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GAINS WERE MADE AT SEVERAL POINTS

Advance Made in Lorraine; French Pressing Forward in Alsace

HUNS GAINED Foothold IN TRENCH NEAR SOUCHEZ

Belgians Captured Trench Southwest of St. Georges; Dunkirk Bombarded

Paris, June 22.—The French war office today gave out the following statement on the progress of hostilities:

"The seaport of Dunkirk was bombarded last night by a piece of long-range artillery. Fourteen shells were thrown and some persons belonging to the civil population were killed.

"Belgian troops, at a point to the southwest of St. Georges, took possession of a German trench, all the defenders of which either were killed or taken prisoners.

"In the sector to the north of Arras during last night the enemy, following a bombardment of great intensity, attacked at several different points. They were driven back everywhere except at a point to the southeast of Souchez, where they were successful in gaining a foothold in a section of a trench. In the region of 'The Labyrinth' the enemy suffered heavy losses. A German counter-attack last evening directed against the position which we had captured to the east of the Quennewies farm was checked by our infantry and artillery fire. The enemy made use of bombs containing asphyxiating gases.

"In the Argonne area, along the roadway running from Binerville to the chateau mentioned in last night's report, the situation has undergone no change.

"In Lorraine, as a result of an attack, we have advanced for 300 yards to the north of our former positions on the east slope of Retillon and occupied the ridges to the south of Rembois, repulsed easily the counter-attack which was begun at Leintrey, and stopped another to the southeast of Parroy, taking a number of prisoners.

"In the valley of the Fecht all our gains have been retained, and we continue to make progress. We have passed to the north of Metzeral, as well as to the south of this town, and, furthermore, we have gained ground beyond the river Anas Assun.

"In the region of Sonnerdach we took some prisoners and captured three machine guns."

"WANT ALL WE CAN GET," SAYS BARNES

Representatives of British Government Reached Vancouver This Morning

Vancouver, June 22.—Having arrived in the city this morning from the east, George N. Barnes, member of the Imperial House of Commons, and William Windham, of the British board of trade, the members of Lloyd George's munitions committee who are touring Canada receiving applications from mechanics desiring to go to the British Isles, at once started their investigations here by meeting a number of prominent business men and delegations representing labor interests here.

"We want all the men we can get," remarked Mr. Barnes, outlining his mission, "but we want it clearly understood that the mechanics to whom we furnish transportation and with whom we enter into contracts must come within the special classifications. We cannot hire any others. We want machinists, boiler-makers, shipwrights and blacksmiths mainly."

Special attention was directed to the fact that only applications filled out on the regular official forms and filed with the city clerk at the city hall would be given consideration.

"I would like to lay special stress on this rule," Mr. Barnes remarked. "We are following a certain plan and it is imperative that this step be taken by all applicants."

In response to a question as to the probable number of mechanics who would be given transportation from Canada, Mr. Barnes said he estimated the number would run between 2,000 and 3,000. Until he and his associate had looked after the forms signed here he would not be in a position to hazard any statement as to the number that would be engaged in Vancouver. There are understood to have been 3,000 applications for employment already filed at the city hall.

Mr. Barnes and Mr. Windham will conduct a preliminary survey of the applications, sifting them into divisions and picking out the eligibles, but the final selection will be left for foremen

WAS IN BOULOGNE FOR THE WEEK-END

Lloyd George Discussed Production of Munitions With French Under-Secretary

COMMITTEES BEING FORMED BY MINISTER

Expected That Canadians in London Will Subscribe to New War Loan

London, June 22.—Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, minister of munitions, who has returned from a week-end stay at Boulogne, where he consulted Albert Thomas, French under-secretary for war, on matters connected with munitions, is forming committees in London and in all the manufacturing towns to take advantage of every possibility for increasing the production of munitions, which is the gravest problem confronting the allies in all theatres of the war.

The Times this morning prints a dispatch from its correspondent in eastern France, who asserts that if the French troops are to drive home their offensive in overwhelming force they must use a tremendously increased bulk of ammunition. The same lesson comes from Britain from the Woevre front, he points out, while the retreat of the Russian army in Galicia hammers it home again. The correspondent says the daily output of shells certainly is much larger than it was four months ago and that it is possible a reserve supply of ammunition is being built up much more rapidly at the front than is apparent.

London, June 22.—The general impression among the members of the Canadian financial community here is that there will be a pretty heavy selling of Dominion and the other Canadian securities by holders anxious to exchange for the new imperial war loan. The recent Dominion issues, attractive as they would be in normal times, look now too cheap in view of the generous terms offered by the British government. However, there was plenty of business yesterday in Canadian 4 1/2 per cent. near the one hundred mark.

It is thought that the new loan will take a lot of money off the market, thus strengthening the rate for call money and discount rates.

The American attitude is awaited with interest. Americans do not like paying the British income tax on dividends and speculation is rife as to whether the British government will appeal for American money on spot.

PREPARING NOW FOR A GENERAL ATTACK?

Great Activity Among Ships of Allied Fleet at Dardanelles

Paris, June 22.—"Although the operations on the Gallipoli Peninsula have assumed of late the aspect of siege warfare, local attacks and counter-attacks continue," says a Havas dispatch sent from Athens. "The fighting was particularly intense last Wednesday, when the allies repulsed a Turkish attack and took 700 prisoners.

"The trenches of the allies at the southern extremity of the peninsula are four miles from Seddul Bahr. Near Avl Burnu the trenches form a square. "Great activity has been noted among the ships of the allied fleet for the last few days, leading to the belief that a general attack on the straits is imminent."

of war office and admiralty workshops who are following the special delegation in conducting examinations and weeding out the applicants. The railway also will have charge of the special transportation arrangements.

There was a constant stream of callers on Messrs. Barnes and Windham at the Hotel Vancouver this morning, a delegation of labor men consisting of J. H. McVety, president of the Trades and Labor Council; R. P. Pettipiece and J. T. Brooks, secretary of the Machinists' union, were among the visitors.

Mr. Barnes was secretary of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers (machinists) of the British Isles, but resigned office when elected as Labor member of the House of Commons for one of the Glasgow divisions.

General Dewet Was Sentenced to Six Years; Fined \$10,000

Bloemfontein, June 22.—Following his conviction on a charge of treason, General Dewet, leader of the recent insurrection in South Africa, was sentenced to-day to six years' imprisonment and fined \$10,000.

PATENAUDE JOINS DOMINION CABINET

Coderre, Secretary of State, Has Placed Resignation in Borden's Hands

Ottawa, June 22.—Hon. Louis Coderre, secretary of state, has placed his resignation in the hands of Sir Robert Borden. He will be succeeded by Esloff Leon Patenaude, member of the Quebec legislative assembly, who will be sworn in this week either as secretary of state or minister of inland revenue. If he becomes minister of inland revenue, Hon. P. E. Blondin will go to the state department.

Esloff Leon Patenaude was born on February 12, 1875, at St. Isidore, Quebec, the son of Hillaire and Mrs. Patenaude. He was educated at Montreal College and Laval University, receiving the degree of B. A. He was married on May 8, 1914, to Georgia Deniger, daughter of Antoine Deniger, of Laprairie, and is the father of two children, Rose Angele and Alphonse. He was an advocate and was elected a member of the legislative assembly of Quebec for Laprairie at the general election in 1908, and was re-elected in 1912. He resides at 26 St. James street, Montreal.

Mr. Patenaude describes himself as a Conservative-Nationalist.

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On the other hand the Germans in north Russia and Poland are consolidating their gains in a manner which suggests more important movements in these regions. The seaport of Libau has been fortified strongly. Heavy naval guns have been mounted and Prince Henry of Prussia, who was there recently, is credited with the statement that the Germans intend to retain Libau at all costs, as they regard this port to be the key to the Baltic.

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ARE READY TO TAKE OFFENSIVE AGAIN

Russian Armies, Though They Have Been Falling Back, Are Intact

RETIREMENT CARRIED OUT IN GOOD ORDER

The Situation in Galicia; Huns Will Try to Hold Libau, on Baltic Sea

London, June 22.—Nothing but a sudden and unexpected blow by Grand Duke Nicholas, commander-in-chief of the Russian forces in the field, can save Lemberg, in the hands of the Russians for nearly ten months, from returning to its former owners. The almost immediate evacuation of the city by the Russians is expected in London.

After yielding on the Grodek lines, the Russian armies retired virtually to the outskirts of the city of Lemberg itself. The Austrian official announcement speaks of the Russians as attacking at many points, but these attacks are assumed in London merely to be incidents of the rear-guard actions being fought to enable the main forces to withdraw. British observers agree that the retirement up to the present has been a well executed movement.

Dispatches reaching London say the armies of Emperor Nicholas are virtually intact and that their ability to resume the offensive once their ranks have been refilled and their ammunition replenished, has not been impaired.

Such an interval, however, it is argued here, would give the Germanic allies an opportunity to reap the fruits of the victories in Galicia. They would be able to withstand assaults from the east with much smaller forces than were required to attack successfully. Large masses of men would be released. The successes of the allies on the western front suggest that the Germans need to strengthen their lines there greatly. The released Austrian forces would be used to meet the advance of the Italians.

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NEW GOVERNMENT TO BE FORMED IN SPAIN

Madrid, June 22.—The Spanish cabinet resigned to-day, the government considering the failure of the recent loan as equivalent to vote of lack of confidence. Only one-sixteenth of the loan was subscribed.

TAGES ZEITUNG WILL NOT BE PUBLISHED

Berlin, June 22.—Publication of the Tages Zeitung to-day was ordered suspended indefinitely. The action of the German authorities was due to displeasure over a recent article on German-American relations by Count von Reventlow.

1,468 REPORTED AS KILLED IN ACTION

Canadian Casualty Lists Have Reached Total of 9,238; 5,891 Wounded

Ottawa, June 22.—The casualty lists of the past two days indicate that the losses the Canadian division suffered during the fighting from June 12 to June 15 were light as compared with the losses sustained in the battle at St. Julien.

The lists have reached a total of 9,238. Of this number 1,468 have been reported as killed in action, 5,891 as wounded, and 1,879 as missing.

The following list was issued to-day: Canadian Divisional Headquarters.—Wounded: Pte. Sidney Smith Walter, England.

Second Battalion.—Wounded: Pte. Walter Thomas Robus, Peabody, Eng.; Pte. Frank William Foster, Exeter, Eng.; Sergt. Joseph Scott Stone, Ponor, Eng.

Fourth Battalion.—Killed in action: Sergt. Henry Hickey, Honeywood, Ont.; Wounded: Pte. William Johnson, address unknown; Pte. Patrick Desmond, no address given.

Suffering from shock: Pte. David Irving Charters, Sackville, N. B.; Fifth Battalion.—Killed in action: Corp. Geoffrey Brougham Wards, Manchester, Eng.

Suffering from shock: Pte. Edward Thomas Birkett, Oxford, Eng.; Missing: Pte. K. E. Cameron, Scotland.

Thirteenth Battalion.—Killed in action: Pte. George P. Marceau, Farnham, Que.

Fifteenth Battalion.—Missing between April 24 and 25: Pte. John Hendry, Scotland; Pte. A. W. Holby, England; Pte. A. Cox, Toronto; Pte. Thomas Barker, Toronto.

Royal Canadian Dragoons.—Killed in action: Pte. William Reader, Waiding, Eng.

Wounded: Pte. C. D. Blackwell, Wolverhampton, Eng.

THOUGH WOUNDED, HE REMAINED WITH GUN

Story of Lieut. Tupper's Pluck; In Hospital in England Now

Ottawa, June 22.—A miraculous escape from death at St. Julien was that of Lieut. Reginald Tupper, son of Sir Charles Hilbert Tupper, K. C., of Vancouver, according to a letter received here.

Lieut. Tupper, who was the officer in charge of the machine gun section of the 16th Battalion, was shot first through the thigh, the bullet passing through the lower part of his body. He managed to stick to his gun, but a second series of shots arrived and went through both legs. One leg was broken and the heel of the other foot was shattered.

Hours before the stretcher-bearers came, gangrene developed and doctors gave him up, but the young officer has pulled through and now is in a hospital in England with good prospects of recovery.

Captain Merritt, brother-in-law of Lieut. Tupper, was killed when fighting beside him.

Germans claim they have taken Lemberg

London, June 22.—Persistent rumors in Berlin say that Lemberg has fallen, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch received here to-day from Copenhagen. The retreat of the Russians, the dispatch said, was due to the weakness of their artillery and their lack of ammunition.

HUNS HAVE MOVED MEN FROM THE WEST

Some of Units Which Were in Belgium Are in Galicia Now

RISKING ALL IN ATTEMPT AGAINST THE RUSSIANS

Enemy Has Suffered Enormous Losses; a Review of Official Reports

London, June 22.—Desperate fighting for the possession of Lemberg, capital and chief city of Galicia, under the eyes of the Kaiser, was the outstanding feature of the war situation as outlined in reports to-day. Petrograd dispatches simply say that hot fighting is proceeding and emphasize local German and Austrian repulses. From Berlin and Vienna come allegations that Lemberg is nearly isolated and that Grand Duke Nicholas may be forced to abandon the city in order to draw off his huge armies out of danger of being encompassed by the Austro-German forces.

Special dispatches to the Telegraph from the Russian capital declare that units of the German army which have been in Belgium have appeared on the front in Galicia, and the opinion is expressed that the Kaiser is risking all in an attempt to cripple the Russians badly that their armies will be impotent when the expected general advance of the allies in the west begins.

The Telegraph's correspondent declares that the losses of the Teutons on the front in Galicia have been enormous, and that as fast as one battalion is swept away by the Russians another comes forward to take its place. He states that undoubtedly it is by withdrawals of troops from the western front that Germany is able to feed her regiments into the mouths of the Russian guns and to force the Slavs back by sheer expenditure of men.

The following is a summary of the announcements made in the latest official reports:

Russian—"The enemy's offensive continues," is in effect the Russian summary of the operations around Lemberg. Stubborn fighting on the whole front in Galicia and Bukovina is reported. The simple statement is made that "our troops retired from the Grodek lines to the Lemberg positions. Repulses of the Germans on the Narew river front and the capture of hundreds of prisoners when a German attack south of the Pilica river was stopped, are announced.

German and Austrian—Both Berlin and Vienna claim the capture of Rawa Ruska and Zolkiew, near Lemberg, where it is said the Russians are being attacked everywhere in their positions in and near the Galician capital. General von Mackensen's army and that more directly under the command of Field-Marshal Count von Hofenzern are claimed to be closing in from the northern side, while General Ermailoff and General Planzer are said to be striking in from the Bessarabian front. The Russians are reported as holding grimly to the marshes of the Dniester and their lines along some heights near Lemberg.

In the west Berlin claims a repulse of the French near Souchez and at Les Eparges, in the Meuse Hills. It is admitted that there has been a retreat before the French advance to the east of Lunville, but the French are said to have been repulsed in the Vosges, while the capture of several lines of trenches in the Argonne is claimed.

French, British and Belgian—Admission of a check in the Argonne, where the Germans used asphyxiating gases in large quantities, was offset by the announcement of gains in the Meuse and Lorraine sectors. In Alsace, Metzeral has fallen to the French. The fall of Souchez, in the region north of Arras, is predicted as near. This, in great measure would open the way for an advance on Lens. Artillery battles continue along the British and the Belgian fronts. Paris special dispatches intimate that the time is near when the British, the Belgians, and the French, will start a big offensive movement.

Belgian—Heavy storms have hampered the advance of the Italians in the Trentino and toward Trieste. Attacks on the fortress of Malborgeth continue. Small actions in the mountains along the Isonzo river are chronicled, with comparatively small gains.

Serbian—It is reported that Serbia is concentrating a large army, and that as soon as it is ready a general advance in force will be made into Austrian territory.

Bulgaria—Sofia is negotiating with the allies for entrance into the war, but so far apparently no definite bargain has been struck. The question of territorial compensation is being threshed out with Greece, Serbia and Roumania.

Turkish—Fighting along the Dardanelles is reported by Constantinople as continuing by land and sea. Few of the allies' battleships appear to be in action and Turkish reports indicate that the allies are perfecting some new scheme of attack.

FAILURE ATTENDS ENEMY'S ATTEMPTS

Austrians Try in Vain to Dislodge Italians From Positions at Plava

SMALL ENGAGEMENTS ON TYROL-TRENTINO FRONT

Attack on Malborgeth Continues; Official Report Issued at Rome

Rome, June 22.—The following official statement was issued to-night at the headquarters of the general staff of the Italian army:

"There is nothing to report on the Tyrol-Trentino front except small engagements between reconnoitering parties in the San Pellegrino valley, where we occupied Pont Tassa, and the upper Cordevole valley. Reconnaissance disclosed the existence at several points of strongly entrenched lines protected by steel plates and sometimes concreted.

"In Carnia we continued our fire against Malborgeth notwithstanding the difficulties caused by cloudy weather. During the night of June 20-21 the Austrians renewed, as usual, their vain attacks on Freikopel.

"In the eastern zone of Monte Nero, operations started on the 19th were carried to a successful conclusion on the 20th, notwithstanding the difficulties of the ground, increased by inclement weather, and the enemy's resistance supported by the fire of heavy artillery.

"Along the Isonzo front we noticed frequent night alarms in the enemy's entrenchments, revealed by prolonged bursts of musketry and artillery fire which our troops refrained from answering.

"By repeated and persistent night attacks against the positions conquered by us at Plava, on the left bank of the Isonzo, the enemy is trying to throw us back to the right bank. His efforts, however, break against the stubborn resistance of our troops."

STATEMENTS WILL BE INVESTIGATED

Announcement by Premier of Manitoba; Conservatives Desire Dominion Commission

Winnipeg, June 22.—Premier Norris announced to-day after a meeting of the cabinet council that the cabinet had decided to take steps to have the powers of the present royal commission extended so that it could investigate the charges made by C. P. Fullerton, K. C., representing fourteen private Conservative members of the legislature. The commission thus will go into the charges relating to an alleged payment by the former government to the Liberal organization for the purpose of shutting off election protests and into charges of a "deal" in connection with the change in government.

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THIRTEEN SAILORS HAVE NOT REACHED LAND YET

London, June 22.—The British steamship Carlsbrok, of Glasgow, from Montreal for Leith, Scotland, was sunk by the gunfire by a German submarine yesterday, 40 miles north of Kinnairds Head. Eleven members of her crew were saved. Thirteen are unaccounted for as yet.

The Carlsbrok was 200 feet long and of 2,352 gross tons. She was built at Sunderland in 1907 and was reported at Montreal the beginning of June.

Montreal, June 22.—The Carlsbrok left here on June 10 carrying a cargo of grain. She was commanded by Capt. A. D. Hunter. The ship had a narrow escape from German cruisers in the South Atlantic in the early stages of the war.

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RUSSIANS RETIRED TO NEW POSITIONS

Withdrawn From Grodek Line, Says Official Report Issued at Petrograd

Petrograd, June 22.—The following official communication from general headquarters was issued last night:

"No important change occurred in the Shavli region on June 19 or 20. The most stubborn fighting was on the River Rigow (to the northwest of Shavli), where we made slight progress.

"On the Narew front German forces of considerable strength, protected by a violent artillery fire, attempted an offensive between the Rivers Omulew and Orzye, which proved fruitless.

"On the left bank of the Vistula at dawn on June 20 the enemy assumed the offensive in isolated columns on the front south of the Pilica, but after a short engagement was repulsed, losing hundreds of prisoners.

"On the Tancow front there was only artillery fire. The enemy's offensive continues in the region of Rawa Ruska.

"On the night of June 20 our troops retired from the Grodek lakes on the Lemberg positions.

"On the Dniester the enemy has delivered haren attacks between Mikolajow and Zydaczow, in the course of which he was driven back from the villages of Demenka and Liensa, sustaining heavy losses. On the rest of the front in Galicia and Bukowina, although stubborn fighting continues in some sectors, the enemy has not succeeded in making progress anywhere."

SOME WOULD DEPART IF SET AT LIBERTY

Interned Enemy Aliens at For- nie Are Not All of Same Opinion

Fernie, June 22.—The attitude of the interned enemy aliens as to the result of the litigation instituted on their behalf has assumed various forms. While they have remained exceedingly cheerful, the adjournment of the proceedings was a matter of disappointment to the majority as they are desirous of being liberated. Numbers of them have decided that if they are liberated they will depart from this community until such time as the cause of their presence being a source of aggravation has been removed, and as many possess land or have relatives or friends following agricultural pursuits in the prairie province, their destinations have been decided upon.

Others feel that if liberated they will be unable to obtain employment, and further that internment is preferable, inasmuch as by this means their safety is assured, whereas otherwise, if anything unusual should occur they might be considered responsible and their safety menaced. Again there are a few who resent the confinement, as it prevents them following their ordinary occupations which they desire to resume.

The situation, in the event of release, is complicated further owing to the decidedly mixed population of this community, which consists of Russians, Belgians, Montenegrins and Italians, in addition to British-born, and while the demand for exclusion was made by the latter, they were supported heartily by the former. At no time since this situation arose has there been a solitary outward act towards the enemy aliens committed.

Developments along the Crow's Nest Pass, resulting from the action taken here, have assumed a more threatening form, particularly at Hillcrest, where alien enemies worked three shifts last week after the Britishers had withdrawn. A small demonstration took place on Friday, but the parties got together on Saturday and the company suggested the exclusion of aliens during the coming week pending decisive action by the proper authorities, who have been appealed to again for a solution. It has been learned that although a resolution was adopted at a general mass meeting at Coleman to the effect that no action would be taken against enemy aliens, the miners would not take any action at the moment. Although they have taken no decisive steps, the sentiment is expressed that they are not in accordance with the decision of the general meeting.

Representatives of the miners and the management at Hillcrest met on Sunday evening, when the company's proposition that Austrians and Germans be excluded this week pending intervention of the authorities was accepted. Work was resumed yesterday morning. A few Austrians employed as haulage hands and others necessary to complete certain operations were not objected to by the men. Austrian coal diggers, however, were excluded. The Britishers' contention that alien enemies were a menace to safety and the general charges are to be investigated by the management upon the committee for the men making them specific. The total force at Hillcrest is 380, of whom 128 are Austrians and five Germans. This working arrangement is temporary, and the place of enemy aliens laid off will not be filled until the whole question is settled permanently.

NEW GROUND TAKEN BY FRENCH FORCES

Gain Made on Heights of Meuse; Village of Metzeral, Alsace, Taken

Paris, June 22.—The following official communication was issued by the war office last night:

"In the sector to the north of Arras the position is unchanged. We have conserved all the ground conquered, and to-day only local infantry actions occurred, and these have not modified the fronts. The artillery combats continued.

"Our air squadrons effectively bombarded the aviation parks of the enemy, setting fire to four hangars and damaging two aeroplanes and one captive balloon.

"On the western border of the Argonne, on both sides of the road from Vermeuil Chateau to Binarville, the Germans on Sunday night delivered a violent attack, for which preparations had been made by an intense bombardment with asphyxiating projectiles. Our advance line was bent at certain points, two companies being buried in the overturned trenches.

"An immediate counter-attack enabled us to regain almost the entire extent of our initial positions. The struggle was particularly spirited.

"On the heights of the Meuse, in the sector of the Calonne trenches, after having repulsed counter-attacks by the enemy, we enlarged to-day our gains of yesterday. A first attack made only slight progress. A second attack, on the other hand, enabled us to carry new trenches to the east of those which we had occupied a Sunday. This gain has been conserved, as were the preceding gains.

"In Lorraine our reconnoitering parties, keeping in contact with the enemy, reached the works to the west of Condron, and found them unoccupied. The Germans in their withdrawal movement have halted on the line of trenches to the south of Lennirey.

"In Alsace our progress has continued in the course of uninterrupted engagements. After having taken the cemetery of Metzeral, we occupied the station and then attacked the village, which we captured after a very hot fight. We have reached the outlets south of that locality, and have pushed our line to the east 550 yards beyond the outskirts in the direction of Meyerhof.

"In these actions we took some prisoners, bringing the total since yesterday up to more than 200.

"To the north of the Fecht river the enemy attempted an attack on our positions at Reich Ackerkopf, but was repulsed completely."

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FRANCE NOW MAKES 170,000 EACH DAY

Government and Private Factories Are Turning Out Many Shells

Paris, June 22.—The French press is clamoring now for more cannon and more ammunition with as much insistence as the British. The papers take as their text General Castellan's declaration: "War must be waged not by the shock of men, but by the shock of ammunition."

A year ago the ammunition supplies for the three-inch guns were only 1,200 shells per gun, with a reserve of 200. It had been increased from 700 per gun in 1909 after General Langlois had declared in the senate that the supply then in hand would be just sufficient for a day and a half of battle. He asked for 3,000 shells per gun. Only 1,400 were granted, provision being made for the manufacture of 12,500 shells a day in the government arsenals.

The first month of war showed that all estimates as to needed ammunition were too low. French arsenals and private factories are said to be producing 170,000 shells a day now. Notwithstanding the continued demands of the press for more ammunition, this is supposed to be sufficient for current needs, besides creating a big reserve stock, careful estimates putting at 100,000 to 150,000 the number of shells now being used each day.

The prodigality of the French army in shells already has been set forth in dispatches. The intensity of the German fire is indicated by the actual count of 20,000 shells fired in an hour and a half upon a French position 350 yards in length and 400 yards in depth in the Bois d'Ailly.

It is estimated that more than 200,000 shells were used by them in the actions between April 5 and April 13 in the forest of Apremont, while the French over a limited front near Souain, in the Champagne, fire 100,000 of a large calibre. The Germans at present are less prodigal with ammunition on the western front, while their artillery is making its great effort against the Russians in Galicia.

The consumption of ammunition for small arms, though there have been no great pitched battles since the battle of the Yser, also is a great problem, due in part to the greatly extended use of machine guns. Fifty of these weapons, firing constantly at the rate of 300 cartridges a minute, use a million an hour. The number of cartridges used on both fronts, from the Carpathians to the North Sea, has been estimated at 30,000,000 a day. The

WAR MINISTER VISITED AMMUNITION FACTORIES

Paris, June 22.—That the manufacture of arms and ammunition in France is progressing satisfactorily was made known in an official communication issued last night by the war minister. The statement says: "The minister of war went on a tour of the factories in the interior of France and returned to Paris this morning. In all the factories he visited, those privately owned as well as those belonging to the state, the minister witnessed very great activity. He is satisfied himself that, thanks to the great and progressive effort shown up to the present the expected results will be realized everywhere, and in a good many factories probably exceeded."

ATTEMPTED TO RAM GERMAN SUBMARINE

London, June 22.—The Anchor line steamship Cameronia, under charter to the Cunard line, had a narrow escape from a submarine on her voyage from New York to Liverpool, according to Herbert Fletcher, of New York, one of the saloon passengers. The Cameronia arrived in Liverpool on Sunday.

Mr. Fletcher says that during the run through the Irish Sea a submarine came out of the water, showing the top of her conning tower. To save the Cameronia, Capt. Kinnard headed his vessel for the submarine, which dived. After passing over the spot where the underwater boat had gone under, without finding any evidence that the steamship had collided with it, Capt. Kinnard changed the course of his vessel and got away safely.

WAR IS COSTING FRANCE \$400,000,000 EACH MONTH

Paris, June 22.—The total amount of credits voted since the beginning of the war exceeds 15,615,000,000 francs (\$3,123,000,000) according to a statement by Albert Metin, general budget reporter of the chamber of deputies. The provisional credit for the third three months of the present year, it is estimated, will be 5,940,000,000 francs (\$1,188,000,000).

Of this amount the budget committee has requested some reduction affecting civil employes.

In adding certain expenses and taking care of increases in the soldiers' pensions, M. Metin says that France's war budget can be estimated at about 2,600,000,000 francs (\$500,000,000) per month. If the war continues, M. Metin adds, the time is not far off when the country will spend 3,000,000,000 francs (\$600,000,000) an hour, or 50,000 francs (\$10,000) a minute.

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, June 22.—The following casualty list was given out last night:

First Battalion—Killed in action: Lieut. J. W. McDonald, Stratford, Ont. (previously reported missing).

Missing: Lieut. G. A. Metcalfe, Toronto (previously reported killed in action).

Wounded: Capt. George H. Williamson, Windsor, Ont.; Cpl. R. Kay, St. Thomas, Ont.

Dangerously ill: Pte. W. Linder, Toronto.

Unofficially reported prisoner: Pte. H. C. Cross, Toronto.

Second Battalion—Previously reported missing: Pte. D. A. Simons, Portwood, P. E. I.

Third Battalion—Wounded: Pte. L. Daragon, Montreal; Pte. J. C. Forbes, Scotland; Cpl. F. H. Little, England.

Fourth Battalion—Wounded: Pte. A. E. Diver, New York; Pte. William Humphreys, Aldershot, Ont.; Pte. Fred Birch, Farnham, Que.; Pte. R. L. Herne, Granton, Ont.

Seventh Battalion—Wounded: Lieut. H. E. Thomas, England.

Dangerously wounded: Pte. M. Robt. Nichols, Seattle, Wash.

Tenth Battalion—Ill and dangerously wounded: Pte. Thomas—Mascoil, British West Indies.

Second Reserve Army Service Corps—Died of hemorrhage: Lieut.-Cpl. 'J. H. Beas, Montreal.

Private Patricia—Killed in action: Lieut. J. S. Stewart, Harrowsmith, Ont.

First Artillery Brigade—Wounded: Lieut. R. T. Young, Ottawa.

TRUSTY SUSPECTED OF KILLING WARDEN'S WIFE

Joliet, Ill., June 22.—A negro trusty at Joliet penitentiary was held in solitary confinement to-day pending investigation of the murder of Mrs. Edmund M. Allen, wife of the prison warden, whose body, fearfully burned, was found on a blazing bed in her apartments.

Joseph Campbell is the convict under guard. So far as is known, Campbell, chosen as Mrs. Allen's personal servant under the honor system, is the last person to have seen Mrs. Allen alive. Campbell is one of the five trusted convicts who had access to the warden's apartments.

Officials believe Mrs. Allen was burned to death as she lay unconscious on her bed, as her skull had been fractured by a blow which physicians said had not caused her death. Evidence already gathered indicates that the slayer had sprinkled the bedding and Mrs. Allen's night clothing with alcohol before touching a match to it.

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MEETING THE GREAT COST OF THE WAR

What Chancellor of Exchequer Said in House of Commons Yesterday

London, June 22.—The House of Commons last evening unanimously gave a first reading to the bill providing the new chancellor of the exchequer, Rt. Hon. Reginald McKenna, with a blank cheque which may amount, at a maximum, to one thousand million pounds (\$5,000,000,000). The vote of credit for £250,000,000 (\$1,250,000,000) passed last week by the House simply authorized the government to spend that much for war purposes, but did not provide for the manner in which the sum should be raised. The new enactment is in the form of a resolution which empowers the government to raise not only the £250,000,000 deemed necessary to pay the cost of the war, at the rate of £3,000,000 sterling daily, for a limited period, but as much more as may be needed.

The chancellor, answering the suggestion that more money should be raised by additional taxation, said that it was best to take one step at a time. If, owing to the continuance of the war, it became necessary to find further very large sums, it was obvious that additional taxation would have to be proposed, but that time had not come yet.

There was some confusion in the House as to the precise terms on which holders of consols and the old war loan could convert their securities into the new loan. The chancellor explained that for every £100 nominal of these older securities the holders who wished to convert would be obliged to subscribe for an additional £100 of the new war loan.

For example, the holder of £100 worth of old war loan stock would have to bring £100 in cash, the old war loan stock (issued at 95) and £5 cash, and would receive in return new war loan stock valued at £200. Consols would be convertible under the same terms on the basis of 75 of consols for £50 of the new loan.

The chancellor said that while the minimum subscription through the Bank of England was £100, the government had in view three methods of issue to meet every case and purse; the first, through the Bank of England; the second, that £5 to £25 bonds should be offered through post offices; the third, the sale of war loan vouchers for five shillings and multiples thereof. These vouchers would carry interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum for every calendar month.

"Our requirements," he said, "are great, and every effort made now is an effort not only necessary to enable us to carry on the war, but to enable us to maintain our financial pre-eminence after the war."

"He who subscribes now is doing an act of mercy both to himself and his country. He who subscribes now and saves in order to subscribe will be able to bear the strain after the war is over, and will be thankful for the efforts made to help himself. But still dearer to him must be the knowledge that every aid he gives himself is multiplied for his country, and his country will bless him for his providence and generosity."

WILL DELIVER ADDRESS ON BUSINESS OUTLOOK

Albion, June 22.—"Resolved that reciprocity with the United States would be in the best interests of Canada" was the subject of a very interesting debate at the meeting of the Albion Liberal association last week. J. Gerard, H. Hills and J. B. Motion supported the affirmative, and J. Clegg, P. Soule and B. McMonagle presented the case for the negative. The question was handled in a very able manner by all parties.

At the next meeting of the association W. R. H. Prescott has promised to deliver an address on "The Business and Financial Outlook of the Country at the Present Time." This should prove a very interesting address as Mr. Prescott is well posted on these matters.

GREY'S WARNING.

London, June 22.—The official press bureau issued the following statement yesterday afternoon: "In view of the existing state of affairs in Mexico, the secretary of foreign affairs, Sir Edward Grey, desires to warn British subjects against visiting that country unless absolutely obliged to do so by imperative necessity."

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INHUMAN MONSTERS, DECLARES KIPLING

Human Beings Abhor the Savage Germans and All Connected With Them

Southport, June 22.—Rudyard Kipling, speaking at a recruiting meeting, said: "It is the essence of the German system to make such a hell of the countries where the German armies fight or have fought that any terms the Germans offer would seem like a heaven to the inhabitants whose bodies are defiled and minds broken."

"As long as Germany exists unbroken, life on this planet will be intolerable, not only for us and our allies, but for all humanity, and all humanity knows it."

"At present there is a fringe of shivering neutrals who see what has been done to Belgium, but there are only two kinds of man-creatures in the world to-day—human beings and Germans—and the German knows it. Human beings long ago sickened of him and everything connected with him."

"From end to end of the earth human beings desire nothing more keenly than that this inhuman monster be thrust out from membership in the circle of nations. The German answer is: 'I purpose to kill by every means in my power until I have imposed my will upon all human beings.' He gives no choice and leaves no middle way. He has reduced civilization and all civilization's means to the simple question of kill or be killed."

"It seems to me that Germany either must be exterminated or to death, almost where her lines run to-day. Therefore we and our allies must continue to pass through the fire till Moloch perishes."

RESIGNATIONS OF FOUR HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED

Washington, June 22.—Consul Sullivan, at Vera Cruz, has confirmed Carranza agency reports of the acceptance of the resignations of four members of the Carranza cabinet, adding that "their successors will be appointed this week. Previous advices had said that General Obregon had demanded that the officials be retained. This development was regarded as a widening of the breach between Carranza and his principal commander."

The four who resigned are Luis Cabrera, Raphael Zubaran, Escudero Verdugo and Jesus Urieta. Cabrera and Zubaran at various times have represented the Carranza factions in Washington. Mr. Sullivan forwarded a report from General Gonzales, who leads the expedition which is trying to recapture Mexico City, saying that the force was close to the capital.

HUSBAND ENTERED PALACE WIFE GRANTED DIVORCE

Fort Scott, Kas., June 22.—Mrs. Mary Pipe was granted a divorce here to-day from Harry D. Pipe on her allegation that she received undesired publicity when her husband made his way into Buckingham Palace in London several months ago. Pipe scaled the walls of Buckingham Palace and, eluding the guards, entered the building, where he remained several hours before his presence was detected. Pipe is still abroad.

TWO WERE KILLED AND FOURTEEN WERE INJURED

Philadelphia, June 22.—Two firemen were killed and fourteen were injured to-day in fighting a fire which destroyed one of the buildings of the Potter Sons & Co. oilcloth manufacturers. The dead are William James, a battalion chief, and John Hillman. An explosion of benzine wrecked the building and caused one wall to topple over on the firemen. The property loss is estimated at \$50,000.

EIGHT THOUSAND ARE BEING FED AT MONTEREY

San Antonio, Texas, June 22.—Eight thousand Mexican civilians are being fed daily at Monterey from supplies furnished by the American Red Cross and the food situation at Saltillo is even more critical. It was reported to-day by Special Agent J. C. Weller, to Brigadier-General C. A. Devol, general manager of the Red Cross. In the Monterey bread lines are to be found 800 women, widowed by the war, some of them with as many as eight children.

WHAT THE ITALIANS TOOK AT MONFALCONE

Captured Two Partly Completed Super-Dreadnoughts and Other Ships

Paris, June 21.—The booty taken by the Italians when they captured Monfalcone is worth several hundred millions of francs, according to a dispatch from Rome. Included in the booty are two super-dreadnoughts and one cruiser under construction, eleven merchant steamships, twenty-four sailing ships, thirty auto boats, five aeroplanes and a large stock of torpedoes, mines and ammunition and three cannon.

It is stated that the warships can be completed in a few months, and that they then will be taken to Castellammare at Genoa.

Vienna, June 22.—The following official statement on operations in the southwestern arena was issued last night:

"Our brave troops have repulsed two attacks near Preva. Here an Italian officer with a white flag and a bugler appeared before our front to deliver a message from the commander of his brigade, but as they were without written authority both were taken prisoners."

"In the district northwest of Kerm (to the east of Karfreit) the enemy was repulsed from a position on the ridge. In this fighting detachments of the Dobruca proved especially distinguished for their valor. Our heavy artillery has successfully interfered with the mountain fighting on the Carinthian frontier. An attack by the enemy in the district east of Ploken, as usual, was unsuccessful."

"In the Tyrolean frontier district there have been no important events. The fire of the heavy Italian artillery against our fortifications has been unsuccessful."

"On June 19 a torpedo boat successfully bombarded the tank and harbor buildings at Monopol. The railway stations at Bari and Brindisi have been damaged by the bombardment of our naval planes."

"There have been no events in the southeastern war theatre."

BELGIAN FARMERS COMING TO STATES

Will Go on Land Near Wilmington, N. C.; Vegetables and Fruit Will Be Grown.

London, June 22.—Towards the end of this month a small party of Belgian farmers is to leave Liverpool for New York. They are to be settled on land near Wilmington, N. C., and the colony will be known as "Little Belgium."

French will be spoken and every effort will be made to maintain the links of patriotism and good feeling with the parent country.

The colony will maintain itself by producing vegetables and fruit for the New York market under excellent conditions of soil, rainfall and climate. The climate has the approval of the United States secretary of agriculture. The farms have been prepared, the houses built and the farms stocked.

The steamship companies are helping by reducing fares so that the whole journey will cost only \$25. Most of the farmers are supplying their own passage money and have some assets which they hope to realize on after the war.

They hope to get to work at once, so as to be able to help when the time comes to undertake the reconstruction of their country.

WERE NOT STRAPPED TO SEATS OF AEROPLANE

Paris, June 22.—Investigation made by experts is said to have revealed that the aeroplane accident which resulted in the deaths of Lieut. R. A. J. Warneford and Henry Beach Needham, the American writer, on June 17, was due to the fact that the men were not strapped to their seats. It is believed now that Lieut. Warneford was "switchbacking" and not attempting to "loop the loop" when the accident occurred.

Mr. Needham was thrown out first. He was struck and killed by the propeller before he reached the ground. Lieut. Warneford fell clear, but the injuries he sustained when he struck the earth caused his death a few minutes later.

The body of Mr. Needham probably will be sent to the United States aboard the French liner Chicago, sailing from Bordeaux.

SOLDIERS WILL BE WITHDRAWN TO-NIGHT

Atlanta, Ga., June 22.—While the militia still was on guard at Governor Slaton's country home, quiet prevailed both there and in the city to-day, and there was no indication of a repetition of the exciting scenes of yesterday and last night which followed the announcement of the commutation of the death sentence on Leo M. Frank.

In the city and near the home, closed by the authorities yesterday, were allowed to reopen this morning, and there were no crowds in the streets.

At the governor's home it was stated that the militia probably would be withdrawn to-night.

AMERICAN KILLED.

Tulsa, Okla., June 22.—Robert Camp, an American mining engineer, has been killed by Mexicans at Monterey, according to a telegram received here to-day by his brother, J. L. Camp, from officials of Monterey. No details were given.

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EARL OF GRANARD HAS BEEN HONORED BY KING

London, June 22.—The Earl of Granard, who commands the Fifth Battalion of the Royal Irish Regiment, has been made a Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order by the king.

The regiment was raised in 1864 by an ancestor of the Granards, and the battalion which the earl now commands was raised by him at the request of Lord Kitchener. Until the change in the government, the Earl of Granard was master of the horse. He married Miss Beatrice Mills, daughter of Ogden Mills, of New York.

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BECKER'S COUNSEL SEES THE GOVERNOR

New York, June 22.—The first move in the final attempt to save Charles Becker from execution for the murder of Herman Rosenthal was made to-day. Martin T. Manton, Becker's chief counsel, went to Albany to discuss with Governor Whitman Becker's proposed appeal for executive clemency. It was understood that the governor would be asked to grant a reprieve to Becker in the hope that before it expired an amendment to the state constitution would abolish capital punishment.

COTTON DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Have, June 22.—Two stores containing 12,700 bales of cotton were destroyed by fire here to-day. The loss exceeds \$200,000.

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CONFIDENCE WRECKERS. Yesterday we published an illuminating review of Mackenzie & Mann's activities in British Columbia.

NOBLE STANDARDS IN WAR.

Very Rev. Dean Schofield, in his impressive address to the men of the 48th Battalion on Sunday, deprecated the idea of the use by the British army of asphyxiating gases.

DEWET'S PUNISHMENT.

All circumstances considered, we do not think there will be any general disposition to criticize the sentence of six years' imprisonment, with a fine of ten thousand dollars, imposed upon General Dewet.

THE SINKING OF "U-29."

The motive behind the belated announcement of the German admiralty that Weddigen's submarine, "U-29," was rammed by a British oil-tanker flying the Swedish flag is no longer obscure.

PETTY AND UNJUST.

Two men were fined fifty cents each for selling ice cream on the streets on Sunday. The fines were small, but not half so small as the prosecution which resulted in their imposition.

and injustice is the most flagrant immorality of which a state can be guilty. ... DEWET'S PUNISHMENT. ... THE SINKING OF "U-29." ... PETTY AND UNJUST.

Comparison between the Kaiser and the very late emperor Nero is unfair to the latter in many respects. ... JOURNALISTS AT THE FRONT. ... ONE MORE GERMAN BLUNDER.

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PLAYGROUND REQUEST

Victoria West Residents Wait on City School Board to Ask for Improvements.

The delegation from the Victoria West district which waited on the city school board yesterday was accorded a good reception. The deputation was introduced by Dr. Raynor, among those present being Beaumont Boggs, C. F. Banfield, J. E. Painter, H. C. Bond, Messrs. McAdie, Taag, Daniels, and Waller.

They presented the case for an improvement of the playground, arguing that the district was entitled to special attention as there is no public park, and that the children of the district are deprived of the opportunities enjoyed in other sections of Victoria.

The board listened favorably to the representations made, and promised that in making the expenditures by the buildings and grounds committee the claims of the Victoria West school would not be overlooked.

Considerable discussion took place with regard to the heating plant at the Margaret Jenkins school, the trustees being opposed to accepting the work from Hayward & Dods for various reasons, the condition of a fan and other matters not having received the approval of the architect. If the matter is not cleared up shortly, it is expected a hearing expert will be named to make an investigation.

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Hold Whist Drive.—This evening at 8 o'clock the Welcome Social club will hold a whist drive in the Progressive Temple, Pandora street.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. quarts.

Rotary Club Undertakes It

The city will be represented at the Panama Pacific exposition on July 23, by the local Rotary club, without expense to the city.

To Hold Rummage Sale.—In the Scott building the ladies of the Emmanuel Baptist church will hold a rummage sale to-morrow afternoon. The proceeds to be devoted to charitable purposes. The sale will commence at 2:30 o'clock.

Final "At Home."—To-morrow afternoon at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Moore, 1120 McClure street the Ladies' Aid society of the Metropolitan church will hold their final monthly "at home" of the season.

Claim for Damages.—Another claim for damages done at the riot of May 8-9 was filed in city council last evening. This was from M. Young, of the New England hotel, through Thornton Fell, K. C.

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LIBERAL LEADER HERE.

Returns on a Day's Visit After a Month's Absence on the West Coast.

H. C. Brewster, leader of the Liberal party in British Columbia, returned to the city last night after a month's absence up the west coast of Vancouver island, where he has been attending to the necessary preparations for the season. He will leave again early to-morrow morning on the Tess.

IN AID OF BELGIANS.

Miss Scrope Shrapnel's Pupils Will Give Concert at Alexandra Hall on Thursday.

On Thursday evening Miss Scrope Shrapnel's pupils, assisted by Professor Pichon, Miss Young and Mr. Hughes, will give a concert at the Alexandra club hall. A silver collection will be taken and the amount collected will be given to the Belgians. The programme is: Piano quartette—"March Militaire"; Sextette—"Morning"; Greig Violin solo—"Serenade"; Piene Miss Jessie Byrd Duet (flute and violin) "Nocturn"; Behr Prof. Pichon and Miss Shrapnel Violin solo—"Kulawak"; Wienlawski Miss Neva Stuart. Piano solo—"Mazurka"; Chopin Miss Gertrude Lambert. Double trio—"Seguedille"; Thome Song—Selected; Mr. Hughes. Violin solo—Aria on the G string. Bach Miss Nora Lewis. Quartette—"Carnival of Venice"; arr. Dancla.

Garden Fete.—The Ladies' Aid of St. Barnabas church will hold their annual fete to-morrow in the church grounds. Afternoon tea will be served and there will be open competitions in ladder and clock golf. At 8.30 a concert of vocal and instrumental music will be given under the direction of A. Longfield and G. Dorme. All friends of the church will be welcomed.

Oaklands Church Sale.—A successful garden party and sale of work was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. Lane, Hillside avenue, in aid of the funds of the Ladies' Aid of the Oaklands Methodist church. The various tables of work were well patronized, and a good sum was cleared.

Awarded "Grand Prize."—The United Typewriter Company, Limited, here have just received word that the International Jury of Awards of the Panama Exhibition have awarded the Underwood Typewriter Company the Grand Prize on the Underwood Standard Typewriter. This is absolutely the highest possible award obtainable and is the only Grand Prize awarded on typewriters.

St. Paul's Sale.—To-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock St. Paul's church Guild and Women's Auxiliary will hold their annual garden party and sale of work on the rectory grounds, Esquimalt. There will be the usual attractive stalls of plain and fancy sewing, ice cream, strawberries and cream, flowers, and sweets. There will be tennis, and during the afternoon tea will be served. In the evening there will be a musical programme, and the band of H. M. S. Kent will play.

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NO EVIDENCE TO CONVICT

Nick Pappas, Found With Quantity of Lead Pipe, Discharged by Magistrate.

That there was no evidence which would justify a conviction in the case of Nick Pappas, charged with retaining a quantity of lead pipe knowing it to have been stolen, whatever suspicion there might be in the matter, was the opinion of Magistrate Jay this morning after hearing the witnesses in the case.

Robert Taylor, of the Victoria Junk Agency, notified the detective office when Pappas came to him on Saturday to sell 60 pounds of lead pipe, which he said he had got from his own house.

Detectives Murray and Macdonald were told by Pappas that he had bought the pipe from a man in the north end of the city, and he took them to a shack back of the reservoir. This was empty, however, and there had never been any piping in it.

Pappas repeated his story of the man selling it to him when he went into the box, but he did not make it very clear. In any case there is no clue to the ownership of the pipe. The man was discharged.

DRAMA AT PRINCESS

"In the Bishop's Carriage," Played by the Popular Stock Company This Week.

"In the Bishop's Carriage" is a curiosity-arousing title for a play, and should attract good audiences for the remainder of the week to the Princess theatre where the Allen Players are giving a pleasing version of the four-act drama.

The cast has been wisely selected, the parts allotted to the several actors being well-suited to their respective powers of impersonation. Miss Vera Felton has the role of the re-claimed thief, Nance Oiden, had some excellent opportunities for the emotional and dramatic work in which she excels, while sufficient comedy lines were also furnished to show her versatility at its

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St. Mary's Guild.—Wednesday, June 30, is the date set for the annual sale of work of St. Mary's guild, Metchoin. Refreshments will be served.

Hold Regular Meeting.—The regular monthly meeting of the Central Union W. C. T. U. will be held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Y. W. C. A.

St. James' Women's Guild.—The sale of work under the auspices of the Women's Guild of St. James' church will be held at the residence of Mrs. Pennell, 453 Kingston street, on July 3.

Annual Anniversary Social.—St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will hold their annual anniversary social this evening at 8 o'clock in the lecture room of the church.

Will Hold Garden Party.—Arrangements were completed yesterday afternoon at the meeting of St. Mary's Guild, for a garden party to be held at the home of Mrs. Warren, Rockland avenue, on July 6.

Pupils Work on Exhibit.—On Thursday evening between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock the manual training work of the Lamson Street school boys will be on exhibit. At 8 p. m. the closing exercises will commence.

Damage on Suffolk Street.—The city council last evening approved of the payment of compensation to F. F. Higgs for damage done to his house by blasting during 1912.

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

Booklovers' Library

The following books are among those recently added to the Booklovers' library, 201 Campbell building: "Arundel," E. F. Benson; "Ann Kemphurn, Truth-seeker," M. Bryant; "Before the Gringo Came," G. Atherton; "Business of a Gentleman," H. N. Dickenson; "Cap of Youth," Albanesi; "Come Out to Play," M. E. Irwin; "Co-Directors," Una Silberrath; "Duke Jones," E. Silberrath; "Eugene," M. E. Irwin; "The House of the Seven Gables," Nathaniel Hawthorne; "The House of the Seven Gables," Nathaniel Hawthorne; "The House of the Seven Gables," Nathaniel Hawthorne.

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GRAND OPERA ARTISTS

Repeated Curtain-Calls Given Performers in "Between the Reels"; Minstrel Troup Popular.

Irrefutable proof that variety house audiences really have a capacity for appreciation of true art was given last night at Pantages theatre, when the artists in the operatic playlet, "Between the Reels," were accorded perhaps the most enthusiastic reception given any performers at the playhouse since its doors opened more than a year ago. The time of introducing the variety operetta, which was part of the dreams of a broken-down artist was quite artistic in itself, and excused the disconnected collection of fragments from "The Bohemian Girl," "Carmen," "Lily of Killarney" and other old favorites. Cecelia Rhoda, prima donna of the late Imperial Grand Opera Company, has a most attractive personality, fine dramatic presence and the brilliant vocalization of the Italian school. George Crampson, the other singer in the act, has a powerful yet sympathetic baritone which also has the finesse of the true grand opera artist. The audience very unwillingly allowed the singers to leave the stage, several curtain-calls being given before the next act was allowed to come on. There seemed a succession of good things last evening. George Primrose and his popular minstrels provided a

WANT DELIVERY STARTED

Esquimalt Asks F. H. Shepherd, M. P., to Assist in Postal Service.

The Esquimalt council has for some time now been ready to have the house-to-house postal delivery operated in the municipality but the authorities at Ottawa have been slow in making a beginning. The council, at a short meeting last night, took the matter up again. The clerk of the municipality to write to F. H. Shepherd, M. P., asking him to use his influence with the postmaster-general to hurry the delivery system along. The Esquimalt council has had the matter under consideration for months, and to facilitate the improvement, changed several street names in the municipal limits that conflicted with street names in Victoria and Oak Bay.

Repairs are being made in worn spots on the Esquimalt road. These will be completed in perhaps a week or a little longer, and then another coat of oil will be put on. The council decided last night that a second coat of oil would be beneficial.

Having passed accounts the council adjourned.

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Lieut.-Col. Mackay, of Fernie, is staying at the Empress hotel.

A. J. Foreman, of Seattle, is a guest at the King Edward hotel.

W. E. Senior, of Sooke, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

J. J. Whalen, of Vancouver, registered at the Empress hotel yesterday.

E. C. Sheringham, of Miss Bay, is a guest of the Dominion hotel.

Peter Michelson, of Banfield, is at the Dominion hotel.

E. G. Bennett, of Pacheena Point, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

Percy Grass is registered at the Strathcona hotel from Fredericton, N.B.

Mr. and Mrs. Page, of Brynmari, are guests at the Strathcona hotel.

John W. Miller, is registered at the Strathcona hotel from Moose Jaw.

Mrs. Redpath and family are at the Glenshiel Inn for a few days before leaving for England.

Miss King has returned from California and is staying at the Glenshiel Inn.

Mrs. Wilbraham Taylor is in the city from Duncan, and is registered at the Glenshiel Inn.

H. R. Arnold, of Calgary, is visiting friends in Victoria and is registered at the Dominion hotel.

Professor C. E. Sanderson, of the agricultural department, Ottawa, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

W. H. Primmer and Mrs. Primmer, of Tolerton, Ont., are guests of the Dominion hotel.

Lorne C. Malon and Mrs. Malon, of Glasgow, Scotland, were among yesterday's arrivals at the Dominion hotel.

John and James Fulton, of Los Angeles, are staying at the Dominion hotel.

Registered at the Dominion hotel are J. H. Raynes and E. F. Cotford, of Ganges, Salt Spring Island.

R. J. Robertson and Mrs. Robertson, of Seattle, are staying at the Dominion hotel.

Herschel Caton and Mrs. Caton, of Kansas City, are at the Dominion hotel.

Charles Beel is in the city from Elwood City, Pa. He is registered at the King Edward hotel.

Leona Curral, of Palestine, Ill., is in the city. She is staying at the King Edward hotel.

Mayor W. G. Gillett, of Prince George, was in the city yesterday for a brief stay.

Mrs. and Miss Fitzgerald, of Eau Claire, Wisconsin, are guests at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Remmer, of Chicago, have arrived at the Empress hotel.

Miss C. Urwin, of Rocky Point arrived in the city yesterday afternoon. She is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

F. W. Weymouth, of Stanford University, Cal., arrived in the city yesterday afternoon. He is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

Rev. the Hon. T. R. Heneage, provincial secretary of the boy scouts, is making a tour of the interior in connection with his office.

Mrs. G. H. B. Hogg left yesterday morning for Seattle, en route for New York, where she will sail by the SS. Arabic for England next week.

Mrs. Duff Stuart and her daughter arrived yesterday from Vancouver in order to attend the quarterly session of the provincial chapter, I. O. O. E., and are guests at the Alexandra club.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrison Turner, of Modesto, California, and Leander T. Turner, of Seattle, are guests at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. Curtis J. Nice, Mrs. George F. Feldmeyer and Miss E. Nye Feldmeyer, of Annapolis, are visiting in the city and are staying at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. F. B. Edwards and her small daughter left on Sunday, via the C.P.R. for New York, where they will sail for England on June 26 by the SS. New York.

Sister Frances is the guest of Venerable Archbishop and Mrs. Scriven for the next few days. Her many friends will be sorry to learn that she is leaving for home.

The marriage of Hazel Katherine Sophia, second daughter of Mrs. S. Cook, of Cook street, and Alvin Switzer Moore, of this city, was celebrated at Christ Church Cathedral on Monday, June 14. The rite was celebrated at 4:30, Rev. Baugh Allen officiating. The bride was given away by an old friend of the family, James Cartnell, and looked handsome in white satin with overdress of beaded net, and bridal veil held in place with a chaplet of orange blossoms. Her bouquet was of bridal roses and lilies-of-the-valley, and she wore pearl and amethyst pendant given her by her mother. Her sister, Miss Ethel Cook, acted as bridesmaid, wearing a pretty frock of pale blue satin and carrying a bouquet

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of pink carnations and maidenhair fern. There were four small flower girls, Miss Margaret Moore, Miss Anna Kirk (of Vancouver), Miss Eileen (the bride's sister), and Miss Nancy Shute, all wearing white and carrying baskets of pink sweet peas tied with white ribbon. Charles Jasper, of Esquimalt, acted as best man. The bride's mother, who wore a handsome robe of Belgian blue cloth, worn with a black hat. Amongst the guests present at the wedding were Mrs. Moore and family, Mrs. Frank Stubbs (of Vancouver), Mrs. R. B. Kirk (of Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. Stockand (of Happy Valley), Lee-Cpl. J. Brown, Brlg. J. Moulding, and Ptes. J. Davis, J. Campbell, A. Larkins, and W. Flude. The bridegroom's present to the bride was a set of diamond cuff-links, and to the best man engraved gold links.

Mrs. George Booth, of Union Bay, is paying a visit to her sister, Mrs. D. S. Gray, of Manchester road.

The marriage of Miss Edith Alice Turner, daughter of Mrs. A. E. Turner, of Cloverdale, and Albert William Atkins, a sailor from H. M. S. Shearwater, took place at St. John's church last Saturday, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick performing the rite. The bride was attended by Miss Annie Holt.

Very quietly, at St. Mary's church, Oak Bay, the marriage was celebrated by Rev. G. H. Andrews last Saturday afternoon of Cpl. Walter Francis Alroyus Patrick King, of the 50th Gordon Highland regiment, and Dorothy Holroyd, daughter of Richard Holroyd, of Adlington, Cheshire. The bride, who wore her going-away costume of white serge, with hat on suite, was attended by Mrs. Jennings as matron-of-honor, and W. H. Porter acted as best man.

Yesterday the nuptials of Alice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry James, of 1124 Johnson street, and William George Payne, of this city, were quietly solemnized at St. John's church by Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick. The ceremony was witnessed by a small gathering of the friends of the bride and bridegroom. The bride's sister, Miss Kate James, acted as bridesmaid, and the best man was O. Smith.

A reception was held yesterday by Mrs. Henry Pearce at her residence, "The Oaks," Oak Bay, when the members of the St. John Ambulance club who had attended the lectures given by James L. Biggar, during the past few months were given the opportunity of making a presentation through Mrs. Biggar of a beautiful silver spirit-flask to Capt. Biggar, who is now in Vernon with the ambulance corps training for active service at the front. The flask, which was made by W. H. Wilkerson, jeweler, engraved with the autograph signature of the following members of the class, most of whom were present at the reception: Messdames H. R. Beaven, R. Baird, Hebdon Gillespie, C. L. Harrison, D. R. Ker, Alexis Martin, Milman, F. B. Pemberton, J. D. Pemberton, Curtis Sampson, J. J. Shalcross, C. E. Thomas, A. B. Todd, C. Todd, and the Misses Brownie Bodwell, Butchart, Foster, Lilian Holdon, Lona Holmes, Hope Leeder, Molly Pearce, Peggy Pearce, Armine Pemberton, Tommie Scott, Phyllis Slater and Watson.

TEACHER IS CHARGED WITH THRASHING BOY

Had Been Impertinent, It is Said; Extent of Allowable Punishment

The allegation of having administered corporal punishment to an excessive degree, which was laid against Miss Iola Tuck, principal of the Spring Ridge school, by Robert L. Allerton, father of Herbert Leopold Allerton, was investigated in the city police court yesterday afternoon by W. W. Northcott and William Scowcroft, justices of the peace, sitting in the place of Magistrate Jay, who refrained from acting in the case on account of his being a member of the school board.

There was great interest taken in the case, about one hundred of the teachers of the public schools being in the court-room. City Prosecutor Harrison conducted the case for the prosecution, W. H. Bullock-Webster defended Miss Tuck, and J. A. Aikman was present on behalf of the parents of the child. There was an unusual amount of hickering and cross-talking between counsel in the case.

The hearing occupied two hours and a half, and when counsel had finished addressing the court at six o'clock, their worship announced that they would reserve their decision and hand it down as soon as possible. Dr. D. B. Holden examined the child on Friday, June 18, and found three distinct bruises on the right leg, two on the calf and one behind the knee. There were innumerable ways in which these might have been caused and they might have been caused by a strap. At the time it suggested severity; more force than he thought necessary.

The Allerton had, being only 13 years old, was not sworn. On the morning of Wednesday last, he said, he had been late at school because he had got up late. His teacher, Miss Clark, had asked him a lot of questions and he had told her to "shut up." He had been taken into the principal's room, and Miss Tuck had given him a licking on the legs and back. She had hit him "about a hundred times." Asked to tap with a pencil on the arm of the chair he struck fifteen times. After the licking he had gone back to his class and had remained at work until noon.

Mr. Bullock-Webster took the lad in hand very kindly and in a most fatherly fashion. Leo said he had told Miss Clark he was going to "beat it." When he had been taken into Miss Tuck's room he had been told he must say he was sorry, and he did afterwards. That afternoon he did not go back to school, but with his parents visited the school board offices, the magistrate's office and all but one, if not all, the trustees at their places of business or residences.

Mr. Bullock-Webster—What would your father do to you if you told him to "shut up"?—He would hit me. Where does he hit you?—In the face. Does he hit you anywhere else?—No. Mrs. Constance M. Allerton spoke of putting the child to bed at night and finding bruises on the legs and thigh.

Questioned by Mr. Bullock-Webster, the witness said they punished the child with their hands and her husband would sometimes smack him in the face. You think it better to smack him in the face with your hand than strap him on the legs? Yes.

Robert L. Allerton considered that the child had been severely thrashed. "To what extent?" City Prosecutor Harrison asked. "The thrashing a child should have should be moderate, but he had been beat up for several minutes, according to appearances, with a strap on both sides."

To Mr. Bullock-Webster Allerton said he would refuse to answer when asked if he had not told Miss Tuck in the school board office that he had smashed the jaw of his schoolmaster in England. Then he denied that he had said anything of the kind, and finally said he had never done such a thing.

The witness was shown an undated letter which he had sent to the boy's teacher, Miss Clark, referring to alleged treatment of his son, and in which he threatened "trouble with you, not with the authorities."

Further questions by counsel were as to the witness' conviction in police court for breaches of the Lord's Day Act in selling cigars and other goods at his cigar stand. Allerton admitted that he had been convicted and fined, but he did not call this a conviction. "That is not British law," he said. "We expect British treatment but we don't get it."

Allerton denied that when in the school board office he told Miss Tuck that if the board did not break her he would; that he had not served a jail sentence yet for getting even with a person, but that he was quite willing in her case.

Mr. Bullock-Webster—What did you mean by what you did say to her?—If

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You will take the law into your own hands?—Yes.

What are your plans?—That is my business.

Did you tell Miss Tuck that you were ready to disfigure her if necessary?—I didn't say so.

Did you tell her that you were ready to disfigure her if necessary?—I didn't say those words, no.

What did you say to that effect?—I don't remember.

Do you deny saying so?—I deny I actually said that.

What was so like that that you said, then?—Had she been a man I would not have taken it to the trustees, but taken it into my own hands and thrashed him.

The witness repeated that he had not got satisfaction from the trustees, that they had tried to put him off, and that he did not think it a case for the trustees, but the courts.

Miss M. M. Clark, the boy's teacher, stated that the child came to school fifteen minutes late. She questioned him and told him to see her at recess. He said he was going to "beat it." She asked how he would like Miss Tuck to hear him say this, and his reply was "shut up." The principal was sent for, and as she was taking the child out he kicked back at her. Miss Clark testified to getting the letter from Allerton about the end of last year, after she had given the lad a shaking for inattention.

Miss Tuck, who has had ten years' experience in teaching in the city schools, corroborated Miss Clark's statement as her report on young Allerton's conduct. The lad had clung to his desk and she had carried him out of the room before her by the arms, he kicking and trying to bite her hands. She gave him five or six strokes of the strap on the legs, the strap (which was produced) being the regulation instrument which was furnished by the school board. The child had said he would behave himself and she had set him in the chair for some minutes, after which she took him back to the room and he voluntarily told Miss Clark he was sorry. The offence of impertinence was one she did not allow, and she gave the boy what she considered sufficient punishment for his offence.

Counsel was about to question Miss Tuck as to the threats made use of by Allerton in the school board offices when Mr. Harrison took objection and was sustained. Allerton's counsel remarked that there had been threats given evidence of in the box, if the defence wanted, to take action on them, but this had nothing to do with the facts before the court.

In cross-examination Mr. Harrison tried to get details from Miss Tuck as to individual punishments she had given, but naturally she was not able to give these. Counsel suggested that

the offence of the child did not merit five or six strokes of the strap.

"What greater offence can a boy of seven commit than to be impertinent to his teacher?" asked Miss Tuck in reply.

The witness said she had whipped another boy more severely some years ago, and his mother had come to her and thanked her for it. At this there was an outburst of applause in the court-room, and Mr. Harrison asked that the "room" be excluded. Mr. Bullock-Webster suggested that the room was required for court purposes. The court took no notice of the request.

George Jay, chairman of the school board for many years past, said he had known Miss Tuck since she entered the service of the board in August, 1905. In spite of Mr. Harrison's objection to any evidence as to her general character as a teacher, her counsel got in the chairman's statement that so far as he knew this was the first complaint against her administration.

Mr. Jay stated that there was no regulation as to the length or weight of the strap to be used in the schools, or as to what part of the body it should be applied to. The regulations governing the Victoria schools were the same as those which governed every other school in the province and emanate from the council of public instruction.

Dr. A. B. Hudson examined the lad in open court and said the injury from the whipping was practically nil. There were one or two bruises but the skin was clear. In England it was recognized, he said, that school whippings left bruises.

School Trustee W. J. Shortt, to whom the child had been brought, said he saw no physical harm that had been done to it. In replying to Mr. Harrison Mr. Shortt said he believed in corporal punishment.

Mr. Harrison asked Mr. Shortt if he thought young Allerton's whipping was a normal one.

"It was the kind my own get," replied the trustee. "I believe in whipping a child when it deserves it."

Mr. Bullock-Webster read at length from the Canadian case which sets the law in this regard, decided in one of the Nova Scotia county courts, in which is fully set down the teacher's or master's delegated parental right to administer corporal punishment for cause sufficient, with an instrument suitable, and on a part of the body and with a temper distinguished by kindness, prudence and propriety.

Mr. Harrison did not dispute the latitude allowed teachers, but contended that in this case the whipping had been excessive for the offence.

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Point Grey—Clear; calm; bar, 30.07; temp, 51; sea smooth.
Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W.; bar, 30.04; temp, 50; sea smooth.
Fachsen—Overcast; calm; bar, 29.85; temp, 49; sea smooth.
Estevan—Cloudy; calm; bar, 29.88; temp, 50; sea moderate.
Triangle—Foggy; calm; bar, 30.14; temp, 50; sea moderate.
Dead Tree Point—Raining; S. E.; strong; bar, 30.09; temp, 52; sea moderate.
Prince Rupert—Foggy; drizzling rain; calm; bar, 30.05; temp, 50; sea smooth.
Ikeda—Raining; S. E. light; bar, 29.77; temp, 48; sea smooth.
Noon

Point Grey—Clear; calm; bar, 30.07; temp, 67; sea smooth.
Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W.; light; bar, 30.00; temp, 72; sea smooth.
Fachsen—Clear; N. W.; light; bar, 29.92; temp, 65; sea smooth.
Estevan—Clear; N. W.; light; bar, 29.88; temp, 60; sea smooth.
Triangle—Hazy; S. E.; light; bar, 30.15; temp, 56; sea smooth.
Dead Tree Point—Raining; S. E.; bar, 30.10; temp, 55; sea moderate.
Alert Bay—Clear; calm; bar, 29.90; temp, 60; sea smooth.
Ikeda—Cloudy; S. E.; fresh; bar, 29.84; temp, 62; sea moderate.
Prince Rupert—Cloudy; calm; bar, 30.00; temp, 57; sea smooth.

INVERNESSHIRE DISMASTED

Hobart, Tasmania, June 22.—The British barque Invernesshire, from Fremantle, May 23, for Portland, Or., has been signalled dismantled, location not given.

Portland, Or., June 22.—The British barque Invernesshire is under charter to M. H. Houser to load wheat here for the United Kingdom. Her charterer had been informed by cable that she had arrived safely at Hobart.

PAYS LAST VISIT.

Yesterday afternoon the Pacific Coast steamship President, Capt. George Zeh, berthed at the outer docks from San Diego, Los Angeles and San Francisco. This was the last appearance of the President at this port for the summer and fall months.

TIDE TABLE

June

Date	Time High	Time Low	Time High	Time Low
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TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Titan	Read	5,920	Dodwell & Co.	Hongkong	June 27
Shidzuoka Maru	Desueh	4,500	Northern	Hongkong	June 24
Kentra	Furner	3,600	W. Green	New York	June 25
Zanora	Phillips	4,800	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	July 1
Makura	Phillips	4,500	C. P. R.	Sydney	July 1
Shidzuoka Maru	Desueh	4,500	Northern	Hongkong	July 2
Chicago Maru	Hart	3,800	P. Ribbet	Hongkong	July 9
Merchant	Prinick	2,700	Balfour Guthrie	Liverpool	July 12
Aki Maru	Nomi	4,200	G. Northern	Hongkong	July 14

DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES

Ship	Destination	Departure
Titan	Dodwell & Co., Hongkong	June 25
Seattle Maru	R.P. Ribbet, H'kg'g.	June 25
Awa Maru	G. N., Hongkong	June 29
Makura	C. P. R., Sydney	July 1

SAILERS COMING

Ship	From	Arrival
Columbia	American schooner, from Salaverry, Peru, for Royal Roads. To load lumber at Vancouver for Australia.	June 25
Expansion	American schooner, to load lumber	Vancouver, July 1

COAST SERVICES

Ship	From	To	Service
Princess Sophia	C.P.R.	Skagway	June 22
Princess G.T.P.	C.P.R.	Rupert	June 22
Princess G.T.P.	C.P.R.	Rupert	June 23
Princess G.T.P.	C.P.R.	Rupert	June 24
Princess Sophia	C.P.R.	Skagway	June 25
Tees, Holberg			June 23

FERRY SERVICES

Ship	From	To	Frequency
Princess Victoria	leaves	3 p. m. daily	
Princess Mary	leaves	10:30 a. m. daily	
Princess Adelaide	leaves	11:45 p. m. daily	
Princess Mary	arrives	6:45 a. m. daily	
Princess Charlotte	arrives	2:45 p. m. daily	
Princess Adelaide	arrives	6:30 p. m. daily	
Princess Charlotte	leaves	4:30 p. m. daily	

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Vessels Tied Up in South America Ports in Bad Shape; Eureka Completes Trip

Seattle, Wash., June 22.—"With more than 100 German steamers and sailing craft riding at anchor, shipping paralyzed, nitrate and copper mines closed down and thousands of men out of employment, the South American republics have been as hard hit by the European war as some of the cities of the continent," said Capt. R. H. Bagott, master of the steamer Eureka, of the Pacific Coast Steamship company, which reached Seattle to-day from the west coast.

"At nearly every port on the west coast fine German steamers and sailing craft with their hulls covered with barnacles and other marine growth are riding at anchor and most of them are fully laden," said Capt. Bagott. "They have been there for ten months—and many are rotting in the water. British auxiliary cruisers dodge in and out of the west coast ports every few days. They usually come into the harbors, take on coal and provisions, look the German vessels over and then go to sea again.

"There were five men-of-war lying at Turtle Bay, Mexico, and as we passed a big cruiser steamed out to sea.

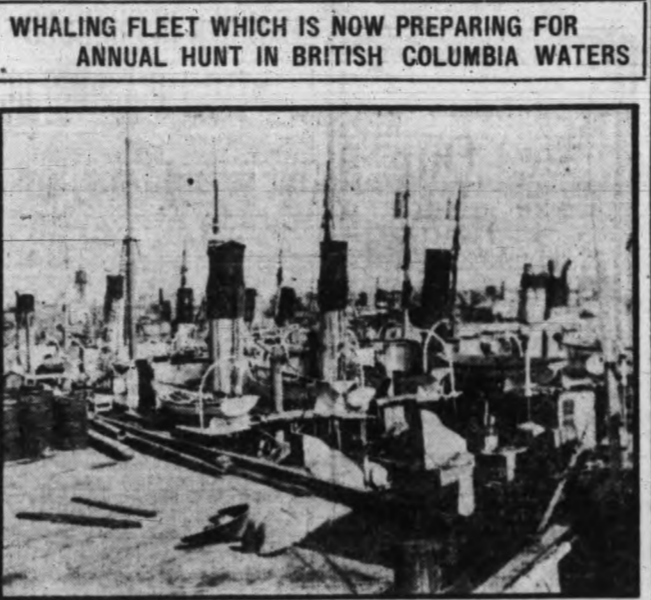
"We sighted another cruiser with two funnels far to the north of us. None of the vessels were displaying their colors, but I believe they were Japanese men-of-war and members of the fleet that has been lying at Turtle Bay.

"We sighted a British cruiser off Callao and saw British men-of-war at Both Antofagasta and Iquique."

Riots in Southern Towns.

Capt. Bagott said that there were two riots at Corinto while the Eureka was in port and the trouble was only settled when the leader of the revolution, which started over night, was deported.

At Molendo the natives were desperately short of food and had threatened to sack the town if the government did not distribute provisions. Business men were robbed in their stores and highwaymen operated in all sections of the town. Capt. Bagott and his officers were advised to stay aboard their vessel while in port.



WHALING FLEET WHICH IS NOW PREPARING FOR ANNUAL HUNT IN BRITISH COLUMBIA WATERS

OFFERS FOR SAXONIA HAVE BEEN REFUSED

German Freighter Interned on Sound Wanted by American Interests

July 4th Excursions to Angeles Arranged

Sol Duc and Iroquois Will Carry Victorians to Town Across Strait for Holiday

That the Hamburg-American line recently refused an offer by American interests to purchase the freighter Saxonia, which has been interned at Seattle since the outbreak of the war, is disclosed in advices received from the east. The German steamship company has also refused attractive offers for vessels of its fleet that are now interned in Atlantic ports. It is said that while the company is losing heavily on its idle freighters, the war has brought it other sources of revenue that will enable it to retain possession of its fleet.

The offer received for the Saxonia was far in excess of her present value. According to one estimate, it was almost double a reasonable appraisal of the freighter, but it was refused without hesitation. If the Saxonia, prior to the war, it probably would have been accepted on the spot. As the shortage of ocean tonnage increases, the Saxonia gains an enhanced value. At the same time it is apparent that the Hamburg-American Line figures on returning to the ocean with an undiminished fleet at the close of the war.

The Saxonia and the German sailing ship Steiladek are both interned in Eagle Harbor. When hostilities began in Europe the Saxonia was preparing to leave Seattle with a full cargo for the Orient and Europe. As the Kaiser's battalions swept over the Belgian border, she received orders to remain here. The various shipments in the cargo were discharged from time to time in the next few months and turned back to the shippers. Some of the shipments were destined for England and later were loaded by British bottoms.

Officers Still Aboard.

Early in the year the Saxonia shifted to Eagle Harbor, where she will remain until it is safe for the German flag to venture out on the high seas. All her officers are still aboard the vessel.

According to advices received, owners of German sailing vessels now interned in American waters also have received offers for their ships, but so far no sale has been recorded. Whether the Steiladek figured in any of the offers is not known here. At the outbreak of the war she was loading lumber in Bellingham for Great Britain. Before she received orders to intern she had loaded almost half her cargo.

Until the end of the winter the Steiladek remained in Bellingham with the lumber aboard. Arrangements were then made to transfer it to another vessel. Following the transfer the vessel was towed to Eagle Harbor, where she now swings at her anchor, not far from the Saxonia. These are the only German vessels interned on the Sound.

SHIDZUOKA'S ARRIVAL ATTRACTING INTEREST

Due on Thursday and Will Have News of Disposition of Chinese Kidnapping Case

Considerable interest attaches to the arrival of the Nippon liner Shidzuoka Maru at this port on Thursday. Her departure from Victoria last April caused a furore, due to the mysterious manner in which a Chinese woman was placed on board the ship. The case of Mrs. Wong Kar Sing is believed to have been dealt with at Hongkong, but so far no word has been received here as yet as to the disposition of the affair. It is expected that Capt. Deguchi, master of the Shidzuoka, will have some interesting news to relate concerning the alleged kidnapping case, unless the woman herself is on board the vessel.

When the Times published the story of the manner in which the woman had been dragged from her home and forcibly placed on the Shidzuoka by her husband and another Chinaman, several public bodies in this city took an active interest in the case and demanded that she be returned to this city and that if possible the husband be brought back to face a charge of kidnapping. The police refused to take a hand, stating that no money was available for work of that nature. The minor was then interviewed, and telegrams were sent to the minister of justice at Ottawa. Finally public sentiment became very strong, and the chief of police sent a cable to the superintendent of police at Shanghai, asking him to interview the woman and find out if she desired to return to Victoria. The attorney-general's assistance was also sought and he pushed off a cable to Shanghai.

Placed in Hongkong's Hands.

The Shanghai authorities, however, passed the case on to Hongkong, and people interested are now awaiting for the arrival of the Shidzuoka which will bring the decision of those who investigated the matter at the British possession. Advices received by W. R. Dale, local agent of the Nippon line, stated that among the passengers for Victoria are two Chinese, and it is questionable whether or not Mrs. Sing is one of them.

However, a very interesting story is expected from the lips of Capt. Deguchi.

Cashleigh: "You wouldn't marry Miss Romy for her money, would you, Upson?" Upson Downs: "How else can I get it?"

WHOLE CREW SEASICK

San Francisco, June 22.—Heavy seas outside the Golden Gate caused Capt. Behen, of the schooner Academy, to put back to port yesterday, as nearly his entire crew were seasick. The vessel was proceeding to Callao in ballast.

Another start will be made Thursday, when, it is hoped by the skipper, the crew will have their sea legs with them.

The latest freights and charters announced at this port include: Blakeley, American schooner, 630 tons, lumber from Puget sound to Australia, 50,000 lbs., by the Canadian Trading Company, July-August.

PRINCE RUPERT SAILS

Bound for Prince Rupert the G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. D. McKenzie, sailed this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with a fair list of passengers and a heavy cargo of general merchandise. Among the passengers who embarked here were A. V. Noble, T. A. Brady and J. Sherratt.

THE TIME BALL

The time ball on the Belmont building will be raised halfway at 12:45 at the top at 12:55 and dropped at 1 p. m. daily. F. Napier Denison, superintendent, the Observatory, Gonzales Heights.

IDOMENEUS COMING IN PANAMA SERVICE

Blue Funnel Liner Dispatch Ship from Liverpool; Titan Expected in on Sunday

Another sailing in the Panama service of the Blue Funnel line has been announced. This morning H. B. Davenport, local agent of the company, was advised that the steamship Idomeneus cleared from Liverpool on Saturday. She will take about 40 days to complete the passage to this port, and will likely fly under the Spanish flag at the outer docks on July 25. The vessel is not carrying a very heavy cargo for this coast, and has about 150 tons for Victoria.

This will be the first visit of the Idomeneus to this port. She formerly operated in the China and Australian trade. The freighter has a tonnage of 4,200 tons, and is slightly smaller than the ships which have arrived so far in the new service. Owing to the uncertainty of the movement of its ships the Blue Funnel officials are unable to announce any time ahead as to what vessels will be dispatched from Liverpool on the Panama run, and as a consequence the craft which are to take the sailings are never known until they are ordered on berth. Nothing was known here as to whether or not the June sailing from the United Kingdom would be made until the advices were received this morning.

Maintain Service Well.

Despite the workings of the admiralty in requisitioning ships, the Blue Funnel company has succeeded very well in maintaining its Panama service. Only one sailing has been missed so far. The steamship Moyne was to have left Liverpool early last month, but the admiralty had a duty for her. The Jason will be the next of the Blue Funnel fleet to arrive via the canal. She cleared from the Mersey several weeks ago, and will start on her homeward voyage about the middle of next month. The Jason is not carrying a heavy outward freight, but will be filled to the hatches on her homeward trip.

Titan Due on Sunday.

On Sunday the steamship Titan, Capt. Read, operating in the trans-Pacific service of the Blue Funnel line, will arrive from Hongkong and Yokohama on Sunday, two weeks behind her schedule. The Titan is bringing a big list of Chinese to this coast. Two hundred and twenty-three Celestials will disembark at this port, and 150 are going through to the United States. The cargo on the Blue ship for Victoria amounts to 560 tons.

The Titan is to sail direct for Vladivostok on her outward voyage. A full cargo has been filled for here. Mr. Davenport stated this morning that the ships of the Blue fleet for the next three months have full cargoes waiting for them. Freight rates are soaring very high and the owners are reaping a rich harvest.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Bellingham, June 21.—Arrived: Str. Senju Maru, from Nanaimo.

Anacortes, June 21.—Arrived: Str. Student, from Tacoma.

Portland, Ore., June 21.—Arrived: Str. William P. Herr, from Monterey; str. Colman, John, from Seattle and Victoria; str. San Francisco; str. Cadonia, from San Francisco; str. Agata, from Port San Luis. Sailed: Str. William P. Herr, for Monterey; str. Beaver, for San Francisco.

San Francisco, June 21.—Arrived: Str. Governor, from Seattle, at 2 a. m.; str. City of Pusan, from Seattle and Victoria at 2 a. m.; str. Yosemite and St. Helena, from Astoria; str. Avalon, from Willapa harbor; str. Kova, from Hongkong. Sailed: Str. Carmel, for Aberdeen; str. El Segundo and bge. No. 31, for Seattle.

Seattle, July 21.—Arrived: Str. Northwestern, Southwestern, via Southeastern Alaska; str. President, San Diego, via San Francisco and Victoria; str. Redondo, Southeastern Alaska, via Nanaimo and Port Wells; str. Santa Clara, New York, via San Francisco and Portland.

San Pedro, June 21.—The steamer O. M. Clark, of the Olson & Mahony line, and the British steamer Cetriana arrived to-day from Mexican ports, and the steamer Thomas L. Ward from British Columbia ports. The Cetriana discharged 28 tons of general merchandise at San Francisco. The Clark discharged a small amount of freight here, but no passengers, and proceeded to San Francisco. The Ward brought a cargo of poles. Departures included the Toyo Kisen Kaisha steamer Mary, for South American and Mexican ports and the British steamer Merchant for San Francisco. The Merchant arrived here last night and had but a partial cargo. Lumber carriers arriving to-day included the Schooners from Portland and Coronado and the San Jacinto from Grays' harbor. The San Jacinto proceeded to Ventura after discharging a partial cargo for the R. K. Wood yards. The steamer Florence Luckenbach, after discharging 100 tons of merchandise and steel at this port proceeded to San Francisco to-night with the balance of cargo.

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Hamilton, Ont.52.00	St. Paul, Minn.65.00
Kansas City, Mo.65.00	Toronto, Ont.32.00
London, Ont.63.00	Washington, D. C.105.50
Minneapolis, Minn.60.00	Winnipeg, Man.65.00
Montreal, P. Q.105.00		

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PRINCESS SOPHIA DOCKS.

The C. P. R. steamer Princess Sophia, Capt. D. Robertson, arrived in port last night from Skagway and Prince Rupert via Vancouver. She had a fair trip down the coast. While at the Terminal city yesterday she picked up 54 huge sticks of teak, consigned to Thos. K. Kydd.

Teacher—"The ruler of France is called the president; the ruler of Russia is called the Czar. Now, then, Tommy, can you tell me what the ruler of Germany is called?" Tommy—"Please, miss, I know what he is called, because I heard my father call it him, but I don't like to tell you."

Two ladies were returning in a tramcar from the opera of "Carmen." Whilst the conductor was collecting their fares, one of the ladies remarked to her companion: "Oh, I do love 'Carmen!' The conductor, overhearing the remark, said to the lady: "Aren't you sorry to disappoint ye, but I am married alrady."

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TAXES

JUNE 30TH IS THE LAST DAY on which the abatement of one-sixth of the General Taxes will be allowed.

G. H. PULLEN, Treasurer and Collector.

ESTATE OF HELEN G. R. M'INTOSH

All persons having claims against this estate are required to send particulars thereof, fully verified, and all persons indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of June, 1915.

PROVINCIAL ROYAL JUBILEE

The annual meeting of the donors and subscribers to the institution will be held in the City Hall, Victoria, on Thursday, June 24th, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Mortgage Sale

REAL ESTATE

KER ADDITION OF GORGE VIEW PARK

Thursday, 24th June, 1915

At 11 o'clock a.m.

I will offer for sale, by auction, at my office, Law Court, Station Street, Victoria, B. C., under powers of sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage dated the 15th day of July, 1910, and duly registered in Land Registry Office, Victoria, as No. 2531 G, the following property:

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Terms, \$1,000 to remain on mortgage and the balance in cash.

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For particulars apply to Messrs. Macfarlane & Boyle, Barristers, etc., 19-19 Union Bank Building, Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for Mortgagee.

Victoria Assessment District

Taxpayers are hereby reminded that Wednesday the 30th of June next is the last day on which a discount will be allowed on the Taxes for the year 1915 on Land, Personal Property and Income.

Local Collector's Office is situated at the corner of B. C. Office hours, 2 a. m. until 5 p. m.

E. E. LEASON, Provincial Assessor and Collector, Victoria Assessment District.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 15th June, 1915.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the "Companies' Act" and in the Matter of B. C. Hardware Company, Limited:

NOTICE

WHEREAS the Honorable the Chief Justice, by order dated the 13th day of April, 1915, did sanction an arrangement agreed to by the unsecured creditors of the B. C. Hardware Co., Ltd. of Victoria, B. C., whereby a committee of inspectors was appointed to superintend the management and conduct of the said Company's business, and further authorized the said committee, by unanimous agreement, to effect a sale of the business and assets of the Company at such price and terms as they considered advisable.

TAKE NOTICE, therefore, that tenders in writing will be received by the undersigned, on behalf of the said committee, to purchase the business and assets of the Company, in accordance with the said arrangement, on or before the 7th day of July, 1915.

Dated 17th day of June, 1915.

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Financial News

STANDARD LEAD KEPT HIGHER RANGE TO-DAY

Rambler Moved Up but Most of the List Quiet to Softer

Elements of pressure were a little conspicuous in the list but all told were negative. Weakness in International Coal was most remarked, an outcome of depleted demand.

Table of stock prices including Blackbird Syndicate, B. C. Refining Co., Can. Copper Co., etc.

NEW YORK CURB PRICES

Table of New York Curb Prices for various commodities like Ann. Maroon, Beaver, Can. Copper, etc.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Table of New York Cotton Market prices for Jan, March, July, Oct, Dec.

BANK OF MONTREAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS: R. H. HERBERT, E. B. Greenfield, etc. Capital Paid up - \$16,000,000

SELLING OF STOCK WAS NOT IMPOSING

Canadian Pacific Went to Below \$150 on Pressure; War Stocks Featured

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.) New York, June 22.—Stocks were supplied in considerable quantity after the opening but there was support on comparing

Table of stock prices for Alaska Gold, Allis-Chalmers, Amal. Copper, etc.

JULY WHEAT SOLD AT DOLLAR, THEN RALLIED

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Chicago, June 22.—Disappointing cables and weather reports still favorable for the harvesting of the winter wheat crop

Table of wheat prices for July, Sept, Dec.

TO-DAY'S TRADING ON THE WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, June 22.—Trading in grain futures was quiet today and prices were lower. There were some selling orders

MONTREAL STOCKS

Table of Montreal Stock prices for Bell Telephone, Dom. Bridge, Canadian Cement, etc.

ARCHBISHOP LANGEVIN LAID TO REST TO-DAY

St. Boniface Cathedral Was Filled During the Service To-day

Winnipeg, June 22.—The body of Archbishop Langevin was laid to rest this morning in the crypt of St. Boniface cathedral.

The chief mourners were Bishop Bellevue, administrator of the Archdiocese of St. Boniface, and Rev. Father Langevin, rector of the parish of Hochelag.

NO INDICATION AS TO WHEN NOTE WILL BE SENT

Washington, June 22.—Ambassador Gerard has been unable to learn as yet when he will receive the German note in reply to the last American note.

HAVE ITALIANS BROKEN LINE AT THREE POINTS?

London, June 22.—Private dispatches to the Exchange Telegraph company from Copenhagen quote the Messagero, of Rome, as saying that the Austrian line has been broken at three points

FRANCE WILL FLOAT LOAN IN THE STATES

New York, June 22.—J. P. Morgan & Company announced to-day that arrangements had been made by the French government to float a loan in this country of a new

ANOTHER AMERICAN KILLED IN MEXICO

El Paso, Tex., June 22.—Steve Parmenter, an American, was killed at the Elavator mine, in the state of Jalisco, according to passengers reaching the border to-day.

EIGHT CHINESE WERE FOUND IN BOX-CAR

Vancouver, June 22.—Ingeniously secreted in a special compartment built inside a box car and surrounded by piles of timber, eight Chinese were apprehended in Everett on Sunday

LACROSSE VETERAN DEAD

Montreal, June 22.—It was reported here yesterday that Dick Neville, the great old-time Montreal lacrosse player, and one of the best known men in the game some ten years ago, had been drowned while crossing to Europe with the regular he joined for overseas service.

THREE SHIPS SUNK BY RUSSIAN SUBMARINES

Petrograd, June 22.—A large enemy steamship and two sailing vessels have been sent to the bottom of the Black Sea by Russian submarines, it was learned from an authoritative source here to-day.

SEVEN INJURED

San Francisco, June 22.—Seven persons were injured to-day, one seriously, in a head-on collision between a motor bus and a touring car in a traffic jam before the Ferry building.

WHAT PREMIER NORRIS TOLD DEPUTATION TO-DAY

Winnipeg, June 22.—Premier Norris received about four hundred members of the Manitoba Methodist Conference at the Parliament buildings this morning, and answering their spokesman, intimated that a provincial election would be followed by a referendum on the question of the prohibition of the sale of liquor.

The deputation asked for prohibition as a war measure, to be repealed after the war by a referendum. The premier replied that the government had no authority to enact such legislation at the present time.

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BERLIN STATEMENT

Berlin, June 22.—The official announcement from army headquarters to-day reports heavy fighting along the Fecht river, in Alsace, where considerable gains have been claimed recently by the French.

THE NEW LOAN

London, June 22.—The new war loan was the sole topic of conversation on the stock exchange to-day. Dealers are describing it as a clever piece of work, especially the provision for conversion.

NO FRESH EFFORTS

Washington, June 22.—President Wilson revealed to-day that all the offers of mediation in Europe which the United States had made publicly or semi-publicly have been disclosed and that the foreign governments generally have been aware of the desire of the United States to do anything possible to assist in bringing peace.

VERY STRONG INSTITUTION

London, June 22.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy gave a cryptic reply to interviewers to-day who inquired regarding the Canadian Pacific's dividend prospects. He said: "So far, there has been no change in the dividend. There has been a decrease in earnings, but the Canadian Pacific is a very strong institution."

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BERLIN STATEMENT

Berlin, June 22.—The official announcement from army headquarters to-day reports heavy fighting along the Fecht river, in Alsace, where considerable gains have been claimed recently by the French.

THE NEW LOAN

London, June 22.—The new war loan was the sole topic of conversation on the stock exchange to-day. Dealers are describing it as a clever piece of work, especially the provision for conversion.

NO FRESH EFFORTS

Washington, June 22.—President Wilson revealed to-day that all the offers of mediation in Europe which the United States had made publicly or semi-publicly have been disclosed and that the foreign governments generally have been aware of the desire of the United States to do anything possible to assist in bringing peace.

VERY STRONG INSTITUTION

London, June 22.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy gave a cryptic reply to interviewers to-day who inquired regarding the Canadian Pacific's dividend prospects. He said: "So far, there has been no change in the dividend. There has been a decrease in earnings, but the Canadian Pacific is a very strong institution."

HELD CONFERENCE

Aboard U. S. S. Colorado, off Guaymas, June 21.—Fifteen hundred Villa soldiers under General Som were promised as protection for foreigners in the Yaqui valley at a conference aboard the Colorado to-day between Admiral Howard, commanding the Pacific fleet, and his staff and General Leyva, military commander at Guaymas. General Leyva said that the landing of American marines might be misinterpreted by the masses of the Mexican people.

LEAVE TO APPEAL

London, June 22.—The court has granted to W. T. R. Preston leave to appeal against the verdict returned for the defendants in his action against the London Daily News over its criticism of his book on the life of Lord Strathcona. Another action concerning the book also is pending.

DURING HUGHES' ABSENCE

Ottawa, June 22.—It is likely that Senator Loughheed, of Calgary, will be acting minister of militia during the absence of Major-general Hughes in the old country. General Hughes will leave very shortly.

STRICT CENSORSHIP

Nogales, Mex., Governor Maytorena, Villa commander, reinforced the censorship to-day in the entire territory dominated by him. Censors were placed in the telegraph offices. Newspapermen were denied admission to the governor's office.

REPORT DENIED

Copenhagen, June 22.—Berlin dispatches to-day state that the Order of Merit has not been conferred upon the commander of the submarine responsible for the sinking of the Lusitania.

TO CAPE HAYTIAN

Washington, June 22.—New revolutionary activity in Hayti to-day caused the navy department to order Rear Admiral Caperton and the cruiser Washington, now at Vera Cruz, over to Cape Haytian with 700 bluejackets and 300 marines.

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UNEMPLOYED CALL ON THE ACTING PREMIER

No New Work in Sight; Offers to Loan City Money If Needed

In a heart to heart talk with an unemployed deputation which marched this morning, some two hundred strong, to the parliament buildings, acting-premier Bowser advised the single men out of work in Victoria to walk and beat their way to a job. This advice was greeted by audible comments, where on Mr. Bowser replied to the men: "If I were in your position and there was a job at a distance, I would start walking as quickly as possible to get that job."

The advice was given following a plea for employment for some relief for about two thousand men registered at the unemployed bureau in Victoria. After recapitulating what relief had been given in various parts of the province by the government, Mr. Bowser referred to the statement that has been made to the effect that there will be many men wanted for the harvest on the prairies. The government, he said, had taken up the matter of transportation for unemployed with the Dominion government and the G. T. P., and the C. P. R., and it is hoped to present a bill for the harvest. The married men who wanted to go, he said, would have first chance at the transportation, but single men he advised to walk and beat their way.

Mr. Bowser held out no hope of new government work being undertaken. He said the expenditure of \$1,500 per week on the Songhees reserve would be kept up. He expressed the governmental sorrow for the unhappy condition of the poorer classes and offered to lend the city of Victoria money for relief of the unemployed when the city asked for it.

Following a statement of their case by John L. Martin, Walter Inwood and Mr. Taylor, who headed the deputation, Mr. Bowser asked what percentage of the two hundred who were present were residents of Victoria and what percentage were married. Mr. Martin replied there were a few Italians there, but the majority were Victoria residents. He could not tell the percentage of married men, and for this information referred the acting-premier to the head of the labor bureau.

Mr. Bowser remarked that the responsibility of caring for the unemployed lay primarily with the city. The city fathers had, he said, done much advertising of Victoria, the city beautified, and had got a number of tourists and a certain spending population to come here and spend money. This advertising, he said, also brought many men without money, and thus the city got the advantage and the disadvantage, and ought to take care of a normal situation. If it became abnormal, then it was the duty of the government to act, and in this connection the government was prepared to lend the city money for relief when needed.

Conditions had, he said, been very bad north of Victoria, and \$24,000 had been spent in April and May in relief. He said he had received \$10,000, Port Alberni \$5,000 and South Vancouver \$20,000, of which \$10,000 had been repaid.

An offer had been made to the city and a refusal of aid had been returned. Mr. Bowser said it was not business to spend money now at the Songhees reserve, and in this Victoria had received more than any other part of the province. It had been done to aid the people out of work. There had been some here and some there because there were many men congregating there from the woods, and relief was needed. The government had spent \$40,000 on the Little Saanich mountain road, but the work was done. In South Vancouver and Burnaby government land had been cleared to help the unemployed, \$1,500 being spent. At Prince Rupert an excavation for a court house had been done that would not be needed for a long time. Relief had been given at Fort George, and \$30,000 worth of grain had been distributed to assist.

The harvesting and the call for mechanics in England, he said, would take many men, and this outflow would relieve matters here somewhat. The outlook for the fall was good, but it might be better than it would be but for these things. The government had tried to arrange with the Russian government for the transportation of Russians to Russia, but the Russian government had been unable to act because of a lack of ships. If Italians were called home for the war, the acting-premier said there would be a further easing of the pressure here.

One member of the deputation said the government was giving the alien enemies in internment camps three meals and 25 cents daily, while Britishers were without work and food. Mr. Bowser replied this had been in the public interest, as the alien miners could not be allowed to work in mines and endanger the lives of Britishers.

In introducing the deputation, Mr. Martin said the situation was desperate. He said he had registered as an out of work man. He presented a memorial setting out conditions. Walter Inwood said the unemployed were not satisfied with the city's action. The city would not be a success, and they were offered a rock pile which he considered an insult and not profitable to the workers. He had been told Chinese were employed in the mills at eight cents per hour. Five men, he said, had died in Victoria of starvation, and one family had been so destitute that they had cooked and eaten the cat. Mr. Inwood said he was sick of politics and wanted his just rights. Thousands of dollars had been spent to bring men to British Columbia, and he disbelieved the statement made that 2,500 mechanics wanted in England could not be got in Canada.

He guaranteed to get that number in his name for it to Miss Munroe, Victoria. He had heard too much about the vast resources of the coun-

VICTORIA DAY AT FAIR

Citizens Who Can Get to San Francisco for July 23 Are Asked to Do So.

All Victorians who are going to take in the Panama-Pacific fair are asked to do so, if possible, so as to be there about July 23, which has been set aside by the fair management as Victoria Day.

There will be special attractions on that day, and it is hoped that there will be a large assemblage of Victorians on the grounds, and taking part in the exercises of the day. The Canadian building and the C. P. R. exhibit will be specially decorated, and the long business and social connection between the city of the Golden Gate and the capital of British Columbia will be emphasized.

Any people from here who are going to be in San Francisco about that time are asked to communicate with either Publicity Commissioner Cuthbert or with Frank Higgins, president of the Rotary club. Mr. Cuthbert is in a position to give full information in regard to hotel accommodation, rates and train and steamer service to anyone desiring it.

There will be many Rotarians in the fair city for Victoria Day, as the date will be about that fixed for the conference of Rotary there. Victoria Rotarians can be depended upon to do the city honor on that occasion.

Rev. Thomas Green and Mrs. Green, who are staying in the city a few weeks longer before proceeding to Woodstock, Ont., may be reached by phone 4973R.

F. G. C. Wood, formerly a teacher in the Victoria High school, has returned to the city after taking a course in Harvard University, where he received his M. A. degree. Mr. Wood is very well known in this city.

The officers of the 48th Battalion last evening entertained a number of their friends at the mess rooms, the Willows, the proceedings being in the nature of a farewell gathering. Dancing was indulged in after dinner, the occasion being made as enjoyable as possible in view of the leave-taking which had to be made at the end of the evening. Among the guests were His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Barnard.

At St. John's church yesterday Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick united in marriage Percy Gomery, manager of the Bank of Commerce, Vancouver, son of Rev. Henry Gomery, of Hamilton, Ont., and Miss Bernadette Macdonald, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Macdonald, of Antigonish, N. S. The ceremony was celebrated very quietly, only a few of the more immediate relatives and friends who had come down from Vancouver in order to witness the celebration being present. Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Scott, of Vancouver, attended the principals. The bride wore her traveling costume of blue cloth. Mr. and Mrs. Gomery will make their home in Vancouver.

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Stadacona Band Concerts.—This evening the Fusiliers Band will give another of their popular concerts at Stadacona park. The band will have the assistance of well known local talent, including the Misses Moore, who will contribute duets.

Hold "At Home."—Queen Alexandra Hive, No. 11, L. O. T. M., will hold an at home on Thursday, June 24, from 2.30 to 5 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. Irvine, 1948 Pembroke street, in aid of the Red Cross work. All ladies interested in the work, also members of Victoria hive and of Baxter hive are cordially invited.

Friendly Help Grant.—Although no actual amount was passed by city council last evening in the minutes of the finance committee, for Friendly Help association, it is really not necessary for a vote, the mayor explained to-day, as it is a charitable fund which has to be met, and which he has power to authorize. However he wished the council to be fully advised of the pressure put on that fund this year.

H. B. "Imperial" Lager Beer, quarts, \$2.00 per dozen.

County Court Cases.—Judge Lampman this morning gave judgment for \$90 in an action brought by Henry Nicholson against Norman Hepburn. The claim was for \$140, said to be due on the purchase of cows and pigs. In Colbert and Day, judgment was given yesterday afternoon for \$85 and costs. The claim was for cow sold on guarantee that she would calve in a certain time. In Gunn against Geller, a claim for advertising, judgment has been given for \$77.50.

Court of Appeal.—Judgment was reserved to-day in the appeal in Canadian Collieries against Dunsuir. The action is for the deduction of \$158,454.39 from the bill between the two parties. The amount fixed following the privy council decision is held by the defendant to be that much in excess. An application was made for a special sitting of the court to hear the appeal in Appleton against Moore. It was ordered set at the foot of the present list. This afternoon the court is hearing the appeal of Kelly against the C. P. R.

SEVEN REMOUNTS ARE BOUGHT IN VICTORIA

Agents for Commissioners Take Purchases Back to Mainland

R. F. Bevan, agent for A. D. MacRae, remount commissioner for Western Canada, examined some three dozen horses yesterday while in the city with Capt. Fry and Dr. Henderson (veterinary surgeon), of Vancouver. Seven remounts, all of which weighed between 12 and 14 cwt. and will be used for remount and artillery work solely, were purchased, no saddle horses being purchased on this occasion.

Owing to the small number of animals brought in yesterday, the agents did not go out to the Willows to-day, as advertised, thinking that all the remounts available had been brought in. As a consequence one or two people who had animals for sale and who took these out to the stables to-day were disappointed in not being able to have them examined by the agent and his assistants. The work of selecting remounts on this occasion is confined to the purchase of heavy animals suitable for artillery work, except in a few exceptional cases where fine mounts suitable for officers' chargers were offered. The commissioner's agents, however, anticipate making a second trip through the country in the course of the next two months for the purpose of buying saddle horses. They returned by last night's boat to the mainland, taking the remounts with them.

Lieut.-Col. Hulme, officer commanding the 62nd Battalion, visited the city yesterday and conferred with Colonel Ogilvie, D. O. C., in connection with the personnel of his staff and other matters connected with his command.

WHO WOULD YOU THINK?

He's affable, empty, a figurehead fair, As strong as a Samson, to judge by his hair; Though when you're appraising that marvellous strength Don't go by the thickness; decide by the length. The thickness, his colleagues found out long ago. Is located just one or two inches below; So they canned him. And now he is hunting a job. Where he'll still be allowed to keep on raising loaves. In Ottawa's council he'd like a nice slice. But the answer to that up to date has been "Nil." He has leanings towards London, if Turner would quit. Or any position where he could be "It." But wherever he goes, it's as plain as can be. His colleagues (speak gently, between you and me) Would see him in Hades—but not in B. C. He's bound to wrangle, with that you will just have to wrangle. To tell you'd be like taking coals to Newcastle. If you guess it's easy—don't feel too much pride. But whisper it softly, "....."

The first correct solution of the above riddle received at this office will entitle the sender to the genuine tinplated medal which will be struck off under the auspices of the Lapidgraber's association on the occasion of our premier's accession to the prime ministership of Canada.

Hindu Losses Family.—A Hindu who was drying a horse and rig out of the city yesterday afternoon was reported to the police as being in an unfit condition to be in charge of them, and Constables Harper and Allen brought him to the station. His excuse was that he had learned of the death of the members of his family—he did not specify how they had died—and he had been unable to eat or sleep for some days. Yesterday a friend induced him to take a couple of glasses of beer and it was too much for him. He was fined three dollars.

She wasn't on the playground, she was missing and bedtime, the little one was missing and bedtime was coming on; we hunted in the garden, we peeped about to see if sleeping under rose tree or lilac she might be. But nothing came in answer to our anxious call, until at length we hastened within the darkened hall. And then upon the stillness there broke a silvery tone—the darling mite was standing before the telephone. And softly, as we listened, came stealing down the stairs: "Hi! Central! Give me heaven. I want to say my prayers."

Willis—"Eternity has neither beginning nor end, neither form nor shape, is so vast and complex that we can't understand, and yet at the same time it is a void. There's nothing like it, is there?" Gillis—"The only other thing I know of that answers the description is a moving picture serial in a newspaper."

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TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE	
At New York—	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	1 7 0
New York	1 3 0
Batteries—Alexander and Killifer; Marquard and Meyers. (Called 9th, darkness.)	
At Cincinnati—	R. H. E.
Pittsburg	3 7 1
Cincinnati	1 4 4
Batteries—McQuillan and Gibson; Schneider, Toney and Wingo.	
At Boston—	R. H. E.
Brooklyn	2 8 1
Boston	3 6 2
Batteries—Coombs and Miller; Rudolph and Gowdy.	

AMERICAN LEAGUE	
At Philadelphia—New York-Philadelphia game postponed; rain.	
At Washington—	R. H. E.
Boston	4 11 3
Washington	7 8 1
Batteries—Foster, Shore, Penneck and Cady; Thomas; Ayres, Shaw and Almsmith.	
At Cleveland—	R. H. E.
Chicago	3 7 0
Cleveland	6 7 2
Batteries—Faber and Schalk; Harstad, Jones and O'Neill.	

POPULAR OARSMAN REPORTED MISSING WELL KNOWN HERE

Harold G. Sinclair, whose name appears in the casualty list, reported as missing, left here with the 29th Battalion. He was one of Victoria's most popular oarsmen, at the present time holding the senior doubles championship of the Pacific Northwest, having won same at Portland last year rowing with Billie Kennedy as his partner. Sinclair also rowed bow in the representative junior four, which also won the championship at the same regatta. A few years ago, while stationed in Vancouver, and rowing under the colors of the Vancouver Rowing club, he carried off the junior single championship of the P. N. W. easily, but was defeated in the senior race by the old veteran, Deabry, by a small margin. He was later transferred to the Bank of Montreal, Prince Rupert, and was one of the founders of the Prince Rupert Rowing club. He was extremely popular with everyone who knew him, and it is sincerely hoped by all that he will turn up at a later date safe and sound.

BROWN WILL BLACK-LIST HIS STRIKERS TEAM LOOKS GOOD

Tacoma, June 22.—Bob Brown's striking players on the Vancouver team are likely never to play professional ball again under any auspices recognized by organized baseball, as Brown said in Tacoma yesterday he has decided not to take any of the men back, but to blacklist them for good. Two of the strikers have already repented their action and asked to be taken back, but Brown said he turned a deaf ear to them. The Vancouver president's pickups, however, look like a pretty fair team. Nye, the shortstop, was obtained from Seattle. He was formerly with Victoria. Frisk, a veteran of heavy-hitting calibre, is playing right field. Leroy Brown, another free agent, is playing second base. Don Grant, of Tacoma, who has "worked" out with the Beavers for two years and was farmed out to Calgary last year, is playing third base. Jimmy Clark, an Aberdeen pitcher, has been loaned to Brown for a week. Frambach, who was with Tacoma until recently, has been signed to fill in the pitching staff, and William Brand, a Vancouver boy, who has worked out with Vancouver at home, has also been signed to pitch. In addition Brown said last night he has two more good players on the way.

WARDS MEET LEADERS IN CRUCIAL GAME

North Ward, with a few changes on their lineup, expect to take a fall out of Beacon Hill to-night when they meet on the latter's diamond. To date the Wards have not won a single game. Billy "Lefty" Wright will be on the mound for the Hills, while Jack Curtis or Milne will twist for the Wards. The teams will line up as follows: Hills—D. Slater, c.; Wright, p.; Nicholson, 1b.; Irving, 2b.; McCusky, ss.; Copas, 3b.; McAdam, lf.; Yates, c.f.; Meesher, r.f. Wards—Quinn, c.; Curtis or Milne p.; Menzies, 1b.; Plovs, 2b.; Bigham, ss.; Lamphere, 3b.; Milne, lf.; Curtis, c.f.; Kerr, r.f.

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MISSION'S ARRIVAL DELAYED TWO DAYS

Many People Await Decision on Applications for Munition Work

The British Mission of Inquiry into armament labor supply, which was expected yesterday, will not arrive till to-morrow evening or Thursday morning. It is expected that the delayed date will facilitate the systematizing of the application forms which have been lodged with the city clerk and the superintendent of the labor bureau.

No explanation of the change of date has reached the local authorities, but probably unexpected circumstances have postponed the date of arrival, which was to have preceded the transaction of business in Vancouver.

Since the opening up of work on the reserve, nothing has so much stirred the unemployed in Victoria as this opportunity to work on war munitions in the old country yards, and while probably only a few will be chosen out of the many who have applied, judging by experience in other centres of population, the applicants are banking upon being given the opportunity.

The party will stay two days in Victoria, and from present indications it will be a busy time, although it is stated that the visit of the commissioners will be followed up by an inspection of the applications through other sources.

Several public bodies have indicated their intention of meeting the commissioners, and placing their views before them, as it is recognized that the object which brings the party to Victoria may have a very valuable local advantage, as well as the national one which inspired it.

PASSED IN HOME-NURSING

Dr. C. Denton Holmes Gives Out Report of Examination in Which 35 Candidates Took Part.

Yesterday the secretary of Victoria centre of the St. John Ambulance association received from the surgeon-examiner, Dr. C. Denton Holmes, his report on his examination of 35 candidates who had, during April and May, attended a class in Home Nursing, instructed by Dr. A. B. Hudson, in connection with which Miss Munroe and Mr. A. J. Dallin had rendered valuable assistance by giving instruction in the practical work, especially in the use of the roller bandage.

The result of the examination was decidedly satisfactory, the general average of marks obtained by the 35 candidates having been 75. One candidate was credited with the maximum number of 100 marks, another received 95, two got 90, one 85, seven 80, four 75, seven 70, five 65 and seven 60. As the minimum number required for passing is 50, it will be seen that all passed creditably. This was the first occasion in which a local examination was partly written and partly oral, written papers not having been asked for in previous St. John Ambulance examinations in Victoria. The new departure, however, proved satisfactory, only one candidate having obtained less than 50 per cent. of the maximum number of marks allowable for a paper; two secured full marks and ten others had 75 per cent. or higher.

The names of those who passed follow: Mesdames Laura Blakeney, Elizabeth Boulton, B. Audley Burton, Alice Curtis, Effie Hutchison, Mary Hutchison, Florence Owens, Melinda J. Reynolds, Clara Roberts, Marjory Watt and Dorothy Yates, and Misses Clifford M. Alleyne, Doris Ashdown, Mary C. Badcock, Jennie M. Bichart, Lois Carson, Gladys M. Carroll, Josephine Crease, Edith Croft, May Croft, Ethel Currie, May Few, Edith R. M. Foster, Isabella A. J. Gibberst, Margaret J. Glea, Cecelia Green, Beatrice Hadfield, Charlotte M. Martin, Theodora McCorkell, Alice Moss, Olga Nutrie, Helena Newton, Eva Payson, Nonie Rich and Gladys Woodward.

Another class in Home-Nursing with Dr. W. J. C. Tomalin as surgeon-instructor, will be commenced at the Y. W. C. A. restaurant, Douglas street, next Friday evening at 8 o'clock. As the list for this class is now being completed, those who have not given in their names for it to Miss Munroe, her former residence at 1032 Oliphant street, Rev. Dr. Scott will officiate.

DIES OF WOUNDS

Pte. A. V. Malpass Succumbs to Injuries Received During Action on May 21.

Information has been received of the following further casualties among soldiers who went from Victoria to the front:

Died of Wounds.
Pte. A. V. Malpass.
D. Seriously Wounded.
Pte. M. R. Nicholls.
Wounded.
Pte. William Symons.
Pte. A. V. Malpass, 7th Battalion, died of wounds, was reported wounded in a recent casualty list, succumbing to his injuries (received about May 21) on June 16. Pte. Malpass was the son of James Malpass, of Nanaimo, and was born in that city in 1893. He joined the 88th Fusiliers regiment last autumn, and went to the front with the 30th Battalion. He was educated at Ladysmith, and later entered the Royal Bank of Canada at Nanaimo. A brother, who was wounded in the same action, is at the Victoria Infirmary, Glasgow. Pte. Malpass died in No. 3 hospital.

Pte. M. R. Nicholls, 7th Battalion, dangerously wounded, was reported in a recent list as wounded. He joined the 88th Fusiliers last September for active service. He is 31 years of age. Pte. William Symons, 7th Battalion, wounded, joined the 88th Fusiliers last autumn, and left with the 30th Battalion in February. He is 24 years of age, and a native of England. Before coming to Canada he was with the 4th Gloucestershire regiment for four years. He had lived in British Columbia for some years, and was an employee at Plimley's garage for some time.

LARGEST TELESCOPE

Dr. Plaskett to Lecture in Victoria Theatre to-morrow evening on Instrument for Saanich.

Citizens of Victoria should make a point of attending the lecture to be given in the Victoria theatre, Douglas street, to-morrow evening, by Dr. J. S. Plaskett, F.R.G.S., of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada and one of the astronomers of the Dominion Astronomical Observatory at Ottawa.

The subject of Dr. Plaskett's address will be the new telescope which is to be erected at the Saanich observatory. This will be the largest reflecting telescope in the world, and it will be fully described by Dr. Plaskett, and what it means to science will also be told.

That this splendid instrument is being placed here is due to the unexcelled climate of southern Vancouver Island, and the clearness of the air, which renders the district particularly favorable for astronomical observation. This in itself is a tribute to the climatic conditions prevailing here that is worth a great deal. The installing of the telescope will bring many scientists and other visitors to the city in the years to come.

Dr. Plaskett is mainly responsible for the choice of this as the observatory site and for the placing here of the fine telescope that is being built. There will be spent on the building and equipping of the observatory about a quarter of a million dollars, and the provincial government is spending several hundred dollars on making the site easily accessible. A model of the telescope, to a one-tenth scale, is now on view at the San Francisco fair, and it cannot fail to attract attention.

To-morrow evening's lecture, which is to be illustrated with many slides and views, will be under the auspices of the mayor and city council, and Mayor Stewart will preside.

THE CHILDREN'S PART

Scholars Are Asked to Co-operate in Maintenance of Beds at Canadian Hospital.

The school board to-day issued a circular letter from the Canadian Red Cross society, city and district branch, to the school principals with regard to the maintenance of the Duchess of Connaught—Canadian—hospital at Cliveden, for the ten beds equipped by this branch.

"It was felt that the school children of Victoria and district would appreciate the privilege of providing for the maintenance of these beds, and the central committee has therefore been notified that this will be undertaken for one year by the school children of Victoria City and district."

"This branch," says the honorary secretary, Charles Williams, "has already received cash subscriptions to a considerable amount from the school children, but of course this money has already been sent forward for other purposes, such as the purchase of drugs and surgical supplies, and the material for bandage and garments, and I am asked to request that

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BIG HOME.—SMALL, PRICE-MODERATE home of 18 rooms, 2520 Quadra St., cost with lot two years ago \$12,500; price, \$6,500; terms, \$100 cash and \$5 month, including all interest or with exchange for smaller house. See T. P. McConnell, 223A Pemberton Building.

DAME DURDEN.—dainty tea rooms, 749 Fort. Home made cakes and China tea. Phone 2283.

EXCHANGE.—Section land, 400 acres, in crop, good buildings, for clear title property. North West Real Estate, 1212 Douglas street.

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LAMPSON ST. SCHOOL.—Thursday evening



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SPORTING NEWS

MASS MEETING OF VICTORIA FANS TO-NIGHT OVER TWELVE HUNDRED DOLLARS SUBSCRIBED

"Team Must Be Kept Here" is Slogan of Boosters' Club; Tyler Christian Released by Oakland; Baseball Gossip

Mayor Stewart will preside at to-night's mass meeting of the fans of Victoria who will devise some plans for the holding of the Northwestern league franchise in the capital.

CITY GRANT FOR SATURDAY'S RACES

Many Entries From H. M. S. Kent for Aquatic Meet at the Gorge.

With a grant of \$50 from the city for the prizes in Saturday's regatta, the coming aquatic meet at the Gorge should be one of the finest ever staged in the capital.

Other events in the swimming programme are a fifty yards' scratch race for men of the army, a fifty yards' race for navy men over forty years of age, a 100 yards' handicap race open to affiliated clubs, a water polo match, twelve men a side, and exhibition of scientific swimming by L. Eullard Lee, ex-champion swimmer of the world and originator of the famous crawl stroke, assisted by ladies of the Victoria Ladies' Swimming Club.

Obstacle race—F. Holt, E.R.A.; H. J. Bulbeck, A.B.; A. Home, O.S.; J. P. Stratford, boy; H. Brown, R.M.L.I.; J. Jenkins, A.B.; W. J. Reynolds, R.M.L.I.

Blindfold race—H. J. Bulbeck, A.B.; H. Banks, boy; H. Howell, Idg. stoker; J. D. Hamilton, boy; A. Home, O.S.; J. T. Harvey, O.S.; A. E. Abbott, boy.

Whaler race, for which three Kent crews are entered, stokers, seamen and midshipmen; four-oared lifeboat race, entered by crews of seamen and stokers; a canoe race, for which W. Cotton, stoker; C. Dawson, stoker; S. Tiley, leading seaman, and L. Barber, leading seaman, have entered.

TWIRLER COMING

Mgr. Marty Nye stated this morning that he has two young pitchers on the string, and will probably bring a young left-hander to the capital before the end of the week.

TRAVERS BROKE RECORD.

Philadelphia, June 22.—Jerome D. Travers, the open golf champion, yesterday broke the record for the Huntington Valley Country club's course by three strokes, when he completed the second before the qualifying round for the Lynwood Hall gold cup in 72, par for the course.

Men serve women kneeling; when they get on their feet they go away.—Thackeray.

of the voluntary gifts will amount to well over twelve hundred dollars, when the meeting is called together to-night. Tyler Christian, manager of the Oakland club, got the hook yesterday, and Rowdy Elliott, a catcher, was given his place. It was rumored some time ago that Christian was to lose his job, but the owners of the Oakland club indignantly denied any such intention.

San Francisco, June 22.—Before departing for Salt Lake City for a two weeks' trip on the road Manager Rowdy Elliott, of the Oakland team, withdrew the notice of release that had been given to Martinoni and took the pitcher along. Martinoni was only last week handed out that he would be handed over to Seattle.

LEAF'S DEFEATED ABERDEEN YESTERDAY

Local Team Played Grand Ball Behind McKenry; Pitcher in Wonderful Form

Big Frank McKenry chalked up another win at the ball park last night, and incidentally the Leafs made it two straight wins, since their disastrous slump that carried the team from first to fourth place. The final count was 5 to 1, and it about represents the effectiveness of the opposing twirlers.

Haworth started with a homer and a single, which gave him a double and a single. The Victoria hits were timely, Nye's single counting two in the lucky seventh. Ward, the Aberdeen shortstop, nearly cut off this hit. He lunged for the ball, but it tore through his hands and went to the fence.

A home run by Haworth started Victoria off in the second round. In the fourth, Kaylor doubled and Kelly scored him with a single. The seventh was a lightning. Haworth singled, Tobin bunted safely. Hoffman sacrificed the runners along, and was safe when Hughes kicked the ball. McKenry struck a fast one to Ward, but he cut Haworth down at the plate.

Fielding features by Ward, Butler and Nye helped live the game. The former accepted eleven chances without a hitch, while Butler robbed Kippert of a hit by a wonderful play on a slow roller. Nye pulled a double play in the seventh that averted trouble, touching Kippert as he tore into second getting Ward at first.

Empire Fray got through the contest in an hour and a half, there being no danger of the game being called because of darkness.

Tacoma, June 22.—The Vancouver team, which is made up of new men, made their first appearance here yesterday afternoon, and the Tigers gave them the game 5 to 4. Both teams played a loose game in the field.

Vancouver 5 9 2 Tacoma 4 6 7 Batteries—Colwell and Check; Post and Stevens.

Spokane, June 22.—Spokane hit McIvor hard yesterday and took the first game of the series from Seattle by a score of 8 to 2. Callahan allowed but two hits, one of which was a home run by Barth in the seventh inning, with Killilay on first. The hitting of Callahan and Williams and Barth's fielding were features.

Score—R. H. E. Spokane 8 14 1 Seattle 2 2 3 Batteries—Callahan and Brenegan; McIvor and Cadman.

Aberdeen has loaned Jimmy Clark to the Vancouver club until Bob Brown

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gets his team straightened away. Manager Barnes stated yesterday that Brown would get several new players this week, and he expected the Vancouver mogul to have his club in the running before very long.

It was learned yesterday that both Kramer and Barham had applied for reinstatement, but that Brown had refused to have anything to do with the pair. Manager Pug Bennett, of the Black Cats, cannot imagine how a bunch of players could frame up a strike like that at Vancouver, especially when there are so many ball players waiting to hop into jobs and get good money for their services.

The Aberdeen club have already accepted a salary cut, and it is probable that the Victoria team will do likewise. Tacoma players have come through with an acceptance of a ten per cent. cut, while Bob Brown had this matter thrashed out a month ago. The Leafs' salaries, however, will remain as they are, until the owner of the club is settled.

MAJOR LEAGUES

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results. At Pittsburgh—Philadelphia, 3; Pittsburgh, 4 (13 innings).

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Chicago 30 21 .588, St. Louis 22 26 .552, Philadelphia 28 24 .538, Pittsburgh 28 25 .519, Brooklyn 25 29 .463, Boston 24 28 .462, New York 12 26 .448, Cincinnati 21 28 .429

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results. At Washington—First game—Boston, 5; Washington, 3.

Second game—Boston, 5; Washington, 6 (ten innings). At Philadelphia—First game—New York, 6; Philadelphia, 7 (ten innings).

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Chicago 37 20 .649, Boston 29 19 .604, Detroit 34 24 .586, New York 27 26 .509, Washington 25 25 .500, Cleveland 28 29 .491, Philadelphia 21 24 .462, St. Louis 20 24 .450

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results. At Buffalo—Kansas City, 3; Buffalo, 5.

At Brooklyn—St. Louis, 8; Brooklyn, 2. At Newark—St. Louis, 2; Newark, 3.

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Kansas City 36 23 .609, St. Louis 31 22 .584, Chicago 31 27 .534, Pittsburgh 29 26 .527, Newark 30 27 .526, Brooklyn 28 29 .491, Buffalo 21 24 .462, Baltimore 20 24 .450

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results. No games scheduled.

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. San Francisco 41 22 .650, Salt Lake City 39 24 .618, Los Angeles 47 40 .539, Oakland 39 42 .481, Portland 32 37 .463, Venice 32 43 .429

TWO STRAIGHT WINS

Table with columns: Player, A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. Nye, 2b, 3 0 2 4 2 0, Butler, ss, 4 0 0 1 2 0, Kaylor, rf, 4 1 1 2 0 0, Kelly, 1b, 4 0 1 6 2 0, Hoffman, c, 3 1 1 4 0 0, Tobin, lf, 4 1 1 4 0 0, McGenry, p, 2 1 0 2 0 0, Menges, 3b, 3 1 1 3 1 0, McKenry, p, 3 0 0 2 1 0

Table with columns: Player, A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. Giddings, 1b, 4 0 1 11 0 0, Henry, 2b, 4 0 0 0 2 0, Bennett, 2b, 4 0 1 4 1 0, Murphy, lf, 4 0 1 2 0 0, Kippert, cf, 3 0 1 0 0 0, Melchior, cf, 4 0 1 0 0 0, Ward, ss, 3 0 0 1 10 0, Vance, c, 3 0 0 3 1 0, Hughes, p, 3 1 2 1 1 2

Summary: Two-base hits—Nye, Kaylor, Home runs—Hughes, Haworth. Sacrifice hits—Haworth. Double plays—Nye to Kelly, Ward to Bennett to Giddings. Struck out—By McKenry, 3; by Hughes, 2. Bases on balls—McKenry, 1; Hughes, 1. Left on bases—Victoria, 3; Aberdeen, 2. Time of game, 1:30. Umpire—Frary.

VANCOUVER "MISFITS" WON FROM TIGERS

Table with columns: Player, A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. Nye, ss, 5 1 1 0 4 0, Check, c, 5 0 1 5 2 0, McCarl, 1b, 5 2 3 12 0 0, Brinker, cf, 5 1 1 1 0 0, Frisk, rf, 5 0 1 0 0 0, Broton, lf, 4 0 1 5 1 0, Brown, 2b, 4 1 1 2 1 1, Grant, 3b, 4 0 2 3 1 1, Colwell, p, 4 0 0 0 0 0

Summary: Stolen bases—Brinker, Butler. Double plays—McCarl to Grover to Stokke; Broton to McCarl. Two-base hits—McCarl, Stokke. Three-base hit—Brown. Sacrifice hit—Broton. Struck out—By Peet 1, off Colwell 5. Left on bases—Vancouver 8, Tacoma 6. Hit by pitched ball—Wilson by Colwell.

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Young Walter had heard the expression untold wealth, and was considerably puzzled as to its meaning. That evening, when his father came home, however, he became enlightened as to the definition. "Father," said he, "what is untold wealth?" "The property you keep from the income tax list, my son."

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HOLD BACK WORK ON TWO STREETS

City Council Passes Remainder of List for Closing Up

One of the streets passed by the streets committee on Friday for closing the by-law was Grahame street, and a petition against it was received from W. T. McGibben and others at the city council last evening.

Hon. Col. Prior and Frank Burrell both opposed the expenditure of money on Prior street as unnecessary at this juncture.

In the latter case Alderman Porter stated that Mr. Burrell had agreed to have the sidewalks laid, but not the paving. Now he took another attitude to the question altogether.

Alderman McCandless did not see why the council, because of opposition, should attempt to thrust upon the owners work that was not urgent.

Alderman McNeill thought the council should rightly endeavor to assess the owners for work already done. Inasmuch as the owners had not lived up to their bargain with regard to the sidewalks, the council had no alternative but to return to the original by-law.

Alderman Todd pointed out that it was the duty of the council to see that the paving work apportioned fairly, and work should be finished now that was started, so that it better times paving on trunk streets continue.

Alderman Sargent thought that there should be some respect paid to the owners' opinion. He sympathized with their appeal, when it was represented that taxation now meant confiscation of their properties. The council should look at both sides to the issue.

Alderman Fullerton considered that the council should only adopt the schedule mentioned on Friday, when it was clear that no opposition was forthcoming. It had been foreseen that Prior street and Grahame street would be the subject of protest, and the protest was now fled. Therefore it should be re-spectfully. He desired to see the communication tabled till the streets committee meeting on Friday.

Alderman Porter said people on Prior street wanted at least a sidewalk. Both of the people who protested were not resident on the street, and were not suffering from the present inconvenience.

Later in the evening when the streets committee report came up it was proposed to omit Prior street (two parts) and Grahame street (two parts) from the schedule already reported. This would reduce the streets projected to ten in number.

It was decided to adopt the report, omitting the two sections of Prior street, and the portion of Grahame street, from Bay street to Hillside avenue. Thus eleven by-laws will be proceeded with and closed up.

THRICE WOUNDED BUT CRAWLED TO SAFETY

Thrilling Adventures of Private H. N. Wootton at the Front; is Now Convalescent

A thrilling story of many narrow escapes, and of the receiving of three wounds which caused his retirement from the firing line, has been received in a letter from Pte. H. N. Wootton, by his mother in this city. The epistle is in every sense cheery and full of fortitude, though the writer had evidently just gone through terrible experiences calculated to daunt the heart of the bravest.

The letter is as follows: "My warlike career has now achieved its logical conclusion, as I got in the way of a large chunk of shrapnel casing during a very exciting bit of attacking 'somewhere in Flanders' on the 24th day of May, 1915, with the result that predictions are now 'three months in bed at the very least.' But do not worry, as the hospitals are very excellent, the beds very comfortable, and doctors good and nurses and orderlies very kind.

"Since writing you last our battalion was moved up by a series of night marches averaging ten to fifteen miles to reserve dugouts behind a portion of the British line where steady attacking had been going on for some weeks. On the way we were billeted on the peasants and farmers, and I slept in seven different haylofts on seven different days. Some of the houses were deserted and had their roofs blown off by shell-fire, and one village as big as Duncan had not an entire house left standing. We occupied the reserve trenches for three days under more or less constant shell fire, but had only slight casualties. On the fourth evening a hundred-bomb-throwers were required of us, and Basil volunteered to go out with them. They did some great work and captured two hundred yards of German trench, but only seven came back unscathed, and poor old Bas was killed. It will be very hard on Mr. and Mrs. Worsfold. You know how I felt.

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MAGIC BAKING POWDER

only grazed. After lying on a stretcher for three days, which was not a bit comfortable, I got down here and am now quite happy. A bad gangrene had set in, but has been checked now, and will merely delay the healing up for a month or so.

"My temperature keeps down and I have the best attention possible. I lost a fine Hanover regiment (German) helmet in the scramble, and the shrapnel that hit me went right through, so I am destitute of souvenirs. The only thing that I have left is the little watch you gave me, which has kept perfect time without one break."

P.S.—You should thank the Spencers, as if Capt. Spencer had not given me the chance I never should have tried to get out.

TWO FOUNTAINS ARE TO BE INSTALLED

Council is Asked by Medical Society to Check Drug Habit

The special committee on drinking fountains reported that the best course to be adopted would be the removal of the causeway fountain to the corner of Government and Wharf streets, and to erect a new fountain at the corner of Douglas street and Yates street. The report was adopted. The cost will be \$125.

A recommendation of City Electrician Hutchison that 3,000 of the new type of nitrogen-filled lamps of 40 candle-power, for use on the cluster-lighting system, be purchased, was referred to the electric light committee. The electrician, since the beginning of the year, has been making experiments with the new lamp. An extended test has demonstrated, he stated, that the lamp will give very satisfactory service at a saving in cost of current consumption of from 25 to 40 per cent, compared with the type now in operation. The outlay for the lamps will also be about 30 per cent, less. The electrician also recommended that bids for cable be asked.

A claim for \$250 in settlement of damages alleged by his client, Mrs. Charles Gardner, to have been sustained by her when she slipped on an iron lid covering the opening to a water main on Collins street, which was displaced, was made by Frank Higgins, who gave the council one week within which to pay that amount or face a legal action. The city solicitor and water commissioner were instructed to submit a report upon the matter.

The Pacific Coast Association of Fire Chiefs extended an invitation to the annual meeting in San Francisco, a conference decided upon at the gathering here last September, during the Panama Pacific exposition. The matter was referred to the fire wardens for a report.

The Victoria Medical Society will send a delegation to the city council in committee on Friday afternoon with regard to the increasing use of drugs (cocaine and morphine) in the city, the society having asked for a meeting.

Tenders are to be invited for the steel pipe required for the crossing of Selkirk water, for the siphon for the northwest sewer.

A piece of shrapnel casing went through the upper part of my right thigh, and made a hole an inch across where it went in, and almost two inches where it came out, numbing both my legs right down from waist to toes. Two fellows tied me up as best they could and Captain Vic Spencer (D. Spencer's son) came over and asked for volunteers to take me out. Two good pals offered, and as all stretchers were gone they tied me on a plank with putties, and started out, but we had not gone a hundred yards when a shell burst right overhead, killing one of the poor boys and wounding the other, and hitting me again in the left foot, but very slightly. There I was lashed to the plank right out in the open with a shell due to get me in the next twenty seconds, so, feeling rather annoyed, I decided to move, and managed to cut myself loose and hitch me under the proper stretcher, the stretcher being there about a minute a high-explosive shell upset the whole thing on top of the covering me up with four old trench dirt, and as my bandages had come off the dirt got in rather badly. Thinking prospects over I decided to come away, and in some extraordinary manner at the end of about two hours of every little movement has a meaning all its own, found myself at the reserve trench, where I cashed in.

"There were three hundred yards of old trench and open ground full of shell holes, dead men, old barbed wire, ditches and telephone wires to be covered with only my arms to work with. Snipers missed me by inches several times and one got me through the muscle of the right arm, but I didn't notice it till afterwards. I woke up in a field hospital and was told the good news that the thigh was not broken,

OUR LETTER BOX

To the Editor:—Might I trouble you for a little of your space to give a warning to the real estate owning class of the government. We all know real estate values of cities are based on the numbers in population therein. A depleted population means a depreciation in values. In Victoria at this time there are quite a few people leaving, and hundreds of others contemplating doing likewise in the future. A very common reason given is that the government discriminates in giving work only to those that are known as Conservatives. There is a search for common knowledge that the caretakers on the rifle range and observatory are already spoken for and accepted by two political working class whippers-in of their district. These jobs ought to be filled by worthy men, some of our disabled soldiers when they arrive from the front. Maybe the government recognize this miserable position they take up, the jobs being a reward for past services previous to the elections kicking them out at the elections in the fall.

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WEATHER BULLETIN

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, June 22-5 a. m.—The barometer is high over this province and fine weather may prevail for several days. The weather is also becoming more settled in the prairie provinces and may be warmer.

Forecasts.
For 24 hours ending 3 p. m. Wednesday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, fine and warm to-day and on Wednesday.
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fine and warm to-day and on Wednesday.

Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.0; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.8; temperature, maximum yesterday, 71; minimum, 58; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, clear.
Nanaimo—Barometer, 30.2; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 58; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.0; temperature, maximum yesterday, 82; minimum, 59; wind, calm; weather, clear.
Barkerville—Barometer, 30.2; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 28; wind, calm; rain, .06; weather, clear.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.1; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 45; wind, calm; rain, .3; weather, clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.1; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.
Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.8; temperature, maximum yesterday, 81; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.1; temperature, maximum yesterday, 71; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, clear.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.0; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 50; wind, 13 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Temperatures.
Max. Min.
Cranbrook..... 75 .. 55
Fort George..... 73 .. 55
New Hazelton..... 70 .. 50
Omineca..... 74 .. 54
Nelson..... 55 .. 35
Calgary..... 70 .. 44
Edmonton..... 70 .. 48
Qu'Appelle..... 65 .. 47
Winnipeg..... 68 .. 42
Ottawa..... 72 .. 52
Montreal..... 72 .. 52
St. John..... 64 .. 44
Halifax..... 62 .. 42

Victoria Daily Weather.
Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Monday:
Temperature.
Highest..... 64
Lowest..... 48
Average..... 58
Minimum on grass..... 49
Maximum in sun..... 125
Bright sunshine, 13 hours 34 minutes.
General state of weather, clear.

When young men lay up for old age, they aged, they hoard for death.—French proverb.

WOUNDED IN LEADING CHARGE AT A FORT

Corpl. L. Clark, of Victoria, Shot in Two Places; Now in England

"I was, unfortunately, wounded in our last charge on May 21," writes Corpl. L. Clark to his mother in Victoria, "having a bullet pass through the calf of my leg and one through my wrist, luckily missing all bones and cords, so I shall soon be well again."

"When we retired from the Ypres salient, as I described in my last letter, I saw a man calling for help, so went to him, one of the boys following me. We found he had our senior major on a stretcher, and he and the man with him were exhausted, so the other and I picked the major up about 70 yards from the Germans and carried him about 500 yards in the open across their front to safety.

"For this our O. C. mentioned us in his report. So that's why I got my other stripe."

"We went in at Festubert on May 21. That night the 19th battalion were to charge and my platoon, No. 4 of a company, 14th battalion, had to go with them. We took the right flank in the charge, which was successful, the Germans running at the outset. We occupied the trench, about 800 yards in all, with us on the right and the Germans in the same trench. During the charge the shell fire was awful. It continued next morning with greater intensity, and the Germans prepared to attack. Then we were ordered to retire as we were cut off on the left. The 19th went out, we followed about 300 yards, then found it was a false order, so 20 of us went back, chased the Germans who had advanced along the trench, then held it four or five hours till reinforcements came up. We chased the Germans back with bayonets three times that day, but as we were subjected to fire from three sides our losses were heavy, twenty being killed or wounded out of the 29. I took a German's watch from him."

"We were relieved that night, but the next we went in again, and just after daylight we were ordered to charge. We charged we numbered only about two hundred. We sprang over the parapet and off over ditches, and a creek we filled across on little bridges under a hail of fire from machine guns and rifles. The boys fell everywhere, but we pushed on. I was less than thirty yards from the fort K5, which I must take, being the senior of number four alive, now that the captain and sergeant were both killed in the charge. Then I was hit, both places at once, and down I went, but the boys went on and took the fort. Then I crawled back through the 200 yards of shambles to our trench, swimming the creek by one leg and one arm. Then the Germans started to shell the trench filled with dead and wounded. The most terrific shell fire I've ever witnessed soon flattened the parapet, so I

crawled across the fields and away to the dressing station, but although my battalion was nearly wiped out, we held our hardy-gained ground, and made good again at Festubert.

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