

For 24 hours ending 3 p.m. Thursday. Victoria and vicinity—Light and moderate winds, generally fair and mild, with showers.

Playhouse—"So This is Marriage."
Columbia—"Wandering Husband."
Capitol—"An Man's Desires."
Dominion—"Comings Through."
Coliseum—"A Sissy Girl."

ST. LAWRENCE AND TRIBUTARIES IN FLOOD

STATEMENT ON EXECUTIONS IS CALLED ERROR

Gen. Currie Deplores Reference in British Commons to War Discipline

Says More Canadians Than Australians Executed Because Courses Differed

Montreal, April 1.—Shown a dispatch from London in which Sir Laming Worthington-Evans, British Secretary for War, was credited with stating in the House of Commons in reply to a question that twenty-five members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force were executed during the Great War for military offences, five New Zealanders and no Australians, General Sir Arthur Currie, formerly commander-in-chief of the Canadian Corps, made the following statement:

"It is unfavorable that any such figures as these given in the cable should have been asked for and it is hard to see what conceivable good anyone can derive from the information conveyed. It seems, moreover, a little hard to explain why such a question should have been asked or answered in the British House of Commons without reference to Canada. The matter is one which concerns Canada alone.

The subject of military executions was always painful. The penalty was never one to be used except when necessary and it is lamentable to have the subject revived.

UNFAIR COMPARISON

There is, however, another aspect of the matter. The answer given by the Secretary of War makes a most unfair comparison between Canadians and Australians. The Government of the Dominion has never given up their authority over their own troops, but so far as discipline is concerned, Canada alone.

GREEK-RUMANIAN ALLIANCE PLANNED

Athens, April 1.—The newspapers publish a report that the Greek Government, having been individually sounded, has declared it is ready to enter into pour parlers with Rumania with a view to the conclusion of an alliance.

EIGHTY-FOUR MEN OF GERMAN ARMY DROWNED IN WESER

Deaths Resulted From Collapse of Military Pontoon Ferry at Detmold

150 Soldiers Were Placed on Structure Which Was Built to Carry Only 100

Berlin, April 1.—It is believed eighty-four soldiers in yesterday's disaster to a Reichwehr pontoon on the Weser. The Ministry of Defense stated to-day five bodies had been recovered and that one officer and seventy-eight men of the 100 soldiers known to have been plunged into the river by the sinking of the pontoon were missing. There is little hope any of the missing are still alive.

THROWN INTO PANIC

Vöelstein, Germany, April 1.—Further details of the disaster yesterday at Detmold in which seventy-eight Reichwehr soldiers were drowned in the sinking of a pontoon were received here to-day.

When the pontoon bridge, carrying about 100 men across the Weser River, began to sink the officers ordered the soldiers, most of whom were young and inexperienced, to rid themselves of their guns and kit bags, but the men grew panicky and dashed headlong into the water. Many evidently thought they could wade to shore, which seemed near, but as the river there is forced into a narrow channel about 300 feet wide the current is rapid and the water even near shore is deep. The soldiers were hot from marching, and it is believed many were numbed by the shock of cold water and rendered incapable of helping themselves.

IMMIGRATION IS INQUIRY SUBJECT IN QUEENSLAND

Brisbane, April 1 (Canadian Press Cable via Reuters).—The Queensland Government has appointed a royal commission to inquire into the social and economic effects of alien immigration in Northern Queensland. It is also urging the Government of the Commonwealth to check or regulate the flow of aliens to the country, as otherwise serious trouble may develop in the sugar industry in the coming season.

NOVA SCOTIANS PROUD OF CUT IN EXPENDITURES

Halifax, April 1.—With the exception of Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick, the expenditures of Nova Scotia for the last fiscal year were \$5,577,572 lower than those of any other province in Canada. Premier E. H. Armstrong declared in the Legislative Assembly yesterday. The financial status of Nova Scotia compared with other provinces was one to be proud of and satisfied with, he said.

PROGRESSIVES TO DRUM OUT THE GINGERITES

Followers of Robert Forke Regard Break With Independents as Complete

To be Asked to Resign From Progressive Representation on Committees

By Times Staff Representative. Ottawa, April 1.—Yesterday's break between the Progressive Party and the thirteen members of the "Ginger Group" was followed to-day by the opening of virtual political warfare between the two organizations. While Robert Forke, Progressive leader, adopted a somewhat conciliatory attitude in the House yesterday, many of his followers are bitter in sentiment against the Gingerites, who so far have refused to accept a reconciliation. From now on there will be four parties in the Canadian Parliament—Liberals, Progressives, Conservatives and Gingerites—who so far have refused to accept a more euphonious name than that.

Money Spent For Liquor in Britain Shows Increase

London, April 1.—Great Britain is becoming wetter and wetter, according to figures compiled by the United Kingdom Alliance, the big prohibitionist organization. In a report it has issued the alliance asserts that during 1924 fifty-two shillings were spent on beer for every twenty shillings spent on milk and that the total beer bill of the country was £198,000,000 as against an expenditure for milk of £74,000,000.

TO FORETELL EARTHQUAKES

Ottawa, April 1.—Announcement that the Federal Government intends to install new scientific instruments at St. Arme de la Parade, Que., for the purpose of determining in advance when earthquakes are likely to occur in the Saguenay River district was made last night by E. A. Hodgson, seismologist of the Dominion Observatory, in addressing members of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada.

COUGARS' BANQUET TO-MORROW EVENING

The citizens' banquet to Lester Patrick and his victorious Cougars will be held to-morrow evening from 6:30 to 8 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce.

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MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE

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MEXICAN GENERAL WAS ASSASSINATED

Mexico City, April 1.—General Abelardo Acosta was shot dead by three men said to have been identified as army officers while he was entering the War Department last night.

\$115,000 OF STOLEN \$120,000 RECOVERED

Pouch Was Found by Cleaner in Mail Car in Buffalo Yard in February

He and Another Are Now Under Arrest; Mail Clerks Were Negligent

Buffalo, N.Y., April 1.—With August Lehman, a car cleaner, and Herman Reis, alias Rice, alias Chuck Connors, in custody, the police here believe they have cleared up the loss from the mails in Buffalo of \$120,000 in currency on February 27. The men were arrested last night.

CHONG SING TO BE TRIED IN VANCOUVER

Charged With Having Murdered David Low, Chinese Resident, in Street

Hearing May Last Five Days; More Than Thirty Witnesses Called

TURKEY PROPOSES NEW MOSUL TREATY

Suggests Town be Turkish and Certain Concessions be Given British

London, April 1.—The London Daily Mail has reason to believe Turkey has made a proposal for a settlement of the Mosul oil field, which, mainly with reference to the Mosul boundary separating Turkey from Mesopotamia, Turkey's suggestion, the Daily Mail says, is that she shall have the town of Mosul and that part of Mosul province immediately to the south. In return, she does not desire territory farther south, which is predominantly Arab, and she promises to guarantee indefinitely the frontier line to the south of Mosul.

CONCESSIONS OFFERED

Turkey also offers inducements to Great Britain to accept the proposal, namely that orders for the construction of the projected railways between the interior of Turkey and the Black and Mediterranean Seas shall be given to British firms; that several ports shall be constructed under British auspices; that concessions of mineral rights over a wide belt in the railroad shall be given to the British; and that control of the Mosul oil field shall be vested in an all-British company.

AVIATORS MISSING IN FLORIDA FOUND

Sebring, Fla., April 1.—Captain R. A. Smith and E. P. Lou of New York, aerial photographers, who had been missing since early Saturday when they went on a photographic expedition over the Everglades, were found to-day by aerial searchers.

MEXICO MAY JOIN WORLD LABOR BUREAU

Geneva, April 1.—Whether Mexico will be invited to join the International Labor Bureau and whether Germany will be requested to pay her two years' back dues as a member are questions on the programme for the labor organization's board meeting here beginning Thursday.

HORSES RAN ABOUT IN TORONTO, DOING DAMAGE TO LAWNS

Toronto, April 1.—Started by escaping steam and the ringing of the bell of a shunting engine, thirty-four horses stampeded early this morning and escaped from their corral in a downtown railway yard here. For nearly three hours the animals led dozens of police and others a merry chase. Eventually all the horses were recaptured, but not before considerable damage had been done to lawns and private property and in public parks.

WHEREABOUTS NOW SUBJECT OF QUERIES; LEON TROTZKY

Berlin, April 1.—Dispatches from Riga say former War Minister Trotsky has fled from Suchum, in the Caucasus, where he was staying for his health, together with the Communists Katz and Nikolenko, who had been stationed there "to observe him."

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DECISION OF SOUTH AFRICA ON PREFERENTIAL TARIFF RATES IS AWAITED BY NATIONS OF EMPIRE

London, April 1.—The protectionist newspapers are treating sensationally the reports from Cape Town that the Hertzog Government intends to abolish the three per cent. preferential rate hitherto granted British goods and substitute a system of maximum and minimum tariff rates which it is expected would place British trade with South Africa at a disadvantage.

READY FOR CAMPAIGN

The Cape Town correspondent of The London Daily Express reports that while the affair was kept secret from Great Britain, the new policy apparently was deliberately disclosed weeks ago to the United States, Holland and Germany and that the trade of those countries are ready to launch a campaign for the purpose of capturing the British trade in South Africa.

CANADA INTERESTED

Ottawa, April 1.—Reports from Cape Town that the South African Government is considering abolition of the British preferential tariff rates are causing considerable concern here in official quarters. It is pointed out, however, that should the South African Government take such a step, Canada would be no less interested in the trade of those countries in like manner.

AUSTRALIAN VIEW

Melbourne, April 1.—(Canadian Press Cable via Reuters).—The Melbourne Argus says the news that the South African Government is contemplating a new tariff system by which the preference on British goods would be either reduced or abolished under the budget which will be introduced in Parliament tomorrow is at least very disgusting.

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CAPITAL LEVY IS PROPOSED IN FRANCE

Government Studying That and Other Schemes to Raise Revenue

Paris, April 1.—An increase in the circulation from 41,000,000,000 to 46,000,000,000 francs is one of several measures being considered by the Government to relieve the embarrassment caused by the Treasury and furnish an increased amount of ready money for commercial needs. It was said at the Ministry of Finance this afternoon.

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Damage to Grain Threatened as St. Lawrence Rises; No Fall in Level of Big River Expected Till Great Ice Jam Above Three Rivers Breaks; Rain and Snow Fell Last Night.

Montreal, April 1.—Following a night of rain and snow the St. Lawrence and tributary rivers began to rise again, with the result that floods which started yesterday are to-day more serious in many parts of this island. Since last night the rising waters have forced several residents of Riverside Drive, St. Lambert, on the south shore, to leave their homes.

The situation along the waterfront of Montreal is said to be causing alarm, as the water is beginning to leak into the big grain elevators.

Mill Street in Montreal resembles a river, and Galvie's big flour mill is practically isolated in a small lake. In North Montreal, six houses have been damaged, mostly by lumps of ice whirled against them by the floods from the Riviere des Prairies. At the town of La Prairie, fifteen families had to abandon their homes.

Officials of Montreal Harbor stated no recession could be looked for until a huge ice jam, reported to be blocking the St. Lawrence most of the way to Three Rivers, should break.

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To keep young shoulders in their right place, ensuring a straight back. The "Truform" light in weight yet giving ample support.
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When there is trouble. Have you a bad—dark brown—taste? A headache? Is your skin sallow? These messages call for your attention—immediate action.
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This famous cleaner placed in your home for
Only \$4.50 Cash
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Flat work ironed, balance returned damp (not wet)
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Malikin's Best Jelly Powder, all flavors, 4 pkts. for 25c
Singers Pineapple, 35c
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Please Phone 94 or 95
Copas & Son
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Corner Fort and Broad Streets

CHARGE OF RECKLESS AUTOMOBILE DRIVING

Man Hurt in Vancouver Street and Two Men in Car Put Under Arrest
Vancouver, April 1.—Alleged to have been attempting to make a getaway after striking down Joseph Purviance at the corner of Columbia Avenue and Hastings Street here last night, Murray Peterson was put under arrest charged with driving in the common danger and with having unseated liquor in his possession.

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was concerned this authority was delegated more or less completely to the commander-in-chief of the British army in France. This principle was definitely stated in an agreement made between the War Office and the Minister of Overseas Military Forces of Canada in 1918.

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Australia's delegated authority on this point is complete, these are the words of an Australian soldier could take place without one or more Australian officers being on the spot. In the same way it was generally known that no death sentence for an Australian soldier was ever to be approved. While this latter fact, so far as I know, was never published in orders and was a matter so understood between the British Government and the commander-in-chief and his adjutant-general, the situation was perfectly well known and realized.

WATCH REPAIRING

Bring your watch to STODDARD'S (Opp. David Spencer's)
American Waltham Watches... \$1.00
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The above prices include the lowest watches. Guaranteed for one year. Work them at 1113 Douglas Street. Established in Victoria 25 Years.

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Lodge Meeting and Initiation, THURSDAY, APRIL 2, AT 8 P.M.
Every member is earnestly requested to attend this meeting.
B. BEST, Secretary.

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Good year well, square toe. For young men... \$5.95
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Ask your grocer for Hollybrook Creamery Butter, quality guaranteed.
Glasses relieve headaches. Higginbotham's, 745 Yates Street.
Dr. W. J. Gibson, associated with Dr. Lewis Hall, 655 Yates Street.
Dr. A. J. Gillis, Dentistry, Suite 503 Campbell Building, Phone 2554.
Taxation Returns—Dominion and Provincial compiled or checked by Vincent C. Martin, accountant and auditor (late assistant surveyor of taxes), 507-10 Union Bank Building, Phone 463.
Shampooing, Marcelling, Curling, Haircutting, etc., at half price. B.C. School of Hairdressing, 228 Sayward Building.
The Reformed Episcopal Ladies' Aid will hold an Easter bazaar, Friday afternoon, April 3, in the school room, Humboldt.
Anti-vaccinationists are invited to attend a public meeting to be held at Comin's Church (old Variety Theatre), Government Street, on Friday, April 3, at 8 p.m. Exemption certificates may be secured from ex-Minister Leoline, A. Carmichael, Alderman Woodward and Edwin Coventry. Do not delay to protect yourselves against vaccination.
Higginbotham's, 745 Yates Street, for eye-glasses and specialties.
Donation tea at Mrs. Campbell's, 833 Hampshire Road, Friday, April 2, 2:30 to 8, in aid of the International Prohibition Federation. Good programme: tea and candies a specialty. Articles of work will be acceptable.

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SALT SPRING ISLAND CREAMERY
Fresh from the churn. Now retailing at
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Your Grocer has it

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ON BAFFIN ISLAND
On the eastern extremity of Canada's Far North, on Baffin and Ellesmere Islands, similar revolting practices have been reported to by the Eskimo accounts which have reached Ottawa, and the Department of the Interior is preparing a policy by which it is hoped to place these natives on a better footing.

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Admiral-Oriental Liner to Depart April 9 on Her Twenty-first Voyage
When the St. President Jefferson of the Admiral Oriental Line sails from Seattle and Victoria on April 9, she will begin her twenty-first voyage to the Orient, having traveled more than 200,000 miles since she was launched on the transpacific run.

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Will Speculate in Effort to Make up Money He Lost Gambling
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Portland, April 1.—One week ago Thomas S. Luke, pioneer mining man of Nevada, Montana, Oregon and Alaska, died at his home here. Last night the widow, Mrs. Nellie E. Luke died from shock and grief. In 1878 Luke arrived in Nevada and one year later he was married there. His bride came from Cornwall, Eng. to join him.

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Easter Shoes

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New models arriving daily; new light in shades, matins and latest novelties. See them here \$4.95
The Royal Shoe Store
636 Yates Street

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Wood proved a reluctant talker. Asked whether he planned a reconciliation with his wife, he said that was a matter entirely up to Mrs. Wood. To prevent further questions on this subject he added, "You may quote me as saying, 'Mr. Wood does not care to be quoted on the subject.'"

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GUILD OF HEALTH.
On Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, in Christ Church, a meeting will be given by Rev. T. E. Rowe. A number of new books have been added to the Guild library, and can be then borrowed or exchanged.

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Other appointments to-day are: G. R. McQueen of Vancouver and J. S. Jamieson of Burnaby to be stipendiary magistrates.
I. Adams of Gray Creek to be a stipendiary magistrate.
D. R. Gibson of Ashcroft to be a medical health officer, vice Dr. S. E. Beech.
E. E. Seaton of Vancouver and W. D. Lukens of Pelling, B.C., to be notaries public.
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STARTLING FIGURES

WHEN HON. THOMAS Low explained the details of the Petersen contract in the House of Commons at Ottawa the other day he quoted a letter from the Cockshutt Plow Company which confirmed the statement that the Atlantic rates on agricultural implements has been almost quadrupled since the beginning of the war.

He also cited the case of the Canadian manufacturer of musical instruments who used to pay \$1.50 per ton of forty cubic feet in 1911 and now pays \$12.00 for the same service—a rate which has effectively taken every cent of profit out of his export business.

The Canadian Manufacturers' Association—a year ago—informed the Imperial Shipping Committee in an exhaustive memorandum that the present level of ocean rates on important commodities going from Canada to the United Kingdom was from 166 to 433 per cent. higher than in 1914.

To this Mr. Low adds the fact that "in 1911 the ordinary storage cost for bacon and other meats was 16.88 cents per 100 pounds; to-day it is 50 cents per 100 pounds, an increase of about 200 per cent.

In cold-air storage in 1911 it cost 22.24 cents per 100 pounds for bacon and other meats; to-day it costs 85 cents, an increase of about 300 per cent.

Also in order that the members of the House might understand something of the discrimination which exists in the present ocean freight schedule the Minister said "it costs \$7.50 to carry a ton of newsprint to Capetown, South Africa, a distance of 7,108 miles; it costs \$10.08 to carry the same ton of newsprint to London, a distance of 3,241 miles, and \$8 to Buenos Aires, a distance of 6,421 miles.

In 1914 the rate on newsprint to the United Kingdom was \$3.04 per 100 pounds; to-day it costs \$10.08 per 100 pounds, an increase of about 231 per cent.

These figures reveal the tight rope round the neck of Canada's trade and commerce which Mr. Meighen does not propose to raise a finger to loosen. He is content to leave things as they are. He and his party will endeavor to block the King Government's scheme to improve conditions to give the Canadian exporter and importer a chance to compete more successfully in the markets of the world.

VICTORIA AT WEMBLEY?

REVELSTOKE BOARD OF Trade will send a display of raw furs and big game trophies to the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley this year. The chairman of the Publicity Committee of the Board will follow the exhibit at a later date and tell the thousands of visitors who will pass through the improved Canadian Pavilion what Revelstoke has to offer the investor and holidaymaker.

In the panoramic section of the Main Court provision might well be made for a Victoria scene—other than the small ones which appear in the frieze—or a replica of the Malahat summit. But unless action to insure the inclusion of such an exhibit is made without delay, it will be impossible to obtain the space. The Exhibition Commission's architect already is busy remodeling this section of the Pavilion and any further alteration would have to be provided for at once.

MAKING IT DIFFICULT

FRANCE IS ABOUT TO inform the United States officially that she is not in the mood to discuss a new disarmament programme while her own security is in doubt. This is taken to mean that unless there shall be some understanding among the great powers of Europe which will put a stranglehold upon the possibility of German aggression, France will keep her fighting equipment up to its present standard. Her public men are convinced that Germany is preparing for a war of revenge—and there is considerable evidence to support that view. Marshal Foch refuses to believe anything else. General Morozov of the Allied

Control Commission supports him in much of his contention. On the other hand the retiring United States ambassador to Germany declares that the country is substantially disarmed. It is also to be noted that Germany has herself made advances in respect of a new grouping which would still further reduce her opportunities for successful revolt. There is, moreover, the important truth that neither Germany nor any other European power, not excluding Great Britain, could finance another war for many years to come.

Great Britain has upon two occasions promised her unqualified support to President Coolidge's suggestion of another disarmament conference. The Government at Westminster is indisputably seeking a practical road to permanent peace. Scrapping more battleships may have little or no effect upon the will for a better understanding between the nations; but a conference at which such a course would have to be determined would afford another opportunity for the representatives of the great nations to meet face to face—with a non-member of the League of Nations as host—and in itself would be very valuable. Fighting equipment, provocative of conflict as it is—and always must be, its increase or decrease, is secondary in importance to individual or national will. Mind disarmament must be regarded as a vital factor in the success of material disarmament. And the oftener statesmen discuss proposals for insuring peace, the more popular it will become, for if world accord is to be brought about, the glamor of peace will have to equal the glamor of war.

HOW A COUNTRY EDITOR BECAME RICH

AN EXCHANGE SAYS the editor of a weekly newspaper moved to town one day and deposited \$50,000 in one of the local banks. He had been publishing his little country paper for thirty years and had moved to the city with around \$50,000 to his credit. When asked by the reporter for the secret of his great financial success, he said:

"I attribute my ability to retire with a \$50,000 bank account after thirty years in the country newspaper field to close application to duty; always howling to the mark and letting the chips fall where they may; the most rigid rules of economy; never spending a cent foolishly; everlastingly keeping at my job with a whole heart; and the death of an uncle who left me \$49,999.50."

No doubt this shining example of success in the realm of country newspaperdom will be regarded as an incentive by the younger generation of this community. How many city editors labor thirty years and find themselves in possession of a credit balance of fifty cents? Yet here is one who has shunned the bright lights and wound up all square with a little besides—and a fat legacy from a benevolent uncle. Surely youth will take this as an argument against gravitating to the cities.

GOOD BUSINESS

WE AGREE WITH THE Seattle Times when it contends that the benefits accruing from the tourist business can not be measured by the amount of money which the holidaymaker leaves in a community. This is obviously the direct and immediate return from this particular kind of travel; but the ultimate dividend is that which is earned by the commercial and industrial development that invariably follows tourist movements. This fact has been amply demonstrated in California and in Florida and Vancouver Island extends its capacity to accommodate the growing volume of annual visitors, the number who will return and take up permanent residence, or invest in commercial undertakings, will similarly increase. Herein lies the value of the right sort of publicity—not alone the printed word in newspaper or magazine, but in the advertisement which quite a number of Victorians loyally insert in their private communications to friends in distant places. Much can be done in this direction by the intelligent citizen who recognizes the value of saying a good word for the community in which he lives.

NOVEL ARGUMENT

ONE OF THE FAVORITE arguments of the critics of the King Government's shipping subsidy proposals is that which declares that, as the Petersen line will lower the existing ocean freight rates only by the extent of the subsidy, the net result of the arrangement will be that the taxpayers as a whole

will be making a contribution towards paying the rates for a number of favored Canadian shippers. This is one way of completely ignoring the main point of the whole question; but it will not deceive the Canadian people. It is an assumption that the rates now in effect are minimum rates and can not economically be lowered unless the deficiency is made up from the public exchequer. The Government rests its case upon a direct denial of this assumption and contends that the rates at present being charged are far too high for the service rendered and that, given modern ships, built to meet present conditions, they can be lowered and yet produce profits for the shipowner. And it is a foregone conclusion that the people of Canada are ready to permit the Government to test the force of its theory. They are noting the assembly of artillery by the interests behind the combine and very naturally wonder why there should be such a concentration at Ottawa if the subsidy proposals were impractical.

DR. FRANK CRANE ON FRIEND DOG

BOOKS are now being published which represent the feeling at the close of the War. I have just recently seen a book which contains all of the moral slumps that came over the world after the War. It tries to give expression to the vein of post-war pessimism which is undoubtedly on the increase.

The hero, a ruthless materialist, finds everything turns to ashes in his mouth. He makes money and finds it worthless. He loves, but finds that he can live easily without it. He acquires power but discovers no use for it.

"Economic" brought up to date, but it does fill me with misgivings to see so many people whose philosophy is no wiser than that of the hero of the novel.

It is as silly to dwell upon the impermanence of human delights as it is to pretend they are permanent. The theory advocated by Browning that a man should care intensely for something, but that it doesn't matter what that something is, has a great deal to recommend it.

In war time we took things seriously. There were prizes to be won and battles to be fought. But here is danger that after this shall come the reaction when we take nothing seriously.

No work to be fought without a great deal of idealism for men will not throw away their lives for nothing.

From the peak of this idealism it is natural that we may slump into materialism and that pessimism should be rampant for awhile.

This cannot last, for the pessimist is not a true interpreter of life. The only unforgivable offense a man can commit against life is to take no care. For to live at all is to care, that is, it is to value the ideal above all things.

HEALTH & DISEASE — No. 49 — SUPERFLUOUS HAIRS

Not all the causes of this condition are known. Heredity often plays a part. It also occurs in abnormal conditions of certain of the ductless glands, and with the approach of middle age. It is rarely if ever due to external agencies such as exposure to weather, or cosmetics.

The treatment depends largely upon its degree of severity. In the milder cases bleaching of the hairs with hydrogen peroxide makes them less conspicuous, when they may be clipped short with fine scissors.

Removal of too many hairs in a circumscribed area at one sitting will cause painful inflammation of the skin, and infection may follow leaving scars. If the hair-follicles are not completely destroyed and the hairs extracted by force a cure will not result and further growth may be stimulated.

Other methods are not recommended. Depilatories (or drugs for removing hairs) are not as harmless as represented. They contain chemicals which may irritate, and in some instances have produced severe inflammation. It is impossible for them to remove hair permanently without damaging the skin.

Removal of hairs with tweezers irritates the follicles and may cause intenser growth. The X-ray is a very dangerous agent in the hands of any but a specialist, and the foremost authorities are agreed that in its present stage of development it cannot be used with safety for the purpose of removing hair permanently.

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The WEATHER Daily Bulletin Published by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, April 1.—The barometer remains stationary over this Province, and with mild weather is general on the Coast.

Victoria—Barometer 29.82; temperature, maximum yesterday 65; minimum 44; wind, 6 miles E.; rain, trace; weather, fair.

Vancouver—Barometer 29.90; temperature, maximum yesterday 54; minimum 44; wind, 12 miles E.; rain, trace; weather, fair.

Kamloops—Barometer 29.86; temperature, maximum yesterday 68; minimum 46; wind, 4 miles S.W.; weather, fair.

Markerville—Barometer 29.91; temperature, maximum yesterday 50; minimum 40; snow, .84; weather, clear.

Estevan—Barometer 29.86; temperature, maximum yesterday 50; minimum 34; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, trace; weather, fair.

Calgary—Barometer 29.82; temperature, maximum yesterday 50; minimum 44; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .16; weather, clear.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday 59; minimum 46; wind, 4 miles S.; rain, .50; weather, cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer 29.99; temperature, maximum yesterday 50; minimum 44; wind, 12 miles E.; rain, trace; weather, fair.

San Francisco—Barometer 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday 64; minimum 46; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .16; weather, clear.

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MEXICAN RACES HELP TO SWELL CITY TREASURY

Sum of \$1,025 Taken in Fines in City Police Court This Morning

Fines totalling \$1,025 were imposed by Magistrate Jay in City Police Court to-day on nineteen accused in connection with the operation and frequenting of several premises described as "common gaming houses."

All save two of twenty-one accused pleaded guilty to various charges brought against them. The two acquitted had been charged with being inmates of a gaming house, and produced lawyers for their defence. E. C. Lowe pleaded guilty for the nineteen other accused.

E. Harris, charged with being the keeper of a set of rooms at 1230 Langley Street, was fined \$300 with the option of one month in jail. G. Pickering, charged with being the keeper of a set of rooms located on the second story of 1116 Broad Street, was fined \$200 on similar terms.

R. Walls, charged with recording a bet on premises at 1315 Government Street, was fined \$200. W. McManus, charged with recording a bet at 1315 Government Street, was fined \$200.

Chief Fry told of the raid made yesterday afternoon on the premises of E. Harris, 1230 Langley Street. The police gained admittance by climbing a ladder and breaking a window. While the police were inside witnesses took a telephone call from a telegraph station, which proved to be a list of winning horses at yesterday's races in Mexico.

The accused admitted, said Chief Fry, that bets were taken over the wire. A registry of bets, overnight entries, racing papers and other materials were found on the scene, said witness.

In reply Mr. Lowe admitted that bets were taken on the Tia Juana races. Although it was against the law, he said, there had been a profound interest shown in horse racing. Everything he would submit, was conducted in a frank and open manner, and the police would have been admitted only if no one heard them knock.

In the case of G. Pickering, Sergeant Hall told of a raid made simultaneously by the police on premises on the second story of 1116 Broad Street. The accused was seated at a desk, said witness, with papers, form charts and other racing paraphernalia. He was in the act of giving a slip to a person in the room. Receipts for room rent and other papers were found on his person.

Sergeant Boulton told of the third raid of the day that made on premises of 1315 Government Street. Evidence given against R. Walls and W. McManus. Witness found \$121.37 in cash on the person of the accused, said witness, to betting. The accused, McManus, had \$73.33 on his person. He held that racing "had been the

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WHO'S WHO IN HISTORY TO-DAY

WILLIAM HARVEY Famous English physician and anatomist, noted as the discoverer of the circulation of the blood, was born on April 1, 1578.

EDWARD VII (Prince Otto Edward Leopold Von) famous Prussian statesman, the creator of German unity, was born at Schonhausen, on April 1, 1815.

JAMES MCCOSH Scottish-American educator and philosopher, for twenty years president of Princeton University, was born at Carlschoch, Ayrshire, on April 1, 1811.

EDWIN AUSTIN ABBEY American painter and illustrator, who painted the official picture of the coronation of Edward VII, was born at Philadelphia on April 1, 1852.

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Specials for Thursday

Table listing various food items and their prices, including eggs, flour, and meat.

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C.G.I.T. COUNCIL HELD CONFERENCE

The second meeting of the Girls' Council of the C.G.I.T., which was held in the Y.W.C.A. on Saturday...

the president of the council gave a glowing report of the council meeting in Vancouver, which was attended by representatives from most of the Victoria C.G.I.T. groups.

WOMEN TO DISCUSS DISARMAMENT AND CONTROL OF OPIUM

Many Problems on Agenda of International Council's Meeting

Ottawa, April 1.—The agenda of business to be taken up by the National Council of Women at the quinquennial meeting of the international organization to be held in Washington, May 4-14, was considered at last night's meeting of the council's executive in session here.

EASTER GIFTS TO BE SOLD AT REFORMED CHURCH BAZAAR

Dainty and useful novelties suitable for Easter gifts will be on sale at the annual bazaar, which the Ladies Aid of the Church of Our Lord, Reformed Episcopal, will hold in the school room on Friday afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock.

MOTHER SHOTS HER SON AND DAUGHTER

Somerville, N.J., April 1.—James Sheridan, fourteen, is dead from bullet wounds inflicted by his mother, who at the same time shot and instantly killed her daughter Helen, seventeen, and then shot herself.

POSTERS BY EMINENT ARTISTS ON VIEW AT LOCAL STUDIO

It is a thing of the past to look on the poster as something of little artistic merit, with crude coloring and unappealing design.

IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. H. G. Campbell of Winnipeg is on a visit to Victoria. J. W. Brick of Toronto arrived in Victoria yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Murphy and daughter of Winnipeg are visiting in Victoria, and are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. J. Cecil Stuart, B.C. manager of the Dominion of Canada Guarantee and Accident Insurance Company of Canada of Vancouver is a visitor in Victoria.

Mr. R. C. Janion, B.C. manager of the London Guaranty Fire and Accident Insurance Co. returned last night to his home in Vancouver after spending a few days in Victoria on business.

After spending a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith, Mr. Cornelius J. Smith returned to Seattle yesterday to resume his duties at the University of Washington.

Mr. Kenneth W. Powice, who has been doing mission work under the auspices of the Canadian Presbyterian Church at Tamsui, in the island of Formosa, returned last night to his home in Victoria.

Among the visitors from Vancouver at present in Victoria are Mrs. Mrs. Ellen Smith, M.P.P., Mrs. J. M. Coady, Mr. J. A. Russell, K.C., Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Anderson and Mr. A. L. McLennan, all of whom are guests at the Empress Hotel.

BRITISH TEACHERS TO VISIT STATES

English Speaking Union Founds Scholarships For Women. London, April 1.—A number of scholarships for British women teachers have been announced by the English Speaking Union in carrying out its policy of providing facilities for British and American teachers to visit the respective countries.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Fraser entertained last evening at their home on Gladstone Avenue at bridge, when their guests included Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mayhew, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lashby, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Pariseau, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McCaw, Miss Kate McLaren, Miss Flo Patterson, Miss Grete Kerr, Dr. Yanner, Mrs. J. B. McLaren of Logan Avenue, The Gorge.

In honor of Mr. Tyrrell Godman leaving to-day for England, accompanied by Master Tony Godman, Mrs. J. S. Plattet, president of the Alexandra Club, entertained at the tea hour at the club yesterday afternoon and was assisted by Mrs. J. E. Umbach and Miss J. Cressie who presided at the daintily arranged tea-table.

After several years' residence at the Balmoral Hotel, Mr. and Mrs. W. Ellison are leaving this week to reside at their new home at Cedar Hill and as a farewell, last evening, the guests of the Balmoral were hosts at a dinner party given in their honor.

On behalf of the Y.W.C.A. and the audience, a very hearty vote of thanks was accorded Mrs. McClure for her talk, and wonderful interpretation of the great composer, and to Mrs. James, Mrs. A. J. Gibson and Mr. Arthur Gore, for the delightful conclusion to the programme given by them.

Famous women of history were described by Rev. Dr. Sipprell in an interesting talk last evening, the subject being the main feature in an attractive programme which also included musical numbers by the Victoria High School choir. The programme was given at the Metropolitan Methodist Church before an appreciative audience.

Dr. Sipprell spoke more particularly of two types of women—the woman of heroism, Cleopatra represented the pagan woman and the customs and beliefs of her era were graphically described. The amenities of the modern home were unknown, immorality was no bar to their conduct. The clever woman was more or less immoral according to modern ideas.

CHARM OF MUSIC IS ILLUSTRATED

The "Charm of Music" was the subject of a highly intellectual address given by Mrs. McClure, president of the Ladies' Musical Club, in conclusion of a series of "Charm of Music" lectures given in the dining-room of the Y.W.C.A.

Mrs. McClure described moods, temperaments, and surroundings of composers, as well as the country in which they lived, using as illustrations, selections from Scarlatti, Bach, Beethoven, Schumann, Chopin, Debussy, Liszt, and Wagner.

The contrast between the great masters and modern composers was also illustrated, some of the latter expressing materialism and modern surroundings. Mr. E. J. Schomberg in one of his compositions described an aeroplane dropping bombs in a chicken yard.

The charm of vocal music was beautifully illustrated by the delicate rendering of Schubert's "Ave Maria" by Mrs. Percy James, and the Italian song, "Star-Vieno" Mrs. McClure having preceded these with the history of the composer, Mrs. Arthur Gore with his rich tenor voice, illustrated modern vocal music by the splendid singing of "Morning" by Gley Sparks.

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GIRL DISFIGURED FOR LIFE, SAYS DOCTOR. Trial Continues at Bombay of Assaultants of Mumtaz Begum. Bombay, April 1.—The facial wounds received by Mumtaz Begum in the fight on Malabar Hill last January will disfigure her for life, a doctor testified to-day in the trial of the nine men charged with attempting to abduct the dancing girl of the Maharajah of Indore, in whose court she was formerly the favorite.

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FOR COLLEGE GIRLS—Above is the residence at 89 St. George Street, Toronto, of the late Sir Edmund Walker, which has been sold to Trinity College for \$55,000 to be used as the new St. Hill's College residence.

OBSERVATORIES OF WORLD DESCRIBED

W. E. Harper of Saanich Observatory Gave Illustrated Lecture

"Observatories of the World" was the subject of an interesting address by W. E. Harper of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church last evening.

The speaker dealt with about fifteen of the principal observatories in the world, dividing them into three classifications—those in Europe, including the famous institution at Greenwich, those in Eastern America and those on the west coast of this continent. Reference was made to the prevalence in the latter group of some of the largest telescopes in the world, the atmospheric conditions on this coast making the use of the mammoth instruments possible.

Mr. Harper gave a number of interesting facts about the observatory at Greenwich, two of whose staff, Professors Eddington and Jackson, were with the party of British scientists which visited Victoria last year. A series of fine slides aided the lecturer in describing the prominent observatories in various countries and their work, brief reference being also made to the one at Saanich. At the close Mr. Harper was accorded a hearty vote of thanks.

NEW ROAD WOULD SERVE RICH LAND

Premier Mine Alone Guarantees 500 Tons of Freight Per Day

Seattle, April 1.—On his way to make a preliminary survey for a thirteen-mile railway on Salmon River, the United States side, to the Fort and land Canal between Alaska and British Columbia, Col. William T. Perkins is aboard the steamship Prince George bound for Hyder, Alaska, it is announced here by E. W. Knight of The Alaska Weekly.

In Hyder Perkins will meet J. A. Hall of that place, and Phillip R. Backus, engineer, to look over the proposed right of way. Should the railway be built it will serve a rich silver, lead and gold mining section now dependent entirely upon airroad transportation to the waters of Portland Canal.

It is said the largest mine in the region, the Premier, has guaranteed 500 tons of freight per day. Other proposed new railways are Fish Creek Mine, the Lachlan, the Texas Creek, the Indian, the Hyder-Jumbo and others above the proposed terminus which could reach the rails by means of airroads.

LIQUOR INQUIRY IN QUEBEC PROVINCE

Quebec, April 1.—That while liquor is sold one bottle at a time in Quebec liquor Commission stores, happens that at stores along the United States border many bottles are sold to one person in a day, and carried away in trucks or wagons. At last night's sitting of the Public Accounts Committee of the Legislature, which is investigating liquor matters in the province, the liquor story was in regard to a boat called the Bernard M., which sailed into Montreal in the summer of 1923, took on 2,000 cases of liquor, labelled as coming from the Quebec Liquor Commission, got clearance papers for St. Pierre, Miquelon, went to the French island in question, got more "wet" goods and then steamed away to a point on the high seas off New York, where the liquor was disposed of at profitable rates.

MOTORIST PAYS FOR LOCOMOTIVE REPAIRS

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The evidence indicated that Jamieson drove his car down the railroad, parked it on the tracks and went to sleep. Members of the train crew said they had to awaken Jamieson after he had been carried for ninety feet on the engine pilot. The locomotive got the worst of the encounter. Jamieson was not hurt. His car was not badly damaged. Railroad officials said it cost \$47.72 to fix up the engine, and the court entered judgment accordingly.

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—Main Floor



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Hip length styles, neat roll collar and tie of self material, kimono sleeves, collar, cuffs and hip band in novelty check material. Colors include Kashmir, terrapin, crabapple, silver and blue, also white and black. Also smart broadcloth blouses in cream and tan with Peter Pan and tailored collars; all excellent values. Values to \$6.95. Sale Price \$3.49
- Hand-made Blouses, Values to \$3.50 for \$1.89
In finest quality white dimity with Peter Pan or roll collars, long sleeves with neat fitting cuffs, front and collar trimmed with hand-drawn work and flit lace edging; sizes 34 to 42; values to \$3.50. Sale Price \$1.89
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In novelty weave Rayon silk, hip length, smart roll collar, cuffs and hip band in basket weave silk. Colors include Kashmir, crabapple, coral, gold, also white. Other smart models in crepe de chine some embroidered trimmed; others in tailored effects, in orchid, corse, green, navy and black. Values to \$10.95. Sale Price \$4.89
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1,000 Pairs of Men's Oxfords and Brogues

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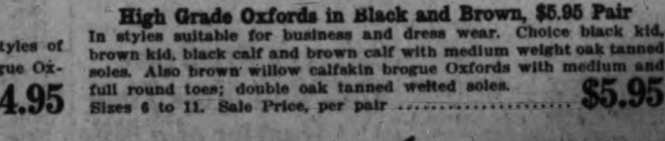
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—Main Floor

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Shown in faille, charmeuse, crepe satin and Canton. Many fashioned in the new coat frock style, with underdress of fancy silk in Oriental and foulard designs. These are superbly tailored on somewhat severe lines, with turn-over collars, some finished with bow tie or loose scarf ends. Others have skirts slashed at sides showing inset in contrasting color. Sleeves vary from wrist length to the small arm cap which can hardly be described as a sleeve at all. All the new shades are included such as shutter green, brick, pumpkin, petcupine; also navy and black, black and white, \$39.50

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Fascinating for Spring outing attire and particularly so for sports wear, ratine background, with voile stripes, embroidered in colors; 38 inches wide. Per yard \$1.35

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—Main Floor

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—Drugs, Main Floor

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Finest Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20-lb. paper sack, \$1.43
Libby's California Apricots, in syrup, No. 1 tall tin 23c
2 tins for 45c
Pacific Brand Canned Milk, 4 tins for 45c
Beaver Brand White Tissue Toilet Rolls, specially made for Hudson's Bay Co., 13 rolls for 50c
Seal of Quality Pure Malt Vinegar, per bottle 35c
Le Parfait Brand Pure Castile Soap, per bar 20c
Del Monte Brand Crushed Pineapple, No. 2 tin 20c
Globe Brand Dessert Peas, No. 2 tin 19c
3 tins for 55c
Choice Quality Red Plums, in syrup, No. 2½ tin 24c
Laurel Brand Pitted Red Cherries, No. 2½ tin, 3 for \$1.00
Macintosh Brand Pure Seville Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin, 65c

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Ganong's Chocolate Rabbits and Rectifiers, each 10c and 35c

—Main Floor

HOCKEY, BOXING

Cricketers Look For Exceptional Season

Edward Parsons Will Again Direct Activities of Association; Six Clubs Will Play in First Division and Brentwood College Will Enter Second Division; Cowichan Will Again Field Two Teams and Hope to Retain Cups They Won Last Year; Against Two-day Matches.

Officials and members of the Victoria and District Cricket Association are looking forward to a very fine year and hope that it will eclipse the 1924 season. They held their annual meeting last night and besides electing officers talked over the prospects for the season.

The association decided not to introduce two-day matches into the regular league series. A recommendation from a previous gathering of cricketers was read at the meeting last night and brought about the discussion of the two-day match.

Those who supported the two-day match argued that it would make players more careful and not hurry them. In this way the cricket would be of a better calibre, they stated.

Opponents of the plan contended that it would be impossible to stage the two-day match owing to the inability of fielding the same team on two consecutive Saturdays.

In the end it was decided to allow the league to carry on with single-day matches and, at the end of the season, to play a two-day match between the champions and the Reel. This will be used as a trial match to see how the new plan will work.

SIX TEAMS TO ENTER

Six teams will again play in the First Division, a similar number to that of last season. Cowichan, the winner, will again enter, and Victoria, Alhambra, Incogs, Five C's and United Services are expected to have their colors in the fight. The Cougars expressed a desire to enter the First Division last night, but unless one of the other clubs drops out, they will have to be content with a place in the Second Division.

Cowichan, which created quite a future last year by winning both the First and Second Division, will again be a big factor in the races. They will again enter two teams, but unless one of the other clubs drops out, they will have to be content with a place in the Second Division.

Edward Parsons, who has so capably directed the association for two years, was again the unanimous choice for the presidency at last night's meeting. He was elected by an eloquent tribute to his splendid work on behalf of cricket in this city.

The other officers elected were as follows: Hon. President, John Virtue; hon. vice-presidents, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and J. C. Barnacle, P. C. Crump, J. H. Gillespie, J. H. S. Matson, W. W. Bolton and A. Watson; auditors, E. W. Carr-Hilton, T. G. Goward, Dr. A. B. Hudson, E. W. Musson, H. P. Hope, Capt. Tomlin, Rev. W. W. Bolton and A. Watson; secretary, W. A. Anderson; treasurer, W. A. Anderson; secretary for the second division, A. Booth; league representative to Wednesday League, P. C. Payne.

The first of the inter-city matches with Vancouver will be played here on July 1, and the second in Vancouver on August 15. The suggestion from Vancouver that A and B teams should play in each match was agreed to.

The Pacific coast tournament will be held again this year, either here or in Vancouver, and the inter-provincial tournament will be held probably in Regina, it being Saskatchewan's turn this year to stage the tournament.

Great Interest Being Taken in Road Races Good Friday Morning

Much interest is being taken in the Great War Veterans' annual road race to be held Good Friday morning. A very large entry list is expected for the senior race. A peculiar feature of the race is that the entrants for the senior race will be the same as those for the junior race.

Walker, Hagen and Many Other Golfing Stars at Pinehurst

Pinehurst, N.C., April 1.—Cyril Walker, United States open champion, and Walter Hagen, present tournament titleholder, headed a list of more than seventy players here today for the opening of the twenty-third annual North and South open golf championship. Thirty-six holes were on the card to-day and a like number to-morrow.

Other prominent entrants included Mike Brady, Joe Kirkwood, Jack Hutchison, Johnny Farrell, Tommy Kerrigan, Jim Barnes and Leo Diegel.

Going After Tilden



"LITTLE BILL" JOHNSTON

New York, March 31.—Word was received here today that William M. Johnston of California, former national tennis champion, will return to the East this year in an effort to wrest the premiere net title from William T. Tilden II.

According to Dr. Sumner Hardy, president of the California Tennis Association, Johnston also seeks to regain the prestige he lost when he was taken off the Davis Cup team and third after his defeat by Vincent Richards in the East-West matches.

First Play-off Games in Roller Hockey Staged

Foul Bay Monarchs Beat Times 9-6; Colonists Overwhelm Times' Seniors 14-4

The first games of the play-offs in the Victoria Roller Hockey League to decide the champions of the city were staged last night at the V.I.A. gymnasium. A fair crowd of fans witnessed the games. In the first game, between the 110-pound team, the Foul Bay Monarchs, and the 140-pound team, the Colonists, the score of 9-6 after a keenly contested battle. The final game, between the Colonists and Times' 135-pounders, found the former team on the long end of a 14-4 score.

AN EASY VICTORY

The second fixture proved an easy victory for the crack Colonist team. The morning paper representatives played a fine brand of hockey, outclassing the Times boys in every phase of the game. Pascoe, the Colonist goalie, played a great game and stopped several shots that looked like sure goals. At the end of the first period the Colonist were leading 6-2. In the second and third periods the Times' boys worked hard but their combination was poor. The individual scores were as follows:

Monarchs—Delahunty 1, Unwin 1, Lawson 1, Piler 3, Howard 4, Times—A. Taylor 1, L. Taylor 3, Tilyer 2.

Colonist—Bothwell 1, McConnell 4, Mahwinny 4, Tyrell 5.

Times—O. Kesson 1, J. Kesson 1, Zinch 2.

Referee, T. Kirkinson. To-night's games will be: Midgester class, V.I. Midgester vs. Foul Bay; restricted, Colonist vs. V.I. Shalks.

TIMES SPORTING NEWS SWAMPED THEIR BOAT



This thrilling picture shows the Oxford eight at the "catch." They have just thrown their bodies into their oars for another powerful pull. The strain of the pull is quite noticeable on their faces. The Oxford boat was swamped in the annual classic on Saturday and Cambridge won as it pleased for the second year in succession.

High School Teams Play Saturday For Provincial Title

King Edward Boys of Vancouver Meet Victoria in Final; Expect Great Game

Victoria basketball fans will be able to see in another championship game on Saturday evening, when the fast-stepping Victoria High School senior boys' team stacks up against the Deasly King Edward High School of Vancouver for the B.C. High School Championship. This game will bring together two of the finest high school teams in the province and a great game is anticipated.

The Vancouver boys are reputed to have the fastest squad of ball-players ever assembled on the Mainland. On the other hand the local school has some of Victoria's best intermediates on its lineup, and the players are all primed ready to do. Coach Vernot Jones has been holding practices twice a week, and is quite confident his team will give the visitors a hard run for their money.

As a certain raiser the well known Outlaws, Vancouver Island Intercollegiate Champions, will do battle last night at New Westminster, and as these two teams are noted for their speed and combination, the fans can be assured of a first-class game.

Vaccination Puts Stop to Pennant Rush of Hoop Team

New Westminster, April 1.—A championship match was defeated last night at New Westminster, when Native Sons of Canada, failing to arrive from Vancouver lost the championship of the Pacific Northwest Intercollegiate Basketball League to the Royal City quintette.

Westminster won the first game of a three-game series for the honor of the title. The team needed another victory to clinch the title. The Vancouver team has been demoralized since crossing the border after his defeat by Vincent Richards in the East-West matches at Seattle recently, several of the players not having recovered from the vaccinations which they had to undergo before making the trip.

Mrs. Fairbairn Leads Field in First Round of Handicap Tourney

Mrs. Fairbairn was two strokes in front at the end of the first round of the annual Darcus Cup competition of the ladies of the Uplands Golf Club. Mrs. Fairbairn net score was 82. She also had the best gross score, being the only one in the field of twenty players to make the round under a hundred.

The second round of the competition will be played next Saturday. Saturday's scores follow:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Gross, Hcp. Net. Mrs. Fairbairn 96 14 82, Miss Cass 120 36 84, Mrs. Geiger 129 34 86, Mrs. Hepburn 112 26 86, Mrs. Wilking 106 20 86, Mrs. W. G. Wilson 124 36 88, Mrs. Pooock 106 18 88, Mrs. Boyd 103 15 88, Miss Mills 125 36 89, Mrs. Ellis 128 36 92, Miss Maxwell 125 32 93, Mrs. Wolfenden 125 32 93, Mrs. Sanders 115 17 98, Miss K. Fraser 126 28 98, Mrs. Nickson 127 22 105, Mrs. Barton 131 22 109, Mrs. Hinecock 131 36 111, Mrs. McNaughton 145 36 112, Miss Young 138 23 115, Mrs. Foulis 150 30 120.

Colorado Pro Drove Golf Ball More Than Quarter of a Mile

Colorado Springs, Colo., April 1.—What is believed to be a world's record for driving a golf ball was made here yesterday on the Broadmoor Golf Club course by Jimmy Guillane, the club's professional. Guillane drove a ball 470 yards to the seventeenth hole. The ball rested fifty-eight yards from the cup and Guillane held out for an "eagle" three.

After-thoughts on the Series

It is interesting to note that Victoria won the world's series in 1915 by the same score as that by which they smothered the Canadiens. The Quebec crabs, as the Cougars were known eleven years ago, defeated the Quebec team by six goals to one in the deciding game for the title. In those days it was the best two out of three games, with Victoria winning the first, Quebec the second and the Capitals the third. Quebec was outplayed in the deciding game as badly as the Canadiens were on Monday night.

With the strain of the championship over, the Cougars are now relaxing and enjoying themselves to the full. They are being deluged with invitations to parties. To-morrow night they will be the guests of the city at a banquet in the Chamber of Commerce and it is expected that the place will be jammed when Mayor Penderay takes his seat at the head table.

The Cougars will begin to depart for their homes in various parts as soon as the ceremonies are over. Three of the Cougars, Jocko Anderson, Gordon Fraser and Harry Meeking, are driving in their stables here, and "Happy" Holmes may also hang out his shingle here. Jack Walker will go to Vancouver, Frank Foyston to Seattle, and Harold Halderon and Frank Frederickson to Winnipeg. Clem Loughlin will remain here until the winter on the prairies breaks up and will then proceed to Viking, Alberta, to plan his farm. Harold Hart is going to his home in Weyburn and Wally Elmer will proceed to Kingston, Ont., where he will consider his future.

The Colwood golf course will see a lot of Lester Patrick as soon as he has closed the arena, made out his reports and written "30" as the newspaper men call it, to his season's activities. The handling of a hockey team entails a heavy strain on a manager, and when in addition to this he has the duty of running a rink and controlling a world's series, the job is a very arduous one. Lester acted for President Richardson of the W.C.H.L., who did not attend the series. Normally the series is always under the direct control of the president of the league which has the honor of staging the game.

Frederickson and Halderon have carved a new niche in hockey. They stand as the first players to figure on three championship teams. They were with the Falcons Club in 1920 when it won the Allan Cup, and then with the Canadian amateur championship, and then went to Amber and won the world's amateur title. It may be a long time before the feat is equalled. The only other men in professional hockey to-day who have a chance are "Hokey" Smith, of Ottawa; "Dunc" Munro, of Montreal, and Bert McCaffery, of Toronto. This trio played on the 1924 Granite team which won the Allan Cup and the Olympic championship at Chamonix, France. McCaffery got the nearest to the goal as the St. Pats were just nosed-out by Canadians in the playoffs.

Holmes has played in six world's series and four times has been a winner. Walker and Foyston have played in five and three times have taken the big slice of the series. Only once have they lost out. The other series was called a draw. Meeking has been in two series and been a winner both times. It was the first world's series for Fraser, Loughlin, Halderon, Hart, Frederickson, Anderson and Elmer.

Leo Dandurand, manager of the Canadiens, proved a real game sport. He is a most likeable fellow, takes his defeats with a smile and is always ready to give another team credit for a good play. Thirty seconds before the final gong went he slipped from his seat and rushed to the Victoria dressing-room so as to be there to welcome the new Stanley Cup holders.

Lester Patrick was as tickled as a school boy with his first slingshot. All the worries and cares arising out of handling a hockey team and preparing for a world's series vanished like cold cream on a lady's face when the following year won on the Coast but was beaten in Toronto. Since then his teams have been dogged with hard luck and he had failed to lead a winner. But this year the Pates were kind.

Lester is glad to have shaken off the jinx that has kept him company for eleven years. In 1915 he led his club to the world's championship and the following year won on the Coast but was beaten in Toronto. Since then his teams have been dogged with hard luck and he had failed to lead a winner. But this year the Pates were kind.

It was fine to see the two teams travel the full distance without having to be checked for undue rough stuff. Canadians proved that they are not bad actors and can play cleanly if the other fellows are willing to do so. WRH reports have been sent out from the East about the cruel tactics of Dandurand's players but fans here are convinced that if Canadians are rough there must be other teams just as bad, and more or less force their hands.

Ladies of Oak Bay Club Will Play For Pooley Handicap Cup

The draw has been made for the first round of the Pooley Handicap Cup to be competed for by the ladies of the Victoria Golf Club. The round has to be played between to-day and April 12. The draw follows:

Mrs. Heming and Mrs. Pangman, Miss M. Wilson and Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Paterson and Mrs. Ross, Mrs. King and Mrs. Green, Mrs. Goward and Mrs. Mollin, Miss S. Turner and Miss Pitt, Mrs. Armstrong and Miss S. Spencer, Miss Isabel Wilson and Mrs. George Clark, Mrs. C. E. Wilson and Mrs. Hedley, Miss Bayard and Mrs. Musgrave, Mrs. J. Wilson and Mrs. H. C. Johnson, Mrs. B. A. Harris and Mrs. Philbrick, Mrs. Hutchinson and Mrs. Prior, Mrs. Godfrey and Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Howell and Mrs. Parry, Mrs. Gore and Mrs. Pierce.

Mrs. Parry won Mrs. John Galt's prize in a competition at Oak Bay. Mrs. Philbrick was second in the "B" class Mrs. Gore was first and Mrs. Musgrave second.

Three Hoop Titles Decided Last Night In City Basketball

Gorge Defeated Y.M.C.A.; Spencer's Ladies Win; Falcons Beat C.P.R.

Three championships were decided last night in the city basketball leagues. As a result of the Gorge defeating the Y.M.C.A. they gave the men's "C" league title to Spencer's. The score in this game was 14-13. In the second match Spencer's ladies clinched the "B" division championship by trouncing the James Bay Quintette 9-4. In the final game of the evening the Falcons made certain of the honors in the men's "A" league by taking the C.P.R. into camp 25-17.

The outstanding feature of the play of three of the champions was the fact that neither team lost a game all season. In the ladies "A" league the B.C. Telephone five went through their schedule with a clean record. In the men's "A" division the Falcons were not defeated while Spencer's ladies turned the trick in the ladies "B" league. The titles have now all been decided and the teams will concentrate their efforts to the city basketball knock-out tournament which is now in progress.

RALLIED AND WON

In the game between the Gorge and Y.M.C.A. last night the latter put up a great fight to stay in the running for the championship. At half-time the score stood 10-8 in favor of the "Y" but in the last half the Gorge team tied the score and then pushed out into the lead where they remained till the end.

Spencer's ladies had things pretty much their own way with the James Bay team. The department checked hard while their shooting was good. After obtaining a lead in the first minutes of the game they increased it as the game progressed. A keenly contested battle was seen between the Falcons and C.P.R. In the first half the railroaders managed to hold their opponents for the score at half-time being 9-5 in favor of the Falcons. In the final frame the winners scored fast and then pushed out into the lead where they remained by heavy checking.

Varsity Hoop Team Defeated Alberta For Western Title

Edmonton, April 1.—The University of British Columbia won the right to play the Ottawa champions for the Canadian basketball championship here last night, when in the last game of a two-game series to decide the western finalists, they defeated the 4th Battalion, 23 to 15 and on the round, 43 to 38.

Although they were outclassed by the Alberta champions in their initial appearance here, the coast team made a remarkable comeback and by playing consistently, throughout the entire game, they managed to throw well ahead of their opponent and, in fact, they never looked like looters after ten minutes of play.

H. R. Henderson was the outstanding player for the victorious team. He was fed the ball continuously and on every occasion that a chance offered for him to score, he usually made the most of it, with the result he was high scorer for the game with 15 points to his total.

Nurmi's Legs Make Other Crack Runners Quit in Bitter Race

Boston, April 1.—Paavo Nurmi, Finnish wonder runner, added one more of his long chain of American victories last night when he captured the mile and a half and half feature event of the Elks track games programme. His time for the distance was 6:47, within eight seconds of his own record for the distance.

The Finn's time over the thirteen lap track was believed the fastest ever run under the circumstances by veteran observers. Forced at the beginning by Jole Ray, crack Chicago miller, Nurmi set a pace which drove three of his competitors, including Lloyd Hahn and Ray out of the contest. Only one other runner, Jimmie Connelly of Washington finished.

At Birmingham—R. H. E. New York American—11 17 2 Olympic Expedition, also of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union, commissioner for Canada at the Pan-American boxing championships to be held in Boston April 22.

BASKETBALL, GOLF

English Flat Racing Season Well Underway

Newbury Races Begin To-day and Spring Cup Will Be at Stake To-morrow; Tapin, Famous French Colt, Has His Impost Increased; Other Important Stakes This Month; Two Thousand Guineas at Newmarket on April 29.

London, April 1 (Canadian Press Cable).—The flat racing season at Newbury was opened to-day and to-morrow the Newbury Spring Cup, the principal race of the two-day meeting, will be run. Entries for the cup race closed February 24 when forty-nine nominations were received. Of these forfeit was declared for fourteen on publication of the weights, leaving thirty-five prospective starters for to-morrow's handicap which is run over a mile course.

Included in the entries are the French colt Tapin, winner of the Lincolnshire Handicap last Wednesday, as a result of which he will receive an additional impost of twelve pounds to his allowance of 114 pounds. With this extra weight, the French colt will level with K. Macomber's Parth, allotted 126 pounds, the top weight. Parth was a failure at Lincoln, not even securing a place.

The Newbury Spring Cup is a handicap plate of 1,500 sovereigns, including a cup valued at fifty sovereigns. Three other important handicaps will be run during the month. At Kempton, on April 11, the Queen's Prize over the mile and a half course will be decided while, week later, during the Spring meeting at Epsom, the great Metropolitan Stakes and the City and Suburban Stakes will be the principal races of the week.

NEWMARKET RACES OPEN

At the end of the month the first Spring meeting at Newmarket opens with the first of the classic races for three-year-olds taking place, the Two Thousand Guineas for colts and fillies being run on April 29 and the One Thousand Guineas for fillies alone on May 1.

With the running of the Jubilee Handicap at Kempton Park on May 5, the last of the so-called "Spring Handicaps" will have been decided. London, Eng., April 1.—In accordance with time-honored custom, the flat racing season in England opened with the meeting at Lincoln, and this week the curtain will be rung up on the 1925 season of racing under Jockey Club rules, which commenced over the beautiful Carlisle course last Tuesday. The Lincolnshire Handicap, which was the chief event of the meeting, is the first of the Spring handicaps and furnishes a medium of much speculation throughout the later months, was run on Wednesday.

Following the Lincoln came Liverpool, which had as its feature the Liverpool Summer Cup on Thursday, and the running of the Grand National Steeplechase on Friday. The Newbury meeting opened to-day with the Newbury Spring Cup race to-morrow.

Following is a complete list of the principal races that are run during the flat racing season, which commences with the Manchester meeting in late November:—

Table with 3 columns: Race Name, Date, Location. Newbury Spring Cup... April 2, Queen's Prize (Kempton)... April 11, City and Suburban... April 21, Two Thousand Guineas... April 29, One Thousand Guineas... May 6, Jubilee Handicap (Kempton)... May 9, Newmarket Stakes... May 12, Derby... May 29, Manchester Cup... June 5, Newbury Summer Cup... June 11, Ascot Stakes... June 17, Royal Ascot... June 18, Gold Cup... June 18, Wokingham Stakes... June 19, Northumberland Plate... July 2, Duke of York Handicap... July 2, London Cup... July 5, Eclipse Stakes (Sandown)... July 17, National Stakes... July 24, Liverpool Summer Cup... July 27, Stewards' Cup... July 28, Goodwood Cup... July 28, Ebor Handicap... July 29, The Gimcrack... Aug. 27, Peveril of the Peak Plate... Sept. 3, Prince Edward Handicap... Sept. 5, St. Leger Handicap... Sept. 9, Doncaster Cup... Sept. 11, Newbury Autumn Handicap, Sept. 24, Jockey Club Stakes... Oct. 10, Duke of York Handicap... Oct. 1, Creswick... Oct. 14, Middle Park Stakes... Oct. 16, Cambridgehire... Oct. 18, Liverpool Autumn Cup... Oct. 18, Derby Cup... Nov. 20, Manchester Nov. Handicap, Nov. 25

Bercot Wins Bout In South But Roy Cliffe is Dropped

Vernon, Cal. April 1.—Dede Bercot, Seattle welterweight, was awarded a decision over Bobby Barrett, of Philadelphia, in a ten-round bout here last night. Barrett made his last showing in the B.R.B. ring when he floored the Seattle battler for the count of "nine."

Bercot was ahead in seven of the ten rounds, in the opinion of newspaper critics and broke even with his opponent in two of the other Philadelphia's. It was Bercot's second victory over Barrett this year. Ernie Owens knocked out Roy Cliffe, of Courtenay, B.C., in the third round of a scheduled six-round semi-final.

Lewis Twists Head of Opponent so Bad That Bout Concludes

Cleveland, April 1.—Using his famous headlock, Ed "Strangler" Lewis, drew William Demetral in 44 minutes 15 seconds here last night. Announcement was made that Demetral was unable to go on with the second fall because of injuries suffered to his neck in the first. Mike Romano defeated Tom Drank in straight falls in a semi-final.

MULQUEEN GETS A JOB

Montreal, April 1.—H. J. Mulqueen, former chairman of the Ontario Boxing Commission, and also of the Canadian Olympic Expedition, has been appointed by W. E. Findlay, president of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union, commissioner for Canada at the Pan-American boxing championships to be held in Boston April 22.

SAN FRANCISCO SHIPPING

San Francisco, April 1.—The largest shipment of lumber to arrive in San Francisco within a 24-hour period since 1923, it is said, arrived here Monday

when 1,200,000 feet of this product was consigned for discharge here. The lumber was brought in aboard five vessels bound from Northern ports.

The T.K.K. liner Siberia, Maru sailed from here for the Far East Monday with a large cargo and a record-breaking passenger list.

SPEEDY MOTORSHIP SETS NEW TIME ON VOYAGE HERE FROM AUSTRALASIA; WILL MAKE PORT TO-MORROW EVENING

The Emma Alexander arrives here to-night about 10 o'clock with a heavy passenger list from California points, and considerable freight to discharge here and at Seattle. The vessel has made a fast trip up the coast despite rough weather, but owing to poor visibility in the Straits to-day it is thought that the ship may be slightly later than usual in docking here to-night.

CALIFORNIA SHIPS ARRIVING TO-NIGHT

Emma is Inbound and Dorothy Alexander Sails; Early Tourists Promised

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FOREIGNERS WILL FEEL COMPETITION

Seattle, April 1.—Acceptance by the United States Shipping Board of a bid by R. Stanley Dollar for five, President type steamships plying out of San Francisco means the "Centralization of transpacific operations by northern and southern routes under one organization and affords an opportunity of competing with foreign lines without local competition."

ADMIRAL LINE TO CHANGE LOCATION

Steamship Agency Will go Into New Quarters at End of Month

W. M. Allan, agent here for the Admiral Oriental Line and the Pacific Steamship Company, announced this morning that his offices would be moved from the present location to premises next door to the Canadian National Railway's quarters.

AORANGI WILL MAKE PORT ON THURSDAY FROM AUSTRALASIA

Motorship Carrying Large List of Passengers from Sydney and Auckland Makes Fastest Time Yet Established on South Sea Route; Ship Will Make Quarantine Here at 4 o'clock To-morrow Afternoon.

Establishing a new record for the Canadian-Australian service, the passenger motor liner Aorangi, under the command of Capt. Robert Crawford, will reach William Head at 4 o'clock to-morrow afternoon from Sydney and Auckland.

By making port Thursday evening the Aorangi is covering the distance between Auckland and this port in about fifteen days. Other liners in the Australian trade have made the run from Auckland in sixteen and seventeen days, but the new Aorangi, propelled by her giant internal combustion engines, the only kind of type and size for a passenger ship in existence, is cutting a full half day from the Antipodean schedule.

OUTCOME OF BIDS IS SATISFACTORY

Capt. Robert Dollar Jubilant at Success of His Offer to Shipping Board

San Francisco, April 1.—Captain Robert Dollar, founder and president of the steamship company bearing his name, was jubilant when informed that the Dollar Company had been the successful bidder for the five \$35 type vessels operating out of this port.

Weekly Service to Orient From San Francisco, He Announces

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SEATTLE SHIPPING

Seattle, April 1.—The Danish motorship Chile arrived last night with 2,000 tons of cement and several hundred tons of general cargo. Outward she is to load approximately 1,000,000 feet of lumber and a cargo of canned goods for North European ports.

AUSTRALIA

HONOLULU, SUVA, NEW ZEALAND The new and well appointed passenger liners sail from Vancouver, B.C.

SIDNEY ANACORTES

Auto and Passenger FERRY SERVICE will be resumed

CANADIAN PACIFIC

SAILINGS TO EUROPE FROM ST. JOHN To Cherbourg-Southampton-Antwerp

POSITIONS BY WIRELESS

ERTEVAN, 8 P.M. CANADIAN SCOTTISH, bound Vancouver, 374 miles south of Flat-tory.

VESSLS MOVEMENTS

Baltic at New York from Liverpool. Canadian Britisher at Melbourne from Halifax.

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The picture above contains a number of objects beginning with the letter "B". There are all sorts of things that begin with the letter "B". All the objects in plain view. You do not have to turn the picture upside down, nor at any angle. It is a clear, well-paying test of skill and observation.

CASH PRIZES

Table with 2 columns: Prize Rank and Amount. First Prize \$1000, Second Prize \$250, Third Prize \$100, Fourth Prize \$50, Fifth Prize \$25, Sixth Prize \$10, Seventh Prize \$5, Eighth Prize \$2.50, Ninth Prize \$1.50, Tenth to Fifteenth Prize \$1.00.

Address all communications to Puzzle Editor, Vancouver Sun, Vancouver, B.C. DROP YOUR LIST IN THE MAIL OF YOUR CITY BY MIDNIGHT

NEW GOVERNMENT STEAMSHIP DOCKS

Is New Type of Coast Boat, With Clipper Bow and Figurehead

Vancouver, April 1.—With her clipper bow decked with part of a golden figurehead and yacht-like rakish masts and funnels, the new Canadian National Steamship steamer St. Margaret arrived in port last evening and tied up at the Grand Trunk Pacific dock, after a 3,600-mile voyage from the Old Land.

Adelaide Getting Overhaul and New Zinc at Yarrow's

The Princess Adelaide was hauled out on the marine ways at the Yarrow's Limited plant, Esquimalt, this morning, and will receive general overhaul, cleaning and painting. She will also have her zinc plates renewed. The vessel will be off the cradle to-morrow, it was announced by officials at the repair yard this morning.

MAKING MAIDEN TRIP IN AUGUST

New Liner Carinthia is One of Cunard's Finest Vessels

The super-cruising liner Carinthia, the Cunard Line's new sister-ship to the Franconia, is announced to make her maiden voyage from Liverpool to New York next August. She will then be the most up-to-date ship afloat and will possess every new and worthy innovation for the comfort and pleasure of ocean travelers.

Notable among improvements will be the sports arena, which will occupy 5,000 square feet and will extend through two decks. In the centre of the arena will be a huge swimming pool and on either side a racquet court and gymnasium. There will also be shower baths and the usual dressing rooms.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

OCEAN VESSELS TO ARRIVE. Table with columns: Steamer, Master, Ton, Agent, From, Due.

OCEAN VESSELS TO SAIL. Table with columns: Steamer, Master, Ton, Agent, For, Departure.

COASTWISE MOVEMENTS

For Vancouver C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11:15 p.m. For Seattle C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 4:30 p.m.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Table with columns: Day, Sunrise, Sunset, Sunrise, Sunset.

TIDE TABLE

Table with columns: Date, Time of High Water, Time of Low Water.

The time used in Pacific standard for the High Water west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours from midnight to midnight. The figures for height, given in feet, are for high water from low water. Where bars occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

AT THE THEATRES

MANY KINDS OF VAMPS WHO VAMP IN VARIOUS WAYS

There are, no doubt, as many different kinds of vamping as there are women in the world, remarked Margaret Livingston, who takes another long stride towards stardom through her excellent portrayal of the little "don't care for anything" home-breaker in "Wandering Husbands," which is showing at the Columbia Theatre to-day.

"Vamps are, of course, divided into types just as people are, and the type that the character Marilyn, in "Wandering Husbands" belongs to, is, in my estimation, the most successful of them all—according to their own standards. It is just such little, dumb, pretty, laughing, wholly irresponsible girls that attract married men, who, wearied of the narrow confines of a conventional state of marriage, want to steal away and dance in forbidden paths for a time. Miss Livingston—is featured in

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THE HOME OF THE BIG NOVELTY SHOW

"A Gaiety Girl"

The Screen BEBE DANIELS In the Paramount Success

"Argentine Love"

ALSO "HER DANGEROUS PATH" Worth the Admission Price Alone

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"HER DANGEROUS PATH" Worth the Admission Price Alone

PLAYHOUSE

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"So This Is Marriage"

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Stage Dressings from Carter Oriental Trading Co. Hudson's Bay Co. Brown's, Florida; Murphy Electric Cement and Plaster Art Works.

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THOMAS MEIGHAN WITH LILA LEE in "COMING THROUGH"

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"Charley's Aunt"

Coming—Week of April 13—

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A Smashing Tale of Romance in the South Seas

Milton Sills and Viola Dana

"AS MAN DESIRES"

FOX NEWS COMEDY HODGE FODGE Juvenile Style Show by Angus Campbell Limited Coming, Friday and Saturday—Extra Attraction

AT THE THEATRES

Capitol—"As Man Desires." Dominion—"Coming Through." Coliseum—"A Gaiety Girl." Playhouse—"So This is Marriage." Columbia—"Wandering Husbands."

"Wandering Husbands," with Lila Lee and James Kirkwood.

PLEASING SETTING FOR PLAYHOUSE MUSICAL COMEDY

Stanley MacKay has provided another attractive setting for the current Playhouse musical comedy, "So This is Marriage." The set, representing an artist's studio, contains a number of rare antiques and art treasures, which, with the special lighting effects, make a delightful background for an unusually clever comedy. Solos by the Misses Bennett, a topical duet by Gladys Vaughan and Hilda Cooke, a comedy specialty by Roy and the Holins of Miss Holt, Stella Jaynes in a soprano number and a singing and dancing specialty by Mr. Morton, Miss Cooke and the ensemble chorus are outstanding musical hits. The screen at the Playhouse this week shows Douglas MacLean in the romantic comedy, "The Sunshine Trail," with a laugh-a-minute Playhouse comedy completing the programme.

"A GAIETY GIRL," HINCK'S LATEST, IS DELIGHTFUL SHOW

The audiences which have viewed this week's stage presentation, "A Gaiety Girl," at the Coliseum Theatre are unanimous in voting it one of the prettiest that the Hincks Company has yet put before the public at this house. Every part in it is ably taken by a well balanced cast, and while there is not a great deal of singing yet the superb-acting displayed more than makes up for this. Altogether there is an atmosphere about this particular play that more than any other takes one back to the grand old days of really clever musical comedies when effect was sought, not by the effect of jazz music and eccentric dancing, but by clever plot and sound acting.

Printer's Sick Stomach and Headaches Almost Cost Job

Mr. K. M. Collins of Woodhaven, N. Y., says, "Instead of plodding through my work wearily on account of sick headaches and sour stomach, I now enjoy good health and am able to do more and better work and life is worth living. I have never before given my name to advertise a medicine, but you cannot imagine how different I feel since I discovered Carter's Little Liver Pills.

TRADE OF CANADA WITH U.S. IN YEAR WAS \$333,836,788

Ottawa, April 1.—While Canada's imports from the United States continue to predominate over the exports, there is a steady trend toward a balance of trade between the two countries, a summary issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics shows.

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"AS MAN DESIRES" GIVES NEW SEA THRILL IN PICTURE

"As Man Desires," First National's stirring romance of the South Sea Islands, now showing at the Capitol Theatre, was adapted from Gene Wright's novel, "Pandora La Croix." Milton Sills, of "Sea Hawk" fame, appears in the part of woman-hating captain of a pearl fishing schooner, with Viola Dana acting the part of a dusky dancing maiden of the South Sea Islands.

AUTHOR HELPED THOMAS MEIGHAN IN "COMING THROUGH"

Jack Bethea, author of "Bed Rock," the picturesque novel of the Alabama coal mines which Thomas Meighan has made into motion pictures under the title "Coming Through" at the Dominion Theatre all this week, appears in the part of woman-hating captain of a pearl fishing schooner, with Viola Dana acting the part of a dusky dancing maiden of the South Sea Islands.

Mystery Play To be Repeated

The Mystery play, "A Mirror for Souls," which will be presented to-night at eight o'clock in the Music Hall, is based on the old medieval Mystery plays.

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ACTION STRIKE REGION IS URGED

Miss Agnes MacPhail Tells Commons of Her Visit to Cape Breton

Ottawa, April 1.—Miss Agnes MacPhail, Progressive, Southeast Grey, Ontario, told the Commons yesterday afternoon of her visit to the area of the coal mine dispute in Cape Breton.

"I met the moderates and the reds," said Miss MacPhail, "and by the time I had spent two days in Glace Bay, nobody looked red to me. I think if I lived there long I should be a lot redder than anything I saw."

She talked of the distress she had found in one dilapidated house she had found two families sleeping, half a dozen to the room, half starved and thinly clad. She spoke of the tragedy of womanhood there—a brief youth, many children, poverty, early age, dependency and death.

The British Empire Steel Corporation, said Miss MacPhail, as everyone knew, was a huge merger of fourteen companies, which went into the combination with a capital of \$3,000,000 and came out with one of \$102,000,000.

"It is an excellent example of the pampering of industry and the neglect of humanity which forms part of that great machine," Miss MacPhail said.

The British Empire Steel Corporation, Miss MacPhail said, had brought in immigrants even during the worst times, dumped them down where there was no work and done absolutely nothing for them after getting them there.

"It did not seem difficult for the company to get protection on coal," Miss MacPhail added, "but the Government gives no assurance that that protection is to go down to the workers."

ATTITUDE OF OFFICIALS. It was, she went on, hard to explain the attitude of the Nova Scotia Government, unless it was afraid of this "industrial monster," more anxious to "spare its skin" than to save the happiness and good citizenship of many thousands of its fellow Canadians.

The Federal Government, she said, had actually prevented it from doing anything. But if it was really anxious to do something it would "find a way around the technical snag."

Was it to be wondered at, Miss MacPhail questioned, "that miners had come to regard industry as heartless, courts as unjust and politicians as rascals?"

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Says People of Prairies Are Vitrally Interested in Defence Measures

Ottawa, April 1.—A. W. Neil, independent, Comox-Alberni, addressing the Commons last night on the question of Canadian naval defence, said the naval disarmament treaty had actually increased the world's naval strength.

Mr. Neil submitted the question to be considered whether we should protect our shores, but can we afford not to?"

The people on the prairies, in his opinion, were vitally interested in this matter. What would be their position if they were cut off from the freedom of the seas?

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Hijack Theory is Not Entertained

Bellingham, April 1.—Sheriff A. L. Callahan of Whatcom County, who investigated the death of Richard Schaffer of Everett in 1921, to-day expressed doubt that he and his companion, Andrew J. Brown, were victims of hijackers, as suggested by F. W. Schaffer, father of the late Richard Schaffer.

"Hijacking was practically unknown in this locality in 1921," said the sheriff. "For that reason and because no trace of their gasoline belt Mispah was ever found, I believe both were victims of a storm that was raging at the time."

Greater Protection For Men in Mines

London, April 1 (Canadian Press Cable).—Sympathetic references to the colliery disaster near Newcastle, where thirty-eight miners are entombed with little chance of rescue, were made in the House of Commons last evening.

The House passed a resolution deplored the heavy loss of life in mining disasters and the large number of serious accidents which occurred from time to time.

The opinion was expressed that legislation should be introduced to improve and strengthen the Coal Mines Act with a view to securing the fullest protection for the miners.

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Traveling Goods—Offering Big Values Thursday

Ladies' Hat Box of black enamel drill, leather bound, cretonne lined, with pocket, round, 18 inches, with good leather handle, side clasps and lock. Each \$9.25

Ladies' Hat Box, best quality, black enameled duck, cretonne lined with pockets and tray; round style with leather handle, side clasps and lock; size 18 inches. Each \$12.50

Black Enameled Juvenile Suit Cases with cretonne lining, full width pocket in lid, leather handles, side clasp and lock, 16 inches. Each \$6.00

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Black Grain Cowhide Leather Overnight Case with two nickel-plated spring locks, leather handle, fancy mercerized lining, 20 inches. Special value \$14.50

Brown Cowhide Leather Club Bags with heavy leather corners, double handle, leather lined inside, two full size pockets; just a nice size for short trips; size 18 inches. Reg. \$11.50 for \$10.00

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Bargains Thursday English Llama Cashmere Socks, all wool, with reinforced toe and heel; colors and black. A pair, 65¢, or 2 pairs for \$1.25

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English All Wool Knitted Suits, shown with medium or knee length coats, beltless, or a few with narrow belts, tuxedo or roll collars, trimmed with braid binding or clipped wool. Skirts are plain, with elastic at waist. Plain shades, mixtures or check effects of putty, navy, rose, blue, biscuit, mauve, grey, brown, sand, beige, almond and black and white.

Novelty Tailored Suits in tweeds, stripe or check effects, some in plain tailored styles with medium length coats, others in novelty styles with short coats, finished with buttons or self trimming or contrasting material. Skirts are wrap-around style. Colors are grey, brown, green and sand.

Ensemble Suits with straight line or flare coats. Dresses are of same material as coats or of novelty silk blend; coats lined with silk to match dress. The dresses are shown with long or short sleeves or are sleeveless. Colors are navy, almond, sand, reindeer, cinnamon and black.

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Elastic Girdles, wrap-around styles, made of sections of elastic and pink satin striped broche, lightly boned, long over back and low bust; four hose supporters. Great value, each **\$2.50**

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Royal Worcester Corsettes, made of pink novelty cotton, with side hook. They are lightly boned across diaphragm, have tape shoulder straps and four hose supporters. Great value, each **\$2.50**

Back Hook Model Brassieres, of heavy white cotton, boned across diaphragm and elastic in waist line. Each **85¢**

Brassieres of pink novelty cotton, long style, boned through diaphragm, elastic insets in waist line and back hook. Great value, each **85¢**

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Special Purchase of Women's Silk Knitted Vests To Sell at, Each 98¢

Women's Silk Knitted Dropstitch Vest, good weight fancy ribbon straps or straps of self material. These vests are shown in shades of flesh, mauve, white, maize, tango, salmon, peach, sky and are a real bargain at, each **98¢**

Girls' White Princess Slips and Drawers--Neat Styles

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April 2 and 3

In the Dining-room, 3rd Floor, Between 1 and 2 p.m. All the latest modes for Spring and Summer will be shown in this parade of living models. Those wishing to reserve tables to view the display may do so by applying to the Managers of the Dining-room. Tables for 2 or 4 as desired.

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—Children's Wear, First Floor



Women's Undermuslins Some Neat Effects for Spring and Summer

Bloomers of pink or white nainsook with elastic waist and knees. All sizes, a pair **50¢**

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—Womenswear, First Floor

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—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

New Millinery of Distinction And a Wonderful Choice of the Favored Models

The glorious new shades that brighten the modes are present in best effects in the new hats on display for Spring wear. Among the entrancing colorings are coral, salmon, cherry red, green, fuchsia, blue, lemon, black, with trimmings in high colors. The shapes are small, medium or wide, in beautiful materials, finished in a manner that reveals good taste. There are straws, felts and silks of all kinds, and the prices are very moderate at

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—Millinery, First Floor



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Silk and Wool Knit Pullovers, shown in ribbed effect, with short sleeves, trimmed at edge with contrasting shade, striped collar and tie, small pockets and stripes around bottom. Colors are rose with fawn, jade with fawn, beige with rose and pearl with Copenhagen. Sizes 36 to 40. Each **\$4.90**

—First Floor

Blouses in Beautiful Materials--Fashion's Favorites for Spring

English Broadcloth Overblouses, with Bramley collars, long sleeves, link cuffs, buttoned down front; finished with rows of tucks and band at bottom. Shades are white, sand, maize and salmon. Each **\$3.90**

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New Suitings in Beautiful Shades for Spring

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—Wash Goods, Main Floor

Women's Hosiery In Various Weights and Newest Shades for Spring

Silk Plated Hose with well spliced feet and elastic garter top. Shown in black, sand, suede, cruiser, pearl grey and atmosphere. A pair **95¢**

Fancy Silk and Wool Hose, the drop stitch at back and front of leg giving a smart effect. Full fashioned, seamless with double soles and deep garter top **\$1.50**

Women's Glove Silk Hose in black, white and brown, with pointed heels and double spliced feet; sizes 8½ to 10. A pair **\$3.00**

Full Fashioned Chiffon Hose with pointed heels, black and silver grey; sizes 8½ to 10. Great value, a pair **\$2.50**

"Kaysar" Silk Hose, full fashioned and with hemmed tops; shades are black, white, cordovan, brown, fawn, camel, rose, log cabin, beaver, grey and platinum. A pair **\$2.00**

Women's Silk Fibre Hose, knitted plain or with drop-stitch effect, reinforced heels and toes; shades are black, white, brown and navy. A pair **69¢**

Women's All Wool Heather Hose, brown and green mixtures. A pair **\$1.25**

Women's Outsize Cashmere Hose, with hemmed garter tops and reinforced feet; sizes 9 to 10½. Great value, a pair **\$1.00**

—Hosiery, First Floor

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Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, April 1 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—The market was strong from the beginning to-day and the best prices of the day were quoted in the last hour.

The severe break in grain prices and stock during the month of March seems to have corrected a technical situation that has improved to a marked degree the stock market structure in particular.

Furthermore, we think that whatever slight backward strides have been taken in certain lines of activity have been counteracted to an extent in the precaution of security values.

The underlying paramount influences we think offer sufficient reason for inaugurating buying operations in the standard run of stocks which have favorable opportunities and which we think the most important move in prices is more likely to be toward a higher range.

New York, April 1 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's direct Wall Street wire)—The Wall Street Journal's stockmarket column today says: "Wheat prices rallied to-day and call money was slightly easier, loaning at 4 1/2 per cent most of the session, compared with Tuesday's ruling rate of 4 1/4 per cent."

Steel common participated in the rally in good style, despite the announcement of a 5 per cent reduction in the corporation's operations and estimates that its unfilled tonnage statement for March would show a substantial decrease, making the first time in eight months that output was lost.

While reports from steel centres present cross-currents on the trend of the industry, fundamental conditions are generally favorable. The weekly reviews of the situation indicate that there will be no drastic curtailment of either iron or steel output.

Speculative sentiment derived encouragement from the statement by Alexander Hamilton Institute, an editorial in the Wall Street Journal, that the recent decline represented a secondary reaction against the major upward trend.

Reports that Dillon-Read and Co., one of the largest firms in the financial district, had practically secured control of Dodge Brothers, had a stimulating effect on motor stocks.

Copper shares firmer, particularly Kennecott and Magma. Latter advanced three points to 27. Kennecott is expected to increase its dividend and the report of Magma showing earnings at the rate of \$5 a share annually, after depreciation and interest in the first quarter of this year indicates a resumption of dividends this Spring.

Copper prices in London were up and this helped the shares. Producers are of the opinion that 12 1/2 cents as low as copper will go, due to a strong statistical position. Consumption is running at a high rate and trade authorities expect surplus stocks in March to show a decrease.

Goodrich common was another stock which was actively bought because of its dividend prospects, reaching at high of 54 1/2 against Tuesday's low of 52. Accumulation was based on the expectation that the stock will be placed on a \$6 dividend basis before the end of the year.

NEW YORK STOCKS NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, APRIL 1, 1925

(Supplied by two local stockbrokers over direct New York wire)

Table of New York Stock Exchange prices for various stocks including Allis-Chalmers, Am. Sugar, Am. Tobacco, etc.

\$100,000,000 DODGE BROTHERS SALE HERALDS HALF BILLION DOLLAR MERGER WITH PACKARD, HUDSON

New York, April 1.—News that the Dodge Brothers Automobile Company of Detroit has been acquired by a syndicate headed by the banking firm of Dillon, Read & Company of New York, is prominently published here to-day as one of the most important financial transactions in the history of the automobile industry.

Representatives of the banking firm decline either to affirm or deny the news, but it is generally believed that while final negotiations had not been completed, some announcement relative to the deal would be made within a day or two.

Receipts moderate buying. Receipts continue fair, with cash demand good, however, sales being 51,900 bushels. Winnipeg reports a better milling trade and some export business, while country offerings are small in all directions.

The weather conditions southwest were a little more favorable. April's first estimate of winter wheat first estimates of winter wheat were 524,000,000 bushels by Murray and 524,000,000 bushels by Murray.

Coras: Prices broke badly after being strong early. The cash demand was indifferent but spot prices were a little firmer and there were sales of 50,000. Country offerings were light. The big story today is the better general demand we would not care to follow the bulge.

Chicago, April 1 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's direct Wall Street wire)—Wheat closed 3 1/4 higher, near by delivery showing better strength. Cables firm and some sales in all positions, but about million bushels. Premiums at Buffalo 2 cents higher and general demand appeared better.

Chicago, April 1 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—Wheat: The market was strong early but there was some selling on rains reported southwest. The wheat was relatively firm and most of the day showed a good recovery.

Table of Chicago Grain prices for Wheat, Corn, etc.

ALL WHEAT NEEDED SAYS JULIUS BARNES

Winnipeg, April 1.—The Manitoba Free Press to-day publishes the following from a staff correspondent in New York: "The whole world price level has been shocked by successive and apparently unwarranted declines in the wheat market, until now buying confidence is lacking, but a long range view of conditions indicates acute adjustment of supplies," stated Julius H. Barnes, internationally known marketing expert, discussing world wheat conditions.

After discussing the situation in the various wheat growing countries, Mr. Barnes forecast increased reliance on North America for weekly supplies and expressed himself as a firm believer in the relatively small supply of wheat in the world and the fact that it will be all needed before another crop can be harvested.

Winnipeg, April 1.—The downward rush of wheat prices was halted at least temporarily here to-day, trade following a more orderly course with fluctuations of the fractional character throughout the session. May wheat opened between 3 to 1 1/2 cents higher and following a mid-session dip, firmed up to close at 150 1/4, an advance of 1 1/2; July jumped 2 1/2 at 150 1/4 and October 131 1/4 above yesterday's figures.

Winnipeg, April 1 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—Wheat: To-day's future market was steady with prices somewhat stronger throughout, and although a little pressure was put on at times it was impossible to put or hold prices down, the market reacting from the breaks. The general opinion is that the drastic break has been sufficient and that values are now sharp enough, and although confidence in prices gradually bettered, there was a continuation of to-day's export business would bring higher prices. Rain in America wheat belt caused low crop reports and prices should go better from now on.

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Money Market To-day

New York, April 1.—Call money easy; high 4 1/4; low 4 1/4; ruling rate 4 1/4; last loan 4 1/4; call loans against acceptances 2 1/2.

Time loans firm; mixed collateral 60-90 days 4 @ 4 1/2; 4-6 months 4 1/2 per cent.

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Monday, April 6 At 2 p.m., a quantity of Household Furniture Store Fixings, Bentwood Chairs, Tea-tables, Cash Register and Effects. Full particulars later or from the auctioneers. ROBERTS & MELLOR 738 Fort Street Phone 2476

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FRIDAY 1.30 An Exceptionally Large Assortment of Extra Well Kept Household Furniture and Furnishings Including in part a very fine English Upright Piano and Stool by John Brinsmead & Sons of London, Columbia Cabinet Gramophone and Records, Edison Amberola and Records, 7-Drawer Drophead Singer Sewing Machine, Chinese Hardwood C. Tables and Chairs, Uph. Reed and Mattress Arm Chair and Rocker, Golden Oak Bookcase, extra good Wilton and other Carpets, Pictures, several Round Dining Tables with Chairs to match, Oak China Cabinet, Golden and Mission Oak Buffet, beautiful Walnut Polish Bedstead, all Brass Bed, Spring and Mattress extra good Chiffoniers and Dressers, several good Steel Ranges, almost new K. Hoosier, K. Tables, K. Chairs, Cooking Utensils, Jap. Jar, Garden Tools, Hose, etc. Full particulars later. On view Thursday morning. MAYNARD & SONS Auctioneers Phone 837

McCLOY'S Livestock Auction Saturday at 11 a.m. as Usual At Victoria Public Market. Fresh Cows Including Jersey, Guernsey, Holstein, Poultry, Chickens, etc. Entries taken up to hour of selling. McCLOY & CO. Market Auctioneers 10 for 20¢ 20 for 35¢ Sterling Quality

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

Canadian sterling—Buying \$4.76 1/4, selling \$4.79 1/4. Japanese yen, 41.85 cents, Chinese tael (Shanghai), 74.7 cents.

New York, April 1.—Foreign exchange easy. Quotations in cents: Great Britain—Demand 477 5/16; cables 477 11/16; 60-day bills on banks 473 1/2.

France—Demand 519 1/4; cables 520. Italy—Demand 411 1/4; cables 412. Belgium—Demand 507. Germany—Demand 23.80.

Holland—Demand 38.80. Norway—Demand 15.76. Sweden—Demand 26.82. Denmark—Demand 18.20. Switzerland—Demand 19.28.

Spain—Demand 12.77. Greece—Demand 14.61. Poland—Demand 19 1/4. Czechoslovakia—Demand 2.96 1/4.

Jugo-Slavia—Demand 1.82. Austria—Demand 601 1/4. Rumania—Demand 46 1/4. Argentina—Demand 38.50. Brazil—Demand 10.30.

Chile—Demand 41 1/4. Shanghai—Demand 74 1/2. Montreal—Demand 99 15-16.

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D. J. F. SHUTE, dentist, Office, No. 205 Pemberton Bldg., Phone 1161, 63.

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GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT
Notice of Application for Beer License

Notice is hereby given that, on the 27th day of April next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a license in respect of premises being part of the building known as the Coach and Horses Hotel, situated at 1520 Esquimault Road, Esquimault District, upon the lands described as part Sub-Lot 35, Esquimault Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS (Western Region)
Construction Cowichan Bay Branch, Vancouver Island

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the office of the Chief Engineer, Winnipeg, Man., on April 1, 1925, for the construction of timber bridges, including log jumping trestles at Cowichan Bay and for the erection of thirteen miles of fencing.

Plans, profiles, specifications and form of contract may be seen and form of tender obtained from the Chief Engineer, Winnipeg, Man., District Engineer, Vancouver, B.C., Division Engineer, Prince Rupert, B.C., Acting District Engineer, Victoria, B.C.

Tenders will not be accepted unless made on the form supplied by the Railway Company and accompanied by an accepted cheque on a bank for an amount equal to five per cent of the value of the work, payable to the order of the Treasurer, Canadian National Railway.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

FOR SALE
Lot 1 and East 1/2 of Lot 2, S. Port, between Linden Avenue and Ross Street, Westside 50 feet of Lot 2, S. Port, between Ross Street and Hillside Avenue. Lot 240, N. Humboldt Street, between Victoria and Hillside Streets. For particulars apply to W. G. Cameron, City Land Commissioner, City Hall, Victoria, B.C. March 27, 1925.

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH
Applications will be received by the undersigned to noon of Wednesday, April 1, 1925, for the position of Tractor Driver.

R. R. F. SEWELL, M.C.
Royal Oak, B.C., March 27, 1925.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA
Tenders for Steel and C.I. Pipe

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 2 p.m. April 1, 1925, 24 in. Steel or 600 lineal feet of 24 in. Cast Iron Pipe, and 1,350 lineal feet of 18 in. Cast Iron Pipe, together with various special fittings, etc. Speeches may be obtained after March 16 at the office of the City Purchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed and marked on envelope, "Tender for C.I. Pipe." A marked cheque for 5 per cent of the total amount of the tender, made payable to the City Treasurer, must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

E. S. MICHILL, Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Victoria, B.C., March 31, 1925.

POLISH POLICEMAN KILLED TERRORISTS
Warsaw, April 1.—It is now learned that Police Sergeant Nipko Murasko, who killed the terrorists, Baginski and Wierzokowicz, while they were being conveyed to the Russian border for exchange, was not a regular member of the prison guard. He volunteered his services at a station near the frontier, and the chief of the escort, in view of the importance of the mission considered it advisable to strengthen his force and accepted the offer.

According to private reports, Murasko, who surrendered after the shooting, acted with premeditation. He had two revolvers, which he used simultaneously.

CRITICIZES FANATICAL DOUKHOBORS

Blocked Late Peter Verigin's Educational Efforts, Says Writer

The late Peter Verigin was ambitious to build schools and educate the children of the Doukhobors but was rendered powerless by fanatics, is the claim made by L. W. Verigin.

Verigin, touching on the leadership of the Doukhobors and the split in the ranks since the death of Peter Verigin says:

"He never desired that his runaway son should take leadership after his death as he openly cursed him. Yet, I interpreted his speeches vice versa."

Speaking for the Doukhobors who have broken away from that branch which would have the former leader's son as their chief, L. W. Verigin says the members of Peter Verigin's Christian Community of Universal Brotherhood earnestly desire to educate their children. "In fact," he says several will be given an opportunity to enroll into universities when the time comes, but under present circumstances this is impossible.

Remarking that the school question in the Doukhobor community has been a paralyzing problem for the people of Canada he says in a letter to The Nelson Daily News:

"Through late Peter Verigin's untiring energy he was successful in establishing several schools in the Doukhobor settlements and had been assisted by the Government outside his camp, but due to the fact that made people in the community, being of a fanatical attitude, they objected to his undertaking."

"On the other hand the Government insisted so strongly that every child in the Doukhobor settlement should be educated, not knowing the difficulty that Mr. Verigin was up against, as he was playing between two fires."

"The fanatics had worked out a plan that by burning the schools they would get rid of the educational system, as in their opinion the education leads to an easy life, and that such children leave their parents and above all do not recognize the Supreme Power—God. The fanatics have fulfilled their wish and Mr. Verigin was left powerless. In the meantime the Government suspected that it was his work about which Peter Verigin had no knowledge when he passed into eternity."

"The school question had been discussed by Mr. Verigin and myself, and I can assure the general public that had Peter Verigin lived longer he would have established permanent settlements among the Doukhobor settlements as he intended to do."

"Doukhobors are peculiar class of people. If they get a certain idea into their heads then nothing could change it. When Mr. Verigin openly discussed the school matter at the meetings and favored the educational system, they always interpreted differently."

"OPENLY CURSED HIM"
"To prove this statement, we have a good instance. He never desired that his runaway son should take leadership after his death, as he openly cursed him, yet they interpreted his speeches vice versa."

The members of Peter Verigin's Christian Community of Universal Brotherhood earnestly desire to educate their children and in fact several will be given opportunity to enroll into universities when the time comes, but under present circumstances this is entirely impossible as outlined above."

WITNESSES TELL OF SHOT PRECEDING CRIES FROM WATER

Victims of Trial Island Tragedy Had Mentioned Encounter With Sea-lion

A shot preceded the cries heard from the capsized victims of the Trial Island tragedy, according to Herbert J. Stevenson, an elder brother of Leonard George Stevenson, who was drowned with W. D. Lewis on Sunday afternoon.

Firm in the conviction that his brother Leonard was well acquainted with boat and unlikely to tolerate carelessness in any shape, Herbert Stevenson prosecuted a lone inquiry into the circumstances surrounding the double fatality.

Mrs. R. D. Okell, wife of the light-house keeper at Trial Island, he learned, heard distinctly a sound of a shot, followed by cries, when standing in the open air outside the building on Sunday afternoon. At that instant R. D. Okell stopped and endeavored to ascertain the cause of the same cries.

"Mr. Okell saw the upturned boat, and recognized the form of W. D. Lewis hanging by one arm to the keel. Further away in the water he made out the grey cap previously worn by Leonard Stevenson. Even while Mr. Okell and William Grant rowed frantically to the scene, the son of the former, who was watching with glasses, saw all disappear beneath the surface of the waves."

When he learned of the shot, Herbert Stevenson made further inquiries along that line. He found out that his brother Leonard had taken a .30 calibre rifle on the trip. W. D. Lewis, it is known to have had a rifle also, a .22 calibre special.

Before the boat trip in question both young men had frequently talked of seeing what they took to be a sea-lion off the west coast of the island, and always in the same spot.

One week ago they were fishing along the coast when a sea-lion appeared alongside their boat. Mr. Lewis drove it with an oar and the creature dived under the boat to reappear close on the other side.

Gordon Hackett, Superintendent of Lights for the Department of Marine, confirms the statement that sea-lions have been seen in local waters. On more than one occasion sea lions have been observed by residents on Dallas Road, notably when salmon are running off Trial Island.

RETURNED TO SCENE
It was mainly with the idea of securing a shot at the sea-lion, or what they took to be a sea-lion, that the young men returned on Sunday last. They sailed to Trial Island in a stoutly built and seaworthy boat, landing on the island, presumably with the object of looking for the creature which had disturbed their fishing.

Shortly after they left the island and regained their boat the shot was heard, followed by cries for help. The noises were clouded at first and well high indistinguishable from the clamor of sea-lions present in numbers at the island.

After prosecuting his search on Sunday evening and all day yesterday Leonard George Stevenson, Jr., is convinced Herbert Stevenson Jr. is convinced the shot was heard. It may have been from a sudden squall on the sail or even a charge from the wounded sea-lion, in the event of that being the cause of the firing, he thinks.

Questioned as to whether the creature was a sea-lion or merely a seal, Leonard Stevenson stated that his brother and Mr. Lewis were both convinced they had seen a sea-lion at this same spot repeatedly of late. It was about ten feet long, he said, and described its general appearance.

Convinced now that the accident to the boat was in some way bound up with the shooting, Herbert Stevenson Jr. is determined to find the boat, to see if he can reconstruct the tragedy.

Leonard George Stevenson, one of the victims of the tragedy, was twenty-two years of age and had been accustomed to boats since early boyhood, though he could not swim. W. D. Lewis, twenty-seven, the other young man, was also at home in a boat, but was hampered by reason of the fact that his feet were swollen. Both young men had been firm friends over a number of years and had fished together on similar outfitting for some months past.

Leonard George Stevenson is survived by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert J. Stevenson, 375 Jubilee Street, two brothers, Herbert Stevenson Jr. and Clarence Stevenson, and one sister, Miss Edith Stevenson, residing at home.

W. D. Lewis leaves a widow and two children, resident with his father-in-law, Alex. Henly, 1524 Dallas Road. Both young men were known to a wide circle of friends, to whom the news of the double fatality came as a great shock.

World's Richest Office Boy Gets Snub of 'Reg'lars'

Marquis de Loriana

New York, April 1.—Marquis de Loriana, world's richest office boy, is not likely to crash the social barrier of bonafide office lads.

The "regular jokers" just can't take to him. "He don't belong," they grumble. "Coming to town with a valet—what's know? It seems that ancestry has little place in the realm of the office boy. Being the twenty-six-year-old son of Spain's foremost banker, cuts no ice. But knowing the street directory means a lot.

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SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG



COONS STOLEN EGGS PLAYS CASINO FOR MONEY. SIMONES FROGS PIPE AND GOES TO THE DOGS. GENERALLY "ALL ALIVE" "ALL BACK TO B.P." "SEES LIGHT IN IRENE'S WINDOW" "CLIMBS UP ON SHIRT AND CURS IRENE'S MANTLE" "DOGS IN WINDOW AND SEES IRENE AND THAT PIECE BOB MY POINT LISTENING IN ON RADIO (CUES)"

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New Brunswick's Revenue \$3,566,723

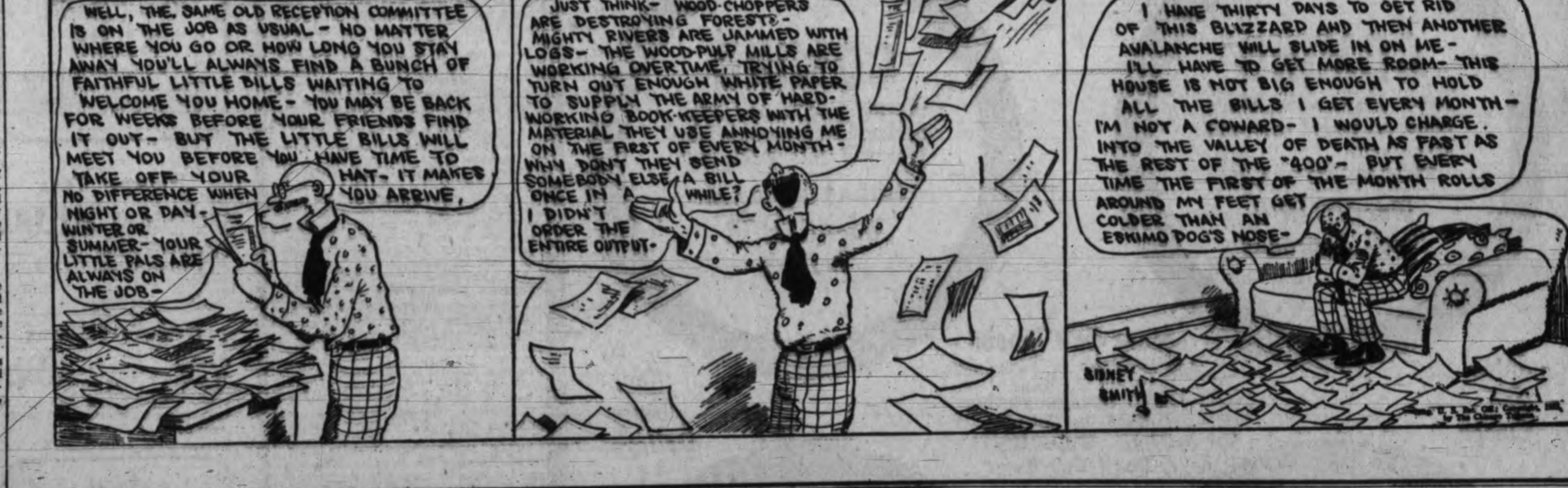
Fredericton, N.B., April 1.—New Brunswick's revenue during the fiscal year ended October 31, 1925 was estimated at \$3,566,723 by Hon. J. E. Hetherington, Provincial Secretary, in his budget speech in the Legislature yesterday.

The expenditures from ordinary revenue were estimated at \$2,556,627, without taking into consideration the interest to be paid by the province on the St. John Valley Railway. The statement thus showed an apparent surplus of \$1,000,000, but the estimated deficit on the railway is placed at \$280,000.

Seattle, April 1.—Motorists belonging to the Automobile Club of Washington are to serve here on juries trying persons charged with serious traffic offenses. Instead of the juries being selected from mixed superior court jury panels, Justice C. C. Dalton announced yesterday.

Justice Dalton said the selection had been made after a jury had given James McPeely, charged with driving an automobile while intoxicated, a small fine. He said he intended to decrease the number of fatal automobile accidents in the city.

THE GUMPS—ANDY FEELS BILIOUS



WELL, THE SAME OLD RECEPTION COMMITTEE IS ON THE JOB AS USUAL—NO MATTER WHERE YOU GO OR HOW LONG YOU STAY AWAY YOU'LL ALWAYS FIND A BUNCH OF FAITHFUL LITTLE BILLS WAITING TO WELCOME YOU HOME—YOU MAY BE BACK FOR WEEKS BEFORE YOUR FRIENDS FIND IT OUT—BUT THE LITTLE BILLS WILL MEET YOU BEFORE YOU HAVE TIME TO TAKE OFF YOUR HAT—IT MAKES NO DIFFERENCE WHEN YOU ARRIVE, NIGHT OR DAY, WINTER OR SUMMER—YOUR LITTLE BILLS ARE ALWAYS ON THE JOB—

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I HAVE THIRTY DAYS TO GET RID OF THIS BLIZZARD AND THEN ANOTHER ANAVLANCE WILL SLIDE IN ON ME—I'LL HAVE TO GET MORE ROOM—THIS HOUSE IS NOT BIG ENOUGH TO HOLD ALL THE BILLS I GET EVERY MONTH—I'M NOT A COWARD—I WOULD CHARGE INTO THE VALLEY OF DEATH AS FAST AS THE REST OF THE '400'—BUT EVERY TIME THE FIRST OF THE MONTH ROLLS AROUND MY FEET GET COLDER THAN AN EBKIMO DOG'S NOSE—

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WHERE ARE YOU GOING SO EARLY?

TO THAT BANQUET—I WANNA GIT THERE WHILE I THINK OF IT OTHERWISE I MIGHT FORGIT ABOUT IT—

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FRUIT GROWERS GIVE MANAGEMENT VOTE OF CONFIDENCE

(Continued from page 4)

field by referring to his own views as director for two years. "Why did you not drop correct those evils you see so plainly?" he was asked, and retorted: "Mr. Oldfield was one of the most deterrent elements; neither he nor Mr. McCarthy have the faintest idea of the meaning of co-operation."

KNOWLEDGE TOO LATE

Chairman Buckle, as signatory to the contract with Mutual Brokers, denied undue haste, but admitted that, had he seen the Duncan report earlier, he would certainly have refused to do business. "If there is any chance to get away from that contract we should not hesitate one minute," he said amid an uproar of applause.

Manager Tanner asserted that the resolution was not in accord with British fair play, as "damning the directors before a hearing." H. C. Oldfield considered the resolution of cancellation to require fourteen days' notice of the officials of the association before a vote was taken.

Chairman Buckle saw no reason for delay; he believed no binding contract existed until assent of the members had been given the action of the directors.

P. Holloway considered resolution would destroy the work of their directors, and power to manage the business of the growers. As Mr. Grist's resolution was based on a preamble dealing with the Mutual Brokers, he asked the directors be satisfied in their deal with that matter before a vote.

GOOD BUSINESS

W. W. Duncan declared his "in-iquities had convinced him, prior to the Duncan report being issued, that the Mutual Brokers were the right people to handle the fruit. "If you want to ensure the directors for signing that contract, well and good, but I do not think you have any right to qualify that agreement."

George Stewart warned the association of legal pitfalls awaiting cancellation of the agreement. Mr. Grist countered by reading clauses of legal regulations governing commission business. A member asked why the directors had gone ahead without the assent of the members to an agreement.

R. M. McIntosh mover the tabling of the Grist resolution pending explanation of the directors, admitting prejudice against their actions on the information then available.

Manager Tanner surprised the meeting by asking concession of an hour wherein to explain matters preceding signature of the agreement, but an almost unanimous vote accorded the hearing.

TANNER EXPLAINS

Mr. Tanner declared he would not insult his self-respect by defending his integrity, pointing to his association of thirty-five years. He believed that the Mutual Brokers should meet the punishment due their actions, and declared that his statement was addressed to the impartial majority present, "as the minority would be challenged on any jury."

He recited a denunciatory editorial in a mainland agricultural newspaper "as a plain-spoken statement vilifying citizens" and "muck-raking." "Had I served my private interests as zealously as I have served this association, I would not to-night be defending myself from vilification," he said.

Mr. Tanner was engaged in a slashing reply to newspaper remarks when Capt. Davis interrupted, asserting that the speaker was "trading discussion of the Duncan report and was making an appeal for sympathy."

Mr. Tanner retorted that trouble makers and defamers were present in the meeting, and dared anyone to get up and publicly make statements whispered-on street corners in defamatory of the fruit growers' executive. "A rattlesnake at least gives warning of impending attack," he said. He warned the members that dissension would be followed by

collapse of the flourishing co-operative. **CONTRACT VALID**
Mr. Tanner regretted that cancellation of the agreement for this year was not practical. He denied autocratic methods, and read minutes supporting his assertions as to marketing contracts in past years.

He told of prairie marketing practices, leading up to the reasons underlying the contract with the Mutual Brokers. The better prices obtained from shipping all fruit through one marketing concern were recalled.

Manager Tanner showed that charges of favoritism for Island berries were unfounded, the brokers obtaining better prices for Sannich and Gordon Head fruit on quality, reinforced by an attractive specialty label, which made a premium easily obtainable, the aggregate premium being over \$11,000 above mainland fruit.

ASSOCIATION PROFITED

The great reductions in brokerage charges, secured by agreement with the Mutual Company, was shown by actual records; in previous years the charge per car had been over \$5 while similar shipments had been handled by the Mutual on a charge of \$4 for the same service.

"While I am making no apologies for the Mutual, we were working as business men to get the best deal possible. We tried two firms, we tried central and split control of marketing, and we got more money and incurred less expense in the dealings with the Mutual Brokers," he said.

The recently signed agreement was explained, with terms of five per cent commission payable on the net price paid the association after deduction of all charges, such as freight and icing.

The directors had been influenced in their attitude towards the Mutual Brokers by their generous action in paying an advance of \$150 per crate on Olivet cherries which were only salable on a basis of \$1.20. This had been done by the brokers to keep faith with the association, which had incorrectly understood that the \$150 advance on strawberries applied to cherry shipments.

SECRECY BROKEN

Mr. Tanner stated that the evidence given before Commissioner Duncan was supposed to be confidential, but a few days later transcripts were read to the tomato growers, these transcripts omitting important qualifications to statements made by representatives of the Island strawberry growers.

PROMPT PAYMENTS

Dealing with the management of the Sannich association, Mr. Tanner asked if it were not a matter for congratulation that the association's balance sheet showed every cent of sales had been collected and shared among the members, a condition not existing in some other similar organizations.

MEET CRITICS

Coming to personal affairs, Mr. Tanner poured scorn on agitators within the association who had criticized his work and charged him with being overpaid. "If E. Tanner will never stand in your way if you wish a cheaper man, but in the past two years I have saved this association over \$5,000 by my assertive, giving data in support. Car handling reductions had saved over \$3,000; and last year a last appeal to the Railway Board had secured elimination of charges totaling over \$500."

Shares in the Growers' Wine Company, worth over \$500, were vested in the Sannich association, although originally given in trust to Mr. Tanner personally. He was proud that the wine company was controlled by berry growers, and was successful in paying a premium of one cent per pound above canner prices for logans. "And yet they are defamed!" he said.

ISSUES CHALLENGE

"If I and your directors do not tonight receive a satisfactory vindication of our actions and purposes, I for one shall cease to be of any value to you. Too many of you members leave a meeting, after selecting your officers with the mental attitude 'now we have put them in, and we can start abusing them to our heart's content,'" he said in closing amid applause.

Capt. Wood asserted that round-table discussions between directors and aggrieved members would have avoided much trouble. Mr. Tanner could see no onus on the directors to call such a meeting, but considered steps for such a meeting should come from the dissatisfied.

NOTHING HIDDEN

G. McCarthy made no apologies for the contract with the Mutual Brokers, declaring no private conference had been held, with their representatives, all dealings having been discussed at joint island association directorate meetings. He believed the Duncan report, "all a game of politics, it has cost \$20,000 to date, and the end is not yet."

"WHY SUCH HASTE?"

Mr. Grist was still dissatisfied. "I have yet to hear the reason for the great haste in signing that agreement in February."

H. C. Oldfield said the actions of the board had always been unanimous, and Manager Tanner had at no time dominated the directors. He pointed out that at the time the agreement was signed no intimation of an early statement by the commission would be made.

He was proud to have been associated with Mr. Tanner in the directorate of the association.

CONFIDENCE UNSHAKEN

George Stewart moved "that the meeting go on record as seeing no stigma of graft or dishonesty in the directors and manner of the association."

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Fine quality, with insertion and lace edge, ivory and ecru only; 36 inches wide.

NOT SO BLACK
Col. Scroggie of Gordon Head was glad of the unanimous vote of confidence in the management. "The Duncan report, as it now stands, is an interim document. It has not come to its climax. I have always found it a serious blunder to pay too much attention to such incomplete information," he said. "If the charges are true, we have been dealing with a concern unworthy of us or anybody."

Advising no hasty breaking of the contract, Col. Scroggie pointed out that an important factor was confidence in the people with whom business is done, while an equally important aspect was "who would undertake the work of distribution in place of the widespread Mutual organization, with only a few weeks to elapse before marketing begins?" "Perhaps after we have surmounted our difficulties, matters which now look so black may not appear so dark after all."

Owing to the late hour J. A. Grant, fruit markets commissioner at Calgary, deferred his promised address until an adjourned meeting, to be held later in the week, when H. P. Simpson of the Berry Growers' Union will explain his views and proposals.

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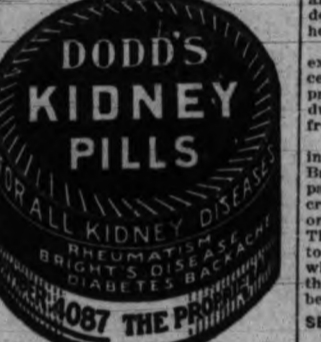
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breakage of the contract, was held in abeyance until a legal opinion as to the feasibility of that action has been obtained.

Mr. Grist's resolution, demanding