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GERMANS RETREAT IN EAST PRUSSIA

ENEMY PURSUED OVER FRONTIER

Forced by Russians to Abandon Fortified Positions at Many Points

WESTERN MOVEMENT IN EASTERN PRUSSIA

A Vigorous Offensive Campaign Against Them is Being Conducted

Paris, Oct. 6.—2.30 p. m.—The Petrograd correspondent of the Havas Agency transmits the following official communication: "The German retreat continues along the frontier of East Prussia. The Germans have been forced to evacuate their fortified positions between Wierzbolo and Lyck."

Petrograd, Oct. 6.—The following official statement was given out today at Russian general headquarters:

"The Russian offensive campaign continues. The fortified positions (of the enemy) on the frontier are under a heavy artillery fire. The enemy has received reinforcements from the garrison at Königsberg. There has been particularly desperate fighting in the vicinity of Bakalargewo. "Railroads in East Prussia are crowded with troop trains and our aerial scouts report an uninterrupted movement of Germans in a westerly direction. German columns and German troop trains are withdrawing across the frontier."

London, Oct. 6.—8.25 a. m.—Speaking of the Russian invasion of Hungary, a dispatch from Rome to the Exchange Telegraph company says: "According to Budapest advices, the capture of Marmaros-Sziget, capital of the Hungarian county of Marmaros, has necessitated the removal of the government of that department to Huszt, twenty-eight miles northwest of Sziget. A second Russian army now threatens the latter city and reinforcements are being hurried up to check the Russian advance."

Marmaros, the county in Hungary which the Russians have invaded through the Carpathian passes, is in the northeast, bordering on Galicia, Bukowina and Transylvania.

A Central News dispatch from Bordeaux says that the following changes in German commands have been announced: General von Mogn replaces General von Hindenberg in Eastern Prussia; General Eberhardt becomes military governor of Strasbourg, capital of Alsace-Lorraine; General von Derck is appointed governor of Ulm, Württemberg; and General Ludinghausen replaces General von Luckwald in command at Coblenz, Prussia.

RUSTEM BEY CANNOT MAKE UP HIS MIND

New York, Oct. 6.—The whereabouts of a Russian Bey, Turkish ambassador to the United States, and his plans for returning to Europe caused considerable speculation today at the office of the Turkish consul-general here. Rustem Bey came to this city last Saturday from Washington, with the announcement that he would take a boat for Europe. He engaged passage on the Santa Ana for Naples yesterday, due to sail this afternoon.

Later yesterday afternoon the ambassador returned to the steamship office and cancelled his booking. Still later in the day he called for the third time and re-engaged passage. This morning he cancelled his passage again.

WOULD FIGHT FOR CANADA.

Halifax, Oct. 6.—A large number of Russians and Italians, said to be five or six hundred, are anxious to go to the front with the next Canadian contingent, and are making inquiries regarding the possibilities of serving with the troops representing their adopted home, Canada.

HEAD OF SOLDIER FAMILY.

Bordeaux, Oct. 6.—Count Adrian Albert Marie de Mun, a grandson of the Marquis de Mun, who was a chamberlain of Napoleon I, has died suddenly of heart failure. He leaves three sons, all in the French army. Count de Mun was born in 1841. He fought in the Franco-Prussian war, represented Finistere in the chamber of deputies and was at one time minister of foreign affairs.

CRITICAL SITUATION ON BATTLE FRONT ADMITTED IN BERLIN

London, Oct. 6.—The correspondent of the Daily News at Copenhagen telegraphs the following:

"Vivid accounts of the fighting in France appear in the German newspapers, and the writers admit that the situation is desperate.

"The Nord-Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, describing the frontier fighting in the Vosges, says: 'The officers and men have been fighting day and night for thirty-seven days, and the Germans are facing a difficult strategic situation in the mountain districts, where they are rendering superhuman services, chiefly in water-flooding trenches and under almost indescribable conditions.

"The strain is said to be almost unendurable. The French are fortified in excellent positions on the Vosges and it is impossible to see their guns. No German troops have been able to retire from the fighting line for rest.

"The army chaplains accompany the troops right to the front and are holding religious services and preaching sermons in the trenches. Bad weather is causing much sickness."

A FAIR SAMPLE OF BERLIN MENDACITY

Signal Victory for Russian Arms Called a German Success

Berlin, Oct. 6, by Wireless to Sayville, L. I.—An order of the day written by General von Hoehen, published officially yesterday, says that Fort Camp des Romaines, on the river Meuse, near St. Mihiel, after a number of hard fights, has been taken by the Germans. Five French officers and more than 500 men were made prisoners. The remainder of the French force perished in the ruins of the casemates.

It is officially stated that the Russians were completely defeated near Suwalki and Augustowo, on the East Prussian frontier, October 1 and 2. The Germans took 30,000 prisoners and captured 18 cannon and many machine guns.

The situation, it is announced, is most hopeful everywhere for the Germans and Austrians.

VON MOLTKE DARED DIFFER WITH KAISER

Dismissed for Opposing Plan of Airship Invasion of Great Britain

London, Oct. 6.—Lieut.-Gen. Helmuth von Moltke, chief of the German general staff, has been removed from that office by the Emperor, according to a report received here last night.

An Amsterdam dispatch to the Daily Mail says that the dismissal of General von Moltke was due to a collision with the Emperor over several important questions of strategy.

Continuing, the dispatch says the Emperor wished to subordinate sound strategy to a desire to attack England, but General von Moltke preferred to postpone the latter action, as it would have no effect upon the immediate situation.

The Emperor, adds the dispatch, wished to detach a large number of airships and aeroplanes to attack England, but General von Moltke declared that all available air craft were needed in Europe.

FIGHTING BLOOD OF ONE ITALIAN IS UP

Rome, Oct. 6, via London, 3.36 p. m.—The Italian-built submarine which disappeared while undergoing a trial trip in the Gulf of Spezia arrived today at Bastia, a fortified seaport town of France in Corsica.

The submarine, which has just been completed in a private yard near Spezia for the Russian government, was under command of Lieut. Angelo Bellini, retired, who was reported to have expressed dissatisfaction over the neutrality of Italy in the war.

WOOL NEEDED AT HOME.

London, Oct. 6.—The government has prohibited the exportation of raw wool from England to any other country.

MOST ENCOURAGING IS ANTWERP NEWS

Attacks Seem to Be Slackening, German Troops Being Drafted to Front

Bordeaux, Oct. 6, 4 p. m.—News described as "most encouraging" has been received here today from Antwerp. It is said that the German attacks on this place seem to be slackening somewhat in intensity.

The German troops reported in the official announcement of this afternoon to be near Lille, in the department of Nord, indicate, in the opinion of French observers, that Germany has been forced to draw off forces from Antwerp to relieve the German right wing in France, which is hard pressed by the allies.

It has been announced here today on credible authority that Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the British admiralty, is now at Antwerp consulting with the Belgian general staff.

SITUATION IN AFRICA QUITE SATISFACTORY

German Activity in Uganda Under Control by Reinforced Regulars

Washington, Oct. 6.—The British embassy today made public the following statement cabled to Washington by the colonial office:

"During September there has been considerable activity along the Anglo-German boundary of the East African protectorate, due to the enemy's attempts to raid the territory and cut the Uganda railway.

"All these attempts have been repulsed and raiding parties defeated in every case except one, where an unimportant frontier station is still held by a small German party.

"The normal garrison of East Africa and Uganda protectorates have been strengthened since the outbreak of war by a strong body of Indian troops, and also by mounted and unmounted volunteers raised locally, and no anxiety is felt as to the military situation."

Senlis, Famous Since Caesar's Time, and Aisne a Blazing Vale of Death

The following striking description of the country in which the battle of the Aisne is being fought, and of incidents in that titanic conflict is from the London Times, from one of its correspondents in the field:

Behind the Lines by Senlis and Chantilly, Sept. 16.—I have passed through a smiling land to a land wearing the mask of death; through harvest fields against the winter to the fields of a grayer harvest; by found villages where there is break in the ebb and flow of everyday life to villages and towns that despoiling hands have shattered in ruins.

And I have passed up this Via Dolorosa toward the very harvesting itself—toward these great plains stretching away on the banks of the River Aisne, where the second act of this drama of battles is at this moment being played.

Details of this fight, which, as I write, reaches its third day of duration, are very scanty, but partly from personal observation and partly from information which has reached me. I know that the struggle so far has been a terrible one, equal to, if not greater than, the struggle on the banks of the Marne.

The events of Monday revealed a foe battling desperately for his life; and this defence of Gen. von Kluck's army demanded of the allies, and is demanding, their utmost strength and determination. I see through those fierce hours the tide of battle ebbing and flowing across the great river, which in this place runs deeply betwixt high banks. Along this huge front there are varying fortunes, though everywhere the same zeal and fury of conflict. I see tremendous doings on these rough, newly-made bridges in the region of Noyon, of Vic-sur-Aisne, and of Soissons.

Picture this battlefield which before these lines are printed will assuredly have taken its place with that of the Marne as one of the greatest combats of the greatest war. Through the middle of it flows the great river, passing from the east to the west. The banks of the river here are very steep. Above the plain which sweeps away from the northern bank, rises the "massif" of Laon. It is an ideal area for great movements and for artillery work directed upon the valley of the river. Pass eastward a little, there are the heights behind the city of Rheims and above the Vesle, a tributary of the Aisne. Here again nature has built a stronghold easy to defend, difficult exceedingly to attack.

WHERE ARMIES ARE LINED



The small map to the right gives the position in detail along the Meuse in the vicinity of Verdun and Toul. While the large map shows the general line of battle the enemy is now driven to the east of St. Quentin and Courtrai, and northwards towards Douai, in the course of the turning movement being made by the allies.

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I spent many hours in Senlis this afternoon and I will recount that story as I saw it and as I heard it from those who lived through the dreadful procession of days. On Saturday, Sept. 5, the Germans reached this beautiful old cathedral town and entered into occupation. They issued a proclamation to the inhabitants calling upon them to submit and to offer no sort of resistance on pain of severe reprisals.

But the inhabitants of Senlis had already tasted the bitter draft of German war making. They had been visited some days before by a motor car one of 400 which were sent out from Amiens to scour and to scourge the country north of Paris—in which apparently five peaceful citizens were traveling. The car had been stopped on the outskirts of the town and the travelers ordered to show their papers. These were in order, bearing the official stamp of Amiens (pillaged, of course, by the conquerors). The car proceeded. Again it was stopped. This time no papers were produced, but a revolver. Next moment the sentry lay dead at his post. The car dashed through the town, the occupants shooting as they went.

And so Senlis waited in fierce and resentful mood. The townspeople had become bitter to the point of losing care of their own safety. They were reckless, driven to distraction.

Bitter was the price exacted for this recklessness! The trouble began on Tuesday of last week when, exasperated beyond measure by the insolence of the invaders, a brave tobaccoist declared to a couple of the Prussians: "I serve men, not bullets." He followed his words with a blow delivered fiercely from the shoulder.

The infuriated soldiers dragged him from his shop and hurled him on his knees in front of the door. His wife rushed out shrieking for mercy. (Mercy) As well ask it of a stone! A shot rang out. . . . Another. . . . Man and wife lay dead.

Immediately the news of this murderous act flew throughout the town. Windows on the opposite side of the street from the tobacco shop were thrown open. Shots were fired. One of the soldiers fell, wounded. Then, realizing what they had done, the inhabitants closed themselves in again, terrified of the result.

Their fears were well founded. Outraged and furious, the conquerors marched instantly to the house of the mayor—their hostage—and arrested him. They conveyed him without a moment's delay to the military headquarters, where he was imprisoned for the night. On Wednesday morning a court martial sat to decide his fate. A few minutes later this brave man paid for the indiscretion of his people with his life, dying splendidly.

witnessed on the line of the great retreat, but here and there events have had place, which, in truth, cry to the heaven for report. Of such is the grim story of Senlis.

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EMBARGO ON NEWS WOULD INDICATE ALLIES ARE BUSY

French War Office Explains That So Long as Battle Remains Indecisive There is Little to Be Said

Situation in General Remains Satisfactory, With the Left Wing Continuing Flanking Movement on Enemy's Right

London, Oct. 6.—10.10 a. m.—So far as London is concerned, for the last twelve hours news has been contraband of war. When the embargo is lifted, the public expects tidings of great moment, and there is a distinct tendency to optimism regarding the nature of the revelations.

The French ministry of war, in explaining the necessity for the official communications being laconic, states that it is useless to be more explicit if the battles in the valleys of the Aisne and the Somme are not finished. The authorities continue to believe that the conflict will be tedious and prolonged before a decisive result is obtained.

Even the small relief afforded by the news of great activity in the east sent out yesterday has ceased to-day, and the censorship has extended to the region where, throughout the war, news of the military operations have been more accessible than in any other theatre of the war.

On Russian Frontier. Victory for one side or the other along the Russian frontier is of great importance, and the tremendous battle impending there may mark the climax of the war.

If the Russians win a great victory in the east it will compel the Germans to divert some of their western armies in that direction and the flank movements will become crushing attacks which will crumple up the depleted German lines.

The battle-line along the Russian border is not continuous, but the intervals separating the various armies are comparatively small, and the whole territory along the frontier from Tilsit, on the northeast border of Prussia to Dukla Pass, in the Carpathians, bristles with arms.

The battle-front extends beyond Dukla Pass, but small mobile Russian forces are harrying the plains of Hungary. The longest continuous Russian line extends from Dukla Pass to a point almost on the Vistula river, a short distance from Warsaw. This is composed of the armies which swept over Galicia and is now the instrument of the projected invasion of Silesia.

Front is Extending. Paris, Oct. 6.—3.04 p. m.—The following official communication was given out in Paris this afternoon:

"On our left wing the front is extending more and more widely. Very important masses of German cavalry have been reported in the environs of Lille, coming from forces of the enemy which are making a movement in the region to the north of the line between Tourcoing (in the department of Nord, seven miles northeast of Lille) and Armentieres (nine miles northwest of Lille).

"In the vicinity of Arras, and on the right bank of the river Somme, the situation shows little change. Between the Somme and the Oise there have been alternate advances and withdrawals. Near Lassigny the enemy undertook an important attack, which, however, failed.

Slight Advances Made. "On the right bank of the Aisne, north of Soissons, we have, with the cooperation of the British army, made a slight advance. We also made some progress in the vicinity of Berry au Bac.

"There is nothing to report from the rest of the front.

"In Belgium, the Belgian forces defending Antwerp have occupied strongly the line between the river Rupel and the river Nethe. Against this line the attacks of the Germans have failed."

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And then guns were turned on this town of living men and women and children. Shells crashed into the houses, into the shops, into the stations. At Chantilly, seven kilometers away, the amazed inhabitants saw a great column of black smoke curl up into the air; they guessed the hor-

rible truth. Senlis was burning. From the shattered houses men and women ran wounded and terrified; children screamed among the ruins of their homes. But the bombardment went on till the principal street of the town was shattered, till the railway station was reduced to a few charred walls, till the exquisite tower of the cathedral had been smashed and broken—though happily not demolished.

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LATE NIGHT WAR NEWS

SEARCHLIGHTS CAN PIERCE LONDON FOG

Make It Impossible for Bomb-Dropping Zeppelins to Steal Up in the Mist

London, Oct. 6.—Tests over London recently proved that searchlights can detect a Zeppelin even in foggy weather.

Incidentally the populace derived great amusement from the experiment. It was the first foggy night of the month, not a thick pea-soup fog such as November and December brings, but a very marked fog. The British airship which has been making experimental flights over London by day and by night during the last fortnight made her appearance at dusk and sailed over the city for several hours.

Searchlights were trained from several strategic points and they managed to follow her wherever she went. Much of the time there were two shafts playing on the big, brown sausage-shaped craft, and they kept her in sight when she dropped down near the roofs of buildings and followed her upward course and her sudden turns and windings. Many thousand people were out in the streets gazing on the spectacle.

It has been believed that the Zeppelins will choose a foggy day for a raid on London, if they attempt such a hazardous exploit, just as the British flying men took advantage of a thick mist for their flights across Belgium into Germany, when bombs were dropped on Dusseldorf and, by mistake, on Maestricht, in Holland. Every preparation has been made to give the Zeppelins a warm reception if they invade British air.

Aeroplane fully equipped for fighting are kept in reserve and could be launched like fire engines on the stroke of the bell, if alarm of an approaching Zeppelin is sent out.

The cost of precautions against Zeppelins is heavy, but it must be balanced by the economy in street lighting. Old residents say that London at night in these days reminds them of the old town before the advent of electricity, when a few gaslights struggled against the gloom. Certainly two-thirds of the electric lights in the most populated districts are out of commission.

GERMAN DEFEAT AT OSSOWETZ DECISIVE

Russians Surrounded Enemy From Both Sides, Capturing Their Artillery

Paris, Oct. 6.—In a dispatch to the Havas Agency from Petrograd the following details of the combat between the Germans and the Russians at the Ossowetz fortress in Russian Poland are given:

"The Germans approached the forts by the Grajewo (southeast of Augustow) route, the only one open to them. Nine miles from the forts the artillery was stopped by the marshy ground, and from there began a heavy artillery fire. Infantry with machine guns was sent on and approached to within four miles of the forts.

"The Russians then made a sortie, profiting by routes unknown to the Germans, and enveloped the two wings, which it was supposed had occupied all the routes. When this movement was disclosed a furious engagement ensued under conditions unfavorable to the enemy.

"The artillery of the forts caused large casualties among the Germans on the roads, while the infantry badly battered their flanks.

"The fight lasted thirty-six hours and ended in the route of the Germans. The Russians captured all of the artillery, which got stuck in the mud."

WIRELESS OPERATOR A PATRIOTIC BRITISHER

Refused to Send Message From Collier Mazatlan to the Leipzig

San Francisco, Oct. 6.—Rather than send a wireless message to the German cruiser Leipzig, G. D. Smith, a British subject, wrecked the wireless apparatus of the German freighter Mazatlan. He told his story to-day to Rear-Admiral Pond, superintendent of the twelfth U. S. naval district.

After much correspondence with Washington, the Mazatlan, with 900 tons of coal aboard, was finally permitted to clear for Guaymas, Mex., under \$20,000 bond to deliver the coal as consigned.

Two days later, on August 25, Captain Frederik Jepsen, the owner, a German reservist, the "captain" named Zur Helle, and Gustave Traub, were taken on at San Pedro.

AN ERRING AEROPLANE

Machine Which Dropped Bomb on Maestricht by Accident Had Lost Its Way.

(Correspondence of the Associated Press)
London, Sept. 25.—People of the quiet Dutch city of Maestricht, which lies on a sort of peninsula bounded on the east by Germany and on the west by Belgium, have been striving hard to maintain the neutrality of their kingdom. They were startled on Tuesday morning, September 22, by a descent of a bomb from the mist overhead and a great explosion followed by a crash of glass.

An aeroplane had swooped down to ward the roofs of the town and dropped a bomb. The projectile fell near the Brussels gate of the old town, tore limbs from trees, ripped gashes in the walls of a house and shattered a number of windows. Several citizens attempted to follow the course of the aeroplane in motor cars, but it soon was lost sight of.

The Dutch government immediately took steps to inquire of the German and Belgian governments whether any flying men of their armies were responsible for the unpleasant surprise. The next day the British press bureau announced a raid by British aviators aimed at the Zeppelin establishments in Dusseldorf and Cologne. The British aerial expedition started from Antwerp but, while the section bound for Dusseldorf reached its destination, the Cologne contingent confessed that it lost its way in the fog.

BRITISH WOOLENS ARE REQUIRED FOR ARMY

London, Oct. 6.—According to the Yorkshire Post, the war office is taking drastic measures to secure an adequate supply of hosiery, underclothes, gloves and other woollen goods for the army and navy.

All the manufacturers in Leicester, the chief centre of the woollen industry, have been informed that their entire product of heavy goods must be placed at the disposal of the war office, and that if a single garment be withheld by a manufacturer, or supplied to any firm whatever, the war office will at once take over the factory at which it is made, giving the firm a certain percentage of profit.

STEEL INDUSTRY IS PROFITING FROM WAR

Birmingham Mills Are Getting Large Orders From All the Allies

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)

Birmingham, Eng., Sept. 25.—The principal item of interest in this market is the announcement of large orders for manufacturers who are engaged for the admiralty and war office. These are for unlimited supplies of iron fencing, barbed wire and galvanised sheets. The orders for various kinds of hurdle and wire fencing run into thousands of tons and full prices are to be given. Other branches are for enormous quantities of soldiers' bottles to be made from "block plates," and many thousands of mess tins to be produced from tinplates.

Another favorable feature is that merchants were called on to place orders for the French and Russian governments for immediate execution which manufacturers previously had not heard of. For these purposes orders had been sent to the ironworks without waiting for the market, for common bars, wire rods, material for tubular fencing, angle and tees for other fencing. These contracts put the manufacturers in a cheerful mood, as they can go on full time through part of the next quarter.

The shipping houses are distributing orders for some kinds of finished iron, though deliveries are to await instructions about reaching ports. Canada wants large supplies, and merchants trading with the South American markets are inquiring for supplies for firms which hitherto favored Germany. Steel makers have done a satisfactory booking of billets, tees, bars, angles and plates.

JAPANESE SEIZURE OF MARSHALL ISLANDS

Tokio, Oct. 6.—The navy department this morning issued the following communication:

"The Japanese squadron delegated to destroy the German fleet in the South Seas has landed bluejackets on Jaluit Island, the seat of government in the Marshall archipelago, which was annexed by Germany in 1886.

"It is believed that the German base was destroyed, and that the fortifications, arms and ammunition were seized. A British steamer in port was released. There was no resistance to the Japanese.

The Marshall Islands lie in the South Pacific about midway between the Philippines and Hawaii. Altogether, the archipelago consists of about 33 coral islands, covering an area of 160 miles. The islands have a population of between 5,000 and 20,000, of which a very small percentage are of European origin.

Jaluit Island is 38 miles long and 22 miles wide. It is the headquarters of a big German company, which trades with the Marshall and adjacent groups of islands.

The chief product of the islands is copra.

The navy department, in explaining the landing of a force of Japanese bluejackets and taking the German island of Jaluit, says the move was made for "military purposes."

HUNGARIAN PORTS CLOSE AT NIGHT

Venice, via Paris, Oct. 6.—Fearing an attack by the British and French fleets in the Adriatic, the naval authorities at Fiume have ordered all Hungarian ports to be closed from an hour before sunset until an hour after sunrise.

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ITALIAN SAILOR WALKS OFF WITH A SUBMARINE

London, Oct. 6.—A dispatch to the Central News from Rome says:

"A submarine which has just been completed in a private shipyard near Spezia, on the Gulf of Spezia, has disappeared, and it is declared that a retired naval lieutenant, Angelo Bellini, who was in charge of her, has taken the vessel to some unknown destination.

"The submarine was on a trial trip on the gulf, and when she did not return a torpedo-boat was sent to search for her. Lieut. Bellini, in a letter to the firm that constructed the boat, said he would furnish an explanation for the disappearance of the craft. He added that the crew of the submarine was ignorant of his plans.

"It is said that the missing submarine sailed to fight for Russia, for which country it was built, and Lieut. Bellini had expressed dissatisfaction over Italy's neutrality. Vice-Admiral Nicastro, of the ministry of marine, has opened an official inquiry into the disappearance of the submarine, and says that the persons responsible for it will be severely punished."



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Quebec, Oct. 6.—Sailing under sealed orders without a convoy, and with a ship carrying 900 horses and hundreds of tons of ammunition, the last man of the overseas contingent, Capt. A. H. Shaw, of the Strathcona Horse, left Quebec three days behind the rest of the ships.

He has instructions, if a German ship is sighted, to destroy all the uniforms on board, so that in the event of capture the freighter will appear to be an ordinary commercial ship.

The ship was to sail with the rest of the fleet of transports taking the Canadian troops to Europe, but there was delay in getting the supplies through, and now she will be entirely unprotected.

As passengers there were to be 1,800 Belgian reservists from Detroit. When it was found that she would have to cross without a convoy it was decided not to allow any soldiers on board save those who were absolutely necessary. The 1,800 Belgian reservists will go with the second contingent of Canadian troops, or with the first draft, if one is sent.

BRITISH EMBASSY IN PARIS.

Paris, Oct. 6.—Sir Henry Lee, the commercial attaché of the British embassy in Paris, together with several other members of the embassy staff, has returned here from Bordeaux, and will relieve the American embassy of the obligation of looking after British affairs.



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FRANCE RECOGNIZES HEROISM OF PRIESTS

London, Oct. 6.—The Paris correspondent of the Times says that one result of the war has been a distinct religious revival in France. The so-called "clerical peril" has, he says, disappeared from the popular imagination. Everywhere priests have been distinguished by their heroism, and their devotion is shared by many members of the religious orders, both men and women.

The Abbe Lacht, a sergeant in a cyclist corps, was killed on the field of battle after having been mentioned in dispatches on the previous day. The Abbe Bonbru, a captain of infantry, fell at the head of his company. Another clerical lieutenant, the Abbe Drener, was struck down in leading his men in a charge. The Abbe Sumin, an ensign, was also slain in battle.

On the roll of soldier-priests are many who are either officers, non-commissioned officers or private soldiers. In many cases the priests, wearing a stole with emblems over their uniforms, have buried their fallen comrades in consecrated ground.

SOUTHERN ALBERTA BURIED UNDER SNOW

Calgary, Alta., Oct. 6.—By the falling in of the roofs of two motor garages yesterday, through the weight of snow, 30 automobiles were smothered in debris and the damage to cars and buildings is estimated to be \$35,000.

MacLeod, Alta., Oct. 6.—The heaviest storm ever experienced in this district at this time of the year is in progress, and over two feet of snow has already fallen. Many of the electric light and telephone wires are down and telephone communication with outside points is at a complete standstill.

A high wind has drifted the snow to a depth of many feet, and all roads outside the town are impassable, completely isolating the ranches. In the Porcupine Hills the fall is even heavier, and a rapid thaw will raise the Old Man river to an unusual height.

BELGIAN TRAIN SERVICE GOOD.

London, Oct. 6.—Excellent express train service is being maintained between Ostend and Ghent, according to a dispatch to The Observer from one of its correspondents in Belgium. At Ghent railway notice boards are carefully corrected in chalk hourly, as certain trains are withdrawn or their runs are curtailed owing to the fluctuating progress of the fighting.

PRINCE OF WALES' FUND.

London, Oct. 6.—The Prince of Wales fund has reached \$15,000,000, and the prince has issued a letter expressing his thanks for the generous contributions.

TREACHERY INTENDED ALWAYS BY GERMANY

Three Years Ago It Refused to Give Belgium Guarantee of Intentions

London, Oct. 6.—The Belgian government has issued a grey book of correspondence relative to the war. The facts disclosed have been almost completely covered by similar correspondence, but the interesting revelation is made that in 1911 the Belgian government sought to obtain from the German government a declaration that Germany had no intention of violating Belgian neutrality.

The German chancellor replied that although Germany had no such intentions, a public declaration to that effect would weaken Germany's military position by reassuring France, which would in that case concentrate all her forces in the east.

It was for this reason that no declaration of the kind Belgium sought was made in the reichstag, and this is held to prove that Germany for a long time contemplated a dash through Belgium on France.

It further appears that Belgium made a last attempt to dissuade Germany from her enterprise by sending an intimation to the German government that it was wrong to infer that France has any intention of violating Belgian neutrality, and that even if she did, Belgium would oppose the invaders by a vigorous resistance.

NATURE OF GROUND FAVORS THE ALLIES

Troops Are Moved Rapidly in Effort to Turn Enemy's Right Flank

On the Battle Front, via Paris, Oct. 6.—The allied armies, after having permitted their adversaries, as they thought, to exhaust themselves by continuous attacks, yesterday took a most vigorous offensive. The British and French encountered such a strong resistance, however, that their most advanced detachments on the western wing were compelled to fall back.

Only on this part of the battle line did the opposing troops actually come into contact.

Many picturesque villages, around which hundreds of thousands of men occupy positions, have suffered severely in the recent fighting, and probably will suffer still further before the struggle for supremacy is over.

The country where the chief fighting is going on is flat and under cultivation. In many places it is boggy, and there are scattered coal mines. The allied armies are continually extending toward the northward, bending eastward toward the Belgian frontier, thus compelling the Germans, in order to prevent the crumbling up of their main army, to move large forces from the centre and so keep pace with the allies, whose position menaces the invaders along the whole line. The allies' plans, it is thought, may compel the Germans to release the pressure on the Belgians.

The rapidity with which the French change positions is considered remarkable. Two entire divisions of infantry marched nearly thirty miles on Saturday and twenty-eight on Sunday. The Germans, however, by means of their aviators, who are continually flitting over the lines, despite numerous casualties, discovered the movement and brought up reinforcements to meet them. As the Germans occupy the inside of the circle, they are able to reach an appointed spot with much shorter marches. It was this that enabled them to force the advanced guards of the allies to cede a small amount of ground until further assistance came.

At one point along the allies' line a French regiment, after three days in the trenches, on being ordered to the rear for a rest, sent a runner through their colonel to the commanding general asking permission to remain until the German position facing them was taken.

This was granted and the men advanced. Although they met with such a terrific fire from the machine guns that an advance of 800 yards took eight hours, they captured the position and a number of prisoners. They suffered severely.

French cavalry executed a daring raid back of the German lines, where they blew up a railroad tunnel and escaped before their presence was discovered.

British lancers and French troopers performed a brilliant exploit at another point. Getting between the Imperial Guard and their artillery ammunition train by a long dashing ride they cut off the supplies destroying them so that the guards' big guns were rendered temporarily useless.

General Rosseau, of the French cavalry, died yesterday of wounds.

Audacious espionage carried on by the Germans has caused the staff of the Allies to deal severely with all strangers found within the lines.

When two curious Irishmen, who were arrested on Sunday, had proved their identity to the satisfaction of the officers, they were asked to go to the headquarters building, where a motor car was drawn up with two officers, apparently French, occupying the front seat.

Behind them were two supposed gendarmes with a menaced civilian between them. The staff officer said: "This is the reason for our severity. The five men are German officers who were captured to-day near the firing line."

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GERMANY ARRANGED FOR COAL SUPPLIES

Had Complete Plans by Secret Agents in New York, Chicago and Cape Town

Cape Town, Oct. 6.—A striking illustration of the completeness of the German plans for mobilization has come to light. The German cruiser Eber docked at Cape Town a few days before the outbreak of war, and got away just in time. An intercepted letter addressed to the commander contained instructions from Berlin, which were dated June 14. These instructions revealed a complete system for coaling the German navy on the outbreak of war through secret service agents in Cape Town, New York and Chicago.

The commander of the Eber was given the names of shippers and bankers with whom he could deal confidentially, the essence of the plan being that a collier would leave Table Bay, supposed to be bound for England, but really to meet a German warship at an agreed rendezvous.

Naturally, so far as Cape Town was concerned, these arrangements have been upset owing to the discovery, and this perhaps explains why German cruisers have been more in evidence in North Atlantic waters than in the southern ocean.

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IRRIGATION CONGRESS OPENED FROM OTTAWA

Calgary, Alta., Oct. 6.—Despite the inauspicious weather and heavily falling snow, the twenty-first international irrigation congress, the first to be held in Canada, opened its proceedings with every mark of enthusiasm at the horse show building yesterday.

Although H. R. H. the Governor-General was unable to be present in person, he informally opened the congress by pressing an electric button at Government House, Ottawa, which unveiled a portrait of his royal highness hung above the platform.

As the crowd of delegates and visitors waited in silence a click was heard and the two flags, a Union Jack and the

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MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Willows, Cal., Oct. 6.—Unltd in death instead of in the marriage they had planned, Henry Cavier, a clerk, and Miss Blanche Rabbit were yesterday found lifeless in an automobile, twelve miles west of here. Still grasped in Cavier's hand was an automatic pistol. It is supposed he shot the girl and then committed suicide. The pair went out a license to wed in San Francisco September 27, but did not marry.



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THE WAR

The phrase "crucial battle of the war" has been used frequently since the great upheaval began, but it is becoming increasingly apparent that the impending grapple on the eastern front more properly merits the description than any other clash so far.

The Russian line will extend from Tilsit south through East Prussia, thence southwestward through Russian Poland west of Warsaw and through Galicia, sixty miles east of Cracow, into the Carpathians, or more than three hundred and fifty miles.

Can Germany hold Russia back without diminishing her powerful army in France? Austria is a broken reed and only half of the Kaiser's military strength is available to meet the onslaught of the military might of Russia gathered together for the first time in Russian history.

The Japanese have seized the Marshall Islands, a small group in the Pacific midway between the Philippines and Hawaii, which have been in the possession of Germany since 1885.

move is not unlikely to attract considerable attention at Washington, as the islands, permanent occupation by the Japanese would give them an important strategic base against both the Hawaiian and Philippine Islands.

BOUNCED VON MOLTKE.

The Kaiser is reported to have bounced the chief of his general army staff on the ground that he has not been getting enough speed out of the machine.

We presume the Kaiser intends to assume active direction of his armies. He is vain and erratic enough to try it. Convinced by the fawning sycophants who have surrounded him that he is a superb musician and artist, a weighty philosopher, a wonderful sailor and an eloquent preacher, he naturally thinks he is also a soldier on a par with Frederick the Great and Napoleon Bonaparte.

The first movement undertaken by the Kaiser as the active head of his army was the recent invasion of Russia through East Prussia. This was carried out from four points. It has met with disaster all along the line and the Germans are in full retreat within their own boundaries with the Russians closely in pursuit.

It is not unlikely that His Majesty also will fire von Tirpitz, the chief of the naval staff. Running around like a squirrel in a cage, he is likely to do something eccentric all along the line. He is a great reader of Clausewitz, the high priest of the eternal offensive.

BELGIUM'S PEOPLE AND GOVERNMENT.

The area of Belgium is 11,373 square miles, or less than Vancouver Island, while its population is 7,579,000. The population is about equally divided between Flemings and Walloons, two distinct races and talking different languages, with only a very small number of either race being able to speak both languages.

Belgium's constitution dates from 1830. It stipulates that there shall be freedom of conscience, of education and of the press, guarantees the right of meeting and provides that the ruler shall be a member of the Church of Rome. Succession rests with the male heirs of the king.

The Assembly is made up of a Senate and a House of Representatives. The Senate consists of 76 elected members

and 26 members appointed by the provincial councils. The members of the king's cabinet may be members of either branch of the Assembly and they enjoy the privilege of speaking in both.

A Senator sits for eight years, unless the Assembly is dissolved during his terms, when all seats become vacant. Half of the Senators are elected every four years.

The House of Representatives consists of 166 members elected for four years, half of them every two years. A representative must be 25 years old and is paid \$800 a year and a railroad pass.

Prior to 1894, out of 6,500,000 people only 127,772 votes were cast. In that year the people demanded an extension of the suffrage and they got it. Now every male citizen of 25 years of age is entitled to a vote.

Belgium is divided into nine provinces, 342 cantons, corresponding to counties in Canada, and 2,623 communes, which may be compared with our municipal districts.

AN INFAMOUS PROPOSAL.

It is reported persistently from Ottawa that a certain group of politicians, under the leadership of Bob Rogers, are endeavoring to persuade the Prime Minister to precipitate a general election this fall.

A feeler recently was sent out in the form of an Ottawa dispatch to a New York paper stating that the government probably would be forced to an immediate appeal to obtain the endorsement of its policy in regard to imperial defence.

We anticipate that the Canadian people will reject the infamous suggestion with contempt and loathing. They know that Conservatives and Liberals are united on the subject of Canada's participation in the war.

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Of course a yell of delight would arise from Berlin. There the distorted report of a general election in Canada at this time would serve to encourage the Germans to greater activity.

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every justification for the suspicion that it was written by Herman Ridder or Count von Bernstorff, who, failing to involve the United States in difficulty with Great Britain, were trying to create political diversion in Canada.

TO-DAY'S SUMMARY.

The official silence maintained for the past twelve hours over the operations of the allies in Northeastern France was broken to-day by the official statement from Paris. This set forth that the left wing of the allied army was extending more and more widely.

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Victoria, Oct. 6-5 a. m.—The barometer remains about thirty inches, and fair weather continues over this province, with light to moderate winds along the coast.

Reports. Victoria—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 55; minimum, 49; wind, 4 miles N. weather, fair.

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John Cochrane went over to Vancouver this afternoon to conduct examinations in prescriptions and dispensing at the semi-annual examinations of the B. C. Pharmaceutical association in that city to-morrow and Thursday.

A pretty wedding was celebrated last evening at 1147 Pandora avenue, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Farquhar, the bride's uncle and aunt, when Jean Mitchell, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Davidson, of Fraserburg, Scotland, and Frederick Charles Barber, of the Central Fire Hall, were united in marriage.

At the end of a South Carolina negro meeting it was decided to take up a collection for civility. The chairman passed the hat himself. He dropped a dime in it for a nest egg.

A personable young man with little baggage but a winning smile engaged two rooms and bath at one of the finest hotels in a western city. He spun a twenty-dollar gold-piece across the desk, and said: "I'll stay that much, anyhow, and when that's up let me know."

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SPORTING NEWS

COAST HOCKEY LEAGUE WILL SIGN UP YOUNG STARS IF VETERANS JUMP

Boundary League Players Slated for Coast Teams; Lehman May Play With Vancouver

"I do not anticipate any trouble in securing the signatures of the Victoria players to this year's contracts, but should it be necessary to bring in new blood, I have already made arrangements for several of the best amateur stars in Winnipeg to play on the coast," was the statement of Manager Lester Patrick to the Times this morning. "I do not intend to make any trips east before the opening of the hockey season, and while there is a great deal of talk concerning the formation of a new professional hockey league in the east, I do not think that we will have any great cause to worry over an impending raid upon the Coast league stars."

There are several scouts now working for the Coast league clubs through the prairie, and it is now known that there will be a number of new faces in the Vancouver and Portland teams. Mike Mitchell will probably return for a tryout, and it is now rumored that Hugh Lehman will not be given the management of the Portland team, but will return to Vancouver. Lehman may have to take over the management of the Vancouver team as Frank Patrick

is still on military duty, and will go to the front with the second contingent. Jimmie Gardner will not be brought out to the coast again and sent to Portland, though he made a big hit with the Westminster club the first year the Coast league was in operation.

Walter Small is out with the statement that he will be back in the game again, and should Genge be signed up by the independents, Small will be used on the defence. There was some uncertainty as to Small, as he has but recently been appointed physical director of the High school, and will have to devote considerable of his time to teaching the youthful scholars the rudiments of hockey, and other winter sports.

Fort William, Oct. 6.—Port Arthur will not have everything its own way this coming winter. That is the declaration of all the local puck chasers. Local teams have been handicapped for lack of ice to practice on, and it was well on in the season before the "players" were in the best of condition last year. With a new rink here, there will be added interest taken in hockey and many youngsters who were unable to show their worth with the stick will have opportunities to make a place on the team. In addition to the big league, comprising Fort William, Port Arthur and Schreiber, there will be a city league consisting of six or eight clubs. There is also some talk of rejuvenating hockey among the professionals.

KNOX WILL COME BACK HOME AGAIN

London, Oct. 6.—Walter Knox, the celebrated athlete who was engaged to train the British team for the next Olympic meeting, originally fixed for Berlin, Germany, in 1916, sails for Canada this week. British athletes paid his full three years' salary and secured first call on his services in the contingency that the sports still will be held. Most members of the team have gone on active service.

CONTINUE RACING.

London, Oct. 6.—The Jockey club has decided it advisable to carry on racing. As the stewards point out, this course is not recommended in the interest of those who attend meetings for amusement, but because they are satisfied that cessation would throw large numbers of people out of work. Apropos of this, Sir Evelyn Wood, V. C., has made a strong plea to masters of hounds not to stop hunting, which he considers: splendid training for cavalry officers.

REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Nationals Will Stir Up Trouble.

Because Geo. Kennedy refused to sell his franchise in the National Hockey association to the Nationals, the latter are going ahead with their determination to form another professional hockey league in eastern Canada. The Nationals are said to have already sent a representative to New York and Boston to place teams in those cities, and there is little doubt that they will succeed. Boston wanted to secure a professional team last year but was unable to break into the N. H. A. New York has always proven a big money-getter for the professional clubs in the spring of each year and with a winning team the Gotham fans would take very kindly to hockey. There are hundreds of thousands of Canadians in New York, so that this club will not suffer for lack of patronage. Boston, it might be added, contains the largest percentage of Canadians of any city in the United States. Nationals are a very wealthy club and they claim to have secured backing for their league in Toronto and Ottawa, also Hamilton. A six-club league will need a bunch of players and it will not be surprising if this league goes through to witness an attempted raid upon the P. C. H. A. players.

Alexander One of the Greatest Twirlers.

In the jubilee and hurrah attached to those around the top in the pennant pursuit, the Hon. Grover Cleveland Alexander has missed a collection of publicity that is more than his due. Alexander has been toiling for a second division club all year—a club broken up by heavy handicap the big pitcher was the first in either league to lay aside twenty-five victories. As a winning slabman he leads James, Rudolph, Tesreau, Mathewson and Johnson—and that with a club far below the standard of Braves, Giants or Senators.

Billiard Hints That Will Come in Handy.

Some amateurs think it dashing and sporting to say: "I don't want the rest." The real thing to be proud of is ability to use the rests when they are needed.

One point in connection with the use of the long rest should never be overlooked. The stroke must be played more gently or with more top, otherwise the great weight and driving force of the long rest will make the angle of throw-off wider. This is particularly the case when the object ball is near a pocket.

A centrally-struck ball when the long rest is used is sometimes tantamount, strength for strength, to a screw with the ordinary cue.

The aiming centre of a pocket is its centre when the player is directly facing it. This centre never changes.

Consequently a chalk mark made at the centre of each pocket opening is the point to aim for, no matter where the player may be standing.

CHANCE SAYS BRAVES WILL BE OUTCLASSED

Bobby Steele Joins Army of Nimrods; Stroud's Great Record

Bobby Steele left yesterday for a few days' shooting in the Malahat and judging from the number of birds that he promised local fans, he is evidently out for a big killing. The Victoria southpaw is some shot as well as a slab artist, and it is just possible that Miller Huggins will be the recipient of a couple of cock pheasants one of these fine days from his Northwestern league recruit, Toots Cameron, Harry Hanover and Jimmie Stephens are other Victoria shots who report splendid success in their shooting forays through the Saanich peninsula.

Frank Chance thinks that the Athletics should win the world's series in a walk. Interviewed in Chicago on his way home from California, the former Yankee and Cub leader said: "Boston can't beat the Athletics without an awful lot of luck. They talk about Boston's great trio of pitchers, but let me tell you the Athletics are not shy on pitchers. They have some mighty good ones and they are not going to pitch against any such string of batsmen as the Boston pitchers will have to face, remember that."

"Bender is just as good this year as he ever was. I have heard Plank has not been going well of late, but they said that last year, and he was right there in the world's series. Connie Mack has another good left hander ready for use in that boy Bressler. He pitches just like Plank. The last time I saw Bressler I was down in centre field watching the game and Bender was nearby warming up. I mentioned to the chief that Plank seemed to have a better curve ball than I ever saw him have before."

"That isn't Plank. It's Bressler. Bender told me, but for the life of me I could not have told the difference at that distance."

Luck Helps Boston.

"Boston has made a wonderful fight and a splendid recovery from so low a position, and the team has had to take a lot of luck to do what it has. That luck may continue long enough to make trouble for the Athletics, but it will take a lot of it to turn the scale. The worst thing Mack has to fear is over-confidence in his own ranks. That is the hardest thing I had to fight after the Cubs had won a couple of pennants."

Stroud, the pitcher drafted from the San Francisco club by the New York Giants, stands first in the Coast League for performances where his opponents have made less than four hits. He has a one-hit game, three two-hit games and two three-hit games.

In the American league, Detroit and Washington are so close together that it will take the Washington games this week to decide the occupation of third place. The Detroiters, who ended their season Saturday, virtually tied with the Nationals, seem to have the better chance to take the berth, as Washington must win two or three from Boston to forge ahead. St. Louis and New York are both flirting with fifth place with the possibility that either may capture it.

Hank O'Day, manager of the Chicago Cubs, hands the Boston Braves "the comforting" assurance that they will not win a game from the Philadelphia Athletics. Hank says that the war clubs of the Athletics will be too much for James and Rudolph.

PENNANT WINNERS

Following are the pennant winners in the different leagues for 1914:

Club	Club
Atlantic League	Poughkeepsie
American Association	Milwaukee
Canadian League	Ottawa
Central Association	Waterloo
Central League	Dayton
Eastern League	Fall River
Georgia-Alabama League	Savannah
Illinois-Missouri League	St. Louis
International League	Providence
Kansas State League	Emporia
"Kitty" League	Cairo
Michigan State League	Batton
Middle Texas League	Batton
Nebraska State League	Grand Island
New England League	Lawrence
New York State League	Elmira
North Carolina League	Winston-Salem
Northwestern League	Duluth
Pennsylvania League	Scranton
South Atlantic League	Savannah
Texas League	Houston and Waco
Three-I League	Havenport
Tri-State League	Harrisburg
Virginia State League	Newport
Western Association	DeWitt
Western State League	Norfolk
Western Tri-State League	Pendleton
Wisconsin-Illinois League	Delkosh
Western Association	Muskogee
Western Canada League	Saskatoon
Southern League	Birmingham
Southern Michigan League	Saginaw
Northern League	Vancouver
Ohio State League	Charleston

NATIONAL LEAGUE TO CLOSE TO-DAY

New York, Oct. 6.—The eastern teams of the National league will close their season to-day with double-headers in New York between the Giants and the Philadelphia Phillies and in Brooklyn between the Superbas and the Boston Braves. By agreement of the clubs, the last games in Brooklyn and New York for Wednesday, have been advanced to to-day and will be played off by the double bills, thus finishing the season one day earlier than scheduled. Both the Braves and the Giants have had the pennant clinched for a week, and the Giants cannot be dislodged from second place.

MACKMEN'S LEADER



CONNIE MACK

Peerless leader of the Philadelphia Athletics, who will endeavor to again cop the major portion of the World's Series money when the big clash with the Boston Club opens at Philadelphia on October 9.

BASEBALL

YESTERDAY'S MAJOR RESULTS.

National League.

At St. Louis—Chicago, 4; St. Louis, 3.
At Cincinnati—First game: Pittsburgh, 4; Cincinnati, 3. Second game: Pittsburgh, 1; Cincinnati, 4.
At New York—Philadelphia, 0; New York, 4.
At Brooklyn—First game: Boston, 15; Brooklyn, 2. Second game: Boston, 9; Brooklyn, 5.

Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston	53	28	.654
New York	48	33	.594
St. Louis	41	40	.506
Chicago	38	43	.468
Philadelphia	37	44	.456
Pittsburgh	29	52	.356
Cincinnati	26	55	.320

American League.

At Philadelphia—New York, 6; Philadelphia, 2.

At Boston—Washington, 9; Boston, 3.

No other games scheduled.

Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	98	52	.654
Boston	90	60	.600
Washington	80	70	.533
St. Louis	70	80	.467
Chicago	70	80	.467
Cleveland	51	102	.333

Federal League.

At Chicago—Kansas City, 6; Chicago, 2.

At Indianapolis—St. Louis, 8; Indianapolis, 10.

At Baltimore—First game: Pittsburgh, 8; Baltimore, 6. Second game: Pittsburgh, 1; Baltimore, 1. (Called end 8th, dark).

At Buffalo—Brooklyn, 7; Buffalo, 4.

Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Indianapolis	85	65	.568
Chicago	86	66	.566
Baltimore	79	73	.519
Buffalo	77	68	.531
Brooklyn	74	73	.503
Kansas City	65	83	.439
St. Louis	63	86	.423

SPORTING GOSSIP OF THE DAY

Lester Patrick expects to bring a couple of rookies out from Winnipeg.

Le may also give several of the Boston league stars a try-out.

Bob Brown is among the nimrods in the Cowichan Lake district.

Walter Johnson would prove a big drawing card for the Brooklyn Feds.

Vancouver will ignore the Mann cup in their future lacrosse conquests.

A meeting of the V. F. A. will be held on Wednesday night.

Bays expect to cop the Barnard cup with their strengthened team.

Giants are now winning games, but the season closes Wednesday.

Nick Williams thinks Harry Cheek, of Vancouver, the best backstop in the Northwestern league.

Dutch Hoffman was just as good a receiver, but could not bat like Cheek.

Sir John Jacksons think that the Wests were lucky to win on Saturday.

The Outer Wharf rugby team are practicing the American game.

They already have secured a coach who formerly played across the line.

That School Hockey league will arouse a lot of interest this year.

Even Portland has broken into the amateur hockey game, and wants matches with the Canadian teams.

Thistle will have Inglis on their forward line for Saturday's game.

Jack Johnson must be nearly broke with the \$5,000 bond forfeited yesterday at Chicago.

Even at that the colored champion is good enough to retain his title for years.

McGill are claiming a greater team than they had last year and look good to repeat.

There are only three clubs in the Inter-collegiate Rugby league.

Packey McFarland is hot after a bout with Freddie Welsh at 135 lbs.

It's hardly likely that Welsh will risk his honors against the stockyards champion.

Portland is having a hard time to repeat in the Coast league.

Plenty of deer are being brought to the city from the Saanich district.

Phoenix—Stout, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

RUGBY UNION WILL DRAW UP SCHEDULE

Handsone Cup for Intermediate League; Hamilton Players Show Pointers

Secretary Nicholson, of the Victoria Rugby union, is now drawing up the schedule for the Barnard Cup series. A meeting was held last night at the Ritz hotel, but owing to the uncertainty of the high school old boys it was decided to give them two more days in which to round up a team. There are four clubs sure of places in the series including the Bays, Willows club, Welsh and Fusiliers. In the intermediate series the High School, McGill Students, Willows, Fusiliers and Wanderers are sure of entering teams.

A handsome cup has been donated by Sweeney & McConnell for a school league, if one can be organized. A meeting of the union will be held tomorrow evening and the regular session has been advanced to Friday evening when the schedules will be announced.

Hamilton, Oct. 6.—The trip to New Haven which several Tigers took in may have proven beneficial to the Yale football coaches, but it proved disastrous for the Tigers, as Johnny McKelvey arrived home with his arm tied in a sling, and he will be out of the game for an indefinite period. Russ Thompson states that the delegation had a fine time. The practices held in the new Yale "bowl" were all of a secret order. Ripley did most of the coaching as the squad were drilled in the open style of play, it being the intention to eliminate as far as possible the close formation of the American game. Russ, Manson, McKelvey, Leckie and Burton were placed with the second Yale team and worked out behind the line and at the flying wing positions. Opposed to them was the bunch from which Coach Hinkey will select this year's Yale eleven from. While at the Yale "bowl" the local boys met Walter Camm, the Yale men seemed very much impressed with the knowledge they gained in open play. The tactics used in the Canadian game will be used by Yale in its coming match.

A practice game of Rugby will be played between the Welsh club and Sir John Jackson's at Oak Bay on Monday, Thanksgiving day.

COLLINS AND EVERS ARE GREATEST STARS

Chicago, Oct. 6.—Eddie Collins, of the Philadelphia club of the American league, and John Evers, of the Boston National league, yesterday were declared winners of the 1914 trophy presented by a Detroit manufacturer to the players whose services were most valuable to their respective teams.

Each will receive an automobile as a prize as a result of the competition. The vote of the trophy commission was held here with the result that Collins received 63 out of a possible 64 points, while Evers received 50 out of a possible 64 points.

The former winners of the trophy were: American league—1911, Ty Cobb; 1912, Trip Speaker; 1913, Walter Johnson. National league—1911, Frank Schulte; 1912, Larry Doyle; 1913, Jake Daubert.

MOTOR RACES FOR THANKSGIVING DAY

E. J. Cameron announced this morning that the motor-meet which is to be held at the Willows track on Thanksgiving Day will consist of exactly the same programme that was given two weeks ago. There will be two matches between E. J. Cameron, of Portland, and Toots Cameron, while there will also be a number of special motorcycle events.

HOW THIN PEOPLE CAN PUT ON FLESH

A New Discovery.

Thin men and women—that big, hearty, filling dinner you ate last night. What became of all the fat-producing nourishment it contained? You haven't gained in weight one ounce. Your nutritive organs, your functions of assimilation, are open grate. The material was there, but your food doesn't work and stick, and the plain truth is you hardly get enough nourishment from your meals to pay for the cost of cooking. This is true of this folks the world over. Your nutritive organs, your functions of assimilation, are sadly out of gear and need reconstruction.

Cut out the foolish foods and funny sawdust diets. Omit the flesh cream rubs. Cut out everything but the meals you are eating now and eat with every one of those single Sargol tablets. In two weeks note the difference. Five to eight good solid pounds of healthy "stay there" fat should be the net result. Sargol changes your weak, stagnant blood with millions of fresh new red blood corpuscles—gives the blood the carrying power to deliver every ounce of fat-making material in your body to every part of your body. Sargol, too, mixes with your food and prepares it for the blood in easily assimilated form. Thin people gain all the way from 10 to 25 pounds a month while taking Sargol, and the new flesh comes from the fat-making material in your food.

The executive committee of the Civilian Rifle club will gather in Capt. E. J. Gollip's office, 301 Pemberton building, this evening at 8 o'clock. The following members are requested to be present: A. E. Ashe, A. Symonds, Capt. Exham, H. J. Wicks, F. T. Murray, W. B. Grant, G. S. Williams.

A visitor to an old seaport town was out driving with his host. "What is the diet of all these people?" he asked. "Fish mostly," his host responded. "Why," said the visitor, "I thought fish was a brain food! These are really the most unintelligent-looking people I ever saw!" "Well," replied the host, "just think of what they would look like if they didn't eat fish!"

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GAME PLENTIFUL IN LOCAL DISTRICTS

Splendid Bags Are Reported by Returning Hunters; Quail a Big Feature This Year

That this is one of the biggest seasons for quail on the island in years is the opinion expressed by a number of Victoria sportsmen who have returned from short shooting expeditions up the island and out the Saanich peninsula. The birds are very plentiful and while there are scores of Nimrods in the bush all over the Victoria district, the birds do not appear to be thinning out very rapidly. Quail are the big thing this season for the marksmen, and while there are thousands of cock pheasants in the district, the smaller varieties of the feathered tribe are to be seen in huge coveys. A large number of quail were seen on Humboldt street yesterday near St. Joseph's hospital, apparently having flown over from Beacon Hill park where there are a number of these birds in the nursery. Salt Spring Island is a favorite spot for the hunters and yesterday half a dozen returned with excellent bags as a result of their shooting. Messrs. Geo. Nicholson and Herman Sehl spent three days on the island, bringing back sixty birds, with grouse and pheasant intermingled. They report that the willow grouse are to be had in large numbers but the blue grouse are taking to the mountains. Rube McMoran and Harry Biswell are also back from a very successful hunt, spending most of their time on Salt Spring Island, where the game is to be seen on every hand. They returned with quite a heavy bag.

At Gange's Harbor the quail are plentiful, while on the Saanich peninsula and at Sooke large numbers of deer have been shot. The big bucks have been coming in quite frequently, the northern end of the peninsula being especially well stocked with these animals. On the Malahat a number of Victorians are camping for a few days, while a few have gone further up the island where the competition for these animals is less keen. Few cases of the shooting of young does have come to light, though one was noted off the Saanich peninsula last Sunday, where a hunter had brought down a very young animal and had set the skin afloat in the strait on an improvised raft, so as to hide his guilt.

FIGHT POSTPONED FOR THE PRESENT

Bayley and O'Leary Bout at Nanaimo Put Back; Latest Gossip of the Ring

Morris Condon announced this morning that the Bayley-O'Leary fight, scheduled for October 17 at Nanaimo, has been postponed. Manager Condon this morning received a wire from promoter Hume McDonald, of Vancouver, stating that the battle would be put off to a later date. The reason for this postponement is not known. Joe will resume this training to-day.

New Orleans, Oct. 6.—After 20 rounds of slow boxing here Sunday Joe Mandot, of New Orleans, was awarded the decision over Joe Rivers. During the first ten rounds Rivers did not extend himself, apparently waiting for a chance for a knockout and from the eleventh round, when he attempted to meet Mandot at boxing, he was out-classed. The men are lightweights.

Kansas City, Oct. 6.—After ten fast rounds, Jack Dillon, heavyweight, of Indianapolis, was awarded the referee's decision over Jim Flynn, the Pueblo fireman, here last night.

Jim Crofth, some promoter of San Francisco, is going to pull off a lightweight championship bout on Thanksgiving Day, or he will know the reason why. The principal actor in this contest will be Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion of the world. The other side of the argument will be furnished by Charley White, Chicago's "eighteen carat" miller. Crofth has offered the kale and now it's up to the two fighters to get down to business.

BENEFIT GOLF MATCH.

For the benefit of the Patriotic fund, a singles competition is to be played to-morrow at Oak Bay links, and on October 21 a ladies' foursomes has been arranged by the Victoria golf club. An entrance fee of 50c. will be charged.

Tommy Ratty is a New York billiard champion who enjoys a wide acquaintance with Broadway life. He was talking the other day of a conversation he had with a friend of his, a young actor who has never been accused of having any intense aversion for himself or his art. "He told me," said Ratty, "that he was undoubtedly the best leading man in America. He said he was a great comedian, too, and that he knew how to make a character part stand out better than anybody in the business. And he said if he ever got a chance to play tragedy he'd show the people something there. He practically admitted that he didn't have an equal on the stage to-day. But, of course, Mr. Ratty paused and looked off into space a moment. "But, of course, the public is entitled to its opinion, too!"

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Douglas St.—House, 5 rooms, per month \$10.00

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HUGE HEMP SHIPMENT COMING ON DEN LINER

Airlie Leaves Hongkong With 20,000 Bales; Expected to Arrive Oct. 25

One of the largest shipments of hemp to be brought across the Pacific from Manila during the past eighteen months is stowed in the holds of the Royal Mail freighter Den of Airlie, Capt. Heeming, which sailed from Hongkong for Victoria on Friday last, according to cablegrams just received here. The steamship will not call at Japanese ports for cargo as she was filled to her capacity when she left the British possession in the Far East. She will put into Kutchinotomi, Japan, to take on enough bunker coal to run her across the Pacific, and it is expected that she will arrive at this port about October 25. Each year large shipments of hemp are sent out by the Philippines, and much of it finds its way to this side of the Pacific. Owing to the war and the few lines which remain in the Oriental trade the shipments on the steamships are larger than usual. The Den of Airlie has 20,000 bales of hemp for discharge at British Columbia and Puget Sound ports.

Merionethshire Coming. Owing to the war two Royal Mail liners are steaming inward almost together. The Merionethshire, which is coming on her second visit, is expected to sail from Yokohama to-day. She is, however, slower than the Den of Airlie, and although she will have a good lead at the start, the Den ship will overhaul her as the trans-Pacific run nears a close. On account of the confusion of shipping due to the war, no attempt will be made by the Royal Mail line to carry out the proposed round-the-world route, which called for vessels passing through the canal in both directions en route from Victoria to London.

ENGINEER AND FIREMAN ARE WOUNDED IN DUEL

Beaufort, N. C., Oct. 6.—Signaling for police and a doctor, the tank steamer City of Everett, Baltimore, second engineer, was discovered anchored off the bar early to-day. Later the master landed with two wounded men and turned them over to the authorities. Jacob Ross, a fireman, had shot H. Swanson, second engineer, in the face with a small calibre revolver, and in turn had received two bullets in his head. Neither was dangerously wounded.

SOPHIA ARRIVES IN.

The C. P. R. steamer Princess Sophia, Capt. Robertson, arrived in port this morning from Skagway and Prince Rupert. From Alert Bay she brought a shipment of 2,000 cases of salmon, which is to form part of British Columbia's gift to the imperial government.

TIDE TABLE.

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

The time used in Pacific standard, for the 120th meridian west. It is counted from 9 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

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KYUQUOT TOOK 260 WHALES THIS SEASON

Black and Green Returned To-day; Other Whalers Will Be Following Soon

After the most successful season since its construction, the Kyuquot whaling station has practically suspended operations for the year of 1914. The whalers Black, Capt. Willis Balcom, and Green, Capt. Harry Balcom, both arrived in port early this morning and are the first vessels to return from the west coast station. The whalers which operated in conjunction with the Kyuquot plant harpooned no less than 260 mammals, which gives to that station the honor of being high liner for the past season. It has been the best year in the history of the Kyuquot whalers and the catch is far better than that turned in last year by Sechart, the high station.

The Queen Charlotte Islands' stations are still doing well, but the boats will soon be wending their way homeward as the southeast gales are beginning to work their way up to Hecate Strait and Dixon's Entrance. The officials of the Canadian North Pacific Fisheries, Ltd., who operate the whalers, have not announced the full catch of the fleet as yet, but they state that the season has been very favorable and better than last year.

Another two weeks will probably see all the whalers at their winter quarters at Point Ellice. Half of the fleet is now in port and the crews have been paid off. The Black and Green paid off their crews this afternoon. The men on both whalers received fat cheques as they had a very successful season, one of the two having taken over 100 mammals.

GRIM REMINDER OF BIG LAKE DISASTER

Message Found From Leafield Which Foundered on Lake Superior

Fort William, Ont., Oct. 6.—"November 9, 1913. Steamer Leafield. No hope; farewell to all. In God we trust. (Signed an officer)." The above message was found written upon a small piece of discolored paper which was found in a glass flask by two duck hunters upon the shore of Lake Superior half buried in the sand. The steamer Leafield belonged to the Algoma Central steamship line, and was lost during the great storm of November 3 last. She was carrying a full cargo of steel rails from Sault Ste. Marie to Fort William, and it is supposed that her heavy cargo, without warning, shifted and carried her to the bottom a few miles outside of Thunder Bay, at the foot of which Fort William is situated. Her entire crew was lost, and no sign as to how she was lost or where has never been found.

INQUIRY INTO LOSS OF MONTMAGNY IS OPENED

Quebec, Oct. 6.—This afternoon Captain Demers, wreck commissioner, with Captains Murray and Nash, as assessors, opened the investigation into the loss of the Canadian government steamer Montmagny. The Montreal Shipping Federation is represented by Messrs. Holden and Meredith, advocates from Montreal. The proprietors of the collier Lingan are represented by Mr. McElynon, of California. Eugene Belleau, of Quebec city, appears for the marine department, and Captain Poullet, of the Montmagny, is represented by the Hon. L. A. Taschereau, and Pilot Gaudreau, of the Lingan, by Senator Choquette.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Oct. 5. Portland, Ore.—Arrived: Strs. Klamath, Navajo, San Francisco; str. Thomas L. Wand, Skagway. Aberdeen, Wash.—Arrived: Strs. General Hubbard, Svea, Nehalem, San Francisco; str. Robert E. Schell, Honolulu; str. Claremont, Anacostia, San Francisco. San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Str. President, Seattle; str. Daisy Gadsby, John Polisen, Astoria; str. Coronado, Gray's Harbor; str. Bear, Portland. Sailed: Str. Wasp, Puget Sound; str. Columbia, Gray's Harbor; str. Shoshone, Astoria; str. Speedwell, Bandon. Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Strs. Admiral Schley, Alameda, Seattle. Sailed: Str. Oliver J. Olson, Everett; str. Virginian, Honolulu. Astoria, Ore.—Arrived: Str. Klamath, San Francisco; str. Thomas L. Wand, Alaska; str. Navajo, San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Alvarado, California. Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Alameda, Alaska; str. Bee, San Francisco; str. Governor, San Diego via Victoria; str. Admiral Schley, San Francisco; str. Queen, Sound ports; str. Santa Rita, Port San Luis; ship Edward Sewall, Esquimalt Harbor. Sailed: Str. City of Seattle, Alaska; str. F. S. Loop, San Francisco; str. Alameda, Tacoma; str. Oregonian, New York via San Francisco; str. Admiral Schley, Tacoma.

YOKOHAMA LOGGING VERY FAST VOYAGE

Japanese Liner Reaching William Head To-night; Sado Maru Sails To-day

Finishing a very smart passage from the Orient, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Yokohama Maru, Capt. Komatsubara, will arrive at William Head at 7 o'clock this evening, according to a radiogram received from the ship to-day. The steamship will be too late to receive her pratique to-night and will have to ride at anchor off the quarantine station until official sunrise to-morrow morning. It is expected that the Yokohama will make fast at the outer docks at 7.30 o'clock in the morning. The Yokohama is making an exceedingly smart passage from Yokohama, considering the time of year. She left the Japanese port on September 23 and is just 13 1/2 days out. No doubt she has met with fair weather on the inward passage. The steamship will be here all day to-morrow discharging 1,300 tons of Oriental merchandise, the bulk of which will be forwarded from here to Vancouver. Sado Sailing To-day. This afternoon at 5.30 o'clock the Nippon liner Sado Maru, Capt. Asakawa, is leaving for Oriental ports with a full list of passengers and a heavy cargo. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bullock and two sons are the first-cabin passengers who will embark at this port, while 160 Orientals will take passage in steerage. Every berth in the first, second and third cabins is taken and the agents here and at Sound ports have been forced to refuse applicants passage on the boat. It is expected that the Blue Funnel liner Talthybulus, Capt. Cullum, will arrive in port from the Sound early to-morrow morning to discharge 600 tons of European and Oriental merchandise.

EDWARD SEWALL TO LOAD GRAIN ON SOUND FOR U. K.

Seattle, Oct. 6.—The full-rigged American ship Edward Sewall, which has been lying idle at Eagle harbor since September 1, yesterday was chartered by M. H. Houser to load wheat at this port for the United Kingdom. The vessel will take her cargo at the west Seattle grain elevator. A few hours after the charter of the vessel was closed Capt. Richard Quicker master, had the Sewall towed to the plant of the Seattle Construction & Dry Dock Company, where she went on dry dock for cleaning and painting in preparation for her voyage. At first it was believed that the big square-rigger would be sent to the United Kingdom via the Panama canal, but her charterers announce that the vessel will go by the usual route of sailing craft, around the Horn.

STRATHARLE FOR SYDNEY.

Port Townsend, Oct. 6.—The British steamer Stratharle, with 70,000 feet of lumber loaded at Bellingham for Sydney, Australia, cleared last night. After drifting in the strait for three days awaiting a tug, the barquentine Mary Winkelman was towed here yesterday by a launch. The Winkelman is from Hilo for orders. The schooner H. D. Bendixon, with lumber from Port Gamble, for New Plymouth, will be towed here to-day to sign a crew and clear. Patronize the Victoria Patriotic Fund.

SPANISH PRINCE FLOATS.

St. Nazaire, France, Oct. 6.—The British steamer Spanish Prince, from New Orleans September 6 via Norfolk, before reported aground in the roads here, has been floated.

Mr. Sprigg was an up-to-date business man. His conversation was brief, but topical, and his advertisements always bore the stamp of originality. His cashier was drawing his attention to some overdue accounts. "Shall I give these people a gentle reminder about these debts?" said the cashier. "Gentle reminder be hanged," roared Mr. Sprigg, "send them an ultimatum."

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

Table with columns: Ship Name, Master, Tonnage, Agents, From, Due. Includes sections for Deep Sea Arrivals, Deep-Sea Departures, Coasting Vessels, and Sailer's Coming.

HAS NEITHER NAME, FLAG NOR COUNTRY

Former Kosmos Liner Finishes Herself in Peculiar Position at Frisco

San Francisco, Oct. 6.—A ship without a name, without a country, with a full cargo, but without clearance papers, swung idly at her anchor in San Francisco Bay yesterday, while her master and crew fretted to learn what flag they are under and when they can get away. The vessel is—or was—the Alexandria, formerly of the Kosmos line. Recently she was reported sold to the Northern & Southern Navigation Co., a newly organized corporation, and the new owners applied to Washington for permission to register their purchase as the Sacramento, under the American flag.

The vessel was ten days ago, and permission falling to come with the desired promptness—perhaps, it was suggested, because of a strong protest from the British consul that the transfer was not in good faith—a second application was lodged with the collector of the port for leave to clear for Valparaiso under the German flag and the old name. The collector replied that he must be satisfied first that the crew was not made up of German reservists. It had been brought to his notice that the cargo consisted of provisions and coal and that the German cruiser Leipzig was last reported in Chilean waters, in which she had sunk the British merchantman Bankfield. In the meantime Rear Admiral Pond, for the preservation of neutrality, has placed an officer from the United States cruiser New Orleans on board.

'FRISCO'S MARINE NEWS. San Francisco, Oct. 6.—Reginald Bach, general agent for the Union Steamship company here, announced yesterday that because of the large offering of cargo for the Antipodes, the British steamer Strathearn had been chartered for a voyage from this coast to Australia. The Strathearn is now en route from Peru in ballast, and after loading dried fruit here will proceed north to complete her cargo steaming for the Antipodes direct from Puget Sound. Bringing 2,500 tons of general Eastern cargo, the American-Hawaiian freighter Georglan, Capt. Sweetser, arrived in port yesterday, 25 days from New York, by way of the canal.

SHOT CROSSES BOW

New York, Oct. 6.—The Norwegian fruit steamer Kalle, from Barcelona, reached port to-day with a tale of a British cruiser firing a shot across her bow off the Scotland Lightship at the entrance to New York harbor. The Kalle's officers said that the vessel did not stop and that the cruiser made no further attempt to overhaul her, presumably because of her proximity to the three-mile neutral zone.

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To the Editor:—On Saturday last a young lady was sending a pamphlet entitled "A Tribute to the Brave," in memory of the Gallant Defenders of Liege."

This booklet was represented as being sold in aid of the Belgian Relief Fund, but on being told by Mr. Terry that he knew nothing of it I investigated further, and was finally informed that it is the intention to hand over 10 per cent of the proceeds to the Daughters of the Empire while 90 per cent is retained by the vendors.

The booklet, which contains three or four cuts and some rather poor verse, is sold at 35 cents per copy, and certainly no one would think of buying it if all the facts were known. Those who are responsible are apparently taking advantage of the patriotic feelings of the citizens to make personal profits, and it seems to me very much like obtaining money under false pretences.

M. H. DOBIE, October 5, 1914.

MILITIA THANKSGIVING DINNER. To the Editor: Next Monday will be our national Thanksgiving Day, when most of the citizens of Victoria will enjoy their annual Thanksgiving dinner.

The militia are now at the Willows camp about 450 men, composed of the 50th regiment Gordon Highlanders, the Cameron, B. C. Horse, and part of the 5th Canadian Garrison Artillery. I understand that the 88th Fusiliers are also expected there this week. I do not think it advisable to have a public meeting to consider so small a matter as the proposed dinner. If each who approves of the proposal would send next Saturday to the commissary department, under the supervision of Major R. F. Riddell, quartermaster, at the Willows military camp, 1175 Fort street, whatever he may deem desirable for the occasion, the cooks at the camp would prepare the dinner, furnishing from the stores there anything additional necessary. Anyone supplying turkeys, geese, pies, puddings or anything else would no doubt realize that "it is more blessed to give than to receive." Although I am chaplain of the Gordon Highlanders I write this letter not as chaplain, but as a citizen of Victoria, and as one who is interested not only in the "Highlanders," but in all who wear His Majesty's uniform.

J. CAMPBELL, "Breadalbane," Oct. 5.

UNEMPLOYED QUESTION. To the Editor:—I believe the question of issuing treasury certificates is a good one and should meet with a ready response from all classes of citizens who have any ready money, even in small amounts. The future of all who have any interests at stake depends upon their actions now. A concerted action by the citizens here should be taken, and the employment must of necessity be the only means to the one end—the future of Victoria. The conditions are exceptional and deal with as such, and although it may appear selfish it is the duty of each citizen to protect his own interests. It is hardly to be expected to make calls upon the citizens of one city to use their money (under these exceptional conditions) to help out the difficulties of other cities.

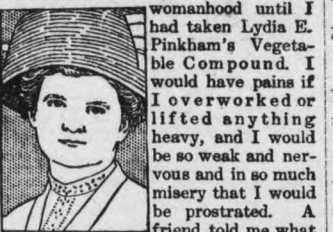
Great care also should be exercised in the uses of any money spent by the city or impostions will be general; care is essential who shall get the benefit. Some few may suffer, even unfairly, but the majority will be benefited. Attempts have been made by others to take advantage of the bad times to impose and reduce the wages of their employees. Such cases deserve exposure, and this will be my special pleasure if any person so interested will let me know privately. To cut a man's wages under present conditions would do much harm. To cut a man's wages under present conditions would do much harm. To cut a man's wages under present conditions would do much harm.

A gentleman planter living in the outskirts of a small southern city called upon the police judge on the long distance telephone. "Excuse me, judge," he said. "I just got word that my house boy Jim went to town last night and got drunk, hit another darky with a brick, and was locked up. I need that boy, and I wish as a favor to me you'd let him go when he comes up to-day before you. If you think he ought to pay a fine let me know what it is to-night at lodge meeting and I'll hand it to you." "All right," answered the judge. "I'm willing to do anything in reason; but you'll have to come in here and pick out your own nigger." "Lord, man," remonstrated the planter. "I can't take the time off to go in to the police station to-day! I'm as busy as a bird dog right this minute." "Can't help it," answered his honor. "I can't afford to take any more chances. Here just the other day Colonel Tolliver, down at Palmetto, called me up the same as you've done to-day and asked me to turn loose one of his cotton hands that was in the calaboose for shooting craps. I agreed to do it, but I plumb forgot the nigger's name; and to make sure of getting the right one and not disappointing Tolliver I had to turn loose every nigger on the docket. "There were fourteen of 'em in all—and one of 'em was charged with murder, too. It made a lot of talk and the chief of police kicked about it. If you want your nigger you come get him!"

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JOHN DAY, 880 Madison, Oct. 4, 1914.

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LADIES' TAILORING
SPECIAL VALUE—All work navy serge suit, full style at special price. 26, own materials made up \$12. The Davidson Co., Brown Block, Phone 4225. n10

LIVERY STABLES
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PLUMBING AND REPAIR—Call work etc. Foxford, 1617 Douglas. Phone 707.

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SEWER PIPE, field tile, ground fire clay, flower pots, etc. B. C. Pottery Co., 1141, corner Broad and Pandora streets, Victoria, B. C.

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LODGES
SONS OF ENGLAND R. S.—Alexandra Lodge, 115, meets first and third Wednesdays at 8 o'clock. J. W. C. Brown, 2516 Shelburne St., president; Jas. P. Temple, 1063 Burdett St., secretary.

LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE, No. 734, meets at K of P. Hall, North Park street, every Tuesday. Dictator, P. Bates, 1405 Woodland road. C. E. Coppeland, 1275, 1330 Minto street; P. O. Box 107.

LOYAL ORANGE ASSOCIATION—L. O. L., 1610, meets in Orange Hall, Yates street, second and fourth Mondays. P. O. Box 202, 442 Pandora St., W. C. Warren, R. S. 3, Cambridge St.

K. OF P.—No. 1, Fair West Lodge, Friday, K of P. Hall, North Park street, 1000 Government street.

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 2, I.O.O.F., meets Wednesdays, 8 p.m., in Odd Fellows' Hall, Douglas street. D. Dewar, P. O. Box 107.

COURT CARIBBO, No. 748, I.O.F., meets the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month in Princess Theatre. J. W. H. King, Rec. Sec.; E. P. Nathan, Fin. Sec.

A. O. F. COURT NORTHERN LIGHT, No. 6953, meets at Foresters' Hall, 5th Tuesday in A. O. F. Hall, Broad and 4th streets. W. F. Fullerton, Sec'y.

THE ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR meets on 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 8 o'clock in K of P. Hall, North Park street. Visiting members cordially invited.

THE ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS, Court Compton, No. 9233, meets at 8 o'clock on 1st and 3rd Tuesdays. T. W. Hawkins, Sec'y.

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CENTRAL PARK APARTMENTS, corner 3rd street, 2nd and 4th streets, n12
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THREE-ROOM FLAT, private entrance, 1st floor, North Park street, 1st and 2nd streets, n12
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HUNTERS—Advertiser with large yacht of modern build, would consider charter to hunting parties by day, week or month; go anywhere; terms reasonable. n12

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DANCING—Mrs. Simpson's Saturday night dancing, all will be held in Knights of Columbus Hall, Fort street, every Saturday till further notice. o9

NOTICE OF REMOVAL—W. Webster, inspector of Burroughs adding machines and typewriter specialties, has moved to 617 Moody block, Yates street, to 617 Moody block, Yates street. Phone No. 3929. n10

GOOD HUNTING, \$2.50 per day. Tresser and co. recruited. James Douglas, Cobble Hill. n21 ff

DANCE at Saanichton Agricultural Hall, Friday, Oct. 9, under management Mrs. Simpson. Miss Thain's orchestra. o8

WRITING—I will be glad to hear from old friends who have found my work satisfactory. Provis, 1941 Bee St., Oak Bay. n20

LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED, collected and delivered, \$1. Walter Dandridge, o16

FOR SALE—ARTICLES.

STRAINED GASOLINE, 2c. per gallon. Cameron Garage, Yates street. o19

FOR SALE—5 h. p., three-phase, 60- cycle, 220-volt motor, as good as new; price \$55. T. Plimley, 735 Johnson St. o6

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FOR SALE—Malleable and steel ranges, \$1 down, \$1 per week. 2021 Government street.

CORDWOOD—Stove lengths \$5.50 per cord, delivered. Western Coal & Wood Co., Tel. 4768. o17

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LADY'S MUSKRAT FUR COAT for sale, full length, size 40; no reasonable offer refused. Phone 737, 8 to 5 p.m. o16

"COLE" HEATER, number 15, almost new. \$8. Apply 156 Joseph street, Fairview. o8

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LOCAL NEWS

Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

Discuss Scheme.—The council of the board of trade met at 3 o'clock this afternoon to discuss the plan for the joint meeting of the boards of trade at Vancouver early this month. Routine matters also received attention.

Denman Street By-law.—A court of revision on the expropriation proceedings for the widening of Denman street will be held on Friday morning. The matter was postponed from an earlier court in order that new notices might be issued.

By-law Rescinded.—It was stated today that the Saanich firearms by-law, which checks firing within an area around the city and prevents Sunday shooting, has been well respected. A few shots were heard within the prohibited area on Sunday but comparative peace reigns in the place of conditions which used to apply formerly in the hunting season.

Tells of Province.—The provincial bureau of information has just issued a folder on British Columbia, which puts into a small space much information about this vast province. The photographic reproductions have reference to the industries and sports of the province. The production of the province in 1914 is given at \$163,726,415.

Jail Contract.—The building permit for the new jail was issued today to C. W. Carlock & Co., contractors for the building, the figure being set down at \$80,000. J. C. M. Keith is architect. The site will be parts of lots 597 and 598 Fisgard street, so that the more valuable portion of the market square will be left vacant for the contemplated improvements. Probably when the jail is under construction steps will be taken to improve the property and make it a real market square. The new jail building will be of reinforced concrete of four stories. In addition to the usual provision for the employment of Victorians, it has been provided that as far as possible goods made in British Columbia shall be used. There will be no attempt to rush construction, though, of course, there is a contract date set, the desire being that as far as is reasonable residents engaged in the building trade may find employment.

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OBITUARY RECORD

With Confucian rites the funeral of the late Wong Fhut Chin, a Chinese merchant, was held on Sunday afternoon, a long procession of the deceased's friends following the casket to the cemetery. The first services took place at an improvised altar in front of the business premises, 539 Fisgard street, after which the cortege of mourners, wearing their white head-dresses and bands, walked slowly out to Cook street, by the Chinese brass band in their khaki uniforms. At Cook street the mourners joined the procession of carriages, driving the remainder of the funeral to the Chinese burial ground, the leaders strewing the perforated paper along the way. The following acted as pallbearers: Wong Fook, Wong Chee, Wong King, Wong Do, Wong Chung, and Wong Man. The remains were later in the afternoon, brought back to the B. C. Funeral parlors, to be placed in the vaults there for several months pending their shipment to China for interment.

BORN.

OCTOBER 5, to the wife of W. L. Tiffin, at Private Maternity Home, 224 Queen's avenue, a daughter, Mrs. McKim. On 3rd inst., to Mr. and Mrs. B. McKim, 3125 Emma street, a son.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to all those kind friends who offered comforting words of sympathy and offered floral tributes on the occasion of the loss of a dear father.

MRS. J. N. CALWELL
Mrs. R. G. OSBORNE

REGIMENTS HOLD RECORD FIELD DAY

Over 1,000 Men Engaged in Sham Fight Near Victoria To-day

The most elaborate field day ever held on the Island is taking place to-day in the form of an attack on Victoria from the northeast. Approximately 1,000 men are engaged in the big sham fight, as all the local militia units have sent out as many men as they can spare for the occasion. The 88th regiment marched through the streets early this morning on the way to Mount Tolmie, the assembling point, and, except for the absence of uniforms, presented a very smart appearance.

HARVEST FESTIVAL HELD

Gorge Presbyterian Church Services and Social Attended by Many; Encouraging Reports.

The thanksgiving services and harvest festival held on Sunday and Monday in connection with the Gorge Presbyterian church drew together many members of the little congregation and Sunday school and of the congregation and Sunday school of the First Presbyterian church, which has supplied both money and workers so liberally to the little mission. The church had been beautifully decorated for the occasion with autumn flowers and fruit, the young people having undertaken this part of the work. With its ceiling and plastered and wainscotted walls the little building presents a greatly improved appearance since its reopening, and the installation of the heating plant will make it a comfortable place of worship for the coming winter. The entire work has been done by a local committee, which has supplied all the labor gratis, the members being Messrs. Thompson, Kennedy, McAlman, Lang, Miller and Cohout. The cost to date, the treasurer stated at the meeting last evening, has been only \$1,000, all of which, with the exception of \$300, has been paid, while the building is actually worth at a conservative estimate, \$2,000.

At the Sunday school rally on Sunday 45 pupils, under Superintendent Williston, with a loyal band of teachers, were present, and Rev. A. Raeburn Gibson preached at the evening services, when the hall was filled to capacity.

The festival last evening was marked by a very friendly spirit, and the church was all too small for the many who met to enjoy the excellent fare provided by the ladies of the First Presbyterian church and Mesdames Miller, Kennedy, Thompson, Cohout, McAlman and others of the Gorge church. Miss Lily Christie and Messrs. J. G. Brown and Jackson Hanby provided excellent singing. Mrs. Gleason recited and Messrs. John McBride and James Walker also contributed recitations during the evening. Mrs. Lewis Hall and Mr. Charlesworth presiding at the piano. Rev. J. G. Inkster made an affable chairman, and an inspiring address was delivered by Mr. Gibson at the close of the evening. Fifty dollars was collected toward the church debt.

Further consideration of the civic investigation committee's report will be taken up at a special meeting of the city council on Thursday evening. One meeting has already been held but it was impossible to cover the whole ground at a single session. In the subject is bound up the power, limited as it is, of the council over police commissions and school boards. While automatic increases have been given by both bodies, the aldermen are of the opinion that the time is coming when civic employees will have to be content with reductions rather than increases.

This afternoon there was a meeting of the inter-municipal committee, a body which was established some two years ago for the purpose of harmonizing the interests of the several municipalities in work where the jurisdiction threatens to overlap or clash. The special object of to-day's meeting was to determine whether it is possible to establish reciprocity in trade licenses under which a trading license given in one municipality will enable a man to trade in the other municipalities without any other permit.

The relief work on Blackwood street is proceeding satisfactorily and the men are doing better work than had been expected in some quarters. Plenty of men are available.

War prisoners' daily rations have been fixed by the war office as: bread, 1 1/2 lbs.; bacon, 1 lb.; meat, 8 oz.; or preserved meat, half ration; fresh vegetables, 8 oz.; butter or margarine, 1 oz.; condensed milk, one-twelfth of 1 lb. tin; tea, 1 oz.; coffee, 1 oz.; sugar, 2 oz.; salt, 1/2 oz.

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JURY IS STILL OUT IN SEDITION TRIAL

Peiley Case Proceeds in Assizes; Palmer Trial Transferred to Spring

While waiting for the jury's verdict in the seditious charge against Thomas Gillings, the Assize court this afternoon took up the charge of rape against Alexander Peiley. At the opening of the court a true bill was presented against B. von Dusen, although during the morning the jury came out and asked Mr. Justice Gregory just what constituted the offence of obtaining money by false pretences. A true bill against Dock and On Hing was also presented.

MEETINGS

Unitarian Women's Alliance.—The Unitarian Alliance of the Unitarian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Graves, 1915 Stanley avenue, to-morrow at 2.30 p. m.

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Linon Shower.—A linen shower will be held at the Royal Jubilee hospital on Friday afternoon between 3 and 5 p. m. Baskets for linen work will also be left at the stores of David Spencer, Ltd., and Gordon's, Ltd., for those who cannot find time to visit the hospital.

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Thanksoffering Meeting.—The Women's Missionary society of St. Columba church, Hulton street, will hold its thanksoffering meeting to-morrow at 3 p. m. in the church. Rev. W. L. Macfarlane, who is in charge of the mission work for the Presbyterian church among the East Indians in Victoria, will give an address.

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W. C. T. U. Concert Postponed.—The committee which had the preparations in hand for the W. C. T. U. concert has, on consideration, decided to postpone the concert which was to have been given in aid of the mission work of the W. C. T. U., until later in the month, further particulars of which will appear later.

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Bazaar To-day.—This afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock Mrs. W. J. Bowser formally opened the bazaar which has been organized by the Ladies Aid Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. The bazaar, which is proving highly successful will be open until 10 o'clock this evening in the lecture room of the church.

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To Teach English.—To-morrow evening the Y. M. C. A. will inaugurate a course of teaching English to foreigners. The class will be conducted on the Roberts' system of demonstrating the meaning of words by the use of objects and signs. Already twelve pupils, representing several languages, have enrolled.

FOR THE BELGIANS

Many Generous Contributions Received To-day at Alexandra Club for Relief of Sufferers.

A Belgian milk cart, drawn by a big mastiff, which is driven by a Flemish milk maiden in the picturesque costume of her country, clogs, wimple, and gaily striped apron, parades around the ballroom of the Alexandra club to-day. It is the I. O. D. E. "shower," which has drawn this attraction to such an unusual place.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
At New York—	First game	R. H. E.	
Philadelphia	.....	1 4 3	
New York	.....	5 10 1	
Batteries—Mayer and Doolin, Burns; O'Toole, Ritter and Smith.			
.....	Second game	R. H. E.	
Philadelphia	.....	8 10 1	
New York	.....	0 7 6	
Batteries—Baumgardner and Kilbifer; Erickson, Huencue and Johnson.			
At Brooklyn—	First game	R. H. E.	
Boston	.....	2 7 2	
Brooklyn	.....	3 9 1	
Batteries—Davis, Cochran and F. Tyler; Pfeiffer and McCreary.			
AMERICAN LEAGUE			
At Philadelphia—	R. H. E.		
New York	.....	2 4 2	
Philadelphia	.....	1 6 5	
Batteries—Cole and Schwert; Bender, Plank, Weykoff and Lapp.			
.....	Second game	R. H. E.	
Boston	.....	7 9 2	
Brooklyn	.....	3 7 0	
Batteries—Strand and Tyler; Ruckler, Enzman and Miller.			
At Boston—	R. H. E.		
Washington	.....	4 2 7	
Boston	.....	8 9 2	
Batteries—Shaw, Harper and Henry; Foster and Thomas.			

BOSTON'S CHANCES WEAKENED.

New York, Oct. 6.—James C. Smith, third-baseman of the Boston Nationals, broke his leg above the ankle in sliding to second base in the ninth inning of the first game of the double-header with Brooklyn to-day. Smith will be unable to play in the world's series. Deal, Dugay or Whitely will probably play in Smith's place in the big series.

KENTUCKY FUTURITY.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 6.—Peter Voio won the Kentucky Futurity for three-year-old trotters here to-day, breaking the world's record for three heats by a three-year-old trotter and lowering the record for the race. Peter Voio's best time was 2:03 2/5 in the third heat. Lee Axworthy was second; Lady Wanetka, third and Orlando Axworthy, fourth.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

Glasgow, Scotland, Oct. 6.—Following are the results of football games played to-day: Glasgow Cup—Queens Park, 0; Clyde, 3. Scottish League—Rathrovers, 2; Celtic, 2; Dundee, 0; Dumbarton, 0.

S. O. E.

Funeral Notice

All members are requested to meet at the Lodge-room, Courtenay Street, Wednesday, 7th, at 2 p. m., to attend the funeral of our late Brother, J. W. Baines. Visiting Brothers are invited to attend.

JAS. P. TEMPLE
Secretary.

WILL CONSIDER REPORT

City Council Will Take Up Civic Investigation Committee's Recommendations on Thursday.

Further consideration of the civic investigation committee's report will be taken up at a special meeting of the city council on Thursday evening. One meeting has already been held but it was impossible to cover the whole ground at a single session. In the subject is bound up the power, limited as it is, of the council over police commissions and school boards. While automatic increases have been given by both bodies, the aldermen are of the opinion that the time is coming when civic employees will have to be content with reductions rather than increases.

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TO REPEAT CONCERT

Programme in Aid of Patriotic Fund Will Be Given Wednesday and Thursday Evenings.

Owing to the great general interest which the enterprise has excited, the patriotic concert organized by the Ladies' Musical club for to-morrow evening has led to the selling of every seat in the Royal Victoria theatre. In order that many would-be patrons of the entertainment may not be disappointed arrangements have been made by the musical club to repeat the concert on Thursday night, and every possible effort is being made to adhere strictly to the programme as it will be given to-morrow evening.

DISCUSSES PHASES OF GREAT BATTLE

Father of Two Soldiers Takes Great Interest in War; Allies in Good Position

"The battle of the Aisne will go down to history as the most stupendous struggle between two forces of all time. I believe that when the truth is known and the number of the lost are counted up, there will be nothing even in the bloodiest records of the old historians to measure up in magnitude with the gigantic slaughter in three weeks or more in which this single battle has been in progress."

The speaker was George P. Purvis, a south of England business man who arrived in the city this morning from Southampton. He has followed the progress of the war with great interest, especially since two of his sons are engaged at the front. For weeks he has heard nothing of their whereabouts.

EXHIBITION WILL BE HELD ON THREE DAYS

Made-in-Victoria Display to Be Staged at Drill Hall October 22-24

Plans for the Made-in-Victoria exhibition which is to be held on October 22, 23 and 24 are growing. The display is to be thoroughly representative of the factories of Victoria. Despite the conditions of wartime, the quality of the goods made in this city, the initiative of the workpeople and the enterprise of the managements have shown no falling off, and though made-in-Victoria exhibits proved a great feature of the last provincial exhibition, this one will surpass anything of its kind which has ever been staged here in the past. The united effort of the B. C. Manufacturers' association will assure a most attractive display.

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Financial News

BUYERS CLAMOR FOR PORTLAND OFFERINGS

Stock Was Not to Be Had at Bid Prices; Oil Issues Decline

Constructive interest attached to Portland Canal as for the last several sessions of the exchange. Underneath support in these shares was a potent factor in the list and buyers were disposed to snap up offerings on first opportunity should such be presented.

Oil issues throughout acted poorly, weakness centering chiefly in Monarch, which stock closed at only 40c bid, with actual sales now being made around 50c per share.

Blackbird Syndicate	10 40.00
B. C. Refining Co.	25 .50
B. C. Copper Co.	2.00
C. N. P. Fisheries	35 .85
Coronation Gold	62 1.00
Lucky Jim Zinc	62 .85
McGillivray Coal	10 .18
Nugget Gold	20 .20
Portland Canal	62 .85
Rambler Cariboo	25 .50
Red Cliff	48 .80
Standard Lead	1.00 1.70
Snowstorm	25 .50
Slocan Star	25 .50
Stewart Land	7.50

Glacier Creek	.03 .65
Island Investment	25.00
Union Club (deb.)	27.00
Western Can. P. Mills	100.00
P. C. Tunnels	67 .20

WINNIPEG WHEAT HAS A STRONGER OPENING

Winnipeg, Oct. 6.—Winnipeg wheat opened higher on strong cables, general bullish news and a good cash demand, but selling pressure proved too much in absence of speculative trade and hedging in Winnipeg.

Wheat—	Open	Close
Oct.	107 1/2	108 1/2
Nov.	108 1/2	109 1/2
Dec.	109 1/2	110 1/2
Jan.	110 1/2	111 1/2
Feb.	111 1/2	112 1/2
Mar.	112 1/2	113 1/2
Apr.	113 1/2	114 1/2
May	114 1/2	115 1/2
June	115 1/2	116 1/2
July	116 1/2	117 1/2
Aug.	117 1/2	118 1/2
Sept.	118 1/2	119 1/2
Oct.	119 1/2	120 1/2

LEAVES FIRM FOR TIME.

New York, Oct. 6.—The banking firm of Speyer & company, originally founded in Frankfurt, Germany, and still maintaining German communications, notified the stock exchange to-day that in view of the proclamation forbidding British subjects to give aid to Germany, financial or otherwise, Sir Edgar Speyer, their London partner, had temporarily severed his connection with the firm.

CHAIRMAN DRAYTON RETURNS.

Ottawa, Oct. 6.—Chairman Drayton, of the board of railway commissioners, who has been in London for the past two months assisting Hon. Geo. H. Perley, the acting high commissioner, will arrive in Boston to-morrow on the steamer Laconia. He will be back in Ottawa on Thursday.

SEVERAL BEARISH FACTORS DEVELOP

Wheat in Chicago Pit Unable to Withstand Selling Wave

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Chicago, Oct. 6.—There appeared to be a combination of bearish interests at work in this wheat to-day, including the British government, which again held up early quotations on futures, the big cash wheat concerns in the northwest trade and leading interests here following what looked like a natural bulge in the market.

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Dec.	109 1/2	109 3/4	107 1/2	107 1/2
Jan.	110 1/2	110 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Feb.	111 1/2	111 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
Mar.	112 1/2	112 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
Apr.	113 1/2	113 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
May	114 1/2	114 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
June	115 1/2	115 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2
July	116 1/2	116 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
Aug.	117 1/2	117 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2
Sept.	118 1/2	118 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
Oct.	119 1/2	119 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2

EXAMPLE OF AMERICA COMMENDED IN PARIS

Paris, Oct. 6, 6.05 a.m.—All the newspapers print a dispatch announcing that prayers for peace were offered throughout America on Sunday last. Commenting on the incident, the Gaulois regrets that the example has not been followed by France, and declares that President Wilson is not afraid to have the American republic claim before the Most High.

LASSEN SPOUTS BOMBS

Activity of Californian Volcano Also Melts Snow and Chokes Irrigation Ditches. Chico, Cal., Oct. 6.—Balls of fire and flaming gas were seen last night spouting from the craters of Lassen peak. These fireballs are what seismologists call bombs, and are superheated boulders torn loose from the throat of the crater and shot upward by explosions of steam.

METHODIST QUESTION REMAINS.

Ottawa, Oct. 6.—Just as the Methodist church authorities in Canada have asked once a year all young men studying for the ministry if they use tobacco, snuff or intoxicating beverages, so will they in the future, continue to ask the question. And, as in the past, the answer must be "No."

EXAMINE THE LION'S MANE



The Glory of a Lion is his Mane. This is a reproduction of one of a number of picture post cards now popular in the United Kingdom, and incidentally it shows the appreciation felt of the ready response from the overseas Dominions to the call for men to fight the empire's battles.

ALLIES' CONFIDENCE IS NOT DIMINISHED

No Importance Attached to Slight Yielding on Line of Fighting

Paris, Oct. 6.—Despite the official announcement of yesterday that the allies had yielded somewhat, confidence to-day in the ultimate success of the British and the French in the action on the left wing of the battle-front in northern France has by no means diminished.

SCOUTS GREAT HELP IN TIME OF WAR

Boys Making Good as Orderlies and Patrols; Many of Them Excellently Trained. The Boy Scouts of Great Britain are distinguishing themselves in almost every way suggested by juvenile fiction.

PATRIOTIC FUND

Sympathizers Generously Offer Help and Money; Victoria's Fund Grows. The Patriotic Fund continues to grow and while the list is not set by any means closed it is anticipated that by the end of the present campaign Victoria will stand very well by comparison with any other Canadian city of the same size.

NO DESIRE TO HOLD THE MARSHALL GROUP

Washington, Oct. 6.—Japan has no design to violate in any sense the undertaking she gave at the beginning of the war to confine her military operations to the Far East, the Japanese embassy here announced to-day, and the landing of Japanese blue-jackets on Jaluit Island, one of the Marshall group in the Pacific, is regarded at the embassy here as fully within the scope of the pledge.

INDISCREET AMERICAN ACTED MAIL CARRIER

London, Oct. 6, 2 p.m.—George S. Speetz, a racing man who said he was in the employ of W. E. D. Stokes, and who was arrested by Scotland Yard detectives on the charge of carrying letters between London and Berlin, has been released, and will sail for New York to-morrow.

RESIGNS TO COMMAND ITALIAN ARMY CORPS

London, Oct. 6, 8.40 a.m.—A dispatch from Rome to the Exchange Telegraph company gives another reason for the resignation of General Tassoni, the under secretary of state for war. It says he has resigned to re-enter the military service and will command an army corps.

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A SURE PERSONAL TEST

will locate the exact cause of your steady destruction of health, if that cause be tea or coffee. It's worth knowing the plain, sober fact before organic heart trouble or other disease sets in, which perhaps cannot be cured. The test is pleasant, accurate and satisfying—Quit both tea and coffee absolutely for ten days and in their place use POSTUM. Postum now comes in two forms. Regular Postum must be boiled. Instant Postum—soluble form made in the cup instantly, with hot water. Both kinds of this famous food-drink have a delightful flavor and are absolutely free from caffeine (the drug in tea and coffee) or any injurious substance. If in a few days you begin to sleep soundly at night, digest your food better, stomach and bowels show signs of recovery, or the old feeling of weakness of the heart leaves, or head works clearer, (the ails of tea and coffee) the facts will be before you, and

HERE'S WHAT'S WHAT IN EUROPEAN WAR

How to Pronounce Some of the Names Appearing in the Dispatches

Several readers have written to the New York Sun requesting the publication of a key to the pronunciation of some of the place-names frequently in the war dispatches. In the following list an attempt is made to give as nearly as possible the English equivalents of many of the names.

- Aisne—Ayn.
- Aix-la-Chapelle—Ex la shappell.
- Aisace—Al zass.
- Amiens—Am en.
- Argonne—Ar gon.
- Brabant-le-Roi—Bra bonn le rwa (a short).
- Cambray—Cam bray.
- Châlons—Chal lon (nasal).
- Charlottenburg—Shan tee ee.
- Craonne—Kray on.
- Chateau Salins—Sha to sal an (nasal).
- Chateau Thierry—Sha to tee ry.
- Campagne—Com pa yne.
- Coulommiers—Cool o mee ay.
- Epernay—Ay pear nay.
- Epinal—Ep enal.
- Ghent—Ghan (nasal).
- Liege—Lee eah.
- Lierre—Lee yere.
- Loire—Loe are.
- Louvain—Loo van (nasal).
- Lunenburg—Loo an veel.
- Mauberge—Mo burzh (r not sounded).
- Meaux—Mo.
- Metz—Merz.
- Meuse—Merze (r silent).

- Mezleres—May ze air.
- Mons—Mawngs (nasal).
- Montdidier—Mawng dee di ay (first syll. labio-nasal).
- Montfaucon—Mawng fo con (nasal).
- Nantes—Nawnt.
- Nanteuil—Nawng teh yee.
- Oise—Waw.
- Orquy—Ork.
- Peronne—Pear ron.
- Pont-a-Mousson—Pon tah mooos awn (nasal).
- Rambervillers—Rom ber veal yay.
- Raon l'Etape—Ray on lay tap.
- Revinny—Ray veen yay.
- Rheims—Rance (nasal).
- St. Die—San dee ay.
- St. Menchould—San men cold.
- St. Quentin—San kon tan (nasal).
- Sonlis—San lease.
- Seine—Sen.
- Soissons—Swas sohn (nasal).
- Somme—Sum.
- Suppe—Sweep.
- Termonde—Ter mond.
- Thuncrey—Tee o koor.
- Toul—Tool.
- Valenciennes—Val on sen ee.
- Vervins—Vair van (nasal).
- Vesle—Vell.
- Vit-sur-Aisne—Vik seer ayne (French u).
- Ville-sur-Tourbe—Vil seer toorb (French u).
- Virvy-le-Francois—Vee tree le fran swaw.

- Austria-Hungary.
- Grodek—Grow dek.
- Ravaruska—Rav a roos ka.
- Halicz—Hal itch.
- Czeronowitz—Chair no vitz.
- Przemysl—Pshem e sel (accent first syll. labial).
- Tisza—Toes sa.
- Tomaszow—Tom as hoff (second syllable).
- Jaroslaw—Yar o slaff.
- Dulcester—Dines ter.
- Opole—Op o le (second syllable).
- Turobin—Tur bin.
- Krasnostav—Kras no stoff.
- Wisloka—Vis lok a.
- Holland.
- Maastricht—Mas tricht.
- Balkans.
- Drina—Dreen a.
- Sava—Sav a.
- Visegrad—Vish e grad.
- Sarajevo—Sar a yav o.
- Srebrenica—Sra bran it za.
- Russia.
- Kielce—Kiel ce.
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And further take Notice that any such persons who do not comply with the above requirements forthwith, will be proceeded against.

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Mr. John G. McDonald, Pictou, N. S., writes: "I used Dr. Chase's Ointment for itching piles, and found that the first application gave relief. After using a few boxes of the ointment I was completely cured, and can recommend it highly to all sufferers from this disease. You have my permission to use this letter for the benefit of others."

Mr. James M. Douglass, Superior Junction, Ont., writes: "For about six years I suffered from piles, and often could not work for two or three days at a time, so great was the suffering from pain and itching. Doctors treated me in vain, and I tried many treatments before I came across Dr. Chase's Ointment. Two boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment cured me, and for several months I have had no return of this annoying ailment."

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Work for the Victoria Patriotic Fund.

"This council realizing the urgent need of a building for the accommodation, convenience and recreation of the soldiers and sailors stationed in Esquimalt and having a home built by public subscription for that purpose in our midst which has been kept closed for a number of years, we would respectfully ask our member to bring the matter to the attention of the government and urge them to take the necessary action to have the said building set apart for the use of the active service men now quartered in Esquimalt."

Such was the resolution submitted by Councilor J. S. McAdam to the Esquimalt council last night. It was carried unanimously after a few words by the mover, who explained that while it was all right for the home to be closed when there were only a few troops in the place, it was only proper for it to be opened up now that there were 2,000 or 3,000 soldiers and sailors stationed in Esquimalt.

Two other matters connected with the military came before the council. Captain Moore, D.S.A., wrote a letter asking that the fine imposed upon him in police court for riding his bicycle on the sidewalk be remitted. He said he was on important business for the commanding officer at the time. The reverend remarked that he had been riding on the sidewalk for a year and the letter was received and filed.

Councilor McAdam asked the police committee to look into the matter of having the commanding officer appoint a picket to keep order in the village at night, as there was but one policeman. Councilor Mesher said he had seen no disorder, but the police committee was directed to report.

Progress estimates on the sewer work in the village authorized the payment to Hugh McDonald for sections E and D, respectively \$1,181 and \$38,374, and to Agnew and Young \$25,953.

PROPOSAL CARRIED

City Council Decides to Ask Citizens to Vote on By-law for Raising of \$250,000.

The city council decided last evening to have a by-law prepared by the finance committee and the city solicitor calling for bids on \$250,000 worth of treasury bills to be issued at par value in denominations of \$100, \$500 and \$1,000. The money raised is to be used to carry out a programme of public works and to expedite construction of the new Jubilee hospital.

Alderman McNeill, chairman of the finance committee, introduced the matter to the attention of his colleagues in a formal resolution. He first asked that the sum provided for in the notice of motion, \$350,000, be reduced to \$250,000 and stated that it was necessary to introduce the by-law in order to provide for public works of various kinds. No offer of \$75,000 had been made by the provincial government for assisting with the construction of the Jubilee hospital buildings but some \$40,000 was promised for completion of the kitchen and other works actually under construction. Before the by-law was passed finally, the council could have the directors of the hospital state the amount of funds required, and the amount of the by-law could then be amended if necessary.

The resolution was passed unanimously.

Dante Gabriel Rossetti once showed Whistler a sketch and asked his opinion of its merits. "It has good points," Rossetti said Whistler. "Go ahead with it by all means." Later he inquired how it was getting along. "All right," answered Rossetti, cheerfully. "I've ordered a stunning frame for it." In due time the canvas appeared at Rossetti's house in Cheyne Walk, beautifully framed. "You've done nothing to it since I saw it, have you?" said Whistler. "No-o," replied Rossetti, "but I've written a sonnet on the subject, if you'd like to hear it." He recited some lines of peculiar tenderness. "Rossetti," said Whistler, as the recitation ended, "take out the picture and frame the sonnet."

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DECIDE TO AMEND EARLY CLOSING LAW

Aldermen Set Closing Hour at 8 p. m. After Oct. 15; Deputation Heard

The city council last evening by a majority of one decided to introduce a by-law to amend the Early Closing by-law recently passed. The vote was: Ayes—The mayor, Aldermen Todd, Porter, McMicking and Dilworth. Nays—Aldermen Fullerton, McNeill, McCandless and Sargent.

Before the council meeting began, a deputation from the Retail Employees' organization was heard by the aldermen. The deputation urged the enforcement of the by-law in its existing form.

D. W. Poupard, secretary of the organization, contended that if the amendment was carried, instead of a half-holiday being secured, the hours for every day in the week would be longer. The organization fully understood the claim for remaining open made by suburban grocers, but believed that shopping would be done earlier if the public learned that compulsory closing was operative.

Other speakers urged that there would be no embarrassment to trade, not even that of the smaller traders, if there were compulsory early closing. Comment was made on the manner in which the council's opinion had swung from week to week.

F. C. Elliott appealed on behalf of the Chinese merchants, by whom a petition had been prepared, asking that the present by-law be allowed to remain inoperative so far as the Chinese district is concerned. Most of the business of the Chinese stores was done after 6 p.m., when the Chinese reached home after the day's work.

The petition to which Mr. Elliott referred was signed by 62 merchants and other Chinese residents.

Several petitions on the matter from suburban storekeepers were read.

At the meeting of the council which followed the hearing of the deputation, the subject was brought up by the introduction by Alderman Todd of a motion to amend the by-law, which Alderman McMicking seconded. This amendment would do away with the clause requiring closing of stores at 6 p.m.

The applause which greeted references favorable to the operation of the by-law as originally passed forced the mayor to suppress all expressions of opinion. There was a long debate, during which each alderman spoke.

In moving his motion, Ald. Todd said the time was most inopportune for the enforcement of the six o'clock rule, as conditions were not normal. The present measure was an experimental by-law. As things were in an extraordinary condition, the minority must be protected against pressure of conditions.

Alderman Porter supported Alderman Todd. He believed the by-law should be held in abeyance at the present time.

Alderman McNeill observed that it was quite truly declared that the council was going round in a circle on the matter. Whatever by-law was adopted, it would be opposed. Given a fair chance the by-law would not work a hardship on anyone.

Alderman McCandless pointed out that in the four times the council had

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OCTOBER 7

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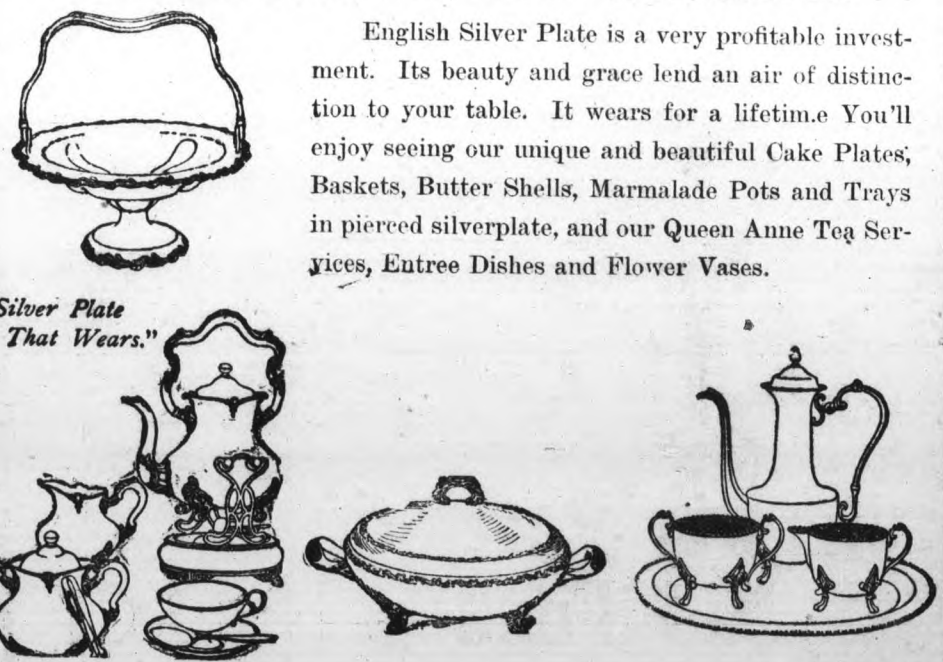


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TAXES RETURNED.

Saanich Donates to City the Amounts Paid on City Parks in Adjoining Municipality; for Market Work.

The city council was formally notified last evening, in a letter from Clerk Cowper, that Saanich has donated to the city all taxes paid by the city on its parks in Saanich during 1914.

Alderman Todd moved a vote of thanks to the Saanich council, but Alderman Dilworth said the money should have come back to the parks committee, to which it justly belonged, for improvement work on the Mount Douglas and Gorge parks. The motion of thanks was then passed. The money is to be used in improving the market.

The council agreed to allow the industrial committee's circular, "an appeal to the citizens to support home industries" to be inserted in letters sent out from the water commissioner's department, including accounts.

Another dear old thing suggests that, in order to facilitate the work of the police, all spies should be compelled to wear a distinctive dress.—Punch.

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