on a farmhouse in which a German detachment was posted with a large number of machine guns.

Across the Open.
"We were ordered to take the position and drive the enemy out," said Sanford in relating the story of his experience. "We advanced across the open, taking all the advantage possible of the scanty cover afforded us. The machine guns poured a regular torrent of lead; the bullets scattered around us like a hailstorm. I was struck by a shell—not the shrapnel usually directed to break up infantry attacks, but one of the big, heavy explosive kind. I have a vague recollection of being sent flying up in the air and of coming down amid a mass of flying debris, but I lost consciousness, my head striking the ground, concussion of the brain being caused."

Private Sanford got to the front in May, shortly after the battle of St. Julien, being with one of the drafts furnished by the 20th to reinforce the Canadian battalions that had lost so heavily during the early part of the spring. He had only a few days in the trenches before receiving the wounds which cut short his active service career. The instant of each foot has been injured by the shock of the explosion and the force of his fall.

Used Many Shells.
"The Germans displayed the utmost prodigality in the use of shells and ordinary ammunition," said Private Sanford, discounting the oft-repeated stories about the enemy getting short of explosives. "They even used to fire off a 'coal box' or a 'Jack Johnson' if they saw a solitary man crossing a piece of open ground. The danger from fire in the trenches was not so great as many persons imagine. The Germans did not inflict many casualties when the men were dug in, although if they located a machine gun, they would concentrate a heavy artillery fire upon it in the hope of dismantling it."

BELIEVED GREECE WILL JOIN ALLIES

Cabinet Crisis Has Not Interfered With Landing of Troops

ITALY'S REPRESENTATIVES RECALLED FROM BULGARIA

Government at Rome Has Called More Men to the Colors

London, Oct. 7.—The allies having broken off diplomatic relations with Bulgaria, news is momentarily expected of that nation's active participation in the war on the side of the central powers.

Her king and the late leader of her government being at odds, Greece is forming a coalition cabinet, pending the construction of which her policy will be obscure. There are no misgivings in Britain, however, that she will co-operate in any way with Bulgaria. In no manner has the cabinet crisis impeded the landing of allied troops at Salonica, and the fact that these forces are on Greek soil is considered the best guarantee that Greece ultimately must align herself with the Entente powers, with which Premier-elect Zaimis is in sympathy.

Representatives Recalled.
Rome, Oct. 7.—All Italian diplomatic agents in Bulgaria have been recalled and instructed to return home by way of Greece. This indicates that Rome realizes that King Constantine now holds the balance of power in the near east and that great pressure will be brought upon him by Italy at least to maintain a neutral stand.

Diplomats here say that in inviting Alexander Zaimis to form a coalition cabinet for Greece, King Constantine has chosen a minister whose watchword is neutrality. The king's decision that Zaimis should head a coalition cabinet was reached yesterday after he had conferred with Zaimis and with M. Gounaris, former prime minister, and others.

Another Call.
A proclamation calling for additional troops was issued from the war office here to-day. It generally is understood that these soldiers will be sent to Serbia to assist the French and British in preventing the threatened Teutonic invasion.

Bulgaria's action in lining up with the Teutonic allies was no surprise to the officials here, but it came as a great shock to the public. King Constantine's action astonished both. Broad hints of a revolution in Greece were published in the Tribune to-day. The deposition of Venizelos, the foremost Greek statesman of the day, has created a most painful feeling, both among his followers and his enemies. The situation is said to be so critical that it may be saved from internal strife only by loyalty to the king and confirmation of a report that Venizelos will support the new cabinet.

The position of the allies in Athens is most compromising unless a sudden turn of internal events restores Venizelos to power.

GERMANS ARE USING A NEW KIND OF GAS

Paris, Oct. 7.—A new kind of gas apparently is being used by the Germans in the fighting in the Champagne. According to the written statements of these men who fought respectively at Souain, Sulpes and Morvaux, they were surrounded for a few seconds by clouds of deep green gas of a rather pleasant odor. These men asserted that soldiers who wore no masks soon were suffocated while those with masks lost consciousness for varying periods.

Upon regaining consciousness, they said, they suffered convulsive seizures resembling epileptic fits. It is believed here that prussic acid is being used as the basis of the new gas.

GENERAL MOBILIZATION IN ROUMANIA SOON

Geneva, Oct. 7.—Information reached Geneva by way of Munich to-day, from a source which is regarded as reliable, that Roumania will issue a decree for general mobilization within the next twelve hours.

GERMAN MINISTER HURRIED TO SEE KING

Paris, Oct. 7.—A special to the Petit Journal from Athens says the rupture between King Constantine and M. Venizelos followed a visit of the German minister to the king immediately after the session of the chamber at which M. Venizelos outlined the policy he expected Greece to follow.

FRENCH ARTILLERY COMMANDS RAILWAY

Gain at Tahure, in Champagne, Was Most Important One

BEGINNING OF THE SECOND GREAT BATTLE

French Soldiers, Having Forded Stream, Swept All Before Them

London, Oct. 7.—The Champagne, in the west and Dvinsk, in the east, are now the scenes of the struggles most likely to bring decisive results. The Germans still are engaged, in concentrating against Dvinsk, evidently bent on a supreme effort to take the city. The Russians, however, are delivering hard blows all along the line, and the British and French press discerns a general Russian recovery, for which the activities of the allies in the west are given credit.

The capture by the French of the village and hill of Tahure is a success of considerable local importance. The hill, although less than 200 feet high, was one of the most important German positions in the sector. On most of the remainder of the French front there is still in progress the violent cannonading which usually precedes infantry attacks.

Futile Attempts.
Paris, Oct. 7.—Tremendous losses have been suffered by the Germans in futile efforts to retake positions captured by the French in the Champagne district according to to-day's communiques. Assaults by the Germans at Tahure were repulsed with heavy losses, the Germans leaving the hillside covered with their dead and wounded.

The communiques mentioned that the Germans fully realized after the assault at Tahure that the French artillery stationed at that point commands the Bezancon-Chalange railroad, which has been depended upon by the German crown prince to carry his supplies.

Second Big Battle.
Paris, Oct. 7.—The capture of the village of Tahure and the hill behind it is the signal of the inauguration of the second, great battle in the Champagne, which has opened most successfully for the French.

Swarming down the slopes on the left bank of the Ormeuse stream, the French infantry rushed breast-deep through the water and stormed the village by an irresistible charge which carried them to the crest of the hill and beyond.

Although every house in Tahure had been transformed into a small fort, the French artillery again rendered these defenses useless, and only a few Germans were left to guard the debris of what had been underground forts. These either were bayoneted or captured.

PRIME MINISTER WENT TO VALCARTIER CAMP

Quebec, Oct. 7.—Sir Robert Borden, accompanied by Hon. T. Chase Casgrain, Sir William Mackenzie and others, arrived in Quebec at an early hour this morning from Ottawa in a special car and left for Valcartier camp at 4:30, arriving there at 7:30.

They were shown over the camp by the staff in charge. All were most enthusiastic and the consensus of opinion among them was a finer body of men than those at present encamped at Valcartier could not be desired, and that a more ideal spot for a camp of this nature could not have been chosen.

This afternoon Sir Robert Borden held a reception at the Chateau Frontenac, and this evening will be the guest of the lieutenant-governor at a luncheon at Spencerwood.

CLAIM THEY HAVE PENETRATED LINE

Berlin, Oct. 7.—(Wireless)—The Germans have penetrated Russian positions before Dvinsk, over a width of about three miles, according to official announcements here to-day.

The statement adds: "German land batteries on the Gulf of Riga shelled and damaged a Russian torpedo boat."

"In the region of Raggsem our forces captured 11 officers and 1,300 men."

The statement admits that the French captured 800 yards of German trenches at Tahure, in the Champagne district, but claims that the French were repulsed at Ste. Marie and Souain, that the Germans captured two officers, 573 men and two machine guns at Ste. Marie, and three officers and 300 men in the vicinity of the Beausjour farm.

HEAD OF SERBIAN NATION; KING PETER



CABINET FORMED BY ALEXANDER ZAIMIS

He Will Act as Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs

GENERAL YANAKITSAS MINISTER OF WAR

Athens, Oct. 7.—Alexander Zaimis has accepted the premiership in succession to M. Venizelos, at the invitation of King Constantine. He completed his cabinet to-day. M. Zaimis will serve as foreign minister as well as prime minister.

The new cabinet is constituted as follows:
Prime minister and foreign minister—Alexander Zaimis.
Minister of the interior—M. Gounaris.
Minister of war—General Yanakitsas.
Minister of marine—Admiral P. Countouriotis.
Minister of finance—Stephan Dragoumis.
Minister of instruction—M. Theotokis.
Minister of justice and minister of communication—D. G. R. Rhalis.

The cabinet members will appear in the chamber on Monday.

BRITISH LANDING TROOPS AT SALONICA

French Forces Which Were Put Ashore Already Have Reached Serbia

London, Oct. 7.—Every available soldier will be sent to Serbia by the entente powers to back up King Peter in rejecting Bulgaria's demand that Serbia turn over Serbian Macedonia to Czar Ferdinand. Hostilities are expected to start within twenty-four hours.

The British were landing troops at Salonica to-day. Greece, though protesting against such action, has made no effort to offer armed resistance, and is not expected to do so. The French already have reached the Serbian border from Salonica.

The war office here was withholding the figures to-day, but it was reported that 70,000 French soldiers and 80,000 British have been sent to help the Serbs.

A wholesale exodus of the diplomatic representatives of the entente powers in Bulgaria was expected to start to-day. The Russian, British, French, Italian and Serbian ministers already had asked the Bulgarian government for their passports.

M. Savinsky, the Russian minister, who was recalled by his government several days ago, received Bulgaria's answer to Russia's ultimatum on Tuesday afternoon. He immediately notified M. Radoslavoff that the answer was most unsatisfactory and that diplomatic relations between the two nations were at an end. Russian interests in Sofia have been taken over by the Dutch charge d'affaires. It is expected that the other entente powers will place their interests in his hands also.

Twenty-four Hours.
One of Czar Ferdinand's answers to Russia's demands came in the form of an ultimatum to Serbia, in which he demanded the immediate cessation of Serbian Macedonia to Bulgaria, fixing a time limit of 24 hours.

A pessimistic attitude over the Balkan situation was taken by many of the British newspapers to-day. Numerous efforts, they pointed out, will be necessary to check the combined attempts of the Germans and Austrians to advance through Serbia and on to Constantinople. Advices received here say that mobilization in Bulgaria is practically complete, and that more German officers are arriving hourly to take charge of the troops.

FAILED TO RETAKE GROUND THEY LOST

Germans Attacked Positions Captured by French at Tahure, in Champagne

SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES, SAYS FRENCH REPORT

Made Four Futile Attacks Against New French Positions Near Souchez

Paris, Oct. 7.—The Germans bombarded violently last night all the French front to the north of La Scarpe, and at the same time delivered four counter-attacks against the French near Souchez. They were repulsed at all points. There were intense artillery exchanges at other points on the front.

In the Champagne district last evening the Germans delivered a series of stubborn attacks against the positions lost by them to the French to the north of Tahure. These attacks everywhere failed and the Germans suffered heavy losses.

At Les Eparges the French exploded two mines, causing serious damage to German works.

The text of the official communication issued this afternoon follows:
Four Attacks.
"The Germans last night bombarded violently all our front to the north of La Scarpe. They undertook four successive counter-attacks against the positions conquered by us recently in the forests to the west of the road between Souchez and Angres. Here they were repulsed completely."

"There have been intense bombardments in which both sides took part to the south of the river Somme, in the sectors of Ancehcy, Dancourt, and Canny, at Matz, to the north of the river Aisne, in the vicinity of Tracy le Val and at the forest of St. Mard."

Heavy Losses.
"In the Champagne district the Germans yesterday evening delivered a number of stubborn counter-attacks, making use of successive lines of troops, against the positions which they recently lost to us to the north of Tahure. These attacks everywhere resulted in failure and the Germans suffered very heavy losses."

"At Les Eparges we caused the explosion of two mines which inflicted serious damage to the works of the enemy. There has been violent cannonading in which both sides participated between the Meuse and the Moselle, to the north of Elroy."

"In the Lorraine district a strong reconnoitring party of the enemy endeavored to occupy our trenches in the vicinity of Athienneville. This advance was checked in front of our barbed wire entanglements and repulsed by a combined curtain of fire and the firing of our infantry."

FORTY MILES FROM BULGARIAN COAST

Allied Force at Suvla Bay Within Easy Striking Distance

London, Oct. 7.—In connection with the Balkan crisis, it is pointed out that the distance from Suvla Bay, on the Gallipoli Peninsula, where the allies have a large force, to Bulgaria's new Aegean coast is only 40 miles. It is barely possible that the allies, if pressed, may abandon the attempt to force the Dardanelles and may transport all, or at least a part, of their force there to Enos, just ceded to Bulgaria by Turkey. Thence, over the line of the Dodegatch railway, the allied armies could strike to the northeast and could seek to reach the Black Sea across Bulgarian territory. This would fit in well with reports that Russia may seek to cut through the same region after a landing at Varna or Burgas.

This line might be taken by a portion of the allied forces at the Dardanelles, but that Britain and France, in any circumstances, would abandon entirely their effort to capture Constantinople via the Dardanelles is not probable.

IS ADVISABLE THAT DISPATCHES BE HELD

New York, Oct. 7.—The London office of the Associated Press advises to-day by cable that thousands of words of dispatches from its correspondents in Sofia and from the German lines on western battlefield are being withheld by the British censors.

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WERE FORCED BACK BY RUSSIAN TROOPS

Germans Compelled to Give Ground on Line South of Dwinsk

Petrograd, Oct. 7.—The following official statement was issued last night:

"In the Jacobstadt region the usual fusillade became intensified. Southwest of Jacobstadt the Germans bombarded the neighborhood of Bargrad. "In the region of Bargrad the artillery duel has been incessant. South of Postawy we dislodged the enemy from his trenches. At the farm of Zabacz between Narotche and Wichniewskoi lakes, we pushed the enemy farther back. In the course of the pursuit of the Germans to the southwest of Wichniewskoi lake, our troops occupied Abramowoszczapka and the village of Marki, north of Sturgon.

"In the southern region of the Pripiet river there is no change. "On the eastern of the Stokhod, the enemy once more sought to capture the village under cover of a concentrated fire by his artillery. We repulsed this attack.

"Southwest of Charotariak the enemy was thrown back toward the village of Nowa selki leaving in our hands about 100 prisoners and one quick-firer.

"In the regions of the villages of Krasnowola, Kosaczystch and Koki we had several conflicts with the enemy who was moving toward the east.

"On the Caucasus front, in the coastal regions of the Black Sea, southwest of Khepa, there has been nothing but advance guard actions. Southeast of Lake Fortum, on the front between the villages of Keghyk and Ardost, on October 4, the Turks, profiting by the darkness, attempted to advance, but were stopped by our fire."

DIED IN HOSPITAL

Newport, R. I., Oct. 7.—George Trujillo, first-class fireman aboard the torpedo boat destroyer Cummings, on which a fire and explosion occurred on Tuesday morning, died at the naval hospital here yesterday as a result of injuries and burns.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. quarts.

VILLAGE AND HILL OF TAHURE TAKEN

Important Gain Made by the French in the Champagne

MORE THAN THOUSAND PRISONERS CAPTURED

Paris, Oct. 7.—French infantry, after a heavy bombardment by the artillery yesterday captured by assault yesterday the village of Tahure, and reached the summit of the hill of the same name which constituted the supporting point in the German line, according to the official statement issued by the war office last night.

"The communication follows: "Our action in Champagne obtained to-day new results. Our infantry, after strong artillery preparation, captured by assault the village of Tahure and reached the summit of the small hill of the same name, which constituted a point of support in the second line of the enemy's resistance. We likewise made progress in the environs of the Navarin farm. The number of prisoners taken exceeded 1,000.

"On the rest of the front only artillery engagements are reported. These were especially intense in Arras, in the region of the Givenchy wood and hill 119, in the Argonne, to the north of La Harazee; in the region of Le Pretre wood; in Lorraine, near Leintrey, Reillon and Badonviller, as well as in the Vosges, on the Metzeral Ridge."

Belgian Report

Paris, Oct. 7.—The following Belgian official statement was issued last evening:

"The enemy artillery has displayed only very slight activity before our front. It has bombarded the regions of Furnes, Pervyse and Oostkerke. A struggle with bombs has occurred in the region to the north of Steenstraete and to the north of Dixmude. Our artillery dispersed military pioneers at several points."

EVIDENCE GIVEN BY CLINGER AT CLINTON

Declared He Had Shot Burton Smith by Accident When He Stumbled in the Snow

Clinton, B. C., Oct. 7.—Found guilty at the assizes here of the murder of Burton Smith, Albert Lester Clinger was sentenced by Mr. Justice Murphy to be hanged on December 23 at Kamloops.

Clinger testified in his own behalf, telling a very plausible and connected story. He attempted to establish the plea that he had killed Smith by accident while stumbling over some hidden object in the snow.

After the shooting, he had intended to give himself up to the police, he said, but was attacked by a great fear of the consequences were he apprehended and the crime proved against him. Later he decided to invent a story which would lead the authorities astray. With this object in view he reported to the police and others that Smith had robbed him of some money, that he had tracked the man several miles and had lost the track.

He then had forged letters to friends of Smith at the latter's pre-emption. He also had forged Smith's name to a cheque by endorsement, through which he had collected the sum of \$57 from the Bank of British North America at Ashcroft. His object was to get as much money together as possible so that he that he could flee from the scene which bore so much horror for him. However, he had returned to Smith's pre-emption and claimed through an unsigned forged bill of sale the property and effects of the deceased.

"This return trip was his undoing, for in the meantime the body had been located and he was arrested forthwith. Clinger declared his innocence after the verdict was returned and before sentence was pronounced.

HUGH STEWART BACK IN COURTENAY AFTER TRIP

Courtenay, Oct. 7.—Hugh Stewart, the Liberal candidate for the Comox district, has just returned from the north, where he has been on a short trip addressing the voters and looking after the voters' lists. His trip resulted in the registering of nearly 100 voters. He found prospects even better than on his last trip.

STATES CONSUL AND GUARDS WERE KILLED

Berlin, Oct. 7.—The Lokal Anzeiger publishes a dispatch from Constantinople saying that the British consul and the consular guards at Ispahan have been killed by Persians.

A dispatch from Teheran, forwarded from London on Sept. 14, said anarchy prevailed in Persia, that the military forces of the government had been defeated by the tribesmen, and that the British and Russian colonies at Ispahan had been forced to leave for Teheran.

H. B. "Imperial" Lager Beer, pints, 3 for 25c.

NOT PERMITTED TO PROCEED TO FRONT

Salvation Army Chaplains Were Appointed by the Canadian Govt.

London, Oct. 7.—Commissioner David Lamb of the Salvation Army writes to the Times, pointing out that when the Canadian government appointed Salvation Army chaplains to the overseas forces, they naturally expected they would accompany the men throughout the campaign. But through a curious difference in the treatment of chaplains which does not seem to work toward the harmonious organization of the empire, the Canadian officers cannot be recognized and have not been allowed to proceed to the front.

Commissioner Lamb adds that a Salvation Army chaplain was for some days the first chaplain in the trenches on the Gallipoli peninsula with the Australians.

Gazetted

London, Oct. 7.—The following changes in the Canadian forces have been gazetted:

Fifteenth Battalion (48th Highlanders, Toronto)—Quartermaster Duguid to be an honorary captain.

Thirtieth Battalion—Major C. F. Smith relinquishes temporary commission.

Sappers Boyce and McKinnon, of No. 2 Field Company, Engineers, have been granted commissions in the Royal Engineers.

Pte. H. F. Green has been appointed a temporary lieutenant in the Northumberland Fusiliers.

From Canada:

London, Oct. 7.—Capt. Hugh Antrobus, of the Sixth Battalion, Cameron Highlanders, killed in France, was a son of Countess Antrobus, of Coniston. He served through the South African war. He enlisted in the Fifth Canadian Battalion, afterwards receiving a commission in the Camerons.

Lieut. Frank Wavet, of the Camerons (Scottish Rifles), who has been killed, was a son of Rev. F. Wavet, of Lincolnshire. After leaving school he went to British Columbia and Alberta. He came home at the outbreak of war and was given a commission in October.

Lieut. Marlborough Thorne, of the East Surreys, was a son of Cornelius Thorne, of Sidcup. He came to England with the Eighth Battalion (96th Winnipeg Rifles), first Canadian division, and afterwards obtained a commission with the Surreys. His colonel writes that he was a first-class young officer, always keen and cheerful.

KING VICTOR'S FORCES MOVING TOWARDS TRENT

Rome, Oct. 7.—The following official communication was issued last night:

"In the Terragnolo valley, on the Rovereto road, one of our columns occupied on the 5th, the localities of Campori and Alla Volta, on the southern slope of Duseo del Somme (plateau of Polgaria), the enemy also hastily abandoning the neighboring township of Piazao, retreating toward Pothich pursued by our artillery fire.

"Small engagements have occurred on the Scallias crest, between Palladogna, southwest of Leopoldskirchirin, and opposite Peatano and on the northern slopes of Carso and Gorizia. The enemy was repulsed, leaving a number of prisoners in our hands."

Vienna, Oct. 7.—The following official statement was issued last night:

"About midnight we repulsed, on the plateau of Voligera, a strong Italian attack which at some points appeared at our entanglements."

KING FERDINAND MET LIMAN VON SANDERS

Amsterdam, Oct. 7.—Field-Marshal Liman von Sanders, who has been the German commander of the Turkish forces in Europe, has arrived at Philippopolis, Bulgaria, midway between Adrianople and Sofia, where he has been met by King Ferdinand, according to a telegram to the Vazdis News Agency.

GRAND DUKE ARRIVED AT TIFLIS YESTERDAY

Petrograd, Oct. 7.—Grand Duke Nicholas, who was appointed commander-in-chief of the Russian forces on the Caucasian front when Emperor Nicholas assumed supreme command of the armies of Russia, arrived yesterday at Tiflis, trans-Caucasia.

FINE HUNTING NOW IN VICINITY OF COURTENAY

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NEWS CAUSED GREAT ENTHUSIASM IN SERBIA

Nish, Oct. 6.—(Delayed in Transmission.)—News of the landing of French troops at Salonica spread throughout the country with great rapidity and caused intense enthusiasm. It is considered to have dispelled the grim shadow of Germany which was falling across the frontier.

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CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Oct. 7.—The following casualties have been announced:

Third Battalion—Dangerous Ill: Pte. D. Freeman, Toronto.

Fifth Battalion—Wounded: Pte. Wm. Snodgrass, Ireland; Pte. A. Wickman, England; Pte. E. Inalls, England.

Seventh Battalion—Killed in action: Pte. D. Millar, Scotland.

Wounded: Company Sergt.-Major B. M. Ward, St. John, N. B.; Pte. C. W. Lintott, England; Pte. Wm. Hamilton, England.

Tenth Battalion—Wounded: Pte. L. Shaw, Guelph, Ont.

Wounded and missing: Pte. E. A. Hill, England.

Sixteenth Battalion—Slightly wounded: Pte. J. Sutherland, Bradford, Ont.

Twenty-fourth Battalion—Dangerously wounded: Pte. Herbert Johnson, Montreal.

Twenty-fifth Battalion—Wounded: Pte. H. S. Baker, Arcadia, N. S.

Twenty-eighth Battalion—Killed in action: Pte. R. A. Waring, England.

Wounded: Lance-Corpl. O. Matson, England; Pte. N. E. Radley, England.

Thirty-ninth Battalion—Dangerously ill: Pte. M. Chaski, Russia.

First Field Co., Canadian Engineers—Died of wounds—Sapper J. D. Lang, Toronto.

PRESIDENT OF STATES WILL MARRY AGAIN

Washington, Oct. 7.—Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States, last night announced his engagement to Mrs. Norman R. Galt, of Washington.

The date of the wedding has not been stated, but probably it will take place in December at the home of the bride-elect.

Congratulations came from officials, diplomats, friends and relatives of the president to-day.

The fact that the president of the United States, on whom the eyes of the world frequently have been focused in the last few months of the European war, had decided to marry again, gave the national capital a topic of absorbing interest.

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LT. COL. MIASSAIEDOFF MADE ATTACK ALONG BESSARABIAN BORDER

Arch-Spy Was in Service of Germany; Received Millions of Roubles. Action of Russians Important in View of Situation in Balkans

Paris, Sept. 23 (by mail).—The papers here have published full details, drawn from the Russian press, of the sensational espionage affair in Russia. Hitherto all that had been announced was the hanging for high treason of Lieut. Col. Miassaiedoff and a large number of his accomplices and the sentencing to hard labor of Baron Grothus and von Freinat.

The chief conspirator was Lieut. Col. Ivanoff, Miassaiedoff. For a long period he had had a high position in the gendarmery, and as such was an important personage. The Russian gendarmery has quite a peculiar position; it corresponds in some ways to Scotland Yard. But, as the Petit Journal puts it, it is endowed with enormous—almost unlimited—powers, and is subjected to virtually no control.

In High Circles. The officers of the gendarmery are recruited from among the cleverest officers of the army; and Miassaiedoff was a man of quite exceptional brilliancy. He spoke English, French and German as if they were his native languages; he knew everybody, and mixed in the highest society, to which his change of manner and talents recommended him.

Up to the outbreak of the war it had been his special duty to watch over the personal safety of the Czar. He then asked to be attached to the general military headquarters, urging that a constant surveillance was necessary for the protection of the Grand Duke Nicholas. The Czar granted the request and transferred this high police official, ordinarily attached to his own person, to the then commander-in-chief.

A Mere Game. A dramatic story is told of the discovery of his treason. After the fighting along the Yser certain memoranda were found on the body of a Bavarian officer. These were phrases that indicated the presence of a spy in the very heart of the allied general staffs, such as, "We have been victorious, thanks to our wonderful system of information," or "Our marvelous informant has greatly facilitated our task. With him, the war becomes a mere game."

These notes were sent to French headquarters. General Pau at that time was just setting out on his visit to Russia. He was told to acquaint the grand duke with this discovery. Trap For Spies. "You tell me nothing that I did not know before," said the Russian commander-in-chief. "I am fully aware that we were being betrayed; but by whom? That is what we have to find out."

Thereupon a "fake" military order was drawn up. Care was taken that it should be completely correct in every small group of people who already were suspected. The expected result happened. Germany at once showed a knowledge of the order and took military action in consequence. The spies had fallen into the trap. It only remained to put the suspects under rigorous cross-examination.

Lieut. Col. Miassaiedoff was among them. His only thought was for his own skin, and he volunteered to make certain revelations if only the grand duke would spare his life. No promise was made, but, under pressure, he admitted his guilt and betrayed the names of his accomplices. For Ten Years. For ten years he had been in the pay of Germany. He had kept Berlin informed of everything that was happening or about to happen in Russia, and there were few men in the empire who were in such a position to know. Russia had no secrets, military or political, from her western neighbor. The traitor's pay corresponded to the value of his treason, and amounted over the whole period to some millions of roubles, of which a very small fraction went to his subordinate agents.

Berlin, Oct. 7.—A dispatch from Czerowitz, Bukovina, reports that Russian forces have made a violent attack on the Austrians along the Bessarabian frontier, northeast of the city. The attack is said to have been made along the river Pruth, which the Russians attempted to cross at one place by swimming.

The dispatch states that the Russians made five assaults without success and that many of them were drowned. This movement is of great interest in view of the present state of affairs in the Balkans. The point of the Russian attack lies directly north of the Roumanian frontier. It is assumed that should Roumania enter the war on the side of the entente nations, a junction with the forces of Russia would be effected. It was reported from Athens yesterday that Roumania was hurriedly sending troops to the Bulgarian frontier and making other military preparations.

NOTES PRESENTED BY THREE POWERS

Britain, France and Russia Made Representations to Bulgaria on Monday

Paris, Oct. 7.—The circumstances which attended the presentation of notes from the entente powers to Bulgaria are set forth in an official communication received here to-day from Sofia. This announcement, filed in Sofia by the correspondent of the Havas News Agency on Tuesday and delayed in transmission, was issued by the Bulgarian government before it made reply to the notes. The statement follows:

"On Monday, between 4 and 6 o'clock in the afternoon, the president of the council received a visit from the representatives of France, Russia and Great Britain. The first two presented notes, not identical of the character of ultimata, giving a forced interpretation of the armed neutrality proclaimed by Bulgaria and of the object of Bulgaria's mobilization. It was insisted, under threats of rupture of diplomatic relations, that Bulgaria break off openly within 24 hours its relation with the central powers and send away the German and Austrian officers said to be among the staffs of the different Bulgarian armies. The representative of Great Britain presented a verbal note declaring that Great Britain would break with Bulgaria if hostilities should occur in the Balkans as the result of Bulgarian mobilization. In consequence of the absence of instructions, the representative of Italy has not yet joined his colleagues in this act.

"The Bulgarian government to-day will hand to the representatives three notes, not identical, in which it will explain the spirit of the armed neutrality of Bulgaria, while pointing out the danger that may arise from fresh encouragement given to Serbia. Rejecting categorically the accusation relative to the pretended presence of German and Austrian officers in the Bulgarian army, it was declared that it cannot drive away officers who do not exist.

"At the same time the government will present a response to two preceding notes of the entente powers, of which the representatives have been advised through the French minister. "The Bulgarian government proposes to publish a green book on the conversations and negotiations with the powers of the quadruple entente."

FOUR WERE KILLED BY BIG EXPLOSION

Eporium, Pa., Oct. 7.—Four men killed instantly, another probably fatally hurt and six seriously injured, it was stated to-day, were the casualties resulting from the explosion last night at the plant of the Aetna Explosives company. A large quantity of smokeless powder exploded. Officials informally expressed the opinion to-day that the explosion was accidental. They fix the property loss at \$125,000.

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ON A NEW FRONT.

A Berlin dispatch to-day announces that large German and Austrian forces have begun the invasion of Serbia. Both Berlin and Vienna have been forecasting this movement for weeks, the obvious purpose of the announcements being to stiffen Bulgaria's determination to attack Serbia in the face of Russia's strong countervailing influence and to stimulate Turkey's resistance against the allies on Gallipoli peninsula. Several attempts by Teutonic detachments to cross the Save were made, and repulsed but no serious efforts were put forth to translate Germany's assurances to her southern allies into action, and until Nish confirms the latest report it should be accepted with reserve. Neither the Germans nor the Austrians, nor any other power for that matter, are in the habit of blazoning their real intentions to the world.

The Teutonic intention is to effect a junction with Turkey with Bulgaria as the connecting link. To accomplish this the enemy must penetrate some fifty miles into Serbia, where he hopes to meet the Bulgarian forces which he anticipates will have entered Serbia from the east. Ordinarily this campaign in combination would promise considerable prospect of success, because Serbia could not stand off enemies on her front and flank simultaneously. But Serbia will have powerful assistance. Probably 150,000 British and French troops are being rushed through Greece to the border threatened by Bulgaria, while her army confronting the Teutons across the Save has been strengthened in every way.

The army which Germany and Austria have marshalled in Hungary is variously reported to number between 100,000 and 500,000 men. The first figure is out of the question, and the second estimate is probably an exaggeration. Germany is faced with a dangerous military situation on both western and eastern fronts. Not only can she not spare a man from France and Flanders but she must reinforce her forces in that region, and this she has been doing for some weeks. Yet notwithstanding these reinforcements she has just lost to the French in Champagne the position of Tahure, the most important fortification in her second line and one which German military experts declared to be impregnable. What force she has sent to the Serbian frontier has been taken from her eastern front, and there her position is not favorable, to say the least. So far she has been unable to advance to the line the possession of which is absolutely vital to her troops if they are to entrench themselves for the winter. They cannot dig themselves in where they are. They must go forward or backward. The former would require reinforcements and the latter would mean a retreat to Kovno, Grodno and the Bug river, which would entail heavy losses.

Nor is Austria any better situated in regard to supplies of men. She must hold her line in Galicia and south of the Pripiet at all costs or Russia again will be hammering at the Carpathians. She must maintain her strength in the Trentino, along the Carnic Alps and on the Isonzo or Trent and Trieste will fall and Italy will strike through Taux towards Vienna. The losses of both Teutonic powers have been enormous. How can they conduct a sustained military operation on another front? It cannot be done, and it is clear that their desperate venture is being undertaken only in the hope of a quick success.

Why Germany should bother herself with another campaign when she has failed on the two main fronts would

be puzzling but for the fact that in moving upon Serbia and involving Bulgaria she is really endeavoring to improve her fortunes against Russia and the western allies. By linking up with the Turk she expects to postpone the opening of the Dardanelles and by threatening Egypt and the Caucasus and the road to the Persian Gulf to compel her enemies to weaken their forces on the chief fronts in order to meet the new developments—military and political. She realizes she cannot make further progress either in the west and very little, if any, in the east; that her enemies are growing stronger in men and munitions and that unless she can create a formidable diversion she must abandon what she has. In this calculation Bulgaria is a pawn just as Turkey is. If the scheme fall both her tools will suffer. She will abandon them as unscrupulously as she abandoned Bulgaria in the second Balkan war; as she will abandon Austria when she finds the dual monarchy too heavy a load to carry.

But unless all signs fall her new venture ought to rebound to the benefit of the allies. The more fronts Germany fights upon the better it will be for the quadruple entente, even though her operations against Serbia be limited in scope. It is true she has compelled the allies to send additional troops to meet the new menace and has gained an auxiliary in Bulgaria, but the allies will prove before long that they can spare men in abundance. We know that Italy has a reserve of at least half a million available for another campaign, and there is considerable expectation that a new factor will appear before long in a Russian southern army commanded by the Grand Duke Nicholas.

After all this new Austro-German effort is merely another sortie by a besieged enemy. First an attempt was made to break through the besiegers on the west and it failed. Next came a desperate effort to pierce the besieging line on the east. The line bent but did not break. It is as securely linked as ever. Now the operation is being repeated in the south. It will fall as the others failed simply because the Teutonic powers, even with Bulgaria, have not the resources to carry it to success. Italian opinion, which is thoroughly informed on the Balkan situation, is that in taking up another aggregation of troubles Germany and Austria are hastening the war to an early conclusion and to their own discomfiture.

WHEN THE BILL COMES IN.

By next March, if the war be prolonged until then, the debts of the various belligerent nations and the neutrals who have had to borrow in consequence of the conflict will have exceeded the appalling total of \$50,000,000,000. That of Great Britain will have reached \$11,000,000,000, the debt of France will be even greater, while Russia's load is growing at the rate of many millions a day. Italy, Belgium and Serbia will be in similar relative positions, while the obligations of the British dominions are expanding enormously. Enemy countries are gathering colossal burdens, especially Germany, which not only has had to finance a war on two long fronts but Turkey as well. Switzerland, Holland, the Balkan neutrals, in fact, all the powers in Europe, whether belligerent or not, have had to borrow money to maintain military establishments on war footing.

Thus even if the present struggle be not protracted beyond March the greater part of the world will have to meet financial charges which will revolutionize economic and social manners, methods and customs. Germany, Austria and Turkey certainly will repudiate a considerable part of their domestic indebtedness for the first charge upon them will be heavy indemnities for the wrongs done by them to their neighbors. Russia with her vast resources and large population probably will recuperate more rapidly than any other single power of either side, but the strain is bound to occasion a radical change in the political and social systems of the Czar's empire.

The interest charges that Great Britain and France will have to pay by March will amount approximately to \$500,000,000 per annum each. As their respective revenues in time of peace are hardly more than twice that sum, the nature of the taxation that must be imposed and the economies that must be effected will be fairly well realized. Other charges probably will bring the annual outlay in connection with the war to something like three-quarters of the total revenue in peace time.

When this struggle terminates, "economy and retrenchment" will be the slogan of the world. The public will refuse to bear all the additional burden out of its rates and taxes and will insist upon the knife being applied to every unnecessary expenditure. The appropriations for armaments likely will be cut in two, which would effect an enormous saving both in Great Britain and France, probably accounting for one-half the

interest charges they will have to meet. There will be less national and individual extravagance in the world. It is only after wars are over that the people engaged in them begin to realize the cost. It is then that they start paying the bill.

THE STRANGLE HOLD.

The copper famine in Germany is becoming more acute. Presumably all the kitchen utensils already have gone into the melting-pot, as a government order has been issued for the confiscation of such lighting apparatus as is not in actual use. This order applies immediately. A further step is in contemplation which may make the order absolute, so that the day is coming, and the long winter day at that, when gross darkness will brood over the forbidding and downcast face of the Fatherland. Germans who have been fed up on victories henceforth will not be able to read about them by artificial light. But that is not all. Works of art, such as statues and statuettes, which are very numerous in the cities of Prussia, are to be commandeered. As the Kaiser prides himself upon his thoroughness and the thoroughness which he has inculcated in his dearly beloved people who are being sacrificed wholesale in order to gratify his vanity and advance his personal ambition, doubtless the great statue of Frederick the Great, who has been adopted as his model in preference to nearer relations, will be demolished also. There is a considerable amount of copper in that, we are given to understand, and it would be a dramatic finale to the curtain about to be dropped upon the Hohenzollerns to hurl Frederick against the alleged jealous and scheming enemies of Prussia.

We gather from the extremity of Germany that after all and notwithstanding the claims of the Taceblatt and other papers that the British navy is doing its work, although it is not making much fuss about it. The strangle hold is tightening, the process of construction proceeding. The extremity may become such that, as we suggested the other day, the navy of von Tirpitz may follow its notorious chief to the scrap heap, where the warships of Turkey already have gone, in order that the copper contained therein may be applied to the uses of the army. Hoeh, der Kaiser's useless fleet!

GREECE'S ASPIRATIONS.

Up to noon to-day Bulgaria had not declared war upon Serbia nor had the allies issued a declaration against Bulgaria, but both are hourly expected. If German and Austrian troops have crossed the Save and Drina rivers Bulgaria must act quickly and it is not improbable that her declaration will be issued first. The attitude of Greece continues to engross the attention of the world and there is considerable speculation how long the Greek people will submit to the direction of their affairs by a German controlled sovereign. In any event the hour of their decision between Constantinople and Venice is at hand. Either Greece must assist in stemming the Hohenzollern movement in the Balkans or become the footstool of Bulgaria and subservient to Turkey. For obviously a German victory would mean the end of the alluring dream of a Greater Greece. Moreover in the event of a victory by the allies, which is certain in the long run, she will not share the reward to the extent of a solitary acre if she has not shared the sacrifice. The people of the allied states who stood the losses will see to that.

In one of his communications to King Constantine not long ago M. Venizelos succinctly put the situation as he saw it in the following words: "If we do not take part in the war, whatever may be its result, in all human probability Hellenism in Asia Minor is definitely lost to us. For if the Triple Entente should conquer its powers will divide either among themselves, or together with Italy, Asia Minor and the rest of Turkey; and if Germany, together with Turkey, should conquer not only will the 200,000 Greeks already expelled from Asia Minor have no hope of returning to their homes, but the number of those expelled will have still greater additions. In any event the domination of Germanism will secure for itself the absorption of the whole of Asia Minor. "How, then, is it possible, things being so, for us to allow this opportunity supplied by Divine Providence to pass—the opportunity of realizing our most daring national ideas? It is an opportunity of creating a Greece including nearly all the lands in which Hellenism prevailed during its long life history; a Greece including extents of the greatest fertility and assuring for us hegemony in the Aegean Sea."

We observe that the German papers are beginning to qualify their assurance of victory and even their belief that the God of Battles is fighting for them. One of them, discussing the Battle of the Rhine that will determine the course of the war and the future of Germany, says: "But if our old God has reserved victory for the Germans He will cause the strength of the French army and nation to be utterly exhausted and the spirit of the people to become so depressed that all the paper armies of Kitchener will be unable to hold them in the belief of ultimate victory." The paper army seems to be doing its work,

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as there is no sign of a break in the spirit of the French people. The Outlook (New York): The undeniable fact is that Belgium in 1914 was tortured by Germany for doing exactly what in 1907 the government of the United States urged her to do, and the government of the United States has lacked either the courage or the moral sense of responsibility to make a protest. This failure of our government is one of the shameful events of the war. It has done as much as any other one thing to convince the German government and people that we are afraid to make a protest even in defence of our own rights. The Leipziger Neueste Nachrichten has discovered the reason for the late success of the allies on the western front. It is that the chieftains of the Basutos, the Gurkhas, Senegalese and Zulue have consented to lend their valuable assistance to the adventurous enterprise. Even at that these "hydraulic barbarous warriors" have not been tempted to emulate the "rightfulness" of the only apostles of Kultur.

President Wilson is engaged to be married? That announcement explains a "great deal" that has puzzled the world.

THE BLONDE BEAST. (Harold Regbie in London Chronicle) Everything which is desperately immoral, being in its constitution monstrous, is of itself perishable. Wordsworth.

The stars are standing over the sea In the depths of the night. The moon making darkness to be More lovely than light. The sun surging upward in flame From the waves and the sky. Endure as the legions of shame Go bloodily by.

For the patience of God is above, And the beauty of life; The stars know the lasting of love And the passing of strife; And there shall be joy in the way, And delight in the hour, And the hosts shall be dust in that day, And their seed without power.

They are tramping on cities and lands, To the guilt of their goal. There is innocent blood on their hands, And the earth is their sod. The sea is made foul by their breath, And the earth is a tomb. But the stars are their courses to death And the sun to their doom.

They have chosen the charter of rage, They have taken the sword; They have torn from God's Writing the page Of the love of the Lord; They are Murder and Rapine and Lust, They are Madness and Pride, And Him who wrote love in earth's dust They have jostled aside.

They are rushing from slaughter to God Like the swing of a bell, Each beat of the clock is a rod That fast flogs them to hell. They shall find not one hour of all time, Nor one point in all space, To escape from the anguish of crime, And the loss of God's grace.

No joy evermore in the day, And no peace in the night. Shall be theirs as they tremble away From humanity's sight. As they reel from the light of the sun, And the welcome of man, And drop from the web they have spun To eternity's ban.

And the earth shall return to her peace And mankind to their goal, And the love of the heart shall increase, And the strength of the soul; And the world shall be glad with great glee In the goodness of right, With the stars standing over the sea In the depths of the night.

WE WILL NEVER KNOW. Toronto Globe. Sir Herbert Holt is out Northcliffe Northcliffe. The Montreal banker, talking of Lord Kitchener and his work, says: "There was Kitchener—sublimated and glorified. He emerged at the moment, but he proved a dismal failure. He had some ability but a small ability, mark you, as an organizer; but he has been a grievous disappointment. The war office was and is rotten; and he tolerated and kept it on instead of rooting it out. He is unfortunate for men instead of conception." Unfortunately no one will ever know Lord Kitchener's opinion of Sir Herbert.

IRISH RECRUITING. Philadelphia Record. When the comparatively small population of Ireland is considered, the statement that 120,741 of its young men have volunteered for the great European war must be considered a fairly good showing. According to the census of 1911, Ireland's population, which has been steadily declining for three-quarters of a cen-

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, October 7, 1890.

C. E. Mallette, who returned from the Sound last night, interviewed Senator Platt and party, who are selecting the site for a naval yard and drydock. He recommended the claims of Port Angeles. The commission will visit Victoria on Friday.

Leigh & Sons' mill at the foot of Pleasant street, on the shores of the Arm, was blown down by last night's gale. The structure was just on the point of completion. No machinery, however, had been put in. The damage, though considerable, can be made good by hard work.

The seventh annual convention of the W. C. T. U. of British Columbia, commenced in the Calvary Baptist church this morning. The attendance was fair at the opening.

CANADA'S POPULATION IS TENTH ALIEN BORN

Special Report Issued by Census Department on an Interesting Point

A special report has been issued by the census department on the foreign-born population of Canada, which in 1911 was about ten and one-half per cent. of the total, or about 753,000.

Of this foreign-born population 344,567, or 45.77 per cent., had become naturalized, and therefore able to vote, prior to the census of 1911. For all Canada the total number of naturalized aliens able to vote is only 6.62 per cent. of the voting population.

In the eastern provinces the percentage is between 1 and 3. In the west 24.92 per cent. of Alberta's voting strength consists of naturalized aliens; in Saskatchewan, 23.01 per cent.; in Manitoba, 17.20 per cent.; and in British Columbia, 9.48 per cent.

The United States has contributed 303,650, over 40 per cent. of the total foreign population. Austria-Hungary has 121,459, heading the European countries, and Germany 95,577. The origin of naturalized voters is German in 12,001 cases, and Austro-Hungarian in 23,946 cases.

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LAI'D TO REST WITH MILITARY HONORS

Impressive Rites Mark Obsequies of Sgt. Peter Fernie, British Campaigner

The funeral of the Crimean and Indian mutiny veteran, Sgt. Peter Fernie, was held yesterday afternoon with full military honors. A full representation of the British Campaigners' association, of which the aged veteran had been a member for some years, there were present at the obsequies many members of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, another organization with which he had been associated for some time.

The obsequies, owing to their military character, were very impressive. From the B. C. funeral parlors, where the cortege formed at 2 o'clock, the procession moved to Christ Church cathedral, the firing party of the 8th Regiment, under Company Sergeant-Major Maynard, leading. Following this came the band of the 5th Regiment, then the gun carriage, bearing the casket containing the last mortal remains of the old soldier, with the medals of which he was so justly proud, and the emblem of valor used by the British campaigners, a wreath of laurels tied with the ribbons of the Crimean and Indian mutiny campaigns, resting thereon. The bearers were six sergeants of the Royal Canadian Artillery, in the uniform similar to that worn by Sgt. Fernie as a soldier in the queen's service. The pallbearers were: Sgt.-Major Thompson, Sgt.-Major Cunniff, Sgt. Major Swarbrick, Sgt. Roberts, Sgt. Smith and Sgt. Denison.

Beaumont Boggs was in charge of the Campaigners' association, about 40 members of which were present. In the medals worn by the brother veterans were to be seen four for service in the Baltic in 1854, and others representing most of the notable campaigns engaged in by the empire since that time. The older members, who were unequal to the fatigue of the march, were conveyed in carriages to the cemetery.

In the procession were also the delegation from the Odd Fellows, then a company from the 67th Battalion, Western Scots, in charge of Lieut.-Col. Lorne Ross, and a troop of the Victoria Independent Squadron, B. C. Horse, in charge of Major Hemmiker.

The band played the Dead March in Saul as the cortege made its way slowly to Christ Church cathedral. Very Rev. Dean Schofield conducted the dignified service, assisting being Rev. G. H. Andrews, chaplain to the forces, and Rev. E. G. Miller. The dean read the lesson, and Mr. Andrews conducted the prayer. The hymns "Book of Ages" and "On the Resurrection Morn" were sung before the organ pealed forth the stately requiem music from the Dead March once more. At the cemetery, where there was a very big gathering present for the committal service, Rev. Mr. Andrews officiated and the Odd Fellows also conducted the service for such occasions.

With solemnity present on the firing party from the 8th Regiment and the four buglers fulfilled the final rites, the former discharging three volleys over the grave, the latter sounding the "Last Post."

Beside many individual gifts of flowers practically every patriotic organization in the city sent wreaths to place on the casket. Notable among these were the wreath from the British Campaigners' association and another from the Daughters of the Empire, Vancouver Encampment No. 1, I. O. O. F., and Victoria Encampment No. 4, I. O. O. F., also sent flowers, and the following individual emblems were sent: H. A. Riggs, John Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes, B. Kerman, A. R. Wolfenden, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wriglesworth, Mr. and Mrs. Langley, Mr. and Mrs. Pitzer, H. A. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Shotbolt, Mr. and Mrs. Chadwick, A. Chadwick, J. W. Walker and J. M. Wriglesworth.

The obsequies were under the auspices of the British Campaigners' association, who are greatly indebted to the officers of the garrison for their assistance in carrying out the arrangements.

VICTORIA'S PERCENTAGE

How Number of Munition Workers From Here for Old Country Compares With Other Centres.

The announcement which is made in a brief cable with regard to munition workers sent from Canada clears up finally the statements which have been made as to the measure of success of the British Mission, Messrs. Windham and Barnes. The official figures are 1,709 for the Dominion, which gives Victoria and district the high percentage of 14 per cent. or 15 per cent.

The allowance which is to be made to dependents of a sum not exceeding 17s. a week, or little more than \$4 a week, will not go far in Canada, particularly in the west, but as the wages are good the extent of the remittances to dependents here ought to be such as to aid them materially. In the form which the applicants signed, the government did not undertake to make an allowance, therefore no allegation of indifference, can lie at its door. From what Mr. Barnes has been reported as saying in the old country, the mission is considerably disappointed at the limited number of persons across the Dominion who were able to pass the machine shop tests.

University School for Boys

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Dolly Varden Orchestra

The Dolly Varden orchestra, which has been engaged by the management of the Dominion hotel, is proving very popular, and is delighting the many lovers of music who dine there.

Photos by Shaw Bros.—The excellent photographs reproduced in the Times yesterday of the Overseas company of the Western Scots, and of the sergeants of the same battalion, were by Shaw Bros., the well-known commercial photographers of Bastion street.

Ladies' Musical Club.—The Ladies' Musical club will give the Red Cross concert which is to be held at the Empress hotel on the evening of October 14. The best local talent is being secured for the occasion, full particulars of the programme in connection with which will be published on Saturday.

City Tax Sale.—The city tax sale was resumed this afternoon, after an adjournment from the hour of rising yesterday. About 36 lots were offered yesterday, only a few parcels selling above the upset price, while in seven cases there were no bidders. Only one soldier's property was offered. Most of the property offered for sale was unimproved, principally on the outskirts of the city.

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GOLF COURSE OPENING

United Service Club, Esquimalt, to Commence Play on Saturday; Links Improved.

The United Service Golf Club, Esquimalt, will open for play on Saturday, October 9. For some weeks past a man has been employed constantly on renovating the course, clearing away stones and rubbish that had collected in the bunkers, and otherwise improving the conditions. Four new tees have been

made, and two new greens, while all the old greens have been re-soiled with grass and top dressings put on. The condition of the links throughout is much better than ever before, and old members will not be slow to appreciate the improvement.

Arrangements are being made so that players may have tea as usual on Sunday, and it is probable that some similar arrangement will be possible for week days. Those who need balls may secure some re-prints at the club house at any time, and in the course of a week or two a consignment of new balls will be on hand.

The secretary, J. W. H. Littleboy (1935 Fowl Bay road, or registry office, court house), reminds members and in-

On Organization Tour.—Keith W. Macrae, a well known Victorian, who has represented the Saxon Car Co. at the Panama Exposition, and throughout California, has been appointed manager for the Saxon people throughout the entire Dominion, and has arrived in Victoria on the initial stage of his organization tour.

Tourists Advantages.—John M. Scott, Seattle, general passenger agent for the Southern Pacific railway, was here yesterday and stated that Victoria has the best opportunities of all northwest cities for enlarging and fostering the tourist traffic. He advised the continuation of publicity work and its enlargement. Mr. Scott is on his way to Winnipeg, hoping to drum up traffic for the Southern Pacific route to the San Francisco fair.

Whist Drive Results.—The fortnightly whist drive of the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Andrew's society was held last evening at the home of Mrs. Ridgard. There was a very gratifying attendance, and the following were awarded prizes at the end of the evening: First lady, Mrs. R. McIntosh; second lady, Miss Wallace; third lady, Miss Leishman; first gentleman, J. Angus; second, W. Ward; third, R. McIntosh. After the presentation of prizes by Mrs. Ridgard refreshments were handed round, proceedings concluding after a most enjoyable evening. The next whist drive will be held at the home of Mrs. R. McIntosh, Emery street, Victoria West, at a date to be decided on later.

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Weather Map Conditions.—Fair weather was general along the Pacific coast yesterday. At the mouth of the Columbia river, Oregon, unusually high temperatures for the time of the year were recorded, at North Head, which is on the Pacific, 72 degrees being recorded. At Cape Flattery, the thermometer at its maximum recorded twenty degrees less. The contrast of these temperatures with those on the eastern slope of the continental divide was marked, the western prairie provinces recording temperatures around freezing point, in many instances below.

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Good Shooting.—In the results just published of The Imperial Challenge Shield Competition (seniors), which is held under the auspices of the National Rifle Association, the University school of Victoria team obtained the 37th place and won a prize of £2. This competition is open to cadet corps and rifle teams all over the empire. This year 240 teams competed. It is gratifying to note that the University school is twenty-one places higher this year than last. The shield was won by the Royal Marines cadet corps, Deal, England. The second place was taken by an Australian team.

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ST. BARNABAS SERVICES Harvest Thanksgiving to Be Anniversary Celebration of Foundation of Parish.

In connection with its harvest thanksgiving services to-day and on Sunday, St. Barnabas' church will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary.

The Victoria and Island Development Association last night decided on direct letter publicity to 3,000 farmers of the northwest.

AUSTRALIA'S NAVY BOYS

Who will be seen in a fine patriotic drama "Called to the Front," at the Royal Victoria Theatre to-morrow.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender. George Wilkinson, of Nanaimo, is at the Dominion hotel.

AT THE ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE



BLANCHE SWEET IN "THE CLUE" A baffling detective mystery being shown at the Royal Victoria.

staying with Mrs. Macrae's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Starr, 145 Government street.

F. R. Korns, of Des Moines, and R. P. Fulkerson, of Tacoma, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

G. H. Gower, inspector of schools, and Mrs. Gower, came down from Prince Rupert on the last steamer.

Wm. Adams, who is well-known to all old timers in Cariboo, is down from Lilhoet, and is a guest of the Dominion hotel.

Arrivals from Elizabeth, N. J., at the Empress hotel yesterday were Miss Carlton, Miss M. N. Carlton and Miss Mildred Carlton.

Mrs. J. H. Hawthornthwaite has left for Montreal to meet her daughter Nora, who is returning home after a stay of some years in the old country.

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DAY NURSERY HAS ANNUAL POUND PARTY Many Birthday Gifts Received at Formal Opening of New Home

The new home of the Victoria Day Nursery, which has been in occupation by its small residents for some weeks, was formally opened yesterday on the second anniversary of the establishment of the organization.

At the meeting of the city school board to be held on Wednesday the curriculum of the evening classes, which has been prepared by a committee, will be approved.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE OVER FIVE THOUSAND

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Donations from the following are gratefully acknowledged: Mrs. Hardie, towels and jam; Miss Macdowell, clothing and cake; Mrs. Simon Leiser, clothing and cake; Mrs. Moreaby, clothing and toys; Mrs. G. A. McTavish, jam and potatoes; Mrs. W. J. Higgins, jam and biscuits; Mrs. W. J. Bowser, cakes, fruit, cream; Mrs. George Jay, cups and saucers, tea-cakes; Mrs. Gauding Wilson, clothing, toys, crib; Mrs. Tobin, cakes; Mrs. Taylor, powder; Mrs. Jenkins, sugar and biscuits; Mrs. P. Hickey, flour; Mrs. Kennedy, syrup and tea; Mrs. F. W. Grant, books; Mrs. E. Hayward, jelly, clothing; Mrs. B. Lewis, stockings; Mrs. J. Nixon, groceries; Mrs. W. J. Goeppel, sugar; Mrs. Anderson, clothing; Mrs. Gordon Grant, sandwiches.

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HOME WAS DESTROYED IN A MOMENT OF TIME

Letter to Victoria Resident Tells of Family's Narrow Escape

How a family lost their home and all their treasured household goods in an instant of time is told in a letter to W. G. Draper, representative of the Robin Hood Mills in this city.

CITY BOARD WILL HAVE CURRICULUM OF NIGHT SCHOOLS READY FOR NEXT MEETING

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AT THE THEATRES

"THE CLUE"

More than any other photodrama yet staged by the Lasky Feature Play Co., "The Clue," which may be seen at the Royal Victoria theatre to-day and in which Blanche Sweet makes her fourth appearance under this management, may be described as a drama of intrigue. Two Russians, Count Boris and his brother Alexis, have stolen plans of the Japanese coast defences which they are planning to take to London and sell there to a representative of the German government. As they pass through America they seek to acquire wealth by attempting to marry rich American girls. The brother of the girl to whom Alexis is paying marked attentions has as his valet a Japanese, who is really a secret agent of his government and who, learning of the existence of the map,

seeks to recover it. This causes him to murder Alexis. The complications of this event almost work a hopeless wrong for the American family before the identity of the real murderer is finally discovered by an expert detective. "The Clue" is one of those fascinating dramas which must be followed with the most absolute attention from the very first moment in order to lose nothing of the story. The sharpest minds will be puzzled to unravel the mystery until the solution is finally presented on the screen.

"IN SUNNY FRANCE"

Thirty-five well-known local amateurs will appear all next week at Pantages theatre in a condensed representation of "In Sunny France," the musical comedy which was produced last year at the Royal Victoria by Wilson Macdonald. Though the libretto has, of course, been cut down to suit the time of a vaudeville act, the essence of the plot remains, and the brightest, catchiest tunes have been retained. Among the well-known local vocalists, who are taking part are H. J. Davis and Ernest Petch. The scene will be laid in the Latin Quarter of Paris.

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WEEK OF OCT. 4

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CHARLEY CASE

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COLUMBIA THEATRE.

The management of the Columbia theatre had to face a peculiar predicament yesterday when word was received from two separate film exchanges that a complete feature programme from each had been booked in the Columbia for the latter half of this week, starting to-day. Ordinarily one of these would have been cancelled, but the Columbia management decided to run the two big features on one programme, without any advance in the price of admission making one of the strongest bills ever presented in Victoria comprising ten reels or a two and a half hour performance. The special feature is the Big Four (V. L. S. E.) five-part Blue Ribbon production "Playing Dead," with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew in the leading roles. This interesting story is by the well-known author, Richard Harding Davis. The big added attraction is that most popular comedian, Charley Chaplin, in a four-act revue, entitled "The Mix-up," a feature that is one continuous laugh during the entire hour it is on the screen. The Lathe Gazette showing the latest European war pictures completes this all-star programme.

"SUNDAY" AT DOMINION.

At the Dominion theatre to-day the World Film Corporation presents the five-part photoplay "Sunday," based on Thomas Raceward's successful stage play of the same name. The film is the second George W. Lederer "filmation" (Mr. Lederer will have it that way), and it is well worthy of this very experienced stage director's reputation and abilities. He has certainly made good as a "movie" producer in a very short space of time. Reine Davies, who makes her debut in motion pictures in this offering, also scores a great success in the part of Sunday, an orphan girl, brought up like a boy by four great-hearted lumberjacks. When her lover proves false and tries to betray her, they kill him. Sent to a convent and educated, she becomes extremely ladylike and refined and attracts the love of a manly admirer in England. But her heart is in the lumber camp and she returns to the "boys," followed, however, by her lover who secures her after many adventures. The film, in fact, is packed with incident and excitement there are scenes in England as well as in the United States, and all of them are of

LOMBARDI TROUPE



The soprano with the famous Lombardi quintette, who are delighting audiences this week at Pantages theatre

irregular beauty, particularly chosen and splendidly photographed. The acting is convincing and spirited. Supporting Miss Davies there are such famous people as Montagu Love, William H. Tooker, Charles Trowbridge, Jeanette Bagard and others. "Sunday" will be presented at the Dominion theatre to-night, Friday and Saturday.

STIRRING MILITARY DRAMA.

There is every indication that when the curtain goes up at the Royal Victoria theatre to-morrow evening, it will be to a packed audience assembled to witness the military extravaganza, "Called to the Front," to be given by the visiting cadets from Australia in aid of the funds of the Municipal Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire. Every member of the thirty-four cadets in the corps is a musician, and during the performance will have many opportunities to reveal his talents as an entertainer. As vocalists many of them have attained a high standard of proficiency. Cadet Gordon Williams, though barely sixteen years of age, possesses a phenomenal baritone voice; that has earned for him the reputation of being the "boy wonder" of Australia. Another star is Stanley Saunders, Australia's leading boy tenor. His numbers never fail to provoke abundant applause. In comedy Clive Borkwood and Martin Stott take leading parts whilst little Bobby Frew, the baby of the corps, gives an excellent impersonation of Scotland's famous comedian, Harry Lauder. Jack Lillis adds variety to the programme by his elocutionary effort in Rudyard Kipling's "Gunga Din." A pleasant interlude is an illustration of the gymnastic training carried on as part of Australia's military training system. To give an exact representation of the various poses and exercises, a special apparatus is carried. Parallel bar work and pyramid building are features in this act, in which sixteen of the cadets

take part under the leadership of Cadet Fred Curran, who has won many trophies for physical fitness in competition in Australia. Not the least attractive item in the bill will be supplied by the all-brass band of 30 instruments, which will render among others the selection "Il Trovatore," the cornet solo, "The Rosary," and the march, "Canada Forever," specially composed by the cadets' musical director, Harold Betteridge, and dedicated to the 72nd Sutherland Highlanders. Seats for the performance are now on sale at Royal Victoria theatre.

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VICTORIA MARINERS DOING GOOD SERVICE

Word Received From Coasting Men Who Are Now Under Admiralty's Direction

Victoria mariners who have gone to the Old Country and offered their services to the admiralty are doing splendidly. None of them seem to have had any difficulty in securing the posts they sought and those who are taking special courses are ready to qualify and will be leaving their schools very shortly.

Capt. Percy Shadforth, formerly master of the whaling tender Gray and a deep-water man of considerable ability, is now completing his course in mine-sweeping at an English school. Some people have the idea that a seaman has only to step aboard a trawler and throw his sweeps over the stern and he is a qualified mine-sweeper. The British navy, however, requires a higher grade of efficiency than that.

Capt. Johnson on Subs. Capt. Barney L. Johnson, one of the best known mariners along the British Columbia coast and for a short time prior to the outbreak of war a Vancouver pilot, is now working hard on his submarine course, and will very shortly be sent away in command of a diver. Immediately after war broke out Capt. Johnson offered his services to the Canadian admiralty, and was ordered to Esquimaux. He volunteered for submarine work and finally assumed command of one of the craft.

Another Shadforth who is at sea doing his duty is Capt. Albert Shadforth, who was with the C. P. R. on this coast and was pilot on many of the northern steamers. He volunteered for active service and after examinations in England was ordered to join the armed merchant cruiser Digby. Nothing is known of her movements.

Capt. James McKay, formerly mate of the fishery protection cruiser Newington, has been appointed to H.M.S. Wave. The captain is a native son of Vancouver Island, having been born at Sanfield Creek about 24 years ago. Engineers To Fore.

Since the war broke out about a dozen of Victoria's most capable engineers have enlisted with the British navy and some of them have already given a brilliant account of themselves. Engineer-Commander Wallace lost his life when the scout Princess Irene was blown to her doom at Shearwater. The exploits of Engineer-Lieutenant A. Gordon are fresh in the minds of all Victorians. Engineer-Lieutenant Cecilhard, formerly chief engineer with the H. C. Coast service, has just come through that Second Engineer Mason, of the Newington, has been appointed to H. M. S. Wave. The appointments of the other engineers have not been learned as yet.

THE TIME BALL

The time ball on the Belmont building will be raised halfway at 12.45, at the top at 12.55, and dropped at 1 p. m. daily. F. Napier Denison, superintendent, the Observatory, Gonzales Heights.

ANOTHER SHIPMENT OF GOLD FOR U.S.

Marama Brings \$4,000,000 From Sydney, N. S. W.; Heavy Fogs Off Frisco

San Francisco, Oct. 7.—Over \$4,000,000 in treasure was brought to San Francisco yesterday by the Union liner Marama, which arrived from Sydney and ports of call. This gold is to pay for supplies bought in the United States during the past few months and the money on the British steamer was all consigned to local banks.

The liner brought seventy-two cabin and forty-two steerage passengers and a large cargo of South sea products. After lying for several hours outside the heads in the fog yesterday the Matson liner Lurline arrived from Honolulu bringing the usual island cargo, twenty-eight cabin and a number of steerage passengers.

Scores of vessels were riding at anchor outside the Golden Gate yesterday, hidden from each other by a dense fog that has stopped practically all shipping. One vessel, the steamer Santa from Portland, ran on a mud bank on her way in.

The steamer Manchuria, from Hongkong, China, and the Hilonian, with the rescued crew of the schooner Graywood aboard, began waiting yesterday morning.

Sixty-five passengers on the Santa Clara were given a fright when the vessel went astray on the way in late Tuesday night and poked her nose into the base of Alcatraz island. High tide enabled her to float off safely.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

San Pedro, Oct. 6.—Arrivals to-day include the str. Olympic, from Portland, with 800,000 feet of lumber, and str. San Jacinto, from Grays harbor, with 500,000 feet of lumber. Departing vessels were the str. Shasta and Bellingham, for the Columbia river, to reload lumber for this port.

Tacoma, Oct. 6.—Arrived: Str. Yucatan, from San Francisco; Br. str. Titan, from United Kingdom, via Seattle and British Columbia ports; str. Falcon, from San Francisco; str. City of Puebla, from Vancouver, B. C., via Bellingham; str. Chicago Maru, from Seattle. Sailed: Str. F. S. Loop, for San Francisco, via way ports; bge. Charles Nelson, for Everett, towing; Comox, B. C., Oct. 6.—Arrived: Str. Seiko Maru, from Vancouver, B. C.; Sailed: Str. Titan, for Seattle, via Tacoma.

Everett, Oct. 6.—Arrived: Str. Johan Poulsen, from Port Gamble; bge. Chas. Nelson, from Tacoma, towing. Port Wells, Oct. 6.—Sailed: Str. J. A. Chandler, for San Francisco. Eagle Harbor, Oct. 6.—Arrived: Str. Thomas L. Ward, from San Francisco. San Pedro, Oct. 6.—Sailed: Str. Governor, for Seattle, via San Francisco.

Aberdeen, Oct. 6.—Arrived: Str. G. C. Lindauer, from San Francisco. Sailed: Schrs Robert Lewers and Melrose, for Honolulu; str. Carmel and Temple E. Burr, for San Francisco; bge. No. 21, in tow of tug Sea Rover, for San Francisco.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 6.—Arrived: Strs Klamath, Shoshone and Daisy Putnam, from San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Roanoke, for San Diego, via San Francisco. Plavel, Ore., Oct. 6.—Arrived: Str. Northern Pacific, from San Francisco. San Francisco, Oct. 6.—Arrived: Strs Daisy Gadsby, Beaver and Celilo, from Portland; str. Yosemite, from Grays harbor; Br. str. Marama, from Sydney; str. Lurline, from Honolulu; str. Hilonian, from Seattle, with crew of wrecked str. Graywood, at 2 p. m.; str. Manchuria, from Hongkong; str. Great Northern, from Astoria; Br. str. Wai-hemo, from Vancouver, B. C.; str. Star of Scotland, from Kariak; Sailed: Str. Matsonia, for Honolulu; U. S. A. T. Shenker, for Manila. San Francisco, Oct. 5.—Sailed: Strs. Bee and Hornet, for Puget Sound, at midnight.

Astoria, Ore., Oct. 6.—Arrived: Strs Klamath, Daisy Putnam, Northern Pacific and Shoshone, from San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Volga, for the United Kingdom; str. F. A. Kilburn, for Eureka.

Seattle, Oct. 6.—Arrived: Str. Hagonian, New York, via San Francisco; and Portland; str. Purley, Vladivostok, via Shanghai; str. Chicago Maru, Vancouver, B. C. Sailed: Str. Mariposa, southwestern via southeastern Alaska; str. Congress, San Diego, via San Francisco; str. Chicago Maru, Tacoma.

Balboa, Oct. 6.—Arrived: Str. Hattie Luckenbach, from San Francisco; str. Solano, from Portland, Ore.; str. Montano, from Puget sound for Norfolk. Shanghai, Oct. 3.—Arrived: Str. Manila Maru, from Seattle. Honolulu, Oct. 6.—Arrived: Str. Niagara, from Vancouver, B. C., for Sydney, N. S. W. Ogdensburg, N. Y., Oct. 5.—Sailed: Str. Burlington and Bennington, for Seattle, via New York.

Cristobal, Oct. 4.—Arrived: Str. Polyphemus, from Liverpool, via Kingston, for Seattle, Oct. 5.—Arrived: Str. Florence Luckenbach, from New York for San Francisco. Balboa, Oct. 5.—Arrived: Str. Kentuckian, from Seattle, via Hilo, for Philadelphia; str. Caldergrove, from Seattle for the United Kingdom. Brisbane, Oct. 2.—Arrived: Str. Aztec, from Portland.

Shanghai, Oct. 7.—Arrived: Str. Javary, from Tacoma. Shimoneski, Oct. 2.—Sailed: Str. Gishun Maru, for Seattle, via why ports. Caldera, Oct. 4.—Sailed: Str. Nann Smith, for Puget sound, via San Francisco. H. B. "Imperial" Lager Beer, pints, \$1.00 per dozen.

BAD STORM WORKING UP

Washington, Oct. 7.—Another West Indian storm, headed apparently for the American coast, was reported to-day in the Gulf of Mexico. Storm warnings were ordered displayed on the Gulf coast from Mobile to Cedar Keys. The probable course of the present storm could not be determined by weather bureau officials to-day from the meagre information at hand.

FAILED TO LOCATE FOUNDERED VESSEL

Dominion With Salvage Outfit Returned; Victoria Lies in Deep Water

Many adverse conditions contributed to the failure of the first expedition to re-float the lost fishing schooner Victoria. The tug Dominion with her scow of wrecking gear returned to port last night after spending two weeks trying to locate the hull. The dragging operations resulted in the gear fouling some object which the salvors believe was the Victoria, but owing to the great depth of water the question could not be decided.

In command of Capt. Parsons, the Dominion, with Capt. Pike, who was master of the Victoria when she came to grief, left this port two weeks ago. A large scow equipped with apparatus for raising the hull was taken along. The wreck is believed to lie in mid-channel between Hornby Island and Denman Island, and there are 23 fathoms of water over her.

Tides Against Work. There is a rise and fall in the tide in this channel of 12 feet, and as the low tide at present occurs during the night, the salvors could not pursue their work. The depth of water is rather great for a diver to work. It is not likely that any further work will be done on the hull until next spring, when the tides will be low in daylight in which to carry out the work.

The Victoria came to grief last winter. She was homeward bound from the fishing banks with a good catch when she commenced to take water through the stern bearing of the shaft. The flow was stopped, but later the leak developed to such an extent that she started to settle. The crew tried to work her towards shore, but they just had time to get clear when she took her final dive.

After the insurance question was settled the hull was bought in by A. Bechtel, her former owner.

WIRELESS REPORT

October 7, 8 a. m. Point Grey—Clear; calm; bar, 30.03; temp, 42. Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; bar, 30.03; temp, 40; sea smooth. Pachuca—Misty; N. W.; bar, 29.60; temp, 50; sea smooth. Estevan—Clear; S. E.; bar, 29.75; temp, 57; sea moderate. Alert Bay—Cloudy; N. W.; bar, 29.77; temp, 56; sea moderate. Triangle—Overcast; S. E.; bar, 29.92; temp, 53; sea moderate. Dead Tree Point—Passing showers; S. E.; light; bar, 29.70; temp, 50; light swell. Triangle—Overcast; S. E.; bar, 29.94; temp, 52; sea moderate. Ikeda—Raining; S. W.; light; bar, 29.35; temp, 52; sea smooth. Prince Rupert—Overcast; S. E.; fresh; bar, 29.70; temp, 45; light swell. Noon. Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; bar, 30.01; temp, 55. Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; bar, 29.95; temp, 60; sea smooth. Pachuca—Cloudy; S. W.; bar, 29.60; temp, 59; sea moderate. Estevan—Clear; S. E.; bar, 29.75; temp, 57; sea moderate. Alert Bay—Cloudy; N. W.; bar, 29.77; temp, 56; sea moderate. Triangle—Overcast; S. E.; bar, 29.92; temp, 53; sea moderate. Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; S. E.; light; bar, 29.76; temp, 54; light swell. Ikeda—Overcast; W.; light; bar, 29.48; temp, 53; sea smooth. Prince Rupert—Cloudy; S. E.; fresh; bar, 29.58; temp, 50; sea moderate.

TIDE TABLE

Table with columns: Date, Time, High, Low, etc. for October.

TIE-UP AT PANAMA IS GETTING WORSE

Shipping Congested at Both Ends of Canal; Some Boats Using Strait

Reports from Panama to-day state that the tie-up of shipping at both ends of the canal is getting more serious. During the past 24 hours numerous additional ships have joined the idle fleet. Some ship-owners have dealt with the matter in a very expeditious manner, and have ordered their ships to use the Strait of Magellan, which will add approximately 7,000 miles to their voyages.

The Panama-Pacific line, which operates the big liners Finland and Kronland between San Francisco and New York, are suffering as a result of the slide, but fortunately one of the ships was caught on either side and the company has been able to keep its service in operation, by using the Panama railway.

Word received by the Times to-day was to the effect that the Finland, from New York September 25, and the Kronland, from San Francisco September 29, will both be at the canal on Sunday next, and the passengers from New York on the Finland will be taken across the canal and transferred to the Kronland, and the passengers from San Francisco on the Kronland will be transferred to the Finland.

Seven steamships of the American-Hawaiian line, held up at Balboa and Cristobal, by slides in the canal, which may not be cleared away for a month, were ordered yesterday to proceed by way of the Straits of Magellan. Three vessels, the Arizonan, Iowan, and Nevada, were bound to Puget Sound from New York and were held at Cristobal. Four others, the Ohioan, Alaskan and Montanan, bound from San Francisco for New York, and the Kentuckian, from the Hawaiian Islands for New York, were held at Balboa.

AIDS TO NAVIGATION

Mariners are hereby notified that the new fog alarm at Entrance island light station outside Nanaimo was put in operation on October 6, 1915. The new installation replaces the old steam fog horn and consists of a diaphone operated by compressed air. It will give two blasts a minute of five seconds duration in foggy weather as follows: Five seconds blast, 5 seconds silence, 5 seconds blast, 4 seconds silence. The horn faces in same direction as old horn.

The Union Steamship Company

A steamer will leave Victoria Friday, October 15, taking freight for Northern P. C. ports. Freight received Pier D., Evans, Coleman and Evans wharf. GEO. McGREGOR, Agent, 1003 Government St. Phone 253.

CHANGE IN SCHEDULE

Effective Monday, October 4, THE S. S. "SOL DUC" Will leave C. P. R. wharf daily except Sunday at 11:30 a. m. for Port Angeles, Dungeness, Port Williams, Port Townsend and Seattle, arriving Seattle 8:30 p. m. Return, leaving Seattle daily except Saturday at midnight, arriving Victoria 9:00 a. m. CLALLAM COUNTY FAIR Port Angeles, Oct. 7, 8 and 9. \$1.00 ROUND TRIP—\$1.00. Secure information and tickets from E. E. BLACKWOOD, 1234 Government St. Phone 426.

Through Steamers to San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego

Leave Victoria Oct. 8, 11 p. m., S. S. President, Governor, Oct. 15, 5 p. m. Leave Seattle Tuesdays, 11 p. m., S. S. Congress or Queen. To Alaska S. S. Spokane or City of Seattle. Leaves Seattle Oct. 9, 15, 21. Calling at Skagway, Juneau, Wrangell, Ketchikan and Prince Rupert. R. P. RITHEL & Co., 1117 Wharf St. R. L. OSBORNE, 2008 Government St.

TO ENGLAND VIA NIAGARA FALLS. Grand Trunk System. Third Class \$95.80 Up, Second Class \$113.05 Up. THROUGH BOOKINGS. SAILINGS: SS. "ORDUNA", SS. "ST. PAUL", SS. "CORINTHIAN", SS. "BALTIC", SS. "TUSCANIA", SS. "ROTTERDAM", SS. "PHILADELPHIA", SS. "SICILIAN". Toronto—Hamilton—London—Ottawa—Montreal.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY. CHEAPEST AND MOST COMFORTABLE ROUTE TO GREAT BRITAIN. VIA CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY. In connection with trans-Atlantic Steamship Sailings. Through Sleepers. Optional Routes. No Delays. Latest Sailings From Montreal and New York: Carthaginian, Allan Line, Montreal-Glasgow, Oct. 16, 1915.

LOWEST FARES TO ENGLAND Via NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY. In connection with Trans-Atlantic Steamships. S. S. "St. Louis", from New York, Oct. 16, 1915. S. S. "Ryndam", from New York, Oct. 19, 1915. S. S. "St. Paul", from New York, Oct. 23, 1915.

NORTHERN PACIFIC. For rates and reservations call on or address E. E. BLACKWOOD, General Agent, Northern Pacific Railway, 1234 Government Street Phone 406. OR A. D. CHARLTON, A. G. P. A., Portland, Ore.

Transatlantic Sailings Via All Lines

Table listing various shipping lines and routes: Anchor Line "Cameronia", American Line "New York", Donaldson Line "Cassandra", Holland American Line "Neordam", Allan Line "Carthaginian", American Line "St. Louis", Holland American Line "Ryndam", American Line "Philadelphia", Allan Line "Corinthian", White Star Line "Baltic", Cunard Line "Tuscania".

Oriental Limited Great Northern Railway. The Finest Train From Seattle to the East. Every car built with the idea of offering you the greatest degree of travel comfort. Douglas and View Streets, Phone 699. W. R. DALE, General Agent.

Big Bargain in Fairfield. 6-ROOMED MODERN BUNGALOW. In First-Class Condition. FULLY FURNISHED. \$5,000. Forms, \$50 cash balance on mortgage. SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE.

Commercial Illustrating. MAKERS OF HIGH-CLASS DESIGNS ENGRAVINGS AND ILLUSTRATIONS. CATALOG WORK A SPECIALTY. PHOTO ENGRAVING COMPANY.

Young Arthur, the pride of the family, had been attending school for six weeks, and his devoted parent thought it was high time he should find out how things were going. So he asked one afternoon: "And what did my little son learn about this morning?" "Oh, a mouse, Miss Wilcox told us all about mouses." "That's the boy! Now, how do you spell mouse?" It was then that Arthur gave promise of being an arful dodger. He paused meditatively for a moment, then said: "Father, I think I was wrong. It wasn't mouse teacher was telling us about. It was a rat."

TIMES SHIPPING CHART. DEEP SEA ARRIVALS. From Northern Ports: Muscian, Canada Maru, Exton, Tampa Maru, Makura, Yokohama Maru. COAST SERVICES: From Northern Ports: Princess Alice, Princess Rupert, Princess Sophie. From Southern Ports: Princess Alice, Princess Rupert, Princess Sophie. FERRY SERVICES: For Vancouver, For Victoria, For Seattle.

O'Connell's Offer More of Those Snappy \$15 New Tweed Suits at . . .

Another smiling opportunity for the man who knows a genuine Sult snap when he sees it.

GET ONE TO-DAY SURE AT \$15.00

Special Showing of Caps at 75c Dent's Gloves in new Styles, \$1.25 to \$2.50

A TIP TO LADIES

While this is essentially a men's store there are two items of very great interest for you to be found here just now.

Come in and See Them



Formerly Fitzpatrick & O'Connell. 645-7 Yates St. Victoria, B. C.

Latest Averages for World's Series Clash

Table with columns: Name, Position, B.A., F.A., Bats Throws Age, Home. Lists players for Boston Americans and Philadelphia Nationals.

SPORTING NEWS

SHORE IS LIKELY TO OPPOSE ALEXANDER CONNIE MACK WANTS PHILLIES TO WIN

World's Series Opens To-morrow at Philadelphia; Thousands of Applications for Tickets Have Been Filed

To-morrow afternoon at Philadelphia, the world's series opens with the Red Sox and Phillies as contenders for the 1915 honors and major portion of the world's series coin.

Philadelphia, Oct. 7.—Connie Mack rarely says anything he has reason to regret. He is a daring chap, however, and occasionally plunges headlong into a prediction.

ly for their early morning mail to-day to learn whether they had been fortunate enough to secure reservations for the world's championship games between the Philadelphia Nationals and the Boston Americans.

Boston, Oct. 7.—Thousands of persons learned to-day that they had been successful in their applications for reserved seats for the world's series baseball games to be played at the Braves' field beginning next Monday.

SEATTLE PILOT



Well known Vancouver defence star, who is the probable manager of the Seattle hockey team this winter.

FRISCO TOUR WILL BE VOTED MONDAY

B. C. F. A. to Meet at Vancouver on Holiday; Old Country Gossip

It is likely that the arrangements for the San Francisco football trip will be completed at Monday's meeting of the B. C. F. A. at Vancouver.

GRIFFIS MAY BE SEATTLE LEADER

Choice Will Be Made at P. C. H. A. Annual; Ottawas After Home-Brews

It is likely that St. Griffis will be installed as manager of the Seattle Hockey club, when the annual meeting of the Pacific Coast Hockey association is held next Tuesday.

ACCEPT MAHONEY.

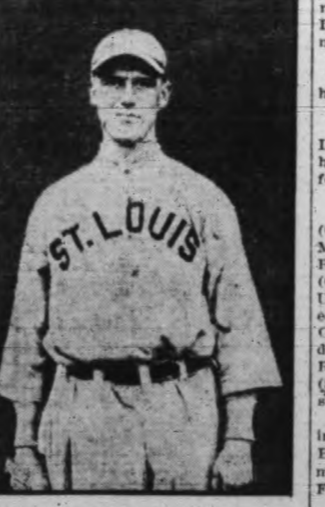
Word was received from Vancouver at noon to-day that Tim Mahoney, the New Westminster soccer official, will be satisfactory to Vancouver for the Thanksgiving Day game at the Terminal City.

MOUNTED EVENTS TO BE RUN OFF AT WILLOWS TO-DAY

Two of the mounted events, which were booked for the B. C. Horse sports on Thanksgiving Day will be run off at the Willows this afternoon.

SEASON'S FIND

James Sharp, the Chelsea back, has returned to Dundee, and will assist Dundee Hibs, who have received permission from the London club.



Sensational University of Michigan baseball star, who is making good with a vengeance for the St. Louis Browns.

THE FINEST SPIRIT EVER BOTTLED Perfection Scotch Whisky THE B. C. WINE CO., LIMITED

BASEBALL CHAMPIONS WON DOUBLE-HEADERS IN FINAL WORKOUTS

New York, Oct. 7.—The new Boston champions had a fine workout yesterday and defeated New York in both sections of a double-header, the scores being 2 to 0 and 4 to 2.

Philadelphia, Oct. 7.—Philadelphia got its final hard work for the world's series this afternoon when Brooklyn was defeated in both games of a double header by scores of 9 to 6 and 3 to 2.

JAMES GREEN Gunmaker and Safe Expert We repair guns, rifles and pistols, golf sticks, cricket bats, croquet mallets, fishing rods, skates, lawn bowls, restringing tennis rackets.

Phone 435 for "The New Drink" and Enjoy A Delicious and Refreshing Beverage. Manufactured by THORPE & CO., LTD.

PRIZES WILL BE PRESENTED AT CRICKET SMOKER

Saturday's cricket smoker at the Cathedral schoolroom will be featured by the presentation of prizes to the different winners of the individual honors for the past season in the Victoria and District Cricket League.

On Monday next a "time-limit" cricket match will be played between the Victoria C. C. and a team captained by Mr. Payne, president of the association.

GOT MANY BIRDS



A well known local sportsman who has had some particularly successful pheasant shooting since the first of the month.

FATTY L'HEUREUX WILL GO AFTER WILLIARD'S HONORS

San Francisco, Oct. 7.—"Fatty" L'Heureux, the Oakland heavyweight boxer, who won the heavyweight title at the Panama-Pacific championship tournament, has announced that he is ready to go against Jesse Williard for the championship of the world.

Mr. McTavish, who played for Third Leamark some time ago, is stated to have gone to Kirkcaldy, and will play for Rath Rovers.

INTERMEDIATE RUGBY CLUBS TO ORGANIZE EARLY NEXT WEEK

Intermediate rugby will be played in the capital this fall, according to the latest announcement by the local officials.

DUNLOP TROPHY RACE BOOKED FOR HOLIDAY

One of the oldest bicycle races in history, the Dunlop trophy race, will be run off on Thanksgiving Day at Toronto exhibition grounds.

COPS TO PLAY HOCKEY.

Portland, Oct. 7.—A challenge to the Seattle police department to meet them in a series of ice hockey games will soon be issued by the Portland police force.

FINAL HANDICAP RACE OF SEASON

The last handicap motor boat race for the season will be held on Saturday next from the R. V. Y. C. club house round the spar buoy of Little Zero rock and return.

"Johnnie Walker" KILMARNOCK Extra Special WHISKY The Best in 1820 and for its true flavor, exquisite bouquet and perfect mellowness. Unsurpassed in 1915. INSIST UPON THE SQUARE BOTTLE Wholesale agents Pither & Leiser, Ltd VICTORIA VANCOUVER, B. C.

BASEBALL

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

American. At New York—First game: Boston, 2; New York, 0. Second game: Boston, 4; New York, 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia Won Lost Pct. Boston 52 68 .550 Brooklyn 80 72 .527 Chicago 73 80 .477 Pittsburgh 73 81 .474 St. Louis 72 81 .471 Cincinnati 71 82 .461 New York 68 87 .451

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston Won Lost Pct. Detroit 100 54 .649 Chicago 93 62 .600 Washington 82 58 .588 New York 67 83 .448 St. Louis 62 90 .412 Cleveland 58 95 .379 Philadelphia 42 109 .279

COAST LEAGUE.

San Francisco Won Lost Pct. Los Angeles 101 85 .541 Salt Lake 95 86 .525 Vernon 91 96 .486 Oakland 85 102 .455 Portland 75 101 .426

The railway company was applying the town with electricity from its power-house. The town had brought an action because of alleged excessive charges. The lawyer for the railway company was making a last appeal for his cause.



LETTERS addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and to the point. The longer an article the shorter its chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name of the writer. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

THE PATRIOTIC FUND.

To the Editor.—In reply to Mr. Churchill's suggestions about the patriotic fund I might say that the same line as he suggests, The Patriotic Society is doing a splendid work, and would be glad, I am sure, to investigate any cases of imposition that Mr. Churchill might inform them of. Since September 1 only dependents of men away on active service have received patriotic money. There was a statement in last week's Times to that effect. I am sure if the women who are dissatisfied would state their grievances at the proper sources they would show a better spirit in return for the kindness of the ladies who freely give of their time and services. There is a lot of unfair criticism and there are also a lot of thankful dependents who greatly appreciate the kindness of those who give of their time and money.

LET THEM NOW SPEAK.

To the Editor: Under the above heading the Colonist invites criticism. The responsibility for having set on foot the scandalous insinuation is due to a want of confidence in the present administration of British Columbia by a very large number of the electors, for two special reasons among very many others. The publication by the Colonist of the forged telegram at the last moment of an election to deliberately influence the result of such election is the city of Victoria and the placing upon record by McBride of his ideal of progressive government, viz.: "The thing is to get in and when you are in to stay in." The Colonist hopes by "this most wicked scandal" to wash its hands of the slime from the forged telegram. We all know how Bishop Perrin tried to do this for the Colonist, but happily the moulding of the destiny of the electorate of British Columbia is not in the hands of the Colonist.

Yes, sir, the eyes of all Canada have been turned to British Columbia by the revelations of the B. C. crisis and the spending of huge sums of provincial money under a reckless and unscrupulous Premier. Let us hope that the eyes of the people of this province are not so blinded that any action of the Premier, whose large sums of money are in question, are regarded with grave suspicion amounting to (as the Colonist puts it) "a wicked scandal" when we recollect that a bill for six weeks' travelling expenses was paid out of public money for the Premier amounting to the huge sum of \$11,000. That one man received \$75,000 commission through the Indian reserve transaction (Sunghees reserve).

We have a good example of the reckless regard for facts when the limelight is thrown on even before this commission by the Premier. Where, when, how, and why was McBride consulted some 15 years ago regarding the defences of the Pacific coast? I have not the slightest doubt that such letters that the Premier may have had in connection have been very carefully preserved (they will see fine campaign ammunition). Let us see the dates, Mr. Premier, and make how accurate your evidence upon oath was before the commission, then if his other evidence was upon a par, why all this fuss, Mr. Colonist Editor? You know the old adage, "You can't play with pitch without being tarred."

ONE GERMAN ADVANTAGE.

In mobilizing and equipping its armies Germany has the advantage of Britain in its long compulsory military service. In entering the second year of the war it is compelled to offset its commercial and financial isolation by a resort to economies and universal service that has been paralleled only in Sparta's history. In the business of war the hazards involved and the discomforts endured are not confined to the German soldier in uniform, but embrace high and low in all walks of life and at a cost which only the future will disclose. How long will it take the allies to reach a similar mental state that will induce them to level social ranks and throw all into the balance on the side of their respective governments—Pittsburg Gazette.

APPEAL IN AID OF STARVING JEWS IN RUSSIAN POLAND.

Millions of destitute Jews are literally starving and dying from exposure in these regions from the effects of the war. Their government is too much engaged with its own needs to help them. They are without food, shelter, or sufficient clothing to withstand the terrible Russian winter. This is the first time the Jewish community of Victoria has appealed to the public for aid of their suffering race, but the situation has become too vast for them to handle by themselves and they are therefore compelled to appeal to your generosity for assistance. The money collected will be sent to the Jewish Relief Committee, Montreal, who will forward same to the Jewish Relief Committee in Russia.

MUNICIPALITY OF TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT.

NOTICE TO HUNTERS. Hunting, shooting and trespassing in pursuit of game is strictly prohibited within the Municipality of the Township of Esquimalt. All offenders caught will be prosecuted.

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK.

FOR SALE—Eight one-year-old hens, 15 six-month-old, 5 three-month-old, seven weeks old chickens, seven dollars the lot. 242 Meadow Place, Oak Bay. 07

FOR SALE—MOTORCYCLES.

MOTORCYCLES—Harleys, Merckels, Hussons and side cars. Bicycles, Stoddards and Greasers. Accessories, repair supplies, etc. repairs. Marconi Motor Co., 294 Douglas Street, Phone 678.

HELP WANTED—(Female).

WANTED—Young woman to take charge of one children's department, must be familiar with the various lines and be competent sales person. Apply Gordon Drysdale, Limited, 735 Yates Street. 07

WANTED—General servant, small family.

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EXPERIENCED for operator and fitter.

EXPERIENCED for operator and fitter, at once. Apply Booth & Booth, 425 1/2

IF YOU HAVE WORK for a few hours.

IF YOU HAVE WORK for a few hours, days or weeks, would you send in your name to the Central Employment and Relief Bureau and let us send you the man or woman to do that work?

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, 536 Caledonia Avenue. 012

TWO housekeeping rooms, cheap.

TWO housekeeping rooms, cheap. Apply after 6, 1511 Pandora. 09

SITUATIONS WANTED—(Male).

BUSINESS MAN, married, thoroughly capable bookkeeper, experienced correspondent, adaptable, desires position. Write to J. G. George, P. O. Box 1099, Post Office, Victoria. 012

I HAVE a few Chinese men and boys.

I HAVE a few Chinese men and boys who want work, cooking or any other kind of work, on steamer or anywhere. G. H. George, P. O. Box 1099, 109 Government Street, Phone 2514. 011

WE HAVE A WAITING LIST of skilled and unskilled laborers.

WE HAVE A WAITING LIST of skilled and unskilled laborers, clerks, bookkeepers, etc., both men and women, ready and anxious for employment. What do you need now? Central Employment and Relief Bureau. 012

WANTED—Automobiles.

WANTED—Five-passenger car. Full particulars and lowest price to Box 1200, Times. 012

WANTED—Automobile, five-passenger.

WANTED—Automobile, five-passenger, preferred, good condition, terms. Reply Box 1403, Times. 012

WANTED—HOUSES.

WANTED—For a client, small house with about 2 lots, on monthly payments. Northwest Real Estate, 1212 Douglas St. 07

FIELD SPANIEL WANTED—Good home.

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BICYCLE WANTED, 24 in., second-hand.

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WANTED—Good furniture, 5 or 6 rooms.

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WANTED—Second-hand bicycle, particularly in good condition and cheap.

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CASH paid for any old gold and silver.

CASH paid for any old gold and silver, also watches, diamonds and jewelry. M. Stern, 999 Yates St. Phone 410. 012

BRING YOUR OLD GOLD TO B. C. POST.

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FOR SALE—LOTS.

FOR SALE—Lot on Joseph Street, Fairfield, B. C. Phone 244. 020

FOR SALE—HOUSES.

FOR SALE—New, modern, furnished bungalow. Well situated. Only \$1,500, on terms. Box 1624, Times. 08

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COMOX VALLEY—300 acres, improved.

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HAYS STABLES, 78 Johnson. Livery, boarding, hacks, express wagon, etc. Phone 182. 07

FOR SALE—One 23-foot motor launch, complete with spray hood, electric lights and cushions, bargain. \$40. or will trade for Ford car. Apply Pauline Motor Sales Co. A. Webster. Phone 227. 012

FOR SALE—Typewriter, No. 7 Remington. \$75, nearest cash offer. Phone 3411. 09

FOR RENT—Six-room house, Pembroke street. Rent reasonable. 2312 Quadra. 09

1913 HUDSON CAR, in excellent order, before lighting and starting system, for sale cheap. Apply Dave's Garage, 638 Vancouver street. 012

FOR SALE—Exchange for cattle, a matched team of horses, weight about 1,600 each, ages six and seven, quiet and true to work, used to city and farm, were both bred this season. Address D. Miller, 230 Bowker avenue. 09

DRESSMAKING by the day, reasonable terms, Quadra street district, Box 162. Times. 09

TO LET—Seven acres, North Saanich, close to V. & S. Railway, and R. C. Electric, with nice, new, modern luncheon, cheap to good tenant, with option of purchase if required. Helsterman, Forman & Co. 09

BE CASH places a brand new "Domino" piano in your home, balance \$3 monthly, guaranteed for 10 years; stool and delivery anywhere on the Island free. See this to-day. Gibson Hicks' Piano Co. opposite Post Office. 09

ONE PACKARD TOURING CAR, in good running order; any reasonable offer accepted. Box 167, Times. 015

PHOTO STUDIO for sale; splendid opportunity for a young man. Apply Stanley Willows. 09

GASOLINE, 21 cents, 1912 Hudson, in first-class repair, \$70. Metropolitan Garage, 721 View street. 07

PHILIP LOESER, please call at New York Life Office, see Mr. Dobrin, 213 Sayward Bldg. 09

TO RENT—Small furnished cottage, five rooms, 114 Quadra street, gas stove, etc. Tel. 1914. 09

QUIET, furnished, 3-room apartment, light water, 115 Foxglove, 168 Douglas, or Phone 4991. 08

WANTED—Two small stoves, Foxglove, 168 Douglas. Phone 785. 09

LOST—Gold chain and locket with monogram. Finder, rewarded. Apply Box 375, Times. 09

RAGA SINGH, musician, church organist, etc., open to engagement. Apply 1210 Topaz avenue. 09

FOR RENT—Five rooms cottage, No. 215 Bligh street, furnished or unfurnished. Phone 225 or 4561. E. P. Geiger. 013

FOR SALE—Cheap, several large storage tanks, from 100 gals. to 500 gals.; also a Bowser gasoline tank and pump, for private or any use, never been used. Apply E. P. Geiger, 225 Fisgard St. 013

LADY CANVASSEER wanted to sell Xmas cards locally. Apply Box 976, Times. 09

LOST—Aldred's bitch, Funder, please Phone 228 and 4916. 09

TO RENT—Furnished, seven roomed house, close in, Fairfield, Box 176, Times. 07

WANTED—Good home for pretty sandy kitten. Phone 1230. 07

WANTED—4 or 5 roomed, furnished cottage, must have fireplace. 74 Yates street. 09

FOR SALE—Cadillac delivery of truck, big strap for cash, will give terms, or trade for 2 or 3-passenger car. Phone 1463. 09

WANTED—To lease, 50 to 100 acres in Saanich district for farming purposes. What have you? Dabby & Lawson, 515 Fort street. 09

GASOLINE, 21c, gal. cash, McLaughlin Buick Garage, corner View and Vancouver. 09

WANTED—A capable nursemaid; 50 others need apply; must have good references. Apply 508 Island road, Oak Bay. 09

SNAP—Choice building lot on Howe street, near sea, for \$1,300, reasonable terms. L. O. Conyers & Co., 650 View street. 09

TO RENT—Houses, furnished and unfurnished. J. O. Stinson, 511 Sayward Block. 09

NEW YORK AVIATORS WANT TO JOIN BRITISH

F. A. Thompson and D. J. Edelman, Noted Flyers From States, in Victoria

Two well known American aviators from New York City—F. A. Thompson and D. J. Edelman—are in the city today with the avowed intention of becoming members of the British aviation service. This morning they paid a visit to Sir Richard McBride, who promised them his support in attaining their objective.

Both men have considerable reputations in the east as aviators, and Thompson has been known for years as "the loop-the-loop man," he having been one of the first Americans to imitate the wonderful feat of Pegeud, the renowned French aviator who died gallantly while fighting recently in Alsace. Thompson is also known as the man who fell 2,000 feet in his biplane, and practically escaped injury.

D. J. Edelman is also a licensed pilot, and has made many thrilling flights throughout the States at exhibitions and aviation meets. He was for some time an instructor at the Moisant school, where he trained several young Mexican aviators who are now with the army.

Both men are keenly anxious to take part in "the big scrap," as they call it, and should have no trouble in securing commissions in the Royal Flying Corps. They are well acquainted with Flight Commander Claude Grahame-White, and other leaders of the air service in Great Britain.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

BALGAIN—On Duchess street, a choice 4 ft. lot going for \$55, terms cash, this is a rare chance. L. O. Conyers & Co., 650 View street. 09

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished, new, 8-room, modern house, heated by steam, close to park and sea. Apply 21 Marborough. 012

FIRST-CLASS ROOMS, with or without board; terms moderate. 306 Humboldt. Phone 4871. 09

WANTED—Residences and acreage for clear title property. J. O. Stinson, 511 Sayward Block. 09

WANTED—To buy for cash, second-hand furniture; best prices given. Percie Douglas street. Phone 1879. 08

FIVE-PASSENGER FORD in perfect running order, fitted with special carburetor, master vibrator, extra braces under rear axle, KAXON horn, new non-skid tires on rear wheels, speedometer, very little used; price \$350. Thomas Pimley, 726 Johnson street. 08

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DIED—McKAY—On the 6th inst., at St. Joseph's Hospital, occurred the death of Harriett McKay, beloved wife of John McKay, aged 42 years; born in Lewes, Sussex, England; a resident of Victoria for the past 12 years. She is survived by, besides her husband, one son, William McKay, and three daughters, Harriett, Jane and Edith, all of Victoria.

The funeral will take place from the Thompson Funeral Chapel on Saturday, Oct. 9, at 2:30. Rev. J. G. Inkster will officiate. Funeral private.

CARD OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Palmer and family desire to thank their many friends for their kind sympathy and beautiful floral contributions in their recent sad bereavement.

PETER GARDNER,
Clerk to the Police Commissioners.

TENDERS.—Tenders are required for repairs to roof of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital. Specifications may be obtained from the Secretary. Tenders to be in not later than Monday, Oct. 11, at 4 p. m. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

G. T. CARVER,
Secretary.

BRENNAN TELLS HOW STABBING OCCURRED

Claims Self-Defence When Assaulted in Cafe by Addison

When the defence was begun in the trial of James Brennan, charged with the wounding of Addison, who was stabbed, and the evidence showed that Brennan did the stabbing. This the accused did not deny this morning, but he held he acted in self-defence, and unintentionally stabbed Addison, who, he said, rushed him in the Wilson cafe and struck him in the mouth, cutting his face and breaking his teeth. He had then clinched, and must have stabbed Addison with the knife.

His explanation as to how the knife came to be in his hand and open at the time was that he was coming through a door at the back of the cafe, cutting off a chew of tobacco, when Addison surprised him and struck him. On the spur of the moment he acted on the defensive. In the collision the accused cut a gash in the thumb of his right hand, and it is contended by the defence that this would not have occurred had he been holding the knife in a premeditated stabbing position, but would occur when holding the knife as he claims he did, for the purpose of cutting tobacco.

Accused explained his seeking Addison in the cafe on the Saturday night before the stabbing and a few hours after Addison had been killed. He said he was looking for him to find out why he wanted to fight, and to ask Addison for some money he owed, because Brennan was without money.

The informant yesterday testified that in the collision in the cafe Brennan put his left arm round Addison's neck and stabbed him with a knife held in his right hand. In the afternoon Ethel Hook, a waitress, who saw the affray at close range, said Brennan put his right arm round Addison's neck, and then she heard Addison say he was stabbed and saw Brennan's left hand come away, and a knife drop to the floor. She picked the knife up. Addison was stabbed in the lower part of the body on the left side.

Several witnesses for the prosecution were heard yesterday afternoon. Their evidence showed that Addison was a regular customer at the cafe. Regarding Brennan little was known of him by the employees, who had seen him only a few times.

James Brennan said this morning he had been in and out of Victoria for eight or nine years as fireman on steamships. He had known Addison some years, and had come with him from Prince Rupert, Addison had \$45, and lost all but \$10 at gambling. At Victoria Addison lived with a woman and his friend because he was without money, and witness had loaned him \$5 which he later repaid.

Witness told of the alleged assault in the Wilson bar preceding the stabbing. Witness said he went towards Addison to speak to him, and when a short distance off Addison struck him in the eye, cutting the eyebrow open. The same night Addison said he would hit Brennan every time they met. Enter witness went to the Wilson bar to find Addison and ask why he had struck him.

On the following Monday night he had a drink in the Wilson bar and was going towards the rear when he heard steps behind him, and turning round, received a blow in the mouth from Addison. He was at the time cutting tobacco with the knife in his hand and when struck clinched with Addison and thumped him in the stomach.

"When I had thumped him," said witness, "I stood a minute and walked out to the street."

Witness said he cut his thumb when striking Addison.

Mr. Barnard obtained admissions from accused that he was angry with Addison following the row of Saturday night and had made hostile remarks about Addison in the Wilson bar after the Saturday night assault.

"Juryman—Is it your custom always to cut tobacco, or don't you bite it off?"

Witness—"I use the knife because I've only got four teeth."

Dr. Hechtel, who examined accused after his arrest, testified to a loose tooth, a cut lip, and a cut on the right thumb. The cut could be caused by the means recited by accused in striking Addison.

Evidence was given that Brennan has been a quiet-mannered man of peaceful disposition and good character.

LAY WOUNDED FOR FIFTEEN HOURS

Pte. Whitaker, Home From the Front, Had Remarkable Escape

Lying for fifteen hours on the battlefield, with a fractured thigh preventing him from returning to his trench, was the experience of Pte. B. Whitaker, who is in the city to-day. His left leg was permanently injured at Festubert, and he has now received his discharge from the army.

Pte. Whitaker was with the 15th battalion, having been transferred from the 30th battalion with whom he left Victoria, and was in the celebrated bayonet charges at the Festubert engagement. His section was ordered to occupy a trench of the enemy, and while crossing the intervening stretch of open country the deadly enfiladed machine guns began to play on the Canadian boys, with deadly effect on the Fifteenth. The space was quickly a mass of wounded and struggling figures. Whitaker received a machine gun bullet in the left thigh.

While lying on the ground during the night he applied his surgical dressing to stop the bleeding. The night was rendered horrible by the roar of the guns, and the bursting of shrapnel, while the ghastly scene was illuminated by the explosion of the star shells. Movement from his position was impossible, and there he lay till nearly noon next day, when he was able to crawl back to the British lines. Friendly hands pulled him into shelter, and after emergency treatment he was sent to Bethune, and thence to Boulogne for attention, eventually spending two months in the third London General Hospital.

Whitaker is a young fellow with friends in this province, but his relatives are in England. He is anxious to secure clerical work, the nature of his injuries precluding him from heavy outdoor work. Any person who can offer the young fellow work should communicate with Secretary R. H. Swinerton, of the Victoria Patriotic Aid Society.

MR. HANNINGTON IS EXPECTED NEXT WEEK

Revision of Watershed Purchase to Meet Council's Motion; Vacant Houses

It is expected that the new city solicitor, R. W. Hannington, will reach the city either Monday or Tuesday to meet members of the council, and to make arrangements for moving to this city from the mainland. At the city hall it is not expected Mr. Hannington will be able to report for duty for some little time yet.

In order to rearrange the area of the Sooke Lake watershed which is to be purchased from the Esquimalt and Nanaimo railway by the city, a new survey line will be run across the northern end of the watershed, cutting off approximately 2,000 acres. The city council having authorized the purchase of 15,000 acres, and the survey showing a drainage area of 17,600, it has been found necessary to cut off 2,000 acres, which can best be eliminated from the part nearest Shawinigan Lake. When the amended survey is finished the water commissioner will in due course make a report to the council on the lands to be acquired. It is believed that the restricted area will provide sufficient protection for the city watershed.

The police commissioners yesterday afternoon received a deputation from the Real Estate Exchange to consult with the members as to what steps can be taken to prevent the depreciation of fixtures in unoccupied houses. The problem has never been so serious as at present, and the loss of property in empty houses has shown a growing tendency. It was stated that plumbing, electric light, and similar fittings of a house have all suffered from the light-fingered class. The subject was discussed at the last court of revision on the assessment roll, it being pointed out that unoccupied improvements are a serious burden on the non-resident owner, involving him in constant expenditure for repairs.

There is to be no meeting of the streets committee of the city council to-morrow afternoon, little business requiring attention. Also there are matters upon which a legal opinion is required, and in the absence of a solicitor, it appears unwise to hold another meeting.



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AUSTRALIAN CADETS ARRIVE IN CITY

Lieut. Simons Spoke at Rotary Club Luncheon This Afternoon

The Rotary club to-day held the largest luncheon since its formation here, having as guests the cadets of the Young Australia league who are touring Canada and the United States. There were present also Mayor Stewart, Hon. Dr. Young, representing the provincial government, and representatives of various public organizations taking an interest in the visit of the Australians.

The cadets arrived from Duncan on the noon train, and were welcomed at the depot by the mayor and other representative people. Led by Drum-Major Melrose the thirty-five lads paraded to the Empress hotel, playing national selections as they marched in uniform along Government street. They were greeted by cheers and hand-clapping all along the line of route.

At the luncheon Lieut. Simons spoke on inter-perial relations and the defence system of Australia, and at the outset proved himself quite a humorist. He said he was aware that Vancouver island was the most important part of British Columbia, and that the rest of the province the appendix. It was also, he said, the most western part of Canada, and continued: "Wise men come from the east. That is right. They never stop there. As soon as they grow wise they come west. That is why you all are here."

"Trade relations and defence," he said, "are the twin issues of the Pacific. There must be a partnership between Australia, New Zealand and Canada if they are to play an important part in the future of the Pacific. Conjointive action is necessary. They are not making the strides they ought to if they are to keep the trade of the Pacific under the British flag."

Referring to the war Lieut. Simons said there had been a lack of "self-containment" on the part of the British empire. Had the empire seen far enough it would not have sent a pound sterling outside for supplies. An empire such as this should not have to lie in wait in San Francisco, where he said there were 500 men working, most of them Germans. They were making saddles and boots, working night and day, for Britain. They were paid with British gold, some of which was being paid back into a pro-German campaign fund. "Our money being hurled back at us in the shape of hostile shrapnel," he said. "For these and other reasons he felt that he could come here and speak on the necessity for a self-contained empire."

Australia, he said, had been the only part of the British dominions fully alive to what was coming, and her action had shown the wonderful possibilities of soldiers in time of peace. Australia, he said, was the first part of the empire to do this by its civilian training system. He considered it a part of the duty of every citizen of the empire to be fit to fight when called on, and the duty of the state to give them the opportunity to be ready at short notice.

"How many men in this room," asked Lieut. Simons, "if given a magazine rifle and cartridges, could load it?"

Australia, he said, was foremost in this instruction. The days of shooting a man in war at a range of 100 yards were gone. Warfare had altered. It was a new state of things, and if the citizen should be obliged to spring to arms, it was the duty of the state to see that he could do it.

"We have not got conscription in Australia," he added. "The term is hateful to us. We would not have it. The life in barracks under a military martinet and the strict confinement for the term of military service would not be tolerated. What we have is the combination of the citizen-soldier. By this scheme we were able to send a great armada of forty-six ships to the Dardanelles, and we have 180,000 men either on the firing line or ready to embark. Eighty-eight per cent. of these are Australian born. This is because we have awakened our citizens

OBITUARY RECORD

C. E. Wells, one of the oldest residents of Goldsboro, died at his home there on Friday evening last, and was buried on Monday. The late Mr. Wells was the first agent appointed by the Canadian Pacific railway when the station at Golden, at the head of the Columbia valley, was opened. He retained the office until within a few years, when he was appointed to take charge of the commercial-telegraph office in the town. Through his long connection with the service he was always high in the respect and confidence of the public, and the news of his death will be received with sorrow by very many outside the town in which he spent so many years. He is survived by a widow and one daughter, Mrs. Campbell Brady.

LOCAL NEWS

Australian Cadets—The Australian cadets will be at the High school to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock and not at 10:30 as elsewhere announced.

Y. W. C. A. Board Meets—The board of directors of the Y. W. C. A. will hold their regular monthly meeting to-morrow at 2:30. Members are requested to attend.

Not the Party—Fred C. Moss, 2627 View street, wishes it to be understood that he is not the party who was charged with removing lumber from new Spencer block.

Church Parade Postponed—The Church Guides' church parade, which was to have taken place next Sunday, has been postponed until the following Sunday, October 17, owing to the Sunday school rally which is being held on October 10 at St. John's church.

Sons of England—Pride of the Island lodge will hold a social and dance at the A. O. H. hall, Broad street, on Tuesday next, when all members of both lodges and their wives are invited, as well as the Daughters and Maids of England. The proceedings will open at 9 o'clock.

Thanksgiving Service—On Sunday evening a thanksgiving service will be held at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, when a special service of praise will be given. The choir will render appropriate music, and the usual thanksgiving hymns will be sung.

Presenting Colors—Invitations have been sent out by the Victoria Girl Guides for a ceremony which is to take place in St. John's schoolroom on Tuesday, October 12, when No. 2 Victoria company will be presented by the Lady Douglas Chapter, I. O. G. E. with their colors. The same evening the enrolment of the guides will take place.

Illustrated Volumes Received—Sir Richard McBride has been sent copies of a couple of illustrated books, "India and the War," is one of these, a handsome publication containing thirty-six illustrations, and showing the various military units of India engaged in the war, with a preface by Lord Sydenham of Combe. Another is "The Columbia," by Samuel C. Lancaster, describing by pen and picture the Pacific Highway.

United Commercial Travelers—The United Commercial Travelers will hold their regular monthly meeting in the Knights of Columbus hall, Fort Street, on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, sharp. Only routine business will be transacted after which the members will entertain their lady and gentleman friends to a social dance, commencing at 8:30. A very pleasant evening is anticipated, so that all members are requested to be present. No admission fee will be charged.

Reception to Australians—The Women's Canadian club to-morrow afternoon will entertain the Australian cadets at the Empress hotel ballroom. The programme includes many interesting numbers, one of the chief of which will be the address by Lieut. J. J. Simons of the visiting cadets. The proceedings will commence at 3:30. Members may bring friends, but are reminded that it will be necessary for

UNIONS TO NOMINATE

Trades and Labor Council Decides Action; Delegates Sivert's Report.

The Trades and Labor council at its meeting last evening decided not to make nominations for the next municipal elections at this time, but to leave the nominations over to the respective unions when, after the nominating convention, the subject again can be considered.

The delegates to the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada made a report. Delegate Sivert's went at some length into the proceedings of the congress. In part he said:

"The speech-making act of the convention was the demand for a six-hour day. The willingness, my eagerness by which the convention accepted the proposal that the provincial executive and federations, and the executive of the congress demand of the legislatures and parliament respectively an act covering all industries establishing a six-hour day in order to avert social chaos was marked. The serious industrial conditions that are now developing, and the near approach of which is realized by the people in all parts of the country makes this pronouncement of the organized workers at once the most appealing and the most practical measure that could be devised to alleviate the distress and suffering so common of late among the workers of all trades. By adopting this proposal the congress has made itself sponsor for a very efficient means of relief. It augurs well for the success of this movement that both public bodies and private organizations concerned with unemployment have been marking time lately waiting for something to turn up."

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

VICTORIA VOLUNTEER SQUADRON MOUNTED RIFLES.

Parade will be held at the drill hall on Friday, October 8, at 8 p. m. All members are requested to attend this parade without fail, important business to be discussed.

By order,
J. R. HOWES,
Lieutenant and Adjutant.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Robert Young, of Tacoma, is a visitor to Victoria and is the guest of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. MacRae, 210 Dundas street.

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Mrs. Herbert B. Kirby and her daughter, Sylvia, of Saskatoon, have arrived to spend the winter at the coast, and are staying with Mrs. Thompson Kirby, 136 Gorge road.

CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT

Municipal Elections

The Voters' List for the forthcoming Municipal Elections is now being prepared.

Householders and License-holders who are desirous of having their names placed upon the List must make Statutory Declaration and file same with the Clerk of the Corporation on or before the Thirtieth Day of October, 1915.

Owner of property under an Agreement to Purchase must make Statutory Declaration and file same with the Clerk of the Corporation on or before the Thirtieth Day of November, 1915.

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ESQUIMALT RED CROSS

Formal Inauguration Held Last Night at Heald's Hall; Enthusiastic Meeting.

Heald's hall, corner of Constance avenue and Esquimalt road, was filled to capacity last evening on the occasion of the formal inauguration of the Esquimalt branch of the Canadian Red Cross society. Owing to another important engagement intervening, his honor the lieutenant-governor was unable to be present, but in a message he expressed his faith in the ability of the new organization to do its share in a manner worthy of the traditions of the naval port in the splendid work of mercy.

In the absence of the chairman of the Esquimalt branch, T. H. Slater, the meeting was presided over by R. H. Pooley, M. P., who introduced Mr. Jones, a member of the committee of the Victoria branch of the Red Cross society. Mr. Jones in a very business-like manner outlined the work of the older organization which he represented, and urged the need for whole-hearted support of their Red Cross organization in the work on which it was about to enter. The latter part of his address was devoted to a resume of the Canadian and British Red Cross societies' undertakings in the present war.

Rev. Robert Hughes, of the Methodist Naval and Garrison church, Esquimalt, and Rev. W. Baugh Allen, of St. Paul's Naval and Military Garrison church, were also present and spoke. Other speakers included Rev. Father Silyer and C. H. Logrin. The meeting was most enthusiastic and indicated that Esquimalt will do much to help along the great work which has been undertaken by the Red Cross society throughout the empire in the present crisis.

"What are they going to call their baby?" inquired the first neighbor. "I don't know," said the second, "but they have named it Resnald."

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 7, 5 a. m.—The barometer is falling in advance of an ocean storm area which will cause a general rainfall and high-southerly winds on the coast. The weather has been fine from the Yukon to California, and in the prairie provinces a moderate cold wave has appeared.

Forecasts.

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday.

Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong easterly to southerly winds, fair to-day, becoming unsettled with rain on Friday. Lower Mainland—Easterly and southerly winds, fair to-day, becoming unsettled with rain on Friday.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 61; minimum, 45; wind, 12 miles N. E.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, clear.

Entrance—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 49; minimum, 35; wind, fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.25; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 37; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.30; temperature, maximum yesterday, 49; minimum, 29; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.72; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 40; wind, 15 miles S. E.; weather, cloudy.

Tatoush—Barometer, 29.34; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles N. E.; weather, clear.

Fortland—Barometer, 30.03; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles N. E.; weather, clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday, 59; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles N. E.; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Temperature.

Place	Max.	Min.
Cranbrook	54	32
Pentticon	58	38
Nelson	58	38
Calgary	46	24
Edmonton	42	24
Q'Appelle	40	24
Winnipeg	40	26
Toronto	52	32
Ottawa	52	32
Montreal	56	36
St. John	50	30
Halifax	54	34

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 2 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Wednesday.

Temperature.

Highest	61
Lowest	45
Average	53
Minimum on grass	36
Maximum in sun	120
Bright sunshine	8 hours 34 minutes.

General state of weather, clear.

ASKED REPLY WITHIN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS

Text of Note Presented in Sofia by the French Minister

Paris, Oct. 7.—The foreign office, concerning the Bulgarian official communication regarding the note presented in Sofia by the French minister, gives the text of the note presented to Bulgaria by the French minister. It follows:

By order of his government, the minister of France is requested to inform the royal government that the government of the republic regards as void the offers which have been made, and if hostilities occur in the Balkan peninsula, the entire responsibility therefor will be charged to the Bulgarian government.

The government of the republic of France asks the royal government to dismiss immediately the German officers who already are attached under various titles to the Bulgarian army, and to notify it of its action within 24 hours.

MORE MOUNTS FOR C. M. R.

Victoria Squadron Now Has Sufficient Horses for One Troop.

The Victoria Independent Squadron B. C. Horse have this week received two more horses, this making a total of twenty-four mounts now in possession by the regiment. As this number is sufficient to mount a troop, the exercises usual in a unit of the kind may now be carried out in some measure. The squadron is at full strength, viz., 125, no further reinforcements or other drains having been called out for some weeks.

The following is the personnel of the draft for overseas service from the 5th Regiment B. C. A., which is now at the Willow and expects to leave shortly in charge of Lieut. H. K. Robinson and Lieut. T. G. Blackwood for the old country: C. S. M. H. O. Savage, Sgt. Thos. Davies, Corp. G. Hewitt, Corp. V. Jarvis, Sgt. W. Reid, Bdr. L. J. Bradshaw, Bdr. F. R. Barden, Bdr. C. M. Johnston, Bdr. George Walton, Tpr. C. P. Henderson, Grs. R. W. Addison, P. Hall, T. B. Benfield, H. B. Clewton, W. W. Davidson, Arthur Davies, L. T. Davis, S. Deak, S. D. Foster, T. S. Floyd, F. Fox, F. Gold, H. Gordon, Geo. Hynes, T. T. Jarvis, C. C. Johnston, J. J. Lamb, A. Lister, R. Lory, R. S. McIlroy, D. R. Mitchell, W. Oulmet, L. W. Perry, R. J. Pickman, F. W. L. Redgrave, A. W. Reid, J. D. Robinson, G. W. Ross, R. J. Ross, E. Rowland, H. W. Scriver, J. Simpson, T. J. Smallwood, A. Stacey, E. Thorne, W. Trotter, H. Veale, G. A. Walton, R. A. Wilson, P. J. Woolley.

ONE HUNDRED SCHOOL CHILDREN ON STRIKE

Refused to Be Instructed by Govt. Commission's Teachers in Ottawa

Ottawa, Oct. 7.—Refusing to receive instruction from two teachers employed by the Ontario government commission, a hundred children attending the Guegues Boys' school on Murray street have gone on strike. They left the school in a body. Two former teachers have opened a private school for them.

This is the first outbreak resulting from the bilingual school trouble in Ottawa. When the school opened a month ago a somewhat anomalous situation developed. The old school board and the new government commission which supplanted it, re-engaged the same teachers. There were two exceptions, the Misses Deslages. They were not re-engaged by the old board, and since the opening of the school they have been teaching. The new commission failing to re-engage them, and the two teachers persisting in teaching, the commission appealed to the courts on Saturday and secured from Mr. Justice Riddell an injunction restraining the two teachers from interfering with the classes. The restraining order also was directed against the old separate school board, which refuses to quit.

Though served with the injunction, the Misses Deslages held classes as usual up to noon on Monday. In the afternoon, however, they failed to return, while their places were filled by the Misses Lafont, two qualified teachers engaged by the government commission. When the children learned that new teachers were there they decided not to enter the classes.

The same thing happened again yesterday morning and interest was intensified by the presence of a score of more or less excited parents.

When the commission's teachers arrived they were informed that their services were not acceptable, and politely told to get out. They declined to do so, but though they remained, none of the pupils did. Following the instructions of their parents, the children went next door, to the Murray street chapel, where two classes were opened by the Misses Deslages.

It is said to be probable that an appeal will be taken from the restraining order of Mr. Justice Riddell, which acts as an interdictory injunction pending the trial of the three school cases here at the end of the month.

AUSTRO-GERMAN TROOPS DRAWN FROM EAST FRONT

London, Oct. 7.—The invasion of Serbia by Austro-German forces marks the beginning of the expected campaign against Serbia and may precipitate the crisis in the Balkans which has been looked for. Recent developments have shown that Bulgaria was likely to co-operate with Germany and Austria by attacking Serbia from the east. An army of French and British troops has been landed at Salonica and sent to Serbia to assist in meeting the new attack.

German and Austrian troops are said to have been dispatched to the Serbian front from Russia, and it is reported that Field-Marshal von Mackensen is in charge of these operations.

The German plan of campaign is believed to be to force a way through Serbia, and if either the active assistance or the passive neutrality of Bulgaria is obtained, to reach the Sea of Marmora and give assistance to the Turkish army.

KNOWS OFFENSIVE WILL BE CONTINUED

Berlin, Oct. 7.—Major Morath, writes: Enormous supplies of ammunition, supplemented by what still comes from neutral America, and the massing of heavy artillery, without doubt will lead the French to new action, for which they have made enormous preparations. Another ticklish point is the premature suspension of the British offensive. The offensive has not yet become general. In Champagne it is limited to a front of 22 kilometers (about 14 miles), and north of Arras it covers only 12 kilometers (7 1/2 miles). The great fronts have not been brought into the affair yet.

Our front line extends 250 miles. It can not be said that up to now we have the right to speak of a shattered offensive.

BELIEVED MINISTER DEPARTED YESTERDAY

Petrograd, Oct. 7.—In the absence of direct word from the Russian minister at Sofia, it is assumed by the foreign office that the minister and his associates departed yesterday from the Bulgarian capital.

The unsatisfactory nature of Bulgaria's reply caused no surprise here. It is announced here unofficially that the Italian, Belgian and Serbian ministers at Sofia also have demanded their passports.

RATIFIED BY CHAMBER.

Washington, Oct. 7.—The Haytian chamber of deputies has ratified the new treaty with the United States by a vote of 75 to 6 and awaits action by the upper house, according to advices to-day from Rear-admiral Caperton.

IS RECOVERING.

Rome, Oct. 7.—Reports received by the Vatican from Vienna to-day state that Emperor Francis Joseph is recovering rapidly from his recent illness, which was caused by a severe cold.

GREAT ATTACK BEING MADE IN CHAMPAGNE

Official Report Issued at Berlin Indicates Offensive is Being Pressed

Berlin, Oct. 7.—The official report issued to-day said:

"The French offensive in the Champagne district continues. After a strong artillery fire, gradually increasing to the utmost intensity, attacks commenced to-day at daybreak.

"Northwest of Souain, six massed attacks by the French broke down with a very heavy loss to the enemy. Two officers and 150 men were made prisoners.

"To the west of the Souain high road, sections of two newly-arrived divisions succeeded at one point in penetrating across our foremost line of trenches in the direction of Ste. Marie. The enemy was driven out again by immediate counter-attacks. Twelve officers, 29 non-commissioned officers and 550 men were left prisoners in our hands, and two machine-guns were captured. Only at and near Tahure was the enemy successful, after fluctuating engagements, in capturing 800 metres of ground. The attack was brought to a standstill by our counter-attacks.

"The capture of Tahure was announced last evening in the French official report.

"Attempts of the enemy to pierce our positions north and northwest of the Beaulieu farm failed completely. Three officers and 300 men were carried off and three machine-guns were captured.

"A fierce but fruitless attack during the early morning hours against our position in the brick yard north of Ville-sur-Tourbe was followed in the course of the day by weak advances only, which from the very beginning either were repulsed or frustrated by our artillery fire.

"Northwest of Arras there were only unimportant hand-grenade engagements.

"In the Aisne sector, at Saigneul, a weak French surprise attack on a projecting trench section failed.

"Eastern theatre—Army of Field-Marshal von Hindenburg: Before Dvinsk our troops penetrated the positions of the enemy extending over a width of about three miles. South of Lake Dristiata the enemy has been forced farther back. An attacking brigade of Russian cavalry was destroyed by our fire. Between Lake Boginskoy and the region of Smorgon the Russians repeated their costly attempts to break through our lines, but failed. Eleven officers and 1,300 men were taken prisoners.

"Near Ragnaga, on the Gulf of Riga, a Russian torpedo boat was damaged seriously by our land batteries.

"Army of Prince Leopold of Bavaria: There is nothing to report.

"Army of General von Linsingen: During a battle at Clartorsk the enemy was driven out of the woodlands west of the town."

DECLARES \$25 WAS GIVEN TO VETERINARY

Statement of Witness Before Sir Charles Davidson at Vancouver

Vancouver, Oct. 7.—That the sum of \$25 was paid to a veterinary surgeon named Henderson after he had examined some horses for the remount department, was the statement of a very definite character, made by Robert Dixon, of the firm of Dixon Bros. and Schultz, at the inquiry which was opened this morning by Sir Charles Davidson into the purchase of horses in this province.

Something of a sensation was created in the crowded courtroom by this assertion, which was accompanied by further details of the transaction, witness stating that Dr. C. M. Henderson, in the company of Mr. Cunningham, of the fisheries department, examined eleven head of horses at the firm's stables and these were sold afterwards to the remount department.

After the horses had been examined, witness, at the request of his brother, also a member of the firm, wrote out a cheque for \$25 in the name of Dr. Henderson. That person took it to the door of the stable, and then returned to the office, asking that he be given something negotiable. This, presumed witness, meant money. He then tore up that cheque and made out another order on the firm and cashed it, placing the money in an envelope and handing it to his brother. Some of the horses inspected by Henderson had been put up previously at an auction sale, but only one sold. Cunningham and Henderson were at the stables from two to three hours, but Henderson did not ask for a commission at that time, and it was not offered him.

Later on, however, he returned in an automobile and spoke to witness's brother, and it was then that the brother asked for the cheque to be made out.

TWENTY MEMBERS OF CREW REACHED LAND

London, Oct. 7.—The sinking of the British steamship Arablan was announced here to-day. Twenty survivors of the Arabian's crew landed.

A dispatch from Athens by way of Paris on Tuesday last told of the torpedoing of the British steamship Arablan, en route from London to Patras, Greece, by an Austrian submarine. It was assumed at the time that the vessel referred to-day was the steamship Arablan, of 2,745 tons, which left London September 5 for Malta, Patras and Salonica.

DUTCH STEAMSHIP SUNK BY GERMANS

London, Oct. 7.—The Dutch steamship Texelstroom, of 1,601 tons gross, has been torpedoed by a German submarine, according to advices received here to-day. Dispatches received by Lloyd's said that 21 survivors had landed.

ANOTHER WILD DAY ON WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, Oct. 7.—This morning following the big bull market of yesterday, the grain market was wild and big range of price fluctuations were witnessed rapid and there was no leaving the market for five minutes with any hope of finding it in the same place during the morning. Winnipeg fluctuated full ten in a few seconds, its favorite stamping ground being 96 and 97 cents until 12.45, when the bears got in their fine work. The conclusion showed that Winnipeg closed on October 24 cents lower than a range of 20. Cash wheat was down 20c to 16 1/2c.

STEAMSHIP ASHORE AS RESULT OF STORM

Yokohama, Oct. 7.—The Ellerman liner Rufford Hall, registering 5,506 tons, is ashore in a storm near Oamihima to-day. Wireless calls for assistance are coming from the liner at frequent intervals.

The Rufford Hall, a British vessel, sailed from New York for Vladivostok on August 23.

BRITISH AND FRENCH SUBMARINES IN BALTIC

Amsterdam, Oct. 7.—Germany to-day is isolated completely from Norway and Sweden.

Owing to the presence of British and French submarines in the Baltic Sea, the Swedish government has cancelled all mail service between Treleborg and Sassnitz and between Gedser and Warnemunde.

BULGARIA'S REPLY.

London, Oct. 7.—A Reuter dispatch from Sofia, dated Wednesday, says: "Bulgaria has handed the representatives of Russia, France, and Great Britain their notes, explaining Bulgaria's armed neutrality and showing the dangers resulting from the encouragement given Serbia."

TWO WOUNDED.

Ottawa, Oct. 7.—The militia department was advised to-day that Lieut. M. Pearce, 14th battalion, Montreal, was wounded slightly but returned to duty, and that Lieut. W. C. Craig, who comes from Vermilion, Alberta, and has been with the 3rd Mounted Rifles, also was wounded. Both were wounded in recent engagements.

NEW YORK CURB PRICES.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Ann. Marconi	42	45
Ann. Copper	75	85
Ann. Marconi	1	2
Hedley Gold	27	27
Dow Reserve	31	4
Crown Reserve	49	45
Fluy West	2	23
Dom. Mines	22	23
Emp. Phon	124	129
Gold Cons.	11	14
Hollins	25	27
Terr. Le	34	37
La Ross	45	50
Mines of Am.	24	29
Nipissing	64	7
Standard Lead	13	18
Stewart	65	70
Tonaph	54	59
Yukon	21	24
Success	86	88

NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, Oct. 7.—Raw sugar firm; centrifugal, 13.78; molasses sugar, 13; refined quiet. Sugar futures opened firm and active to-day. At noon prices were six to ten points higher.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Jan.	12.90	12.90	12.74	12.81-82
March	13.12	13.12	13.02	13.07-09
May	13.22	13.43	13.22	13.26-27
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Dec.	12.68	12.54	12.57	12.61-62

PRICES LOST INITIAL GAIN, BUT STEADIED

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)


Chicago, Oct. 7.—Except for an excited upturn on opening quotations, the wheat market to-day sagged moderately after one or two minor attempts to advance into new ground. Prices were kept from moving importantly for traders awaited the government report, which was issued after the close. European advices continue to show deterioration, clearances of American wheat are very large, receipts are dropping off and a big loss to the American winter wheat crop is anticipated from the excessive rains. Foreign requirements will be large and a continuation of large export sales undoubtedly will result. Trade was in receipt of a number of advices from Iowa and Illinois showing damage to corn from the late frost. Ice was formed at many Illinois points. There undoubtedly is a large acreage that is not yet immune, but it will take a little time to ascertain the amount of damage. The farmer is holding his old corn.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	108 1/2	109 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
May	110 1/2	110 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2

METAL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 7.—Lead, \$1.50; spelter not quoted. Copper steady; electrolytic, \$15.12 1/2; tin steady and unchanged. Tin quiet, \$29.55.

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Financial News

MARKET RALLIES IN WALL STREET ISSUES

Rails and Coppers Features in Buying and Specialties Stronger

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Oct. 7.—The industrial department was subjected to pressure at times, but rallied conspicuously, afterwards closing stronger all through. The rails did well, and the buying on the soft spots was of an exceptionally good quality. The street has been working aggressively for several weeks in an effort to stem the tide of hysterical buying in the industrial department. The efforts apparently were crowned with success, for many specialties receded several times as rapidly as they had advanced. The so-called cleaning out process has been rather severe in the past day or two. To-day's recovery in the industrials seemed to be largely the result of short covering around the room and scattered outside buying. Coppers became buoyant on last transactions.

GOOD CLASS OF BIDS FOR GRANBY STOCK

Fluctuations of List Narrow but Resistance Offered to Sales

The local market closed with but few features worthy of comment. Broadly speaking, the tendency of prices was to offer a stouter resistance to what yesterday appeared somewhat ominous pressure. There was in evidence a good class of inquiry for Granby in keeping with the healthy condition of the copper metal market. This indirectly affected Standard Lead and other mining issues for the session. Fluctuations of the list generally, however, continued within narrow limits.

Blackbird Syndicate	Bid. Asked.
Can. Copper Co.	\$15.00 \$22.00
Can. Cons. S. & R.	100.00 100.00
Coronation Gold	60.00 60.00
Granby	52.00 57.00
Int. Coal & Coke Co.	12.00 15.00
Lucky Jim Zinc	37.00 48.00
McGillvray Coal	14.00 15.00
Portland Canal	61.00 61.00
Rambler Carbon	24.00 27.00
Red Cliff	6.00 6.00
Standard Lead	1.54 1.68
Snowstorm	13.00 15.00
Stewart M. & D.	14.00 15.00
Slocan Star	19.00 22.00
Stewart Lead	7.50 7.50
Victoria Phoenix Brew.	116.00 116.00

AMERICAN MARCONI

American Marconi	4.00	5.00
Canadian Marconi	1.25	1.25
Glanier Creek	1.00	1.00
Island Investment	21.00	21.00
Portland Tunnel	0.06	0.06
Victoria Opera Debs.	89.00	89.00
Howe Sound M. Co.	2.75	4.25
French Complex Ore	10.00	10.00

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Chairs, mahogany finish, cane seat, \$2.70, \$3.60 and	\$4.50
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Dear Miss P.— Am just writing you a few lines to thank you for the socks. The nurse on the hospital train running between Alexandria and Cairo gave them to me, and I was surprised to find they had come from Victoria. I've been there on the old steamship City of Puebla, and have spent about twelve months cruising up and down the Sound in the U. S. S. revenue cutters, so you can guess it brought back old times when I received your card. I'm in my dug-out writing this, having just come out of the trenches for a spell. I got back from the hospital three days ago. Hoping this will find you in good health. I remain, yours sincerely,

DONALD F. MILNES,
No. 3454, Signalling Headquarters, 2nd Battalion, 1st Brigade, 1st Australian Division, Anzac Cove, Turkey, Sept. 1.

SHELBOURNE STREET

Expropriation by-law is Being Advertised This Week.

The advertising of the Shelbourne street expropriation by-law is a notable advance in the long negotiations which have at length culminated in a start on the much-desired project.

The formal notice of the properties to be expropriated will be published this week, and it will be necessary to show all the properties which were incomplete in the transfer to the council when the by-law was passed. In most of the cases, however, a settlement has been already reached which will prevent further difficulty. The owners will be informed that a plan of the improvement may be seen at the municipal hall, and then claims must be lodged within sixty days.

Since the by-law to raise \$20,000 was passed, arrangements have been made by agreement with a number of owners to accept settlement for their property without recourse to arbitration, thus saving expense. There are, however, several places where the council has yet to secure the necessary four and a half feet on either side of road allowance of 66 feet, in order to widen the road out to 75 feet.

The legal negotiations to secure access to land, however, have no effect on the work of construction, as notice of expropriation immediately gives access to the property. It is the intention to put in the culverts and similar work first.

MINISTER RETURNS HOME

Hon. Dr. Young Back From Arduous Trip Through His Constituency.

Hon. H. E. Young, provincial secretary and minister of education, returned yesterday from a tour of his constituency, Atlin, which lies on the northern boundary of the Yukon. For the greater part of the journey, after he reached the limits of his constituency, he traveled by pack trail and Indian canoe. From Skagway he went in to Bennett and Atlin, from Wrangell he traveled up the Stikine river to Telo-graph creek; he went up Observatory inlet to Anzac, and up the Portland canal, going inland at several points in that district, and he ascended the Naas river to a point well beyond the head waters.

The minister reports a very patriotic feeling among the miners and the population generally in his constituency. A fund having been started in Atlin as elsewhere for the purpose of buying a machine gun, the people subscribed the sum of \$2,400, of which

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CLEANS AND DISINFECTS
THIS LYE IS ABSOLUTELY PURE. THEREFORE TOTALLY DIFFERENT FROM THE IMPURE AND HIGHLY ADULTERATED LYES NOW SOLD.

\$2,000 had been forwarded to the militia department to buy a gun and the balance had been divided between the patriotic and the Belgian relief funds. The women of Atlin town were busy in Red Cross work, and at a bazaar raised \$540 for the funds of the local branch.

Minister Dr. Young found to be very active, and a large output of ore is being made. Several companies are doing extensive work, and the plans of others are such as to lead to the belief that the coming year will be an exceedingly active one in the mines of that part of the province. In the Portland canal and Stikine river districts, particularly, there is a great deal of development going on, and from the Queen Charlottes there are regular shipments of ore from a number of properties to the Granby smelter.

Dr. Young visited most of the schools in the portions of his scattered constituency which he touched, and consulted with the trustees regarding the building of two new schools at Granby Bay, where there is a very large population. While in Prince-Rupert he paid a visit to the exhibition.

Y. M. C. A. WINTER PLANS

Active Season to Be Conducted by Religious Work Committee; to Report on Thursday.

The Y. M. C. A. religious work committee, under the leadership of David Macdonald, practical Christian service, Reginald Chave, chairman; gospel team (to work among the men at the Willows, outlying churches, Strangers' Rest, etc.), leader, Harry Boyle; for advertising the work, David Stewart, Ernest Wilderspin is acting as secretary for the religious work committee.

The social work committee is making extensive plans to include a series of entertainments in the gymnasium and in the lobby. Stanley Young is chairman of this committee.

First aid lectures will be started on Wednesday, October 13, at 8 p.m., under the auspices of the St. John Ambulance association, and at the end of the term, examinations will be held. Already forty members have joined, and it is anticipated that the class will be most popular.

BISURATED MAGNESIA

For sour acid stomachs, gas and fermentation. A teaspoonful in a fourth of a glass of hot water usually gives INSTANT RELIEF. Sold by all druggists in either powder or tablet form at 75 cents per bottle.

Young Arthur had not come up to his father's expectations in regard to his studies at school, and an explanation was demanded. "Why is it, Arthur Wiggles," inquired the irate parent sternly, "that you are at the bottom of the class again?" "I can't see that it makes much difference whether I am at the top or at the bottom," replied Arthur peacefully. "You know, they teach just the same at both ends."

TWO VICTORIA BOYS PASS FLYING TESTS

Kenneth Macdonald and Percy Beasley Receive Their Commissions To-day

Congratulations are in order to Kenneth Macdonald and Percy Beasley, two well known local boys, who, according to telegrams received by their parents to-day, have passed all their



KENNETH MACDONALD.

examinations for their aviation certificates, and will go to Ottawa to-day to receive their commissions. They will then be granted two weeks' holiday before proceeding to England to take up their work in the Royal Flying Corps.

The success of the two young men comes as a very pleasurable announcement in that their tests have been passed within a very short space of time. The boys left here in August, and after being three weeks at the Toronto school of instruction, passed on to Day-



PERCY BEASLEY

ton, O., where they have been since the beginning of September, taking daily practice and familiarizing themselves with the art of aviation in all manner of atmospheric conditions. The tests are by no means easy, and to boys who have had no previous opportunity of going up in an aeroplane must have at first presented exceptional difficulties.

Both were prominent in the sporting world. "Ken" Macdonald played back at rugby and earned much distinction in that position; Percy Beasley also played rugby for the Bays, and was a good lacrosse player and crick. long distance runner. The former is a son of Chief Justice Macdonald, and the latter of H. E. Beasley, general superintendent of the E. & N. railway.

Miss Vine—Do you favor women proposing? Mrs. Oaks—Certainly not! When a woman picks out a man, she should make him propose.

SUFFERED EVERYTHING

For Years, Restored To Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Canadian women are continually writing us such letters as the two following, which are heartfelt expressions of gratitude for restored health:

Glanford Station, Ont.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and never found any medicine to compare with it. I had ulcers and falling of womb and doctors did me no good. I suffered dreadfully for years until I began taking your medicine. I also recommend it for nervousness and indigestion." — Mrs. HENRY CLARK, Glanford Station, Ont.

Chesterville, Ont.—"I heard your medicines highly praised, and a year ago I began taking them for falling of womb and ovarian trouble.

"My left side pained me all the time and just before my periods, which were irregular and painful it would be worse. To sit down caused me pain and suffering and I would be so nervous sometimes that I could not hear to see any one or hear any one speak. Little specks would float before my eyes and I was always constipated.

"I cannot say too much for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills, for there are no medicines like them. I have taken them and I recommend them to all women. You may publish this testimonial." — Mrs. STEPHEN J. MARTIN, Chesterville, Ontario, Canada.

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WORK OF SOLDIERS
MATTER FOR DEBATE

Board of Trade General Meeting
To-morrow to Take Up
Interesting Report

The quarterly general meeting of the board of trade will be held in the board rooms, Bastion street, to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Colonel the Hon. E. G. Prior, president, will be in the chair.

Of the matters which are to come before the meeting on the report of the president from the council the most interesting is that dealt with in a joint report of the immigration and agriculture committees. This has to do with the furnishing of employment for soldiers who return from the war, a matter which those bodies consider should be taken up at once so that some concrete scheme can be in existence when the men begin to come home.

The committees are of opinion that men ought to be got back to the land, and their proposals to this end will doubtless give room for considerable discussion among the members to-morrow. This initial report will be followed by others on the same subject later on.

Another matter which is to be taken up on a report from the committee on mining is that of the establishment of a copper refinery in the province, which the committee believes to be absolutely necessary, the feeling of its members being that, the empire ought to be self-sustaining in peace and war.

BREACHES OF MOTOR

ACT BEFORE COURT

Several Owners Are Charged
With Failing to Observe Re-
quirements of Law

The only business before the police court to-day was the hearing of several cases brought under the Motor Traffic Act by the city police, for alleged breaches of various sections of the law.

Dr. Robert Hamilton, V. S., was summoned for driving on the wrong side of the road near the corner of Government and Fort streets, on the afternoon of October 1. From the evidence of Constable Geo. B. Thompson it appeared that a car which had come down Fort street was turning north into Government street at the time. Dr. Hamilton, who had been coming south on Government street on the proper side, crossed over to the right-hand side as the car was turning, passed down on that side and then turned into Fort street on the proper side.

City Prosecutor Harrison added that what had occurred was that the peculiar conditions at that point, where the Spencer block is going up, were such that Dr. Hamilton feared an accident and took the other side for a few yards, passing the constable at a point on the proper side.

Magistrate Jay gave his permission for the withdrawal of the charge, but added that the constable was quite right to report the matter.

Constable Thompson stated that two men at the corner told him that if he did not do so they would report him for neglect of duty.

Mrs. Hannah Maynard was charged with having allowed her car to stand on McClure street after 7 o'clock in the evening of October 2 without a tall light to illuminate the rear number plate.

Charles N. Owen, jitney driver, said he had unexpectedly run into the car as it stood in front of the Aberdeen, as he could not see it.

Maynard Macdonald, who appeared for Mrs. Maynard, stated that he was so in the habit of lighting the lamps when time came that he supposed he had lit them that night if it was dark enough to make it necessary. He could not see how Owen could run into the car.

A fine of \$5 was imposed. George D. Trippe was fined \$5 for riding a motorcycle on Government street without having it equipped with a bell or horn. He said the bell had been broken off by a motor car striking it a few days ago. W. B. Young, charged with a similar breach of the law, secured a remand until to-morrow, he having sold the car before October 2 to George Mann.

Ernest Powell was charged with passing a standing street car which had stopped on Douglas street to allow passengers off during the evening of September 30. Colonel the Hon. E. G. Prior is a witness in the case for the prosecution. As the defendant is out of town and will not be back for a few days an adjournment was granted until Tuesday next.

FIFTH REGIMENT CONCERT.

Band Will Be Assisted by Well-Known Vocalists and Musicians on Sunday Evening.

The band of the Fifth Regiment, C. G. A., will be assisted at the Sunday evening concert in the Royal Victoria by Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Mrs. Conyers Bridgewater, Miss Alice Muriel, accompanist; Jack Lea, baritone, and Corporal Willis, who will play a clarinet solo.

In memory of Nelson's victory at Trafalgar, the anniversary of which is celebrated this month, the band will play the grand aria, "Death of Nelson," and other selections will include selections from "Ernani" and "Suppe's overture, "Poet and Peasant." There will also be rendered for the first time here a humorous fantasia on an old English round.

The concert will open as well as close with the National Anthem.

Inexpensive
FUR SETS
to Sell at
HALF-PRICE

Dainty Neckwear at Anniversary Sale
Prices

Quaker Collar and Cuff Sets in a variety of pretty variations. * Reg. values to \$1.00. Sale price, per set 50¢
An Assortment of Collar and Cuff Sets that sold in the regular way at prices up to 50c. Sale price, per set 25¢



An Anniversary Sale of Corsets at \$1.75
Pair

This lot consists of a number of broken lines that are the result of a busy season's selling. While all sizes are represented, we have not a complete range of sizes in any one particular make. Modart front laced, D. & A., Lorette, Thompson glove-fitting, and R. & G. are the makes that are included. The regular prices range up to \$8.50. Anniversary Sale Price, pair.....\$1.75

Anniversary
Sale of
FALL
MILLINERY
\$3.90

OUR FOURTH BIG ANNIVERSARY SALE

Starts To-morrow

A Fitting Climax to Our Fourth Year of Successful Business in This City. This Sale Offers You Bigger and Better Bargains Than Ever Before
Many Bargains Not Advertised

These Four Prices in Ladies' Smartly-Tailored Suits Should Prove an Irresistible Bargain

ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICES

LOT 1	LOT 2	LOT 3
\$4.75	\$7.75	\$12.75

These form three of the greatest Suit bargains that have been offered in this city for many months. They are all well made from serviceable materials in good colors for fall wear. Women who want a real good, smart Suit at a small price should not overlook these three lots.

Lot 4, \$19.75—Very Special

We particularly wish to draw the attention of every woman to this group of Suits. They are all cut in newest styles, and are extra well-made. The fabric is a tweed of special quality in navy, khaki and various mixtures; military and Norfolk styles are well represented. Anniversary sale price \$19.75

Hosiery Bargains—10% Off All Hosiery

Ladies' Fine Black Cashmere Hosiery, in sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Special, pair, 35¢, or 3 pair for \$1.00
Children's Ribbed Wool Hosiery, made with double knee, sizes 6 to 10. Special, 35¢, or 3 pair for \$1.00
Boys' Strong Wool Hosiery, sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Special, pair, 25¢

An Opportune Time to Fill Your Requirements in Bedding

The goods listed here are all reliable, standard makes and are marked at genuine reductions on their regular prices.

ALL WOOL BLANKETS
Finest quality, 5 to 7 lbs. Reg. \$5.00 to \$8.50
Anniversary Sale prices, pair, \$4.75 to \$7.50
Shepherd All Wool Blankets, 6 and 8 lbs. Reg. \$5.75 and \$7.50 pair. Anniversary Sale price, pair, \$5.35 and \$6.85

SHEETINGS
Plain Sheeting, 7-4 width, Reg. 35c yard, Anniversary Sale, 32c
Plain Sheeting, 3-4 width, Reg. 32 1/2c and 40c yd. Anniversary Sale 29c and 35c
Plain Sheeting, 2-4 width, Reg. 35c and 45c yd. Anniversary Sale, 30c and 40c
Plain Sheeting, 10-4 width, Reg. 50c yd. Anniversary Sale, 45c
Hirockees Twill, 100 in. wide, Reg. 90c yd. Anniversary Sale, 70c
Hirockees Plain, 100 in. wide, Reg. 90c yd. Anniversary Sale, 70c

SHEETS
All splendid assortment, in all sizes.
Plain, 7-4 size, Reg. \$1.75 pair. Anniversary Sale, pair, \$1.50
Plain, 8-4 size, Reg. \$1.75 and \$2.50 pair. Anniversary Sale, pair, \$1.50 and \$2.29
Plain, 9-4 size, Reg. \$2.00 and \$2.75 pair. Anniversary Sale, pair, \$1.75 and \$2.45
Plain, 10-4 size, Reg. \$2.25 and \$3.25 pair. Anniversary Sale, pair, \$1.95 and \$2.95
Twill, 8-4 size, Reg. \$3.00 pair. Anniversary Sale, pair, \$2.65
Twill, 9-4 size, Reg. \$3.25 pair. Anniversary Sale, pair, \$2.95

PILLOW COTTON
Light weight, 40 to 44 in. Reg. 22c to 25c yd. Anniversary Sale, yard, 20c, 22c, 24c
Extra heavy weight, 40 to 44 in. Reg. 28c to 30c yd. Anniversary Sale, yd., 22c, 27c

PILLOW CASES
Hemstitched, 40 to 46 in. Reg. 35c pair. Anniversary Sale, doz. \$1.95
Plain, 40 and 42 in. Reg. 50c pair. Anniversary Sale, pair, 55¢
Plain, 44 and 46 in. Reg. 75c pair. Anniversary Sale, pair, 65¢
Hemstitched, 42 in. Reg. 60c pair. Anniversary Sale, pair, 50¢
Hemstitched, 44 and 46 in. Reg. 75c pair. Anniversary Sale, pair, 65¢

BED QUILTS
Beautiful new designs are included in this lot, in sizes from 64 in. x 80 in. to 70 in. x 90 in. Reg. prices \$1.25 to \$2.25. Anniversary Sale price \$1.10 to \$1.95
Marseilles Quilts, in 10-4, 11-4 and 12-4 sizes. Reg. \$3.00, \$3.75 and \$4.75. Anniversary Sale prices, \$2.60 to \$4.25

Buy Towels at Anniversary Sale Prices

Extra fine Huck Towels, Reg. \$1.35, \$1.50 and \$2.00 doz. Anniversary Sale prices, dozen, \$1.20, \$1.35 and \$1.75
Turkish Towels, special quality, Reg. 35c and 50c pair. Anniversary Sale prices, pair, 30¢ and 40¢
White Lavatory Towels, Reg. 30c pair. Anniversary Sale price, pair, 20¢
Purity Towels, very special at, pair, 50¢ and 85¢

Buy Your Thanksgiving Table Cloth at This Special Price

These are well made, of finest Irish linen, in neat, dice and stripe designs. Size 72 x 90 in. Reg. \$2.25. Anniversary Sale \$1.95
All Damask Table Cloths and Napkins to Match at 10% off Their Regular Prices During this Sale.

Cloth Dresses in Serviceable Styles and Materials

The first lot of Dresses are "one that were regularly priced at ten dollars. They are made in good style of a good quality serge, in brown, green, black and navy. Trimmings include collars and cuffs of silk brocade and messaline silk. Reg. values to \$10.00. Anniversary Sale price \$3.50

A still greater variety of styles comprises this lot of Dresses. You may choose from black and white checks with silk sleeves, serges and other popular materials in navy, black, grey, blue and sage. The trimmings include laces, and collars of silk, satin, plique and starched linen. Reg. values to \$15.00. Anniversary Sale price \$5.00

A Great Variety of Leather and Old English Tapestry Handbags to Go on Sale

Such small prices should appeal to many ladies who now find themselves in need of one of these accessories.

Black Leather and Old English Tapestry Hand Bags, Reg. values \$1.85 and \$2.50. Sale prices, \$1.45 and \$1.20
Colored Suede Bags in neat designs. Special 75¢

A large number of Black Suede and Leather Bags in a good variety of shapes and styles. Special at prices up from \$1.00 to \$2.00

Gloves for Ladies, Misses and Children at Anniversary Sale Prices

Ladies' Real Nappa Gloves, made with self points and two-dome fasteners, in tan and brown. Sizes 5 1/2, 5 3/4, 6, 6 1/4 and 7 1/4 only. Reg. \$1.25. Anniversary Sale, pair 75¢

Ladies' Fine Kid Gloves, made with two-dome fasteners, in grey and tan. Sizes 6 1/4, 7, 7 1/4, 7 3/4, 8 and 8 1/2 only in tan. Reg. \$1.25 pair. Anniversary Sale price, pair 75¢

Gauntlet Gloves of brown kid, with strap at the wrist fastening, with a dome fastener. Size 6 1/4 and 6 3/4. Also a few natural Chamois Gauntlet Gloves, in sizes 5 1/2, 6, 6 1/4 and 6 3/4. Reg. price \$1.25 pair. Anniversary Sale, pair, 75¢

Girls' Grey Suede Gloves, with silk and self-points on the back. Also Natural Chamois Gloves, made with two-dome fasteners. Sizes 5 1/2, 5 3/4 and 6. Reg. \$1.25 and \$1.50 pair. Anniversary Sale price, pair 75¢

Children's Chamois Gloves, white and natural, in sizes to fit children from 2 to 6 years. Reg. 85c. Anniversary Sale, pair 50¢

Anniversary Dressmaking Offerings

Special during this sale—Sports and Walking Skirts, in tweeds and mixtures finished complete for \$6.75 and up. Woolen Sports Coats at prices up from only \$8.75
Mod. Coats at Special Prices.

This Anniversary Sale of Coats Will Be Welcomed by Many

LOT 1 \$13.75
LOT 2 \$15.90

Checks, Plaids and Tweed Coatings, in navy, brown, tete-negre, saxe blue, green, and greys, have been used in making these Smart Coats. With the chilly weather here this sale is of unusual importance and should not be overlooked by any one desiring a serviceable coat at a small price.

These Dressy Skirts to Clear at HALF PRICE

Beautiful Serges and Gabardines, in navy and black, are the materials that have been put into these skirts. They are made in many variations of the tunic style and are exceptionally well made. Anniversary sale HALF PRICE



An Important Sale of Women's Underwear

In addition to these numerous bargains in reliable underwear we are making a very unusual and extraordinary offer by giving a discount of 10% off any make of underwear in the store. Turnbull's, Forest Mills, Zenith, Penman's, Pesco, and Watson's Underwear at 10% off during this Anniversary Sale.

COMBINATIONS
Fine Pure Wool Combinations, made with high neck, long sleeves and ankle length. Reg. \$4.00 and \$4.50. Sale price \$2.55
Heavy Weight Silk Lisle Combinations, made with high neck, long sleeves, and ankle length. Reg. \$3.75. Sale price \$2.85
Pure Silk Combinations, perfect fitting garments. Reg. \$12.00, price \$6.00

Cotton Fleece Heavy Weight Combinations, high neck and long sleeves. Reg. \$1.00. Sale price 85¢
SILK VESTS
Heavy Weight Cotton Vests—Special 35¢, or 3 for \$1.00
Wool Vests, with a slight mixture of cotton. Reg. \$1.00. Sale 85¢
Special Line of Vests in all styles. Sale price 75¢

Silk and Wool Vests, with high neck and long sleeves, in small sizes. Reg. \$2.25. Sale price \$1.35
Heavy Weight Cotton Vests—Special each 25¢
Odd Lines of Ladies' Drawers. Reg. 65c to \$1.00. Sale prices 50¢ to \$1.10
Children's Vests in natural heavy fleeced cotton. Sale prices, 25¢ and 35¢

Three Important Sales of Waists

Lot one consists of a number of very fancy Silk Crepe and Crepe de Chine Waists, in a large variety of styles and colorings. The trimmings in most cases are very rich. To effect a quick clearing of these we have re-marked them at the very \$1.90

Another lot of Waists are made of fine messaline silk, in brown, navy, purple, and brown. They are made in neat semi-tailored styles, with double cuffs, dropped shoulders, new style collar and trimmings of either black velvet or fine lace. Reg. \$5.50 and \$5.75. Anniversary Sale, \$3.65

A large number of dainty Lingerie Waists of finely embroidered cotton voile and muslins. They are all made in good style and no doubt will form one of the best attractions during this sale. Anniversary Sale 95c

Cotton Materials Greatly Reduced For This Sale

Ceylon Shirting in a variety of good stripes and colorings. Reg. 20c yd. Anniversary Sale, yd. 17c
Cambrie Shirtings—A splendid assortment of colors. Reg. 25c yd.; Anniversary Sale, yd. 20¢
Fancy Crepe, in pretty Dolly Varden design. Reg. 15c yd.; Anniversary Sale, yd. 12¢
Check Crepe, in several good colors. Reg. 25c; Anniversary Sale, yd. 19¢

House Furnishings at Sale Prices

Twenty Pair Novelty Curtains to Sell at Exactly Half-Price.

Some styles we have two pair alike, but most are odd pairs, some slightly soiled, but nothing to harm the wear of the curtain. Fine voile lace and insertions trimmed, French Brussels Net, trimmed Irish Cluney lace, and a few real Swiss and Irish Point and hand-made curtains. Come early and take your choice at half their regular prices—
Regular price—\$4.50, \$5.50, \$6.50, \$8.00, \$11.50 and \$12.50.
Sale price—\$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.25, \$4.00, \$5.75 and \$6.25.

Hemstitched Serim, Scotch Madras, Scotch Bordered Curtain Nets, 22c
Regular to 35c values. A splendid assortment of fresh new styles suitable for living rooms and bedrooms. Hemstitched Serim, in white ivory and ecrú shade; Cream Scotch Madras, plain and bordered styles; strong Scotch and English Bordered and All-over Curtain Nets. Dozens of styles to choose from, 36 to 45 inches wide. Reg. to 35c values. Anniversary Sale 22¢

High Grade Curtain Materials at Almost Half. Reg. to 75c. Sale 39c
About 500 yards. A clean-up sale of these better-grade materials, 50-inch Stencilled Muslin, Hemstitched Stencilled Marquisette, H. S. Marquisette, with neat colored woven border; Heavy Cream Madras Muslin, Fine Lase Voile, Heavy, Fadeless Dark Colored Madras, Green and Brown Combinations, styles suitable for any room, both for over curtains and casement curtains.

Washable Rag Rugs, 85c
Special each 85c
A useful Rug, suitable for bathroom, wash stand, dressing room or bedside. We have a good selection in shades of pink, blue, green with assorted mixed centres, well worth 1.25 each.
Size 24 x 36—Anniversary Sale, each 85¢
Size 27 x 36—Anniversary Sale, each \$1.25
Size 30 x 60—Anniversary Sale, each at \$1.50
A New Shipment of Better Grades All Marked at Special Prices.

Many Anniversary Sale Bargains From the Basement

Kimono, in good, serviceable materials. Reg. \$1.25. Sale price 75¢
Wrappersettes in many colorings and designs, yard 10¢
Striped Flannelettes, yard 10¢
Flannelette Nightgowns, very special at 85¢ and \$1.00
New Net and Satin Underskirts, 95¢, \$1.35 and \$1.65
Women's Fall Coats, in good styles, at \$8.75
Women's Sample Fall Coats, very special, \$4.75 and \$6.75
Imitation Fur Sets for women, misses and children. Splendid quality at only HALF-PRICE
Black Melton Cloth Skirts, price \$2.35
Taffeta Ribbons, 1/2 in. to 5 in. wide, yard 2 1/2¢ to 20¢
Lingerie Waists in many good styles 90¢
Serviceable Overall Aprons 50¢
Women's Cashmere Hose, black, per pair 25¢
Children's Cashmere Hose, black, 1/2 to 6 1/2. Price, pair 20¢

Special Tailoring Offer During This Anniversary Sale

Our expert man tailor will make a special charge for the making up of a strictly plain tailored suit of only \$12.50. This offer is good only during our Anniversary Sale. Or if you wish he will make you up the best tailored tweed suit in the city, satin lined coat, for \$22.50 complete.

Anniversary Sale of Comforters

A sale that every housekeeper should take advantage of. With the chilly nights again, this sale should be doubly welcome.

GENUINE ARCTIC DOWN FILLED COMFORTERS

These are all well made in downproof covers, are well ventilated and can be had in a variety of new designs and colorings.
Size 5 x 6 ft. price \$5.00
Size 5 1/2 x 6 ft. price \$6.00
Size 6 1/2 x 6 1/2 ft. price \$7.50
Size 6 1/2 x 6 1/2 ft. price \$8.50
Size 5 x 6 1/2 ft. price \$10.00
CRIB COMFORTERS FOR THE CHILDREN
Filled with Arctic down, in neat and dainty designs, in pink, sky, and Alice blue. Prices, \$2.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, and \$5.50

Dress Goods and Silks Are Reduced for This Great Anniversary Sale

Smart Black and White Checks, 40 in. wide. Anniversary Sale price, yard, 32 1/2¢
Tweeds, in a great variety of colorings, 40 and 42 in. wide. Anniversary Sale price is 75¢
Delaine—A few pieces in pretty floral and striped effects. Reg. 50c and 45c per Anniversary Sale price, yard, 32 1/2¢
Checks, in an assortment of good colors. Reg. 50c. Anniversary Sale price, 35¢

Silk Poppins, in beautiful shades for fall wear—black, grey, white, saxe, rose, moss, brown, rosea and electric. Reg. \$1.75 yard. Anniversary Sale \$1.25
Taffeta Silk, in a splendid assortment of colors, 29 in. wide. Reg. \$1.00 yard. Anniversary Sale 50¢
Silk Messaline, in all the newest shades, 36 in. wide. Reg. \$1.25. Anniversary Sale price, yard 85¢

Black and White Stripe Taffeta—The latest novelty in silk for the present season, 49 in. wide. Reg. \$2.00 Anniversary Sale price, yard \$1.45
Foulard Silk, in dainty striped pique designs, in black and white, and color. Reg. \$2.25 and \$3.50. Anniversary Sale price, per yard \$1.65
Shot Messaline Silk, in a good variety of colorings. Reg. \$1.25. Anniversary Sale price 95¢
Moire Velveteen, in saxe, emerald, cerise, black, tan, electric, pink and sky. Reg. \$1.00. Anniversary Sale, yard, 75¢

Ladies' Fine Footwear Greatly Reduced in Price

LOT 1. PRICE \$4.95—Ladies' Satin and patent gunmetal Button Boots, French and Cuban heels and painter toe. Also a few lace Boots in suede and black kid. Reg. prices \$6.50 to \$7.50.
LOT 2. PRICE \$3.35—Gunmetal Bluchers, made with low lumps and Cuban heels; also a number of Satin and Button Boots, with garter tops, and plain kid Boots. All sizes. Reg. \$4.00 values.
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