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## ARE FIGHTING WITH PRODIGIOUS VALOR

Serbs Are Battling With Unparalleled Heroism to Save Country

## RAILWAY HAS BEEN CUT IN TWO PLACES

Arrival of Allied Troops Awaited Anxiously by King Peter's Forces

Paris, Oct. 21.—An official statement issued yesterday at Nish as forwarded by the Hayas agency, says that the Serbian army now is maneuvering seriously. The Serbian war office says the railroad line to Salonic has been cut in two places.

This communication follows:

The situation grows more and more serious. The resistance of the Serbian troops is desperate and heroic, but the strong pressure of the Austrians and the Germans from the north and of masses of Bulgarians from the east is menacing seriously the Serbian army, which is cut off now from Salonic. The arrival of allied troops is awaited anxiously.

"The Serbs in the north hold the Rakhamatz-Alexandrov-Visa-Dalibolov and the Asanga-Kosmopolis lines and the right bank of the Rijonava. On the eastern front they hold the Zajin-chavli-Kotzovatz-Pirog-Vlasina line, but the Bulgarians have taken the towns of Vrania and Volosko, cutting the line to Salonic in two places."

This establishes the fact that the Bulgarians have captured the important railway town of Vrania, regarding which there has been some doubt.

Ghent, Belgium.

Paris, Oct. 21.—The Athens correspondent of the Hayas Agency sends the following dispatch under date of Wednesday:

A great battle is going on on the heights of Vrasina and Kotschani.

"The Bulgarian object seems to be to march to Monastir so as to cut communications with Salonic."

"In the Negotin region two Bulgarian attacks have been repulsed."

Communications Cut.

Paris, Oct. 21.—The diplomatic corps at Nish, after preparing to quit that city, postponed their departure, "communicating having been made with Salonic, according to a special dispatch from Athens."

The message says that traffic between Salonic and Monastir has been suspended as the result of floods and that the occupation of Vrania has stopped communication between Uskub and Nish.

Enemy Repulsed.

Athens, Oct. 21.—Uskub and Kumanova, two of the most important cities on the Salonic-Nish railway, have been evacuated by their inhabitants as the result of determined Bulgarian advance. It was believed the Bulgarians would occupy both cities either to-day or to-morrow. In the Negotin region the Bulgarians have inaugurated a series of determined attacks, but have been repulsed at every point. The rapid advance of the Bulgarians when compared with the slowness of the French movement is causing great surprise everywhere.

The Serbs have abandoned Ishtip and Kotchana and have fallen back on Uskub, with the Bulgars in close pursuit. Communication between Uskub and Nish has been cut, the diplomatic corps at Nish moving to Kratovo.

Dangerous Work.

Bucharest, Oct. 21.—Navigation of the Danube is suspended temporarily. Before evacuating their position along the river, the Serbs mined it thoroughly, and the Austrians in attempting to clear it by sweeping operations are finding their work tedious, difficult and dangerous.

Made Futile Attempt on Champagne Front and Were Mowed Down.

Paris, Oct. 21.—Following their futile bombardment last evening to the east of Rheims, the Germans renewed their attack in this region, according to the announcement made to-day by the war office. In spite of a very violent preparatory artillery fire, they were checked again and cut down by the fire of the French artillery and machine guns. They did not succeed in winning a single position in the French first line trenches.

WILL BE BACK IN HIS OFFICE SOON

London, Oct. 21.—Marked improvement was reported to-day in the condition of Mr. Asquith and he is expected to resume his duties before the end of the week.

## The Newly-Discovered Weeping Tyrannosaurus

(From the Museum of Unnatural History)



HE SHEDS BITTER TEARS OVER DESTRUCTION OF MODERN CIVILIZATION

## MUST BE SHUT OUT, SAYS M. SAZANOFF

Germany Must Be Made to Suffer Permanent Loss of Trade

Petrograd, Oct. 21.—The following statement has been received by the press from M. Sazanoff, the foreign minister:

Although Greece made formal protest against the landing of allied troops at Salonic, at the same time she refrained from active opposition, and she may find it difficult to maintain this position, which appears ambiguous.

So far as Russia directly is concerned, the unwaranted attack by Bulgaria upon Serbia has led to an interruption in the transport of goods between Black Sea ports and ports on the Mediterranean, and it seems to me the allies would be justified not only in blocking Dardanelles and the whole Bulgarian coast, but also in whatever other measures they may adopt in order that the enemy shall not take advantage of the neutral position of a third power.

More Attention.

I think the allies should give greater attention to the purely economic methods of safeguarding their interests, not only during the present crisis, but even more in the future. In the military, political and financial domains we stand firmly together. Russia has resolved all necessary help for her war industries, but we must not overlook the fact that Germany's most vulnerable point is her trade, which she continually hopes to revive after the war.

The fact that the British navy has swept the German flag from the seas and thereby rendered useful services to our joint military interests, perhaps has lessened our objective concern of the protection of our trade from German competition. It is high time that we should think more on this question. The war must end some time, and we should not delay in discussing commercial treaties between our allies.

At Britain apparently is about to waive her century-old prejudice against national service, and has introduced temporary tariffs, we here may find suitable ground for the discussion of a new treaty, with the possibility of excluding our enemies from the benefits they hitherto have derived so abundantly from the trade with Russia.

personally undertake to give the idea my heartiest support.

## Believe Gen. Botha Has Big Majority

Capetown, Oct. 21.—General Jan C. Smuts, minister of defense, interior and mines, for the Union of South Africa, has been re-elected to parliament by the West Pretoria constituency, over the Nationalist and Labor candidates.

London, Oct. 21.—The following cable from Johannesburg says that General Botha's victory at Jim pols may be even greater than his supporters anticipated since there are surprises in store in the rural districts. General Smuts, his first lieutenant, was returned for Pretoria West by an overwhelming majority, and Sir Percy Fitzpatrick was returned for Pretoria East.

Under the system of voting in vogue the returns will take a long time to come in, but the news of Gen. Smuts' victory, published broadcast, has been received with wild exclamation in all districts and goes to indicate that Gen. Botha's supporters received overwhelming support, which likely to be emphasized when final results come to hand.

## ITALIANS FIGHTING TO ASSIST SERBIA

Zurich, Oct. 21.—Advices received here-to-day from the Italian front say that General Cadorna is advancing with his full force in an effort to seize the "unredeemed provinces" and thereby give assistance to Serbia.

Rome, Oct. 21.—A dispatch from the Italian army headquarters says the protection of our trade from German competition is high time that we should think more on this question. The war must end some time, and we should not delay in discussing commercial treaties between our allies.

The British newspapers draw a parallel between the case of Miss Cavell in Belgium and that of Mrs. Louisa Herbert, who was sentenced to six months' imprisonment as a spy in England. Mrs. Herbert's appeal was heard at Durham yesterday. She is a German wife of an English curate at Darlington. She admitted that she had sought information regarding munitions and intended to send this information to Germany. The judge asked her yesterday: "Did you intend to give this information to Germany, if you got the chance?"

"Yes, I did," she replied. Mrs. Herbert also admitted she had corresponded with Germany through friends in Switzerland. The judge, astonished by her frank answer, remarked: "This woman has a conscience. She wishes to answer truthfully and deserves credit for that. At the same time, she is dangerous."

He affirmed the sentence of six months' imprisonment.

## A QUESTION WHICH HAS ARisen SUDDENLY

London, Oct. 21.—The king caused a meeting of the privy council to be held at Buckingham Palace last night. The subject of discussion is reported to have been a matter which arose suddenly and which necessitates an order in council.

## ASK THAT AMERICAN MARKET BE OPENED

Premier and Minister of Education of Manitoba See Hon. W. T. White

## FARMERS WISH TO SELL THEIR WHEAT

Access to Market in States Would Mean Millions of Dollars

Ottawa, Oct. 21.—Hon. T. C. Norris, premier of Manitoba, accompanied by Hon. Dr. Thornton, minister of education for the province, and Mayor Waugh of Winnipeg, waited upon Hon. W. T. White, minister of finance, yesterday afternoon, and presented the claims of the province for free wheat.

Mr. Norris clearly presented the arguments in favor of abolishing the Canadian duties on wheat and wheat products entering Canada from the United States, in order that advantage might be taken of the offer in the Wilson tariff act of the free entry of Canadian wheat and its products into the United States. These arguments, he declared, never were so strong as they are today, when the west has a crop of unparalleled size and quality.

Mr. Norris presented figures showing the spread in prices between Winnipeg and Minneapolis since the beginning of the crop movement, pointing out that the Winnipeg prices had ranged from 6 to 12 cents lower than those prevailing in Minneapolis.

He further stated that there were large quantities of damp grain of otherwise good grade which could not find its way eastward on the long haul, but which could find a ready market on the other side of the line, where drying processes would make it an excellent milling hard wheat.

Would Mean Millions.

The Manitoba premier stated that the profits reaped this year by the Canadian millers were very high and that a slight impairment in these profits would not injure the industry. The advantage, on the other hand, to the Canadian farmers from the opening of the American market could be calculated in millions. Rates both on the inland waters and on the ocean were exorbitantly high and there seemed little prospect of their decreasing. He concluded by urging on behalf of the province that the government take action to open the American market to Canadian wheat.

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The announcement follows:

"In the district southeast of Baranowitch our troops, after a dashing surprise attack yesterday, captured German positions near the villages of Ekmikowitch, Odkoporsch, Nowiki and Nagornia. In the course of the day we took 85 German and Austrian officers and 3,552 men prisoners, in addition to capturing ten quick-fires and one gun."

## SWEDISH AUTHORESS VISITED THE LINES

French Soldiers Men of Whom Mothers and Wives May Be Proud

Paris, Oct. 21.—"Soldiers who had not seen a woman for months crowded around me to pay their respects," said Marika St. Johnstedt, a Swedish authoress and the first woman to visit the French battlefield, by invitation of the general staff, on returning to Paris to-day.

"Their hearing proved," she added, "that they have not lost a particle of the traditional French polish in the mouths of burrowing into the earth far from refining influences." Their mothers, wives, sisters and sweethearts may be proud of them."

Miss St. Johnstedt also is likely to be the last of her sex to enjoy the privilege of being specially conducted to the front. The French general staff is opposed to the presence of women in the zone of operations.

The party approached close enough to inspect thoroughly the field of the recent operations in the Champagne, and what Miss St. Johnstedt saw of it she declared to the Associated Press "surpasses all imagination."

## SENDING REINFORCEMENTS TO BULGARIAN BORDER

Lausanne, Oct. 21.—Heavy reinforcements for the Greek infantry and artillery stationed along the Bulgarian frontier are en route, according to advice received here to-day. The Greeks also are reported to be entrenching.

## NOT WHILE GERMANS ARE IN HIS LAND



## PRESSING GREECE FOR DECLARATION

Allies Point Out It Will Be Most Difficult to Maintain Neutrality

## GREEK GOVT. WEIGHING GREAT BRITAIN'S OFFER

Allied Fleets Are Blockading Bulgarian Coast on Aegean Sea

London, Oct. 21.—The Entente powers are bringing all possible pressure to bear on Greece in order to elicit an unequivocal definition of her policy toward the other Balkan states and the European belligerents. They have intimated clearly that on account of the geographical position of Greece and her treaty obligations to Serbia, her announced policy of neutrality will be difficult, if not impossible to maintain.

The king thanked the pope for his promise to use his influence with Germany to bring about the evacuation of Belgrade in the event of peace.

King Albert declared he would never lay down the sword while his country was in slavery."

The pope is represented as being greatly disappointed at the outcome of his efforts.

## RUSSIANS HAVE WON IMPORTANT SUCCESS

Took German Positions Southeast of Baranowitch, Says Official Report

## 3637 GERMANS AND AUSTRIANS CAPTURED

Petrograd, Oct. 21.—An important Russian success in the region of Baranowitch, resulting in the capture of several German positions, 3,552 men and ten machine guns and one piece of artillery, was announced to-day by the war office.

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## AMERICAN SHELLS WERE USED! UGH!

German Correspondent Seems to Think Americans Have No Right to Manufacture

Berlin, Oct. 21.—The Lokal Anzeiger's correspondent in the west says that the German general staff is in possession of information to the effect that the expenditure of shells by the French and British on a 16-mile front during the 72 hours of the allies' offensive at the end of last month was 64,800. He adds:

"Did I say Anglo-French shells? No, what opened wide the veins of German blood in those hellish 72 hours were American shells, manufactured in neutral territory, by a neutral people, in order that the dollar might glitter and bring peace on earth."

"That is exactly what every musketeer on the death-line knew."

"With blood the Yankees are polishing their dollars. Out of their olive branches of peace has grown a rod tripling with blood."

Regarding the operations on the eastern front, the report states that the German advance on the Russian Baltic port of Riga, for possession of which a great battle has been under way for several weeks, has been carried forward farther, Field-Marshal von Hindenburg's army having occupied the bank of the Dwina river northeast of Mitau, from Borkowitz to Beresinie.

Russian reports of successes on the central and southern parts of the line received partial confirmation in the statement. German forces on the Styx were compelled to retreat, losing a few cannon.

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## ENEMY BEING DRIVEN BACK IN DISORDER

Pursuit in Region of Sty River Continues, Says Russian Official Report

Petrograd, Oct. 21.—The war office issued the following communication last evening:

"Fighting continues in the region of the Mitau road and the environs of Olai and also at many points in the forest east of Riga."

"Our aeroplanes yesterday raided the station of Friedrichs, south-west of Mitau, and dropped several dozen bombs on the buildings and rolling stock."

"On the Rovinsk front, the Germans delivered an attack in the region of the road from Dvinsk to Novo-Alexandrovsk and toward the south, to the Lake of Medom, but were repulsed."

"North of Lake Bogusky the enemy attacked the village of Gurmitzki and our fire drove him back."

"On the left bank of the Sty our troops have continued their pursuit of the enemy, who is retreating in disorder and scattering through the forest. We captured yesterday after night the Mulcajki farm, south of Mulcajki village, and repulsed attacks "near" the village of Soskowka on the Sty by the Rafaelyka, making a further haul of prisoners and machine guns."

"From a supplementary report it appears that the officers belonging to the First Georgian Grenadier Corps reported yesterday as taken prisoners, including one battalion commander and his adjutant and seven company commanders. The guns included a battery of four howitzers, completely intact, with a large quantity of cartridges."

"On the Caucasus front the situation is stationary."

German Statement.

Berlin, Oct. 21.—In Russia the army of Field-Marshal von Hindenburg is advancing north and northwest of Mitau, says the official report issued yesterday. General von Linsingen's army still is fighting the Russians along the Sty.

Austrian Statement.

Vienna, Oct. 21.—The following communication was issued by the war office yesterday:

"In the Rukki region fighting con-

tinued yesterday without changing the general situation."

"On the Puttewka, an infantry scouting party demolished a Russian armored train, the locomotive of which was hit by a shell some 100 yards before our position."

"The party seized two machine guns and numerous Japanese fire arms and much ammunition. Otherwise in the northeast, there are no events to record."

## STATES AS PRIZE FOR SETTLEMENT OF WAR

Strange Communication Delivered at Office of Havas Agency in Paris

Paris, Oct. 20.—The unjoined curious communication, written on thick official-looking fool paper without any indication of its origin, has been delivered by messenger at the office of the Havas Agency, the principal news agency in France.

"THE UNITED STATES AS THE PRIZE FOR SETTLEMENT OF THE PRESENT EUROPEAN CONFLICT."

"It is stated on high authority that suggestions have been made in the diplomatic circles of European chancelleries, declaring that the easiest solution and the one most acceptable to all the warring nations would be the partition among them of the United States of America. The United States of America are a most inviting prize as compensation for the sacrifices rendered by these nations, and an arrangement, on the basis of the respective relations of the different nations is surprisingly practicable."

"So far from being a visionary scheme for a solution of this great world conflict, the fact is only too evident that only a small part of the effort expended in the sanguinary struggle now raging would have sufficed to satisfy all nations in their respective ambitions."

"A noted diplomat declared his surprise that this idea of the partition of the United States had not emerged sooner, because the land is so largely made up of the constituents of all the warring nations."

"The tentative plan to satisfy the national ambitions of the European countries at war, instead of prolonging the struggle, is broadly outlined as follows:

"Great Britain is to occupy New England, Maryland, Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia and Florida."

"France is to get the French parts of Eastern Canada and the states of Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Arkansas, Tennessee and Kentucky."

"Germany is to occupy the states of New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, Illinois, Missouri, Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota."

"Japan is to take the Pacific coast, the states of Oregon and California and Lower California. Mexico is to be compensated for Lower California by the cession to it of Arizona, New Mexico and part of Texas."

"Russia will receive Alaska."

"The Panama canal will be declared free, whilst the western states, North and South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Washington, Montana, Wyoming, Idaho, Utah and Colorado will be consolidated into an Imperial crown-domain of the German empire."

"Though these 'satisfactions' are to be acquired in a concerted campaign, each of the several nations is to effect the occupation of its own allotted territory."

"Thus, it is claimed, would best be met the rights and interests of the different nations of old Europe, as it would safeguard their patrimonies under their respective flags."

"Whatever be said about this bold solution, it should be appreciated that in many ways it is more feasible than the three successive partitions of Poland, which nevertheless are historic facts."

"Truth is sometimes stranger than fiction. This alleged tentative understanding of the powers at war may be relegated to imaginative fiction, but it is surely not stranger than the sober truth, and it might easily take its form."

## AFAID TO BRING OUT WARSHIPS: USE AIRCRAFT

Amsterdam, Oct. 21.—Zeppelins are being used by Germany for the defense of commerce against attacks by British and Russian submarines, according to a dispatch from Berlin. It is stated that the steamer Scotia, of Stettin, Prussia, bound from Sweden to Stettin with a cargo of ore, was pursued by a British submarine off Bornholm. In reply to wireless calls for assistance, a Zeppelin suddenly appeared, whereupon the submarine submerged and disappeared.

ITALY HAS CALLED UP FOUR MORE CLASSES

Rome, Oct. 21.—Four more classes of reservists were called to the colors yesterday, completing mobilization.

The call immediately gave rise to reports that Italy was about to send strong reinforcements to the allies in the Balkans. No more men were needed at present, it was said by well-informed persons, on the Austrian frontier.

## RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT WILL RAISE \$500,000,000

Petrograd, Oct. 21.—The government is preparing for the early issue of an internal loan of one billion rubles (\$500,000,000). The interest rate will be 6 per cent. The loan will run for a short term.

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## GERMANS FAILED IN ATTEMPTS; LOST MANY

Repulsed by British Troops on Front From Quarries to Hulluch

London, Oct. 21.—A report from Field-Marshal Sir John French, issued last night, said:

"An attack yesterday afternoon was made against our front from the quarries to Hulluch. After a heavy bombardment of our trenches, infantry attempted to attack across the open ground, but was stopped completely by our combined artillery, machine gun and rifle fire."

"This was followed by a number of bombing attacks in the neighborhood of the Hohenzollern Redoubt and at Fosses No. 8. All these attacks were repulsed. The enemy's losses were very severe."

Paris, Oct. 21.—The war office issued the following statement last night:

"The artillery action during the course of the day was particularly violent to the north of Arras in the sector of Loos, the Givenchy wood and in the neighborhood of the road to Lille."

"The concentration of our batteries exploded large depots of ammunition in the German lines to the north of the Aisne and the north of the Marne."

In the Champagne:

"To the east of Reims, on the front which extends from the Butte de Tir to Crumay, a new and very violent German bombardment with shells of all calibres and projectiles of a soft-fusing nature is reported. Our artillery replied energetically."

"There was nothing to report on the rest of the front."

Repulsed Pioneers.

Paris, Oct. 21.—The following Belgian official communication was issued yesterday:

"The enemy artillery did not display much activity to-day. There was a feeble bombardment of our advanced posts and of the region around Caenkerke, as well as in the neighborhood of Oudekerke. Our artillery replied to the German batteries and repelled some military pioneers to the north of Dixmude."

Berlin Claims.

Berlin, Oct. 21.—On the Franco-Belgian front the war office claims that a German reconnoitring party, advancing northeast of Prunay, captured four French officers, 264 men, three machine guns and three mine throwers.

It is added that near Middlekerke, Belgium, a British aeroplane was shot down and the occupants captured.

## CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Oct. 21.—The following casualties have been announced:

First Battalion—Wounded: Pte. T. Clements, Stratford, Ont.; Pte. G. Elrick, Scotland.

Second Battalion—Wounded: Pte. W. J. Spauldrige, Ottawa; Pte. W. L. Meier, England.

Third Battalion—Killed in action: Pte. A. Schofield, England.

Severely wounded: Pte. A. J. Reilly, Toronto.

Fourth Battalion—Slightly wounded: Pte. J. Richardson, England.

Seventh Battalion—Seriously ill: Pte. R. G. Bishop, 127 Mile House, B. C. Killed in action: Pte. K. Bell, Toronto.

Eighty-Fifth Battalion—Wounded: Pte. W. J. Chapman, England.

Tenth Battalion—Wounded: Pte. A. A. Shaw, England; Capt. W. J. Bingham, Rosebank, Man.

Thirteenth Battalion—Wounded: Pte. Thomas Coyle, England.

Officially reported prisoner at Padborn: Pte. A. W. Smith, England.

Officially reported prisoners at Giesen: Pte. W. F. Chambers, England; Pte. Harry Ellis, England.

Seriously ill: Pte. J. J. Hogan, Montreal.

Eighteenth Battalion—Wounded: Pte. R. Sarvis, Stratford, Ont.

Twenty-first Battalion—Wounded: Pte. Jas. Parry, Burk's Falls, Ont.; Pte. John Thomas, Patten, England.

Twenty-first Battalion—Wounded: Pte. C. R. Allan, Lombardy, Ont.; Pte. W. A. Troop, Cobourg, Ont.

Twenty-second Battalion—Wounded: Lee-Cpl. A. J. Morin, St. Hyacinthe, Que.

Wounded: Pte. E. de Muys, Point St. Charles, Que.

Twenty-fourth Battalion—Seriously ill: Sgt. F. Luck, England.

Pies of wounds: Pte. G. G. R. Taylor, Kingston, Ont.; Pte. J. F. Smith, Montreal.

Wounded: Capt. B. H. T. Mackenzie, Moncton, N. B.; Sgt. Tom Redpath, Montreal (slightly).

Twenty-fifth Battalion—Suffering from shock: Pte. Chas. Caldwell, New Waterford, C. B.; Cpl. Albert Manley, Halifax, N. S.

Killed in action: Cpl. Harold W. Bennett, Halifax, N. S.

Twenty-sixth Battalion—Wounded: Lt. Col. Chas. E. Fairweather, Sussex, N. B.; Lieut. A. Desbrisay Carter, Pointe du Butte, N. B.; Pte. J. J. Dillon, England.

Twenty-seventh Battalion—Suffering from shock: Pte. H. Smith, Grand Vital, Man.

Twenty-eighth Battalion—Wounded: Bugler P. Dillon, Sudbury, Ont.; Lieut. Kenneth C. Gorringe, England; Cpl. Alfred A. Gardner, England; Pte. W. G. McLean, Saskatoon, Sask.

Died of wounds: Pte. W. J. Beech, Winnipeg.

Twenty-ninth Battalion—Killed in action: Pte. W. Osborne, Ireland.

Thirty-first Battalion—Conjunctivitis:

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**MAJOR B. DUNLOP WAS  
INSTRUCTOR AT KINGSTON**

London, Oct. 21.—Major Buchanan Dunlop, Royal Canadian Horse Artillery, who was killed, was the second son of Col. Buchanan Dunlop, of Reading. He was a professor at Kingston from 1903 to 1905. He served through the South African war and was mentioned in dispatches.

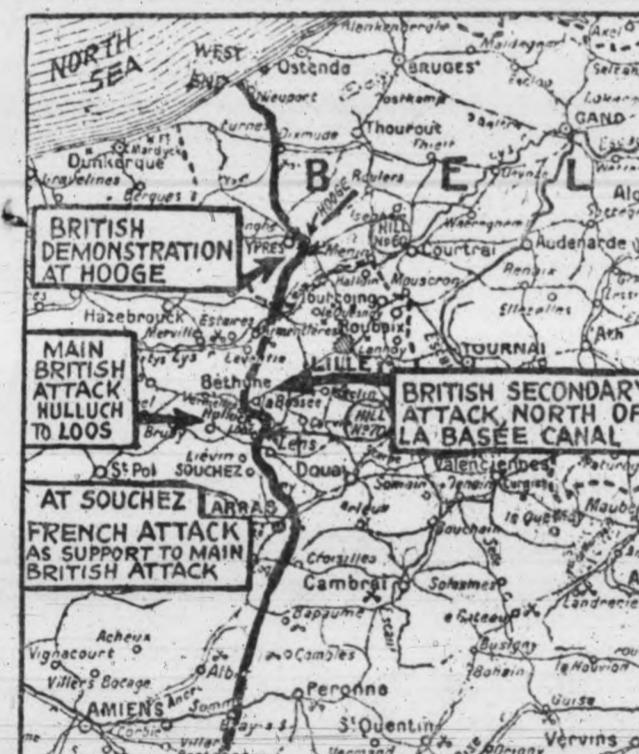
Sergt.-Major Thomas Mack, 13th bat-

talion, who died of wounds, came over with the second contingent and went to France a month ago. He had been in Canada for twelve years and originally came from Paisley.

Corporal Alex. Fraser, 8th brigades, was a son of the late John Fraser, of Hampstead. Pte. Geoffrey Hodgson, Princess Patricia's, killed, was the eldest son of Rev. J. Hodgson, vicar of Swanmore, Hampshire.

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Textile Trades in  
Germany

Copenhagen, Oct. 21.—The "Leipziger Monatsschrift für Textil-Industrie," the weekly organ of the German textile trades, is well worth careful study. We read here of a situation which seldom, if ever, obtains sufficient notices in the ordinary press, not because the matters discussed are of too technical a nature to interest the ordinary reader, but because the situation is of too dark a color to fit into the rosy pictures which ordinary newspapers in Germany are expected to paint.

The Dresden curtain and lace factory at Dobritz reports that all its orders have been cancelled, and that the works must be closed down in a great measure until it has been able to alter its machinery for "war goods." Most of its cotton yarn came from England, a source which is closed now.

The Mittweida Cotton Spinning Co. reports that in consequence of the ever-increasing number of workmen called to the colors one machine after another has stopped work. Since March its entire supplies of cotton have been cut off.

The Jute Spinning and Weaving Co., of Cassel, has limited its activities to working up best shire and kindred substances. Its report states that no more inland jute can be procured, and as its machinery has been specially adjusted for working jute the bulk of its work will continue until the market is open again. It is perhaps as well that this is so, as the majority of its skilled men are at the front.

Equally discouraging is the report of the Brunswick Jute and Flax Co. Its stocks of jute were low at the outbreak of war, and since then only small consignments at almost prohibitory prices have been available. The company therefore has been obliged to limit its operations greatly, and to cast about for some material which would help it to employ its machinery.

Two Days a Week

Report from the spinning mills of the Lower Rhine region, with Munich-Gladbach as its centre, cannot be very encouraging reading for the patriots mortared De Helfrich's pavilion.

We are told that business is almost at a standstill, that sales have shrunk greatly, and that buyers practically absent themselves from the market. Here and there is a mill working at army orders—that is all. No mill is permitted to work now for more than two days a week without special permission; permission only being given when a military order is urgent.

With regard to cloth and tweeds other than those required for army purposes, there is, in the better qualities, hardly any business transacted. Wool is mounting steadily in price, and it no longer pays the manufacturer to work it up into cloth other than that required for the army. Shoddy mills are busier, and easily dispose of all their produce at good prices.

No less mournful are the reports of the silk factories centred in and around Crewe. The reports of the manufacturers declare that they have suffered more than any other branch of the textile trade. Their only hope now lies in silk for men's neck ties. Everything else is at a standstill, now that summer has passed and sunshades are discarded. In the men no longer want bright colors—they ask for something gray or drab or black, suitable to the times. For a while, we are told, there was a run on black and white silk for ties (the Prussian color) and on black, red and white silk (the German Imperial colors), but the run did not last long, and grays and drabs rule—the market.

The manufacturers' report states that ready-made-ups the rapidly are taking the place of those which one ties for himself. The latter sort is reputed to be of British origin, and, in consequence, is losing popularity.

**FOR CARRANZA.**

Washington, Oct. 21.—President Wilson yesterday declared an embargo on the shipment of arms and ammunition to Mexico. He signed a supplementary order, however, which excepts General Carranza's government from the embargo and permits munitions to go through to him unhampered.

**FOR LEE.**

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### BOTHAS RETURNED

Although it will be several days before the complete results of the general election in South Africa become known, a dispatch from Johannesburg states that Bothas return by an overwhelming majority is assured. In fact it is predicted that the outcome of the appeal will be the elimination of Herzogism as a political factor in the future. Herzogism is the counterpart of Bonarawism in this country, with the difference that it was regarded as a more influential force in the South African union because it derived its strength from the racial prejudices of numerous Boer Irreconcilables who relied on the comparatively recent war—who opposed what they regarded as Bothas' imperialism. Bothas' policy is the same as that which prevails in Canada and Australia and New Zealand. It recognizes that while the union must retain its full autonomous powers it must assume obligations and responsibilities as a part of the British Empire. Bothas' triumph at the polls fittingly crowns his signal services to the imperial cause in the field.

### OF VITAL IMPORTANCE.

The marketing of Canada's wheat surplus on terms profitable to the farmers is a matter which immediately concerns this province. The economic conditions of British Columbia are inseparably linked with those of the prairie provinces. Our prosperity within the last ten or twelve years, in common with the prosperity of the Dominion as a whole, was due to the enormous settlement and development of the country which lies between the Great Lakes and the Rocky Mountains. It is the natural market for much of what our provinces produce just as it is the chief market of the large manufacturing interests of the east. Many successful farmers after disposing of their farms have made their homes here, obviously, unfavorable conditions in the middle west, involving loss to the grain grower mean economic depression throughout the greater part of the country.

Ocean tonnage is scarce and on what there is of it the rates are abnormally high—five times as high as they were a few years ago. Most of the British carriers have been commandeered for war purposes. The Americans probably have enough to handle their own shipments, a factor which gives them an immense advantage over the Canadian shippers in the European market. If the British government would release sufficient tonnage for our purpose and by handling the latter on a national basis reduce the rates to a reasonable figure the situation would be relieved instantly, assuming that the Canadian government had enough railroads and unless the allies drive the invader back and restore the line the Serbian army finally must be destroyed for lack of supplies and numbers. An attempt to avert this must be made at all costs, but it cannot be done in force until the allies know where Greece stands. Constantine is a German pup and the court is pro-German. The army is mobilized and under their control. As far as we can learn, the Greek people have indulged in no demonstrations in the interests of national decency and honor such as occurred in Rome when Salandra resigned. The allies apprehend that if they enter Serbia in force through Greece Constantine will strike them in the back. Nor is their apprehension unfounded. The fate of the Serbian-Grecian treaty is sufficient bark for it. The problem may be simplified by the concentration of a large expeditionary force at one of the allies' bases within convenient striking distance of the coast of Greece, together with a formidable British, French and Italian fleet. In that case the British and French troops will at Salona awaiting word to proceed to Serbia will be comparatively safe from treachery.

The other suggestion, concerning

which the premier of Manitoba and the mayor of Winnipeg are interviewing Sir Robert Borden to-day, is that the Dominion avail itself of the offer of free trade in wheat which stands in the American tariff. The American millers want Canadian hard wheat and are ready to pay a higher price for it than Canadian millers, who now are making fabulous profits, are paying for it. This proposal is favored by the Toronto World, Toronto Saturday Night, the Montreal Star and other eastern newspapers, which oppose it. The Toronto News views with grave apprehension the suggestion that a Liberal convention should be held in Ottawa. There are reasons for the Liberal organ's misgivings. It thinks possibly the design may be to conceal the aims and objects of the Liberal party. The aims and objects of the Liberal party cannot be concealed. They are before the people of Canada, and there are abundant reasons for a belief that the people of Canada approve of them and will endorse them at the first opportunity. That is why the News is apprehensive and why it keeps up a continual appeal that politics be dropped until a convenient season after the war. But the curious thing is that the Toronto organ, while daily appealing for a truce in political strife, devotes more space to politics and contains more contemptible insinuations respecting the loyalty of Liberals than any other newspaper in Canada. Mr. Carvell, in an interview published in the Times this evening, deals effectively with the loyalty cry, incidentally indicting the cold-blooded war-crackers on charges of high treason. Sir Robert Borden cannot escape responsibility for the crimes that have been committed against the young men who are fighting the battles of Canada and of the Empire by the friends of grafters whose nefarious activities have been uncovered.

The Ashcroft, B. C., of to-day is not a particularly romantic-looking place, although there was a time when it merited that description. Its surroundings, indeed, might appear rather commonplace to a resident of the coast passing through the great C. P. R. transcontinental train. The inhabitants and the country in which they live and move and have their being would not readily be associated with tales of adventure, love, imagination and humor. But who shall set bounds to the horizon of the man whose philosophy is thus summed up: "After all it is not so much money we want as something to do." So the Ashcroft Journal man has found time between issues of his paper to compile a book which he has adorned with the title "Sicilian Charcoal Fables." It is an interesting book, worthy of a place in the private residences and public libraries not only of British Columbia but of all Canada. The price is only a dollar.

The Vernon News informs us that Mr. Ellison is not the owner of the land at Vernon upon which the military training camp has been established, but that the property belongs to a non-resident to whom the city council pays a monthly rental for its use for military purposes. We publish the correction with pleasure, but it would be of interest to learn why the military authorities did not rent the land directly from its owner instead of through the city council of Vernon. Does the city council of Vernon charge anything for the use of the land or did it place the area at the disposal of the authorities free of charge? If the latter, it is to be commended for its enterprise and patriotism. We hope such was the case. Perhaps the News will enlighten us.

A London dispatch says that the British government has offered Greece the island of Cyprus for her intervention in the war on the side of the allies. This would be an important concession, for Cyprus, besides being the third largest island in the Mediterranean, has strategical advantages—the greatest value to Britain's interest and influence in the Near East. Its area is 3,584 square miles and its population 274,108. As the vast majority of the inhabitants are Greeks or of Greek extraction and as the island itself is prominently identified with Hellenic history and tradition, the British offer undoubtedly will create a marked impression upon the people of the Balkan state. Whether it will attain the desired object is another question. It might succeed with Greece where the voice of honor so far has failed.

Should this offer of Cyprus to the London report be correct, still it is vital that the allies should make Greece declare herself at once. The situation in Serbia permits of no delay dallying. The Russians have cut the Nish-Salonica railroad and unless the allies drive the invader back and restore the line the Serbian army finally must be destroyed for lack of supplies and numbers. An attempt to avert this must be made at all costs, but it cannot be done in force until the allies know where Greece stands.

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Russia's sorrow over the tribulations of her foster child in the Balkans must be mingled with pride at the superb exhibition of valor and tenacity Serbia is now presenting to the world. Al-

so Constantine would not dare to risk what would happen to his country if he tried any underhand coup. Meanwhile Serbia's position is becoming more difficult daily. It is with the Austro-German advance that is bethinking her, but the Bulgarian attack in Macedonia—that same Macedonia which figured so prominently with Thrace in the solemn defensive treaty against Bulgaria to which Greece subscribed, and of which by the way Venizelos was the author.

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A few better-grade Sample Tweed Suits, purchased to advantage, will be placed on sale Friday at a price much below their regulars. In the usual way these Suits would sell at \$37.50 and \$40.00, so that the women who are fortunate in buying one of these will get a bargain worth while. Each Suit represents the newest cut in ripple effects and with the high-neck closing; satin lined and skirts in various styles. A limited quantity only. See samples in large window on View street.

First Floor

## Men! Buy Flannel and Flannelette Pyjamas and Night Shirts at Special Prices Friday

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Penman's No. 71 Natural Merino Nightshirts, made very full in body, all sizes. Special at \$1.25

Penman's No. 95 Natural Wool Nightshirts, a beautiful warm quality for winter wear; all sizes. Special, each . . . 2.50

Main Floor

Delayed shipment of Horrockses' Flannelettes, Nainsooks, Sheetings, Sheets, Pillow Cases and Longloths arrived yesterday. Full particulars and prices announced on this page Friday.

Staples, Main Floor

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ting the tie of the country of their blood and not the Russians who have lost in the great game.

It is well to remember that the Russian plan of campaign never counted on any stand being made in Poland at all. The first line of defence which the Russians were to occupy was to have been that to which they have only just retired. This have only now advanced.

Yet amidst all these sovereigns who are considering Hohenzollern relationships above the interests of their own countries there stands but one splendid and contrasting example—Elizabeth, queen of the Belgians.

Born of the king's house of Habsburg, Elizabeth became queen of Belgium not in mere name, but in soul and heart. She put aside all other countries, viewing only to that which she had made her own. When the hour of war came she lived instantly to the choice which she had already made.

The position of Greece is even more precarious than that of Serbia. What ever happens to the little Slav state in her place in history is secure. That of Greece is trembling in the balance. If she continues to ignore her treaty obligations she will be dishonored for all time.

What Russia thinks of Bulgaria could not be put into cold type without exhausting our supply of consonants and burning up the paper.

AMBITION'S FINISH.

Washington Star.

A man with firm and piercing gaze. And hair well touched with grey.

Stood pensively as the twilight haze was melting into night.

"I am wealth," he said, "and ease complete."

Yet for one thing I sigh.

I vainly wish that I could eat.

A second piece of pie.

The ladies all seem nice for me,

When I would never win.

We go along through the list with glee.

From casket down to mince.

Those joys so strangely short and sweet.

How they have passed me by.

What would befall if I should eat.

A second piece of pie?

A bit of pastry now and then.

I middle-half afraid.

My word among my fellowmen

Is instantly obviated.

But I desire no tribute now.

No flattery flattered high.

I only wish that I could eat.

A second piece of pie?

ELIZABETH: UNHYPHENATED QUEEN.

Chicago Evening Post.

Through all the Balkan tangle rums

statement that this king or that queen

will do so and so because "German" Elizabet

lives in his or her veins."

We find in the Balkans as we have

been told in America men and women put

means, practically, that the war has only begun from the original Russian point of view.

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When the country of their blood

was so easily won, the Hohenzollerns

had to give up.

So even as we turn, disgusted from

those Balkan principals who set those

bloody scenes their countries

under, let us turn our eyes to that poor

German-born queen to whom duty is still

duty and treat her not scraps of paper

Let us give a toast!

To Elizabeth, the Belgian, the Un-

hyphenated Queen!

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London Advertiser.

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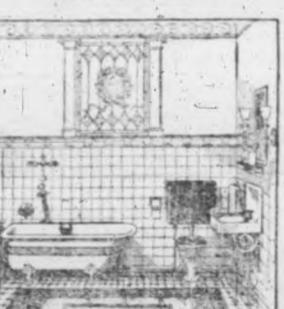
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## NOTICE

A Public Meeting will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on

Friday Evening, Oct. 22

1915, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of forming a committee of citizens to make the necessary arrangements for extending a welcome to Soldiers returning to this city from the front.

Any person interested in this movement are cordially invited to attend the said meeting.

A. STEWART,  
Mayor,  
City Hall, Victoria, B. C., Oct.  
20, 1915.

## NOTICE TO MOVING PICTURE OPERATORS

In accordance with the requirements of By-Law No. 1723, an examination of operators will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday, October 27th, 1915, commencing at 9 a.m. in sharp.

Application for examination should be made not later than October 25th.

TIMES WANT ADS PAY

## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, October 21, 1890.

The steamer Monisocrat landed the first cargo of nitrate of soda for the Hamilton Powder works at Nanaimo yesterday, and it was conveyed to the works as soon as possible. High explosives are to be manufactured.

Yet another schooner is to be added to the sealing fleet already running out of Victoria. The building of the new schooner has been placed in Mr. R. Colvin's hands. The vessel is to be completed by March next. The craft is to have a yacht bottom.

The Ladies Aid of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church met yesterday in the vestry, and considered the domestic-servant question. The matter was given full consideration, and it was decided that further shipping of servants will be made from England shortly.

Married San Jose, Cal.—H. J. Scott, Victoria, to Gertrude Eva Maynard, only daughter of Lieut.-Col. Maynard, late 88th Canadian Rangers.

## TAILORED SUITS

This is the month when ladies will give much thought to the question of choosing a "tailored suit."

And more than ever will she be interested in the advertising in The Times.

That advertising becomes to her very important news.

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When she comes to make her important purchase, the woman who has read the advertising will do better than her sister who did not post herself.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. quarts.

Meeting Postponed.—Owing to the fact that to-day is "Tag Day" the Esquimalt Chapter, L. O. D. E., has postponed its meeting until Monday next at 2 o'clock.

Arena Skating Music.—A concert of new waltzes and two-step is expected in a few days for the Arena band, which will shortly commence rehearsing under Bandmaster Rowland, in preparation of the opening of the Arena.

Annual Donation Party.—St. John's branch of the Women's Auxiliary to Missions will hold its annual donation party, sale of work, and refreshments in the church, 1000 Main street, on Tuesday evening, Nov. 2, for which donations of material for mission work, or money, will be gratefully received by the branch. An invitation is extended to all members and friends of the congregation. Refreshments will be served.

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Lady in attendance, charges reasonable. Phone 3306 day or night. Office and chapel, 1612 Quadra Street.

H. B. "Imperial" Lager Beer, quarts for 50¢.

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Thomson Funeral Chapel, successor to Hanna & Thomson, 527 Pandora Avenue, phone 452. Always open. Auto equipment.

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Let There Be Light—Hand lamps, 10¢ to 60¢; table lamps, 50¢ to \$1.50; all-night lamps, 25¢ to 50¢; bracket lamps, 65¢ to \$1.25; H. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas Street.

H. B. "Imperial" Lager Beer, pints for 25¢.

Xmas Photos at About Half.—During October the Sienna Lowe Photo will reduce the price of some portraits—the latest style and highest grade—photographs from \$8.00 per dozen to \$4.00 per dozen. Just the thing for the front or for Xmas presents. Studio 451 Yates street, corner Douglas.

The rainy season has started in Victoria and Canning & Co. were ready for the instant demand caused for rain-proof coats. They still have a large stock on hand at 227 Yates street.

H. B. "Imperial" Lager Beer, pints \$1.00 per dozen.

The Umbrella Shop, 510 Pandora St.

Have you noticed Standard Steam Laundry branch office in Dominion Hotel block.

Caught in the Act—Mr. Rat in trying to get the cheese from the Holland rat cage was caught. The traps were then ready for the next victim.

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Seamen's Institute.—The following report was read by the Port Missionary at the last meeting of the Ladies Guild of the Companions Seamen's Institute held last week:—Many signing visitors book, 40; their visits recorded, 14; seamen relieved, 8; free beds, 5; seamen clothed, 2; port missionary's visits, 25; sick sailors, 43; sailors' homes, 29; navy yard, 1; seamen died, 4; seaman's funeral, 3; letters dated, 2; post-missions to ships, 19; letters written, 49; services in board vessel, 4; Old Men's Home, 11; parcels of magazines distributed, 14; portions of God's Word, 42; tracts, 79. The first anniversary of the institute will be held on November 2d. The following is the program for the anniversary:

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E. F. Boissoeau, of Seattle, is at the Dominion.

J. F. Grant, of Vancouver, is at the Hotel Metropolis.

J. Reid is registered at the Metropolis from Vancouver.

J. A. Hassock, of Toronto, is a guest at the Empress hotel.

D. Steele, of Vancouver, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

F. Brandt, of Prince Rupert, is registered at the Empress hotel.

P. E. Edwards, of Hannibal, Mo., is registered at the Dominion.

A. C. Merritt, of Winnipeg, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

C. R. Harald, of Seattle, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

D. P. Roberts, of Vancouver, is registered at the Hotel Strathcona.

C. S. Jackson, of Windsor, Ont., arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

R. J. Black, of Fernie, is in the city, and is a guest at the Hotel Metropolis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stanley, of Seattle, are guests at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. M. A. Smith, of Vancouver, is a recent arrival at the Hotel Metropolis.

W. H. Macconnell, of Somerton, is among the guests at the Hotel Strathcona.

W. J. McKim and Mrs. McKim, from Nelson, B. C., are at the Hotel Strathcona.

J. H. Lemmon and Mrs. Lemmon, of Nelson, are staying at the Dominion hotel.

L. F. Young and W. Quennell, of Nanaimo, are staying at the Dominion hotel.

A. Tarves and Mrs. Tarves, of Cloverdale, B. C., are guests of the Dominion.

R. M. Marpole, executive assistant to Mr. H. G. Evans, from the mainland yesterday.

J. E. Davis and Mrs. Davis are in from Duncan and are at the Hotel Strathcona.

C. W. Dunn, of Crofton, has arrived in the city, and is staying at the Hotel Metropolis.

J. R. Mitchell has arrived from Penticton and is registered at the Hotel Strathcona.

H. Russell, of Portland, registered for himself and Mrs. Russell at the Hotel Strathcona.

Cahill arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday, included J. Bland Jenkins and A. V. Metcalfe.

D. J. Jenkins and Mrs. Jenkins, of Nanaimo, were among yesterday's arrivals at the Dominion.

Mrs. A. R. Hodgson and Mrs. H. Nahnstrom, of Anyox, B. C., arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

E. H. Norie and Mrs. Norie have arrived from Cowichan and are staying at the Hotel Strathcona.

J. H. Page, D. S. Munro, C. Hardy, W. J. Moore, W. W. Jardine and W. J. DeGraves, from Vancouver, are at the Dominion.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Christie, of Brandon, and Mrs. H. D. Alston, of St. Francois, are making a brief stay at the Empress hotel.

W. H. Hetherington and Mrs. Hetherington, who were married in Nanaimo yesterday, are at the Dominion hotel. After their honeymoon trip to the Yukon, they will reside in Corbin, B. C.

Yesterday afternoon at the Metropolitan Methodist parsonage, Rev. Dr. C. T. Scott united in marriage Miss Ruth Abella Winnett, of this city, and Lyndall Arthur Bittencourt, engineer. Mr. and Mrs. Bittencourt will make their home in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Eugene Crandall, formerly of this city, but now residing in Seattle, are receiving the congratulations of their friends on the birth of a daughter. Mrs. Crandall is the sister of Allan Lyons, who is now in France with the 18th Battalion, C. E. F.

Rev. Dr. Scott officiated at the marriage yesterday of Katherine Anita Tallack, of Cornwall, England, and Oliver Richards, a marine engineer in service of one of the coast steamship companies. The ceremony took place at the parsonage of the Metropolitan Methodist church. Mr. and Mrs. Richards will live in Victoria.

Miss Gladys L. King, late secretary of the Belgian relief fund, and one of the leading organizers of the Victoria Girl Guide movement, is sailing by the 4:30 boat this afternoon for Seattle en route for England. She will sail by the White Star liner Baltic, which leaves on October 27. Miss King leaves behind her a very wide circle of friends, who wish her a safe voyage and early return.

At the home of the bride's mother, Beaver Point, Salt Spring Island, Ella, daughter of Mrs. Ruckle and the late Henry Ruckle, and Stanley Harris, manager of the Paterson Farm on

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## RETURNED SOLDIER CHEERED AT SIDNEY

Sgt. Clifford Brethour welcomed back by fellow citizens

In honor of Sgt. Clifford Brethour, a returned Canadian soldier who wears the small button showing that he has been honorably discharged after service in the field, citizens of Sidney last night gave three cheers and a tiger such as have seldom been heard at any gathering of the people in that district. The occasion was the entertainment given under the auspices of the J. O. D. E. in Bergquist's hall, which was filled to overflowing, and among the audience were scores of the soldier's friends who crowded round him at the close of the evening to clasp the hand of one of Canada's heroes.

Sgt. Brethour went from Victoria last February with the 20th Battalion. On July 12 at Plugstreet, he was carried from the trench, disabled after two and a half months at the front, having been with the 7th Battalion in the notable actions at Festubert and Givenchy, and almost constantly under fire for the entire period. His aim now is to get himself back into fit condition as soon as possible so that he can rejoin those of his old comrades who may be left in the trenches. Doing his bit to Sergt. Brethour, as to so many of the brave men who are fighting, seems to mean nothing short of the great sacrifice, life itself. It was the year that perhaps he would not be permitted to return to the trenches that kept him from reporting "fit" when he was given an advanced hospital case destined for the surgeon's orders for discharge.

The returned soldier had little to say on the subject of the actual fighting, perhaps because the topic was too vast for the limited time at the disposal of the interlocutor. He was proud of the part which the Canadians had played, and said that the Germans had come to regard the soldiers from this country with dread.

"They call us 'The White Ghurkas,'" he said to the Times' reporter. "In the front trenches we talked across to them constantly, as many of them speak good English, and seem to enjoy hailing us in our own language."

At this point Sgt. Brethour said that he had noticed how everyone worried about the men in the front line of trenches. As a matter of fact they were much better off than the men in the reserve trenches, who always go through the horrors of the German fire. Perhaps he said they were rather than under fire, perhaps because so often their own front trenches gave so near to the British that short fire would destroy their own lines. The British artillery was splendid in finding the range, and he thought their fire was more accurate at the Germans. In all the engagements the German fire was very rapid. At Festubert it amounted to a perfect pandemonium of bursting shell and shrapnel.

The bombardment was terrific, and lasted from 2 a.m. to 11 a.m. The Canadian Scots took the German line of trenches on their battalion, the 7th, relieving the British who had been there since the same troops were at Warburton, of Salt Spring Island, who had had two fingers shot away.

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The returned soldier has nothing but praise for the system of provisioning the troops at the front. The food was splendid; we had better rations than in England. But the boys are always glad to get the extra things their friends send them all the same. And it is wonderful how regularly the mail is delivered at the front.

The care taken by the military authorities to secure the best possible conditions of sanitation was another subject touched on by Sgt. Brethour. A medical officer made the rounds regularly, and was very strict about the cleaning of the trenches, which was attended to by the men themselves.

She spoke of the neglect of the country by the United States government, and of Washington's reluctance to grant a measure of self-government two years ago, as well as the refusal of the last session of Congress to give railway facilities, or even render safe travel the existing line from Corvallis. Now at last the U. S. administration had wakened up to the many possibilities of the country, as well as to its other resources, and a more generous control had been promised.

The pictures of Juneau, the present capital, and Sitka, the old Russian capital, and those of the glaciers (particularly the Taku) were excellent, while the more characteristic features of the country, dog trading, mining camps, and sport, received gold treatment. She was introduced to the country, she stated, as a member of the National Editorial Association which left Seattle six years ago at the time of the Alaska-Yukon Pacific exposition for a visit to Alaska. Since that time she had married and had two children, and had come to love the country in spite of its somewhat forbidding aspects. In spite of the general impression about the cold of the country, she mentioned that the thermometer rose to 94 degrees at Skagway, and had been over 100. On account of the long days in summer, the plant life matured differently from more southern latitudes, and experiments were now being made to secure seed which would mature in the particular conditions prevalent in the northern zones. It was remarkable, however, what excellent vegetables could be raised in the country.

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fact there was plenty for everyone to do when there was no fighting—trenches to be repaired, built, and cleaned; and, after any engagement, the wounded and killed men to be brought in. They were always delighted to get back into the billets, and thus they did every five days when there were five days in the billets. He never actually saw a fight in the air between the enemy aircraft and the British, but he had seen often one or other being fired at from below, and more than once had seen a "crippled" aeroplane come to earth. One such incident had been particularly dramatic. A British aeroplane was making for safety beyond her own lines, and German shells could be seen bursting below and above her. Finally her propeller was struck and she came down like a wounded bird, but safe behind the British lines.

After getting out of hospital in England, Sgt. Brethour went to visit friends in hospital in various places in England, many of whom were boys from the 10th Battalion. Among those who came back to British Columbia on the same train was John Warburton, of Salt Spring Island, who had had two fingers

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"The Master Hand," a melodramatic story presented by the World Film Co., and featuring that eminent actor Nat Goodwin, is a masterly production in pictures of Mr. Goodwin's great stage success. In the picture Mr. Goodwin nets again his old part of Mr. Bigelow, the master hand that right injustice, and seldom has a more powerful portrayal of character been witnessed on the screen. The production offers a number of pleasing scenic effects, and the interior settings are richly furnished. The supporting cast is quite up to the usual high standard of World Film productions. The picture is a combination of pathos, comedy and thrills, and affords Mr. Goodwin every opportunity to display his wonderful ability in character acting.

"THE CASE OF BECKY."

"The Case of Becky" was shown for the first time this afternoon at the Royal Victoria, and should be the means of keeping the theatre well.

filed for the balance of the week. The acting of Blanche Sweet shows marvelous versatility. She is the girl who suffers from a dual personality, and presents a very remarkable study in psychology and hypnotism. Her dread of continuing in the power of the professional hypnotist suddenly brings out strange qualities. Whereby nature seems modest, quiet, and lovely she becomes bold, unorthodox, and vivacious in turn. The workings of the dual personality also rise to some weird and at times hilarious situations and gain both the profound interest and sympathy of the audience. The wicked spirit is finally cast out by the superior hypnotic power of a young doctor, well played by Carlyle Blackwell. The young doctor needs the skill of the professional hypnotist after which the work of re-asserting the good spirit is comparatively easy. There are two performances each afternoon and three each evening.

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Hardeen proved more than equal to the emergency. The box was pushed into the little-curtained box he uses, and in a very short time he appeared before the footlights, while the box still nailed and roped, and apparently tampered with, stood as he had left it. His appearance was the signal for a tremendous burst of applause.

It is a big job that Manager Rice has put on this week. The Royal Hawaiian sextette is a novelty in Vancouver, and this talented troupe formerly appeared in the winter garden, New York. Other features are Mabel Johnson, the big Stripteapist; Howard and Fields' dining-car minstrels; Alexander Party & Co., and the Longworths.

Surely of all "rights of man" this right of the ignorant man to be guided by the wiser, to be gently or forcibly held in the true course by him, is the indisputable—Carlyle.

## CADET ENTERTAINMENT HAS GOOD SUPPORT

Military and Civilian Representatives Present in Big Audience at High School.

Military men and civilians alike patronised the cadet entertainment at the Victoria High School last evening, the big auditorium, with its lavish decorations of flags, palms, and flowers, being filled with an interested audience. The event was held under the auspices of 112th Cadet battalion, who by this means hoped to augment their funds for the purchase of uniforms for a number of the cadets who are still without this part of their equipment. This was explained by Major Taylor, the cadet officer who in a brief address appealed for support. Since September last, he stated, the strength had been recruited up to

170, a considerable increase over preceding years.

The feature of special interest to the cadets followed Major Taylor's address. This was the presentation by Mrs. Henry Croft to Cadet Sheepson of the Ross rifle awarded to him as the best shot in the school during the past year. Coupled with this act there was something strikingly significant in the line, "England expects that this day every man will do his duty." Nelson's charge to his men before the memorable battle which made him immortal. The sentence appeared

on the arch above the proscenium, and was clearly intended as an indication of the spirit in which the cadets are pursuing their work both as soldiers in the forming and as students.

The programme was replete with good things, opening with Canada's hymn, "O Canada," beautifully sung by Miss Weston. The sixth regiment Fusiliers band, by kindness of the commanding and other officers of that unit, were present and furnished a number of military selections which were much appreciated. Patriotic music was much in the foreground, Mr. MacAulay singing "My Country 'Tis of Thee," and Mrs. Faley sang "Rule Britannia," including the verse beginning "The nations not so blest as thee."

Other musical features were the pianoforte solos by Miss Noril Dodd and vocal solos by Mrs. Longfield, who was in excellent form. Mr. Johnston gave a rousing version of "Messiah," which was one of the favored numbers of the evening.

The dancing and cadet drill movements were both features of exceptional interest. The latter showed the excellent training to which the cadets have been subjected by their drill master, as also the alertness of the cadets individually and collectively.

The illustrated displays was a very finely performed, and the Japanese fencing exhibition was by native experts, who afterwards demonstrated to the cadets that the art is not as dangerous to the novice as at first appears.

The High school girls, the girls of the High school were, gracefully performed, and the folk-dancing was another interesting feature. Miss Christie gave a spirited performance

of a number of Scottish dances. Piper Campbell supplying the music.

"A Street Car Ticket," recited by Bruce Hutchison, was excellently delivered, and won very warm applause. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Camosun Chapter, I. O. O. F., and the Ladies' Musical club kindly gave assistance with the programme.

## WHIST TOURNAMENT.

By the small majority of but 11 tricks, in a game which was decided up to the last minute, Court Victoria defeated the members of Court Vancouver in the A. O. F. whist drive last night. The game was exciting throughout and was won in the last hand by Court Victoria. This result gives Court Northern Light a full four-point lead. The league stands as follows:

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## HAS WON THE RIGHT.

The loyalty of India and the sacrifices made by Indians in this supreme crisis cannot be forgotten or disregarded. In no part of the empire were the hopes of the enemy more completely baffled and that first recognition of the loyalty of the native at first ap-

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that Indian troops are fighting for the empire in five different fields of war, and that Indian Mohammedan troops, true to their soil, are battling gallantly against their Turkish and Arabian co-religionists. These will be great vital facts in imperial history, and carry with them an obligation which it would be futile and dangerous to ignore. India has won the right to ask a place at the imperial council board, not only because of her material importance but also and no less because she has stood loyally by the British Raj.—Toronto Globe.

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Wild Blow Yesterday; Got a  
Touch of Winter Off Aleutians

When approaching the Vancouver Island coast yesterday morning the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Tamba Maru, Capt. Nagasue, was assailed by a terrific easterly gale. A high sea accompanied the blow, and the ship smothered herself in water and spun right at times. The storm was unexpected, but the big vessel was pressed through, and entered the strait last evening without sustaining any damage. She reached William Head during the night and berthed at the ocean docks early this morning.

Winter weather is making its appearance on the Pacific, according to Capt. Nagasue. While skirting the Aleutian Islands last Saturday, several snow squalls were encountered. The temperature, however, was not very low. This is the first report received of the big pond. Usually at this time the typhoon sweep the Japanese coast, "shows fall off" the Aleutians and the easterly and southerly weather, years along this coast, so the news of Capt. Nagasue was not in the nature of a surprise.

Huge Carger in Ship

When the longshoremen removed the hatchet this morning to work the Victoria freight it was seen that the ship carried a full cargo. There was no room for an additional ton of cargo. She has 11,661 chests of tea for Seattle, 2,217 chests for Victoria. There were the largest shipments. She carries much tin, copper, peanuts, beans, coke, camphor, lily bulbs, porcelain, rattan chairs, soy, rugs, bamboo, paper, gunnies, kozo paper, China wine, silk oil and silk. At this port the Tamba is discharging, 89 tons of freight.

The passenger list on the liner was very heavy. Practically all the saloon space was utilized and there were about 100 Orientals in the second and third classes. Among the first-class passengers were Henry W. Moore, who is on his way from Hongkong to England bound for active service, W. G. Galloping, of Boston, Mass., who has been in Japan for two months on a trading trip, and Frank T. Towne of Manitou, who is here on a business trip unaccompanied by his wife.

**MAKURA MAY SUCCEED IN  
PASSING HEAD TO-NIGHT**

There is considerable discussion on the waterfront this afternoon as to whether or not the Canadian-American liner Makura, Capt. Phillips, will succeed in reaching William Head before sundown this evening. Yesterday Captain reported that she would arrive at this port at 6 o'clock, but the stiff easterly blow outside may have delayed her. The liner is bringing in a full list of passengers and freight.

Incidence Higher

The freight rate on outgoing cargo via the strait is not likely to be increased to any extent, but for homeward freight there no doubt will be quite a jump. The insurance on both ships and cargoes moving through the strait will be increased, as the southern waterway is very treacherous, and many good vessels have come to grief there in the blinding, snow storms and fog.

The shipping men are confronted with the difficulty of finding the additional ships which will be required. On practically all the other trade routes there is an increased demand for more tonnage, and the freight rates are about as those on the route to the North Pacific. The great drawback to this route is that the boats cannot secure full cargoes on the outward runs, homeward bound there is no unfilled cargo, offering at coast ports.

Two of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liners which are in the sound-the-world service have been tied up at Celon by the bad tradable, according to word received here this morning. This service will no doubt be suspended till the ditch is re-filled again.

## DISABLED SCHOONER IS TOWED IN FOR REPAIRS

Saints Wharf, Oct. 21. In tow of the tugboat the fishing schooner Puritan, of the Booth Fisheries company, which was racing in a disabled condition from the Gulf of Vancouver Island by the Pelorus, arrived in port yesterday afternoon. The Puritan was picked up off the western coast of Vancouver Island Saturday night. Trouble with the engine and propeller left the schooner helpless.

The Puritan sailed from Seattle on Wednesday evening, October 13, in command of Capt. Henry Austin on a fishing expedition to the halibut banks off the coast. At 10:30 Saturday morning the Cape Falcon lighthouse on Vancouver Island reported that the Puritan had appeared off the light house flying signals of distress.

## ATLANTIC LINERS.

The American liner New York, from New York Oct. 9, arrived at Liverpool on Sunday last.

The American liner St. Louis sailed from New York at noon on Oct. 16 with 296 firsts, 188 seconds, and 318 third class passengers, and is due at Liverpool on Saturday.

The White Star liner Lapland arrived at New York on Friday afternoon, Oct. 15, from Liverpool.

The White Star liner Baltic sailed from Liverpool on Wednesday, Oct. 12, with 54 firsts, 112 seconds, and 118 third class passengers, and is due in New York to-day.

The White Star liner Canopus, from New York and Boston, Oct. 2nd, with 25 firsts, 48 seconds and 709 third class, arrived at Naples on Oct. 15.

## STRUCK ROCK AND SANK.

Port Arthur, Ont., Oct. 21. The tug Seagull struck a rock in Black Bay yesterday during a fog and sank. The crew got away safely in a yawl boat.

## TAMBA ARRIVES WITH RECORD SILK CARGO

Japanese Liner Brings \$2,200,  
000 Shipment From Orient;  
Largest to Cross Pacific

By bringing to this coast 4,164 bales silk, valued at \$2,200,000, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Tamba Maru, wins the laurels for handling the largest silk cargo from Japan to America. The steamer came into port at 8 o'clock this morning, and although the bulk of the silk is consigned to New York merchants, 257 bales, worth \$15,000, were discharged at the outer docks. This shipment will be forwarded to Eastern Canada.

The C. P. R. liner Monteagle formerly held the record for the most valuable silk shipment. Two years ago she arrived with material worth \$2,100,000.

Despite the scarcity of ships on the Pacific since the outbreak of the war, silk shipments have not been large. About one month ago the cargoes commenced to increase, and last week the Osaka liner Canada Maru reached port with a shipment worth nearly two million dollars.

This is the silk season, and large shipments may be looked for in the trade early next month or later. The Empress of Japan, which was expected back in the trade early next month, will most likely miss the rush as she will be detained three weeks longer than was expected in outfitting at Hongkong. The steamer Monteagle has just left this side of the pond, to get her hand into the business this year, owing to the admiralty requisitioning all its ships at this season last year, the company also missed a share of the trade.

The plum this year is being divided between the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Osaka Shosen Kaisha, and Blue Funnel lines. The steamship Kaiyū, of the last named fleet, is due here to-morrow, and it is believed that she is bringing an immense shipment of silk. Most of the silk goes to New York merchants, and is rushed across the continent in special freight trains. A considerable portion, however, finds its way to Toronto and Montreal, where the delicate fibers are woven into beautiful silks.

## WON ANOTHER MAN'S FIANCÉE IN WRECK

Seattle Girl Was on Way to  
Sitka to Be Married When  
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## UMATILLA AS FREIGHTER

To help relieve congestion in the Seattle-California freight service, and thereby make more space available on the regular liners for the heavy southward movement of Washington apples, the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, it was announced yesterday, has ordered the steamship Umatilla to make another voyage as a freighter around this port to San Francisco. The vessel will arrive in the Sound Saturday from San Francisco and will begin loading full cargo the following Monday.

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Florence Culbertson, of Seattle, sailing on the Marquette to wed a prominent Sitka merchant — MacConnell — was also a passenger, returning to claim damages in Alaska. He became acquainted with Miss Culbertson, the others always touched at the dining tables. On the broad decks of the Marquette Miss Culbertson also lived near MacConnell's stories of the life of freedom in the great northland. They were together often, and when the vessel crashed upon the rocks MacConnell's first thought was of the bride-to-be, not of the waiting merchant.

In France they were active among the men, and he had noticed such religious work as they had strength had always been much appreciated.

In a military as well as a business sense Col. Lorne Ross referred to the Y. M. C. A. which worked to improve men in body, mind and spirit. The diet was essential to the soldier as well as the second. Men had to be able to think for themselves in modern fighting. They had often delivered themselves from a tight corner, and only with initiative and tact could they do this in the present emergency.

Reference was made by the speaker to the intention with which Sir Horace Smith-Dorrien had selected the Canadians for the serious work which had to be done. Canada should be proud of the fact.

The organization of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, Ottawa, was outlined by Professor Stevenson, of the Dominion experimental farm near Sidney, and a committee composed of Misses Manton, Smith, and Davis gave a report on the best varieties of seeds to be cultivated in Victoria. This report will be enlarged at the next meeting.

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It was decided that each grower who intended going into business should become a member of the Canadian Seed Growers' association.

British Israel Association — The Victoria branch of the Imperial British Israel association will meet on Tuesday, October 26, at 8 p.m. in the Congregational church building, corner Mason and Quadra streets (first floor). The subjects of the discussions will be "Jerusalem's Full End of the Nations and Our Way of Escape." On November 4 and 5, in the old Victoria theatre, Professor E. Ogilvie, M.A., B.Sc., of Vancouver, will give two lectures.

**Children's Day.** — Next Sunday will be observed as Children's day at St. Saviour's church, and all the young people will attend the morning service when sermons, music, and the whole worship will be directed to their needs and for their benefit. All parents and friends are heartily invited to attend. No session of the Sunday school will be held in the afternoon.

## BARGE DRIFTS ASHORE.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 21. The large Washington or the Alaska Barge company, which was abandoned in a waterlogged condition in the Gulf of Alaska two weeks ago, drifted ashore at a point three miles north of Cape St. Elias, according to a cablegram received by Manager G. E. Plummer, of the Puget Sound Tugboat company, yesterday. The cablegram who sent by the Ketchikan lighthouse. It reported the receipt of a message from a light-house service employee at Cape St. Elias announcing the barge had been found on the shore. The government is now building a lighthouse at St. Elias.

## PLAN FOR FINANCING DEVELOPMENT BODY

Rotarians Undertake to Get  
1,000 Monthly Subscribers  
at \$1 Per Head

To stand behind the Victoria and Island Development association to the extent of raising \$1,000 per month, on a twelve month guarantee, by 1,000 subscribers at \$1 per month each, was the determination made by the Victoria Rotary club at the weekly luncheon to-day. The resolve came after an address by the president of the club, Frank Higgins, who took pledges from all the Rotarians that they would undertake to bring in ten subscribers each in ten days. Subscription lists were handed to all the members after luncheon.

The luncheon was attended by over one hundred, the number including re-

presentatives of the various lumber yards in the city. It was the first of the monthly Victoria day luncheons the club is holding, and the object of the luncheon was explained by the president. Mr. Higgins heralded the spirit of "knocking," which he said was prevalent in Victoria, and told of the desire of the directors of the Rotary club to effect co-operation of all the different elements working for the good of Victoria instead of having them work as separate units. To organize the various factions, he said, was the first step, and he believed there could be no better plan to be followed by all the bodies for the good of Victoria than to unite for publicity purposes.

The good work done by the Development association, he said, was testified to by the prominent transportation men of the Canadian Pacific Railway company, who had said that the association had at the helm the best men that could be got for the purpose.

There had been an immense amount of work done by the association against the enormous sums spent by other cities on the Pacific coast. Mr. Higgins said the Development association was not in debt and that it proposed to do considerable advertising in the northwest and in the eastern prairie provinces. For this purpose money was needed, and he thought the money was needed at the luncheon should be used in assisting the association.

Arrangements have been made for the opening of another school for the instruction of golfers seeking qualification for captain's rank. On October 29 there will be opened another lieutenants' school at Work Point also, and simultaneously a similar class at Vancouver.

The report that Lionel Somerset, of the 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles, has been wounded, indicates that this unit took part in some recent action at the front. Lionel Somerset was a rancher at Okanagan lake before enlisting last January with the 2nd C. M. R. He is unmarried, and 29 years of age.

A. J. Plunkett, vice-president of the Raymond & Whitehead Company, Boston, who was a guest at the luncheon, spoke of the past tourist season, and explained that he was now in the west with the object of re-routing for next year.

John G. Thomson, publicity agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway company at Seattle, read a paper on transportation affairs from the tourist and publicity points of view.

**Y. M. C. A. HELPS SOLDIER**

Lt.-Col. Lorne Ross Addresses Membership Rally at Assembly Building Last Evening.

Lt.-Col. Lorne Ross' statement of what the Y. M. C. A. were doing for the men at the front was listened to with close interest by the membership of the association last evening. Lt.-Col. Ross acted as chairman and introduced the chief speaker of the evening, who stated that work had been witnessed if on the field. The speaker, Y. M. C. A. was the local organization of the Y. M. C. A. which worked to improve men in body, mind and spirit. The diet was essential to the soldier as well as the second. Men had to be able to think for themselves in modern fighting. They had often delivered themselves from a tight corner, and only with initiative and tact could they do this in the present emergency.

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**DISCRIMINATORY TARIFF.** — Subject is Taken Up by Merchants Here To-day With Delegation.

A meeting was held in the board of trade rooms this morning at which a number of the wholesale merchants were present, to meet a delegation composed of J. E. Walsh, manager of transportation for the Canadian Manufacturers' association; W. Parsons, and W. B. Lanigan, western freight manager for the C. P. R. The object of the meeting was to ascertain what regulations in tariff are necessary to be made, in order that Canadian manufacturers may market their goods in British Columbia in place of American goods now imported by the Panama canal route.

After considerable discussion it was arranged that the delegation should visit each individual merchant and discuss his particular interests with him, to see how each is affected. It seems to be ascertained that the necessary information will be forthcoming, and that a greatly reduced tariff will shortly be introduced, resulting in a much larger proportion of Canadian goods being used in the market, and at a lower cost than has hitherto prevailed.

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**Broke Window Panes.** — For breaking two panes of glass in the vacant dwelling, 43 South Turner street, J. McIntosh, was fined by the police magistrate \$1.50, the value of the glass. The boy was firing at a mark and the stones went wide, he told the court.

## 88TH TO MOBILIZE WITHIN SHORT TIME

Dispatch From Ottawa Causes  
Excitement Among Members of Regiment

Great excitement among the officers

and men of the 88th Fusiliers' regiment followed the reading of the dispatch received last night from Ottawa, announcing that the militia department had authorized the mobilization of the 88th battalion in Victoria. The news caused a close on the heads of Lieutenant-Colonel Ross Gillin's return from the east, after a conference with the department of militia, and there would have been keen disappointment if the authorization had failed to come within the course of time. That it has come within less than a fortnight of his conference is a source of very general gratification to the unit and its officers.

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### NORTH WARD TO MEET ARTILLERYMEN

Another attraction added to Saturday's social programme is the exhibition game between North Ward and the Fifth Regiment, Red Hill Battery. Last Saturday the Ward team, which is composed of players under twenty years of age, played the Navy, losing out by the score of 2-2. They will play the soldiers at Red Hill. The team will meet at Jack Day's landing and will be conveyed to the bathing grounds in a launch.

The Wards will select their team from the following: Liddle, Watman, Lamphere, Menzies, Williams, Taylor, Bigham, Cummins, Latty, Livingstone, Ploos and Campbell. On Sunday afternoon the Wards will meet the 5th Waterloo Scots' overcoat draft on the Williams' grounds at 2.30 o'clock.



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### WHOLESALE AGENTS

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# SPORTING NEWS

## COAST LEAGUE FLOODED WITH OFFERS

## PRairie STARS ANXIOUS TO SIGN UP

McCullough Looks Probable Successor to Bert Lindsay; Hockey News Off the Wire

According to Lester Patrick, the Coast League magnates are being flooded with applications for jobs from all parts of the prairie provinces. The Victoria manager has not yet made up his mind to retain Bert Lindsay, and it is possible that he will use this veteran in a trade with the N. H. A. He has not yet decided upon his cage guardian for this winter, however, and will wait for a few days until he hears from Lindsay as to whether or not the 1916 terms will prove acceptable.

The chances are that Patrick will give several of the most promising prairie youngsters a trial, and in this connection he has had a number of letters recommending Fred McCullough, of the Champion Regina team, very highly. McCullough is an Ottawa youth, who starred for the Regina team when they held the Allan cup. He is a real high-class performer in the nets and being a youngster with a future, it is felt that the Victoria club could do worse than give this youth a chance.

Hugh Lehman is signed with the Millionaires, his contract having been received by Frank Patrick some days ago, and when any figurations are enacted in as to the team to beat this winter, the one best bet is that it will be the one for which Lehman is guarding the nets if there is any support in attack to give the star goalie a load of any kind at all.

The latest word in respect to the Seattle arena is that the roof is on and the work of enclosing the structure is engaged in, making the opening within the present month quite within the probabilities.

Six members of last year's champions of the National Hockey association are still in the city, and when Presi-

dent Hale sends out his contracts about the fifteenth of next month every one of them will receive one.

Benedict has been playing baseball with the Mortimer team in the city league and will be in good shape when the season rolls around. Sammy Herbert, the Ottawa second goal keeper, has taken several trips in his motor boat this summer and is also anxiously waiting for the season to start. Herbert has gained in weight since last year and should have a great season. Horace Merrill and Hamby Shore, have also been paddling and playing baseball, while Angus Dufoir has been putting in his time at tennis and playing the ponies. Jack Darragh was also in Ottawa last year, and Eddie Gerard in addition to paddling and rowing, was much of his time on the tennis courts.

Eddie Lowery has been down near Halifax all summer working with his father, who is building a large breakwater for the government. He is expected home next week. Contracts will also be sent to Leo Graham, Harry Broadbent and Alfah Wilson, who are at the front.

Ottawa, Oct. 21.—The Ottawa Hockey Club are negotiating for "Cully" Wilson, who starred for the Toronto last season. He would make a capable successor to Harry Broadbent at right wing. Harold McNamara, who played cover-point for the Toronto Shamrocks in 1914, is here, and may remain to take a position. In that event he would be tried out. Nick Bawlf is also spoken of as a candidate for the Ottawa team.

Frank Robinson, owner of the Toronto Hockey Club, back to-day from Halifax, denied that any of the Toronto players were for sale. He said the Wanderers had made him no offer yet for "Cully" Wilson, but the offer would be turned down, as Wilson was not for sale. President Robinson said he had not yet disposed of his stock in the club.

## Prodgers Is Rolling Stone of the N. H. A.

Ottawa, Oct. 21.—An enterprising newspaper man at Montreal discovered what he believed to be the hockey sensation, which members of the Ottawa club have been keeping in secret for some weeks. He delved into the doings of the Wanderers and ascertained that there existed a possibility of "Goldie" Prodgers being sold to the Ottawa.

Prodgers starred for the Wanderers last winter after being farmed out by the Quebec club. He developed a great over-point, but his work in the home and home series against the Ottawas fell off to such an extent that members of the Wanderer team were said to have refused to play with him again. It is a well-known fact that Prodgers and Sprague Cleghorn settled their differences with difficulties after the final game, from which the Ottawas carried off the championship. Some of the Wanderers men accused Prodgers of showing a flash of yellow instead of red, and trouble ensued. Now the kindly Montreal writer would wish Prodgers on the Ottawas.

Rumor Denied.

One of the Ottawa officers stated that they had not opened negotiations with the Wanderers for Prodgers. They have evidently made arrangements to strengthen the Ottawa team, but preference will be given to local men or

chance of Prodgers coming here.

former members of the Ottawa team Carl Kendall is likely to be the only

individual champion in the first year of the national rifle tournament being held at the state camp grounds here. His score was 35 points out of a possible 35.

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COAST LEAGUE.

At Salt Lake—Los Angeles, 161 Salt Lake, 8.

At San Francisco—San Francisco, 9; Oakland, 4; Los Angeles—Portland, 2; Vernon, 1.

## TO THE BOARD OF LICENSING COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA

TAKE NOTICE that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria at their next sitting to be held at the City of Victoria, for a transfer of the retail restaurant license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by me, namely the "Pandora Hotel" situated on Government street, in the City of Victoria, to the premises known as the Olympia Cafe, situated at 524 Government street, in the said city, and for a transfer of such license from me to the Romeo J. Quagliotti, of the City of Victoria.

Dated this 19th day of October, A. D. 1915, at the City of Victoria.

MICHAEL YOUNG.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Estate of Florence Rebecca Dickerson, Deceased, and in the Matter of the Administration Act.

Notice is hereby given that under an order granted by the Honourable Mr. Justice A. D. 1915, I, the undersigned, was appointed Administrator of the estate of the above deceased. All parties having claims against the said estate are requested to file their claims with me before the 8th day of November, A. D. 1915, and all parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 8th day of October, 1915.

WILLIAM MONTEITH.

Official Administrator.

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Dated this 18th day of October, 1915.

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Solicitors for the Executrix.

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## NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that at the

sitting of the Board of License Commis-

sioners for the City of Victoria, to be

held on the 8th day of December, 1915, I

apply for a license to sell liquor

in the license for the sale of liquor

in the "Pandora Hotel" situated at the corner of Pandora and Broughton streets, in the City of Victoria, from Albert Quagliotti et al.

Dated this 12th day of October, 1915.

ALBERT QUAGLIOTTI.

Official Administrator.

## TO QUIT GAME



RUE OLDRING

Philadelphia, Oct. 21.—Reuben N. (Rube) Oldring, one of the four remaining members of Connie Mack's four times pennant winner and three times world's champion Athletics has announced his retirement from baseball to take effect at the close of the present season. Oldring will give up baseball for the simple life on his farm near Bridgeton, N. J.

Though thirty-one years old Oldring could hold down an outfield job for at least four more seasons. His work this brush has not been up to the Oldring standard, but he has shown nothing that would indicate he is slipping.

Oldring came to the Athletics in 1906 and has been a member of Mack's team ever since. His departure will leave only Strunk, Lapp and McNamee of the Mack team that started to make baseball history in 1910.

GALA TO BE HELD  
AT Y. M. C. A. TANK  
ON SATURDAY NIGHT

On Friday night at the Y. M. C. A. the senior swimming club will hold a reorganization meeting for the purpose of outlining their plans for the coming winter. The election of officers will take place, and it will be necessary to select a captain to replace Jamie Cameron, who is now studying at the University of Washington.

The Victoria Ladies Swimming Club will hold its championship gala on Oct. 25, with the Invitational and Benefit cups for life-saving will be contested. The following Canadian championships will also be decided, namely, the 25 yards senior championship and the 50 yards junior championship.

There will also be relay races, diving competitions, and in addition to other items on the programme will be the public school's 50 yards championship for boys of 15 years and under, and the girls public schools championships. A feature of the gala will be an attempt by Miss Adelrey Grimm to beat her Canadian record for 100 yards if official sanction can be obtained.

U. S. RIFLE CHAMP.

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## CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

The VOTERS LIST for the forthcoming Municipal Election is now being prepared, and the following classes of Voters must furnish the following information to the Clerk of Assessors before being placed on the Voters List:

PROPERTY OWNERS.—When the assessed owner of real property is the holder of the last Agreement to Purchase said land, or the last assignee of such Agreement, such owner before having his name entered on the Voters List must file with the Clerk or Assessor before 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the 30th day of November next, a declaration proving that he or she is the holder of the last Agreement to Purchase, and the name thereof, by the terms of which such holder or assignee is liable to pay the taxes and has paid the current year's taxes.

CORPORATIONS.—Corporations whose names are on the Voters List can only be held by duly authorized agents whose authority must be filed with the clerk before the 30th November, such agent shall be a resident in the Province and a British subject of the Queen for 5 years.

INDIVIDUAL HOLDERS.—Persons of this class who are desirous of having their names placed on the Voters List must, during the month of October, file with the Clerk a declaration, in writing, that they are the sole holders of the property, and that they are entitled to the benefit of the property, and that they are not liable to pay the taxes and have paid the current year's taxes.

Owners of Property under an Agree-

ment to Purchase must make Statutory Declaration and file same with the Clerk of the Corporation on or before the Thirtieth Day of November, 1915.

Owners of Property under a Con-

tract of Purchase form may be obtained at the Municipal Hall.

W. W. CLAYTON.

Clark.

October 7, 1915.

## CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH POUND SALE

I shall sell by public auction at the

Pound, Glandford Ave., on Oct. 25, 1915, at

11 a. m., one light bay horse, 15 hands

high, brand "J. O." on near-hindquarter,

if not redeemed before that date.

H. LITTLE.

Pound Keeper.

## APPEAL IN AID OF STARVING JEWS IN RUSSIAN POLAND.

Millions of destitute Jews are literally

## PROFESSIONAL CARDS

ADVERTISEMENTS under this head, 1 cent per word per insertion; 50 cents per line per month.

## ACCOUNTANT.

VINCENT C. MARTIN, A.C.I.S., is conductor and accountant. All company's secretarial work performed. 106 Langley street.

## CHIROPRACTISTS.

MR. AND MRS. BARKER, surgeon chiropactors. 11 years' practical experience. 92 Fort street.

L. E. JONES, 201 Hibben-Bone Block. Attendance daily, 9-5; evenings by appointment. Phone 2388. 62

## DENTISTS.

DR. LEWIS HALL, Dental Surgeon. Jewel Block, cor. Yates and Douglas streets, Victoria B.C. Telephones: Office, 557; Residence, 127.

DR. W. F. FRASER, 302 Stobart-Pearce Block. Phone 4246. Office hours, 9-5 a.m. to 6 p.m.

## ELECTROLYSIS.

ELECTROLYSIS—Fourteen years' practical experience in removing superfluous hairs. Mrs. Barker, 92 Fort street.

## ENGRAVERS.

HALF-TONE AND LINE ENGRAVING. Complete and artistic designs for advertising and business stationery. B.C. Engraving Co., Times Building. Orders received at Times Business Office.

GENERAL ENGRAVER, stencil cutter and seal engraver. Geo. Crowther, 85 Wharf street, behind Post Office.

## LANDSCAPE GARDENERS.

LANDSCAPE GARDENERS AND DESIGNERS—Grounds of any size laid out. Staff of skilled gardeners. Estimates free. The Lansdowne Floral Co., Jas. Manton, Mar. 150, Hillside Ave., Victoria, B.C. Phone 233.

## MEDICAL MASSAGE.

ETHEL GEARY, masseuse. Vapor steam, massage, baths, hand and foot baths, massage, electric blankets, creams, scalp treatments. The Geary Room, 59 Fort Select patron. Phone 2690.

MASSAGE, electro-therapy, scalp treatment, manicuring. 40 Campbell Bldg. Phone 4465. 62

VAPOR-BATHS, massage and electricity. 92 Fort St. Phone 4164.

## NOTARY PUBLIC.

WILLIAM G. GAUNE, Room 105 Hibben-Bone Block. The Griffith Co., real estate and insurance, notary public.

## NURSING.

MATERNITY HOME, 216 Lee Avenue. Phone 981. 62

PRIVATE Maternity Home (licensed). Queen Anne Ave. Phone, Mrs. W. H. Hanley, 1923.

## OPTICIANS.

J. H. LE PAGE, graduate optometrist, ground floor, entrance Sawday Bldg., Douglas street. Phone 1869. 62

## PIANO TUNING.

RONALD H. RIMES, piano tuner. 29 Broadmoor Ave. Phone 2692. Work guaranteed.

## SHORTHAND.

SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 111 Government street. All types of shorthand thoroughly taught. E. A. Macmillan, principal.

## TUITION.

ENGINEERS—Marine and electrical, trained for naval service. W. G. Winterbotham, Victoria, B.C. 62

## BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

ADVERTISEMENTS under this head, 1 cent per word per insertion; 2 insertions, 2 cents per word, 4 cents per word per week; 50 cents per line per month. No advertisement for less than 10 cents. No advertisement charged for less than \$1.

## BAKERS.

BENNIE & TAYLOR, the only genuine Butter Nut bread bakers. Wholesale and retail. Imperial Bakery, Fernwood road. Phone 764. 62

## BOATBUILDERS.

BOATS AND LAUNCHES designed and built to order, repairing, hauling out, superintending and surveying promptly attended to. E. F. Stevens, 1235 Sunnyside Ave. Phone 3125. 62

## BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

FIE THOMAS CATERILL CO. LTD., builders and contractors. Afternoon jobbing, appraisals, etc. 21 Fort Street. Phone 829.

## JONES, Carpenter and Cabinet Maker. Jobbing specialty. 37 Fort St. Phone 1671. 62

CARPENTER and Joiner. T. Thirkell. Alterations, repairs, jobbing, heavy furniture repaired and guaranteed. Phone 2888. 62

## COLLECTIONS.

B. C. CREDIT RATING SERVICE, 92 Permanent Loan Bldg., 10th and 11th streets, Victoria. B.C. Phone 2357. Everywhere. 62

## CORDWOOD.

BEST QUALITY dry fir cordwood, in blocks, 15, 18, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, 75, 80, 85, 90, 95, 100 ft. long. Lloyd Young & Russell, 162 Broad street, Pemberton Building. Phone 4531. 62

## CHIMNEY SWEEPING.

C. WHITE, Old Country sweep. Phone 3606. Special attention will be given to guaranteed.

## CHIMNEYS CLEANED.

15 years' experience in Victoria. Phone 2181. 62

## CORSETRY.

SPIRAGLA CORSETS—Comfort, with straight lines; boning guaranteed, unrustable and unbreakable, one year. To be worn with confidence. Reference by appointment. Mrs. Godson, 402 Campbell Block. Phone 4465. 62

## DECORATING.

WALLPAPER, paints, varnishes, etc. Joseph Sears, Phone 237, 223 Bay street, near Quadra. 62

## DRY CLEANING.

HERMAN & STRINGER, French dry cleaners. Ladies' and gentlemen's linens, alterations on ladies' and gents' garments our specialty. We call and deliver. 88 Yates street. Phone 1356. Open evenings.

## FURRIER.

IRID. FOSTER, 1216 Government street. Phone 1587.

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## ELECTRICIANS.

AUTOMOBILE ELECTRICIANS—Storage batteries recharged and repaired, starting and high tension, ignition repaired. Relocation, telephone repair, H.T. stage, car spark coils, accessories, dry cells, electric auto lights, Johnson & Rolfe, corner Courtney and Gordon streets, next to Union Club. Phone 2246. 62

## FISH.

FRESH FISH DAIRY, also smoked, at 651 Johnson instead of 1421 Broad. Phone 661. W. J. Wriggworth.

WE SUPPLY nothing but fresh fish. Miller Bros., the Central Fish Market, 612 Johnson street. Phone 286.

## DYING AND CLEANING.

B.C. STEAM DYE WORKS—the largest dyeing and cleaning works in the province. Country work solicited. Phone 39. J. C. Kneppel, proprietor.

## FURNITURE MOVERS.

JEEVES BROS. & LAMH, furniture and piano movers. Large, up-to-date, well-dressed vans, express and trucks. Storage, packing, shipping. Office, 261 Victoria street. Phone 156. Stable, 90 Gorge road. Phone 2383.

## HORSESHOING.

JEFFREY & CASTLE, practical horse-shoers (Cameron & Caldwell stable), Johnson street. Phone 621. 62

## LIVERY STABLES.

BEAVERS STABLES, 725 Johnson, Livery, boarding, livery, express wagon, etc. Phone 1827.

## LIME.

BEILDERS AND AGRI-PLUMBERS. Lime for sale. Apply Soto & Poten, or at the kiln, for prices. No other person authorized to sell on my behalf. T. Eaton, Parsons Bridge. Phone 2710. 62

## METAL WORKS.

PACIFIC SHEET METAL WORKS—Cornice work, skylights, metal windows, metal slate and felt roofing, hot air furnaces, metal ceilings, etc. Phone 2690. 62

## MILLWOOD.

CAMERON WOOD CO. MILLWOOD, 33 per cord, \$15 per cord; kindling, 33 per cord. Phone 509. 62

## MOTORCYCLE SPECIALISTS.

BRICKLANDS MOTOR CYCLE WORKS, 500 Johnson street. Motorcycles are recommended to B. Shanks, the English motorcycle manufacturer, for repairs to all makes of motor cycles, including sidecars. High reputation for good and reliable work.

## PAINTSHOPS.

AARONSON'S LOAN OFFICE moved to, 125 Government street, next to Canadian Theatre. 62

## PHOTOGRAPHER.

S. R. TAYLOR—For high-class work at moderate prices. Call at Studio, 129 Government St.—Phone 2327. 62

## POINTERWARE.

SEWER PIPE WARE—Felt tile, ground clay, fire clay, etc. B.C. Pottery Co. Ltd., corner Broad and Pandora streets.

## PLUMBING AND HEATING.

VICTORIA PLUMBING CO., 1635 Pandora street. Phone 3002.

PLUMBING AND REPAIR—C. T. Fox, 10th and Gorge, opposite Victoria Hotel. Phone 2700.

THACKER & HOLLY, plumbers and heatings. Jobbing promptly attended to. Phone 2692.

## ROCK BLASTING.

BOCK BLASTING, J. Paul, R. M. D. No. 4 Gordon Head. 621

## SCAVENGING.

VICTORIA SCAVENGING CO.—Office, 1526 Government street. Phone 662. Ashes and garbage removed.

## SECOND-HAND GOODS.

SECOND-HAND CLOTHING STORE—A chance to get the best cash prices for ladies' and gents' slightly worn clothing, hats, gloves, gimp, plaid, etc. Good used also, trade or otherwise. 62

## SHOE REPAIRING.

WHITE, shoe repairer, opposite Public Library. Boots and shoes repaired, and all dry goods at wholesale prices.

## SOFTGOODS.

W. C. KING, Maywood, Most Market House, retail upholsterer. Furniture, draperies, and own dairy products. Phone 250. 62

## TAXIDERMIST.

PRIVATE GREETING CARDS FOR XMAS—Samples books now ready at Billy's Drug Store, car terminus, Douglas and Gorge roads. Phone 2434. 62

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## TOOTHPICKS.

PROGRESSIVE SHOE REPAIRING DEPOT, under new management, H. Fryer, 150 Fort Street, practical boot and shoe repairer.

## WATER.

MOORE SHOE REPAIRING DEPOT—Yates and Broad streets. All leather goods repaired. Prompt delivery. Phone 1890. 62

## FOR SATISFACTION IN shoe repairing.

TRY Asthma-Hibbs, 63, Teague Ave., opposite Colonial Building. Phone 4362.

## WHITE, shoe repairer, opposite Public Library. Boots and shoes repaired, and all dry goods at wholesale prices.

## WIRELESS.

VICTORIA TRUCK & DRAY CO., LTD., Office and stable, 50 Broadmoor St. Phone 1268, 1279.

## TAXIDERMIST.

W. H. WHERRY, taxidermist, successors to Fred Foster, 629 Pandora, corner Broad street. Phone 3227.

## VACUUM CLEANERS.

HAVE THE AUTO VACUUM for your carpets; satisfaction assured. Phone 4616.

## WINDOW CLEANING.

DON'T FORGET TO PHONE 1586, Jameson & Weller Cleaning Co., 614 Government St.

## WATER.

CHIMNEY SWEEP—W. C. Coley, Phone 458 or 558. Clean and thorough work guaranteed.

## CHIMNEYS CLEANED.

Defective flues fixed, etc. Wm. Neal, 1018 Quadra St. Phone 2019.

## WATCH REPAIRING.

J. L. HAYNES, watch and chronometer maker, 10, Messrs. Elkington, government contractor, to the West Australian government. High-grade watchmakers and manufacturing jewellers. We specialize in repairing fine watches and chronometers. 104 Government, Victoria. 62

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## ESQUIMALT DISTRICT

CABINS TO LET—Apple Barber Shop, next to pool room; Esquimalt, 4. mls.

TO LET—Two-room apartments for gentlemen, with furniture and cook stove, electric light and conveniences. E. Dickenson, Albion Stove Works; or S. Heald, Western Supply Store, Esquimalt road and Constance avenue.

SMALL HOUSE for rent, on waterfront, Esquimalt, partly furnished, rent \$5.

TO LET—Two-room apartment, 12th floor, 5th Manchester road.

PRIVATE ROOMS from 25c. day, 25c. night. Wm. Angus, general store, 123 Esquimalt road.

# MONEY TO LOAN

I have the following idle balances to loan on first mortgage:  
**\$500, \$800, \$900, \$1,000, \$1,250, \$1,500, \$2,000,  
\$2,500, \$3,000, \$3,500 and \$4,000**

APPLY

## P. R. BROWN

Money to Loan.

Insurance Written.

112 Bread St.

### The Cheapest Wood

and the best wood you ever bought. First-class dry.

**Blocks—\$4.50 Per Cord Cash**

**Mackay & Gillespie, Ltd.**  
Phones 149 and 622.  
Office, 738 Fort Street



**FLOOR VARNISH**  
Ask STANELAND About It  
840. FORT STREET

Fashion, Gives Word That Fur and Velvet Combination Sets consisting of hat and neck-piece to match will be exceedingly smart. We make them to order. Crown Millinery Parlors, 921 Fort St.

**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY**  
FACTORY WANTED in valuable business, offices or otherwise. Head office gives you half share. Business established, cost \$7,500. Box 861. Date 10/15.

**WANTED—Private Color in character, good studio. Four months from two months back. Apply Box 194. Times 10/15.**

**YOU WANT TO BUY self or  
partner &c., see Cameron, 22 Superior  
Street, 621.**

**SEVEN THIRTY-FIVE for sale in good  
condition, bargain. Phone 6612. May  
be seen at Willis Piano Co., 799 Fort  
Street.**

**BEAUTIFUL PLAYER PIANO in land-  
scape mahogany case, only \$150, and  
just note the terms, \$10 cash and 18  
months' payment \$15 per month. McPher-  
son & Collection Piano Co., opposite East 4th  
Street Post Office.**

**A SNAP Two-room house with full gar-  
den on good road. Stone &  
car line about 3 miles out must be sold  
immediately; price \$650 terms, \$25 cash  
balance \$10 per month. McPherson &  
Collection Piano Co., 220 Central Bldg., Pro-  
gress.**

**TO LET—2½ room bungalow, strictly  
modern, rent \$15 per month. McPher-  
son & Collection Piano Co., opposite East 4th  
Street Post Office.**

**KAISER ON THE TELEPHONE—  
Greatest and funniest record of the  
year, a 12 in. double-sided one with a  
stirring patriotic song, "We Sweep the  
Sea" on the other side. At Gordon  
Hicks Piano Co., opposite East 4th  
Street Post Office.**

**FOR SALE—Sewing machine, "White"  
with new suitable for tailor, 22 rite-  
leaving trunk. Hudson House, opposite  
Hudson Bay Bldg.**

**9 ACRES, all cultivated and fenced, on  
main road, close to Victoria, a bargain.  
Owner must sacrifice; will take auto-  
mobile or play-plane as part of com-  
pensation. Souteron & Mograve, 646  
Fort Street.**

**WILLIAM F. PHYSIACLE Optics and  
optical cameras a specialty. Factory, 921  
North Park street. Phone 622.**

**DUESMAKING—Apprentices and  
trainees wanted. Apply at B. C. Personal  
Loan Bldg., Douglas St., 621.**

**VICTORIA ACT EMPORIUM has a lot  
of unclaimed pictures which will be sold  
in 7 days if not called for.**

**TO LET—Seven roomed, furnished house  
Robertson street, has furnace piano  
and phone, \$30 per month. Parker  
Lawson, 612 Fort Street.**

**STUDENT AT LAW, three years exper-  
ience, would like connection with a law  
firm. Apply with a newspaper ad  
as reporter. For particulars, name and  
reference, Box 507 care of Mr. Turner,  
113 Bicks Building, Vancouver, B.C.**

**TO LET—Charming little bungalow, 165  
Woodland road, Fairfield, \$12.50 per  
month. Parker Lawson.**

**WANTED—Waitress, 650 Yates street  
621.**

**BELL-BOY WANTED—Must be willing  
and polite. Apply Prime George Hotel,  
621.**

**B. S. A THREE-SPEED, 45, at Sutton's  
Phone 622.**

**THREE-SPEED BICYCLE—new tires  
\$2.50, and others, at Sutton's, 650 Yates  
621.**

**HOUSE—delivery, rig, and barrels, for  
quick sale \$35. Box 1930. Times 621.**

**LOST—Wrist watch. Tuesday. Return  
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**MILLWOOD—Double load. 2½ modern  
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a few acres of the choicer farming land in  
the valley, fully water stocked, and  
every acre under cultivation, all within  
the city limits of Emporia and 12 miles  
from the capital. E. C. Templeman, 500  
Box 1933. Connelly at 228 Pemberton  
Bldg. for information.**

**EXCHANGE—Lot clear title for a gro-  
cery store. Northwest Real Estate  
122 Douglas street.**

### CASE FOR DEFENCE ON THIS AFTERNOON

E. V. Bodwell Opens It With  
Brief Speech; Reference to  
Dr. Young's Shares

The case for the defence in the suit of the Pacific Coast Coal-mines company against John Arbuthnot and others, to annul an issue of debentures made by the company in 1911, commenced in the supreme court this afternoon.

This morning the cross-examination of Luther D. Wishard, of New York, was concluded, and he was the last of the defendants to go into the witness box virtually in support of the plaintiff's case.

Mr. Wishard told Mr. Bodwell that Hodgson had disposed of his shares to a Montreal group. As a matter of fact, there are today none of them shareholders in the Pacific Coast Coal-mines company; they are shareholders in the Pacific Coast Collieries.

It was explained by Mr. Taylor that in order to acquire money to develop the property the Pacific Coast Collieries was incorporated. It took over the shares of the Pacific Coast Coal-mines in exchange for its shares, and issued some other shares, and having raised a loan turned this over to the old company for development.

In further explanations of letters put in by Mr. Bodwell yesterday, expressing satisfaction with the settlement of 1911, Mr. Wishard told H. W. B. Moore, one of his own counsel, that there were features of the settlement which had not been executed which, if carried out, would have greatly benefitted the coal shareholders. His satisfaction, as expressed, had to do with the original proposal for settlement. It transpired that the witness got \$2,000 worth of the debenture bonds, and that in getting them he had some little difficulty, regarding which he said he was not surprised at much of Arbuthnot's attitude as at Savory's endorsement of it.

It appeared from a letter from Wishard to Mr. Gairin, written after the reorganization of March, 1911, that one of the new directors was R. H. Thompson, former chief engineer of Seattle and later the B. C. government's fifteen thousand-a-year engineer in charge of Strathcona Park development. Colonel Thompson was described as one of the highest authorities on coal mining in the north.

Mr. Bodwell, opening the case for the actual defendant, said the plaintiffs' case was divided into two branches, one to set aside the debenture issue and a second which had gone through several stages of evolution until it expanded into what was tantamount to accusation of widespread conspiracy to obtain money from investors. This conspiracy was alleged to start from the adoption of articles of association.

These articles were in the standard form of such documents.

Mr. Bodwell said the bill obtained in 1915 was to give power to build a railway, and at the same time ratification of the articles was secured because the company had power to operate coal mines. There was no evidence of a conspiracy offered on either point. It was alleged that the promoters had put profits from the sale of the properties into their own pockets, but the only evidence on that was Arbuthnot's examination for discovery, and he denied it. That there was an attempt to get possession of the property by Arbuthnot was shown to be absurd by the fact that he could have accomplished this end, if he desired, by pressing his claim and getting a writ of possession.

It was complained that the details of the agreement of 1911 were not disclosed to the shareholders. There were only some forty not represented, but even if they had been they could have controlled the situation.

The action taken by the company in ratifying the agreement was not ultra vires. The plan of buying out the Arbuthnot interests by the cash shareholders was fully endorsed by Michener, Wishard, Kimball and other large shareholders, who armed themselves with proxies, and it was represented to the defendants he appeared for that practically all the other shareholders were cognizant and fully apprised of the agreement.

At the meeting of March 1 there were present personally and volun-  
tarily the stockholders of eighteen-twentieths of the stock. There was no force or compulsion upon anyone, and no evidence had been given of any conspiracy or fraud.

Mr. Bodwell's authorities on the point of the position of promoters of companies who sold its properties, these he contended, upholding the view that such men were vendors rather than trustees for shareholders in the proposed company, although they had certain fiduciary duties. Arbuthnot became interested in the Garibaldi Green property at Saanich, which was seen by Wishard and Michener, and their suggestion was that the South Wellington, Saanich, and Richardson properties should be put in together and a company formed, stock in which should be well, Arbuthnot and Savage were averse to putting in the South Wellington property, where they believed they had a valuable thing; but in the end agreed. After a few years the Hodgson suit was dismissed, there had been a series of misfortunes in the mine and bad management, and the whole burden of financing and managing was falling on Arbuthnot and Savage, and the agreement of February, 1911, was entered into. There could be no suggestion of fraud, no ground was offered of fraud, and therefore there could be no damage claimed.

In regard to the shares for Dr. Young, counsel said: "The promise to give Dr. Young an interest in something was made in 1906; when he was not a minister, but was a member of the court. And the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 10th day of November, 1915, to send their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims to the undersigned liquidator of the Company."

Dated this 19th day of October, 1915.

J. H. LAWSON, Liquidator.

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TAKE NOTICE that, pursuant to Section 20 of the Companies Act, a meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 1117 Wharf Street, on Saturday, the 27th day of October, 1915, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

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bers of the syndicate and not out of the company's shares. With reference to the property we ought to hear this in mind; that the acquisition of coal lands under the Coal Mines Act is not an executive but an administrative act, and in the East Kootenay cases the courts have held that the minister of lands is not the agent of the government and mandatory proceedings lie against him if the purchaser has complied with the act.

His lordship pointed out that the act uses the expression "governor-in-commission."

Mr. Bodwell said the bill of 1911 was a private act, and what Mr. Michener, called a corruption fund did not seem to be necessary in that connection.

I think it is rather a pity, if it is suggested that the giving of these shares is open to criticism, that they were not put in the name of that gentleman," remarked the judge. "Why carry them all these years as they were carried?"

It was no secret among the members of the company, replied Mr. Bodwell.

The court observed that the plaintiffs would argue that that block of stock should not be allowed its amortization on the assets of the company, as apparently the beneficial owner was Mr. Young.

"I won't go into it now," said Mr. Bodwell. "We have kept our promise and that is all we have to say."

### MANY NOTABLE MEN IN VISITING PARTY

Parliamentary Group Included  
Men Well-Known Through-  
out Dominion

Perhaps the most notable of the party of parliamentarians who were in the city on Tuesday was the Hon. Frank Oliver, former minister of the interior, who occupied so prominent a position in Sir Wilfrid Laurier's cabinet, at a time when the marvellous flow of immigrants from Europe peoples, the western prairies, and rendered possible the creation of two new provinces. He founded the Edmonton Bulletin, and has been associated with political life in the western provinces since 1883.

One of the richest men in Canada, Senator William C. Edwards, who also was with the party, is the head of the great sawmills at Rockland and New Edinburgh, and is among the last of the free traders in Canadian public life. He is a noted stock-breeder and raiser of cattle, and is associated with the management of several agricultural exhibitions. His financial interests are manifold, including a directorate of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, and the Canada Credit Company.

Senator Joseph Dodge is one of the Conservative old guard of the upper chamber and has taken part in the deliberations of that body since 1884. Previous to that he served for eight years as member for Beausejour in the House of Commons. He is a lumberman.

Senators William H. Thorne and Senator J. W. Daniel are both the Senators who have been called to the Senate during the life of the present government, the former at a time when he was visiting this coast.

Senator Owen was the last man called to the Senate before the Conservative government was defeated in 1885. He is a wealthy land owner in Quebec province, and was associated with the suppression of the Fenian raid.

The representatives of the old French families of Quebec among the party are Senators Casgrain and Thibeau, while Senator Tessier, another French representative, was a former speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec. He founded "Le Clavier" at Quebec.

Mr. Duncan McLaren, Mr. R. B. MacKenzie, The Marquess of Bute, Mr. H. Davis Brittan, Mrs. MacDonald Fahey, Chorus of Bluejackets and Soldiers, God Save the King.

Andrew Broder is one of the best known of the agriculturists in the house.

W. F. Power, the Quebec lumberman, has visited Victoria several times, his interest in lumber extending over a large portion of the country.

W. S. Middlebrooks, K. C., is the chairman of the public accounts committee of the house, a particularly important committee in view of the situation developing last session.

F. B. Carvel, K. C., whose association with the investigation into the conduct of the late New Brunswick government, and latterly into the expenditure of money under war items, has placed him prominently before the public eye, is one of the most influential Liberals in the maritime

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LUMP, \$7.00 Per Ton.

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**TEN THOUSAND TAGS  
SOLD IN THREE HOURS****Victoria's Record More Than Doubled for Red Cross Collection**

Never before in its history has Victoria had so successful a "tag" day. The Victoria and District branch of the Canadian Red Cross society sent out over two hundred workers this morning equipped with ten thousand tags, all of which had been sold before ten o'clock.

The response has been phenomenal, and although there is no record to the amount of the collections to the time of going to press, it is anticipated that it will be well beyond the expectations of the most optimistic of the organizers. The brigades immediately set about rushing out a fresh supply of the buttons and by noon the collectors were once more prepared to supply tags to all and sundry.

The collection will continue until late into the night, and girls will stand in front of all the downtown theatres in order to catch anyone who has failed to give during the day. Collectors were down town by seven o'clock this morning, and many early risers bought tags before eight o'clock.

Among the collectors were several small boys dressed as soldiers, and a number of little maidens in the garb of nurses. Soldiers from the Willow's garrison marched in this morning and took up positions at a number of the busier corners, their stacked rifles, from which depended "sergeant" gongs, being sounded at intervals to attract the attention of the passer-by. Boys with collecting bags also did yeoman service.

**BEING TAKEN OVER BY RUSSIAN OFFICIALS**

Patrograph, Oct. 21.—Millions of acres of Russian land, formerly colonized by Germans and hundreds of German industrial, mercantile and financial undertakings, valued at hundreds of millions of dollars, have been or are being confiscated and placed under control of Russian officials.

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The German war office on October 4 gave out what was described as an急令 (急令) of General Joffre, alleged to have been issued before the offensive movement began. This alleged order called on the French troops to drive the Germans out of France. Official denial of the authenticity of this order was made in Paris. The German general stated that the order had been issued on Sept. 24, and it was altogether different from the one given out in Paris to-day. The Paris dispatch news last week reproduced this order substantially as given above, as published in Swiss newspapers.

**DYING IN CALIFORNIA.**

Winnipeg, Oct. 21.—James Chisholm, pioneer architect of Winnipeg, is dying in California.

Ottawa, Oct. 21.—The western crop this year not only is a record in quantity, but apparently also in quality and grade.

Cars are being inspected now at Winnipeg at the rate of 40,000 per week.

**FURS--FURS**

We solicit your patronage and guarantee any Furs you purchase from us will be of the best-quality obtainable. WE MANUFACTURE a large number of our own FURS, and therefore you reap the benefit of FURS AT A VERY LOW PRICE.

**Specials To-morrow****HUDSON SEAL COAT**

Made of best quality skins. Size 38 and 40 inches; loose back and skirt.

Special To-morrow, \$125.00.

**BLACK FOX SET**

Made of best quality skins; large plain Muff and one-skin Stole.

Per set

Special To-morrow, \$70.00

**WOLF SET**

Both natural color and black. Made with plain Muff and animal effect Scarf. Per set

Special To-morrow, \$40.00 and \$50.00.

Other Furs at suitable prices.

ALTERATIONS REPAIRS RE CUTS Estimates freely given.

**HATS--HATS****Special Price Reductions To-morrow****LOT 1**

Soft Hats, regular \$2.00 and \$2.50. Latest Styles, \$1.00.

LOT 2 Soft Hats, regular \$3.00, \$1.00 and \$5.00. Best Makes, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

**NEW FALL DERBYS**

Eight of the leading Fall and Winter shapes.

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**JOFFRE'S CALL WAS NOT MADE IN VAIN**

Order Commander-in-Chief Issued Just Before Great Offensive Started

**DECLARES ALL WILL HAVE OPPORTUNITY**

White Says Loan Raised in Canada Will Not Be Underwritten

**UNABLE TO KEEP UP: PILE OF GOLD GROWS**

New York, Oct. 21.—So great has been the tide of gold poured into New York to pay the war bills of the belligerent nations that the task of melting it to be turned into United States coin has almost overwhelmed the employees of the United States assay office here. They are working longer than they ever did before, but the piles of coin and bullion by bankers grows instead of diminishing. On July 1 the office has received and melted more than \$81,000,000 worth, and nearly \$83,000,000 of this was received within the last ten days.

**THIRTY-SEVEN KILLED.**

Paris, Oct. 21.—Thirty-seven people were killed and forty-four were injured seriously in the explosion which wrecked a factory yesterday in the Rue de Tolbiac, according to the latest casualty list. The accident occurred when a workman accidentally dropped a grenade while an auto truck was being loaded.

The effect of the financing has been to assist in establishing the sterling exchange situation as the money was furnished here without withdrawal of the Dominion's £100,000 loan, made by Mr. White's \$45,000,000 loan, made in New York; a couple of months ago, evidently has been drawn upon heavily for the purpose. All advances on behalf of the imperial treasury, the minister points out, are of a temporary character and are, repaid promptly, from time to time.

Since the minister's announcement at Toronto of the proposal to raise a Canadian domestic war loan, many rumours have been received by the department to participate in this underwriting or, as frequently expressed in the requests, to get into the ground floor. To these communications the minister announces that he has replied that it is not his intention to have the new underwritten, and that there will be no ground floor. Everybody, rich and poor alike, will be placed on precisely the same footing in subscribing to the loan.

It Was Answered.

How well this appeal was answered is shown by another order issued yesterday, which follows:

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# WEILER'S DAILY STORE NEWS

## When Cupid's Darts Have Found Their Mark



and you are dreaming fondly of the dear little "home" you'll have some day with the maid of your choice; the most vital question is "How can we furnish our home?" Let us answer the query, for it is our mission in life to answer this very question. Our experience and our terms are at your service. We'll be only too pleased to reveal to you all our secrets of comfortable home-making. We can supply everything necessary for the home, no matter how grand or how humble it may be.

Owing to our position in the financial world, and very careful buying, we are able to give you the benefit of extremely reasonable prices, and a liberal cash discount for goods of first-class quality, or, if you wish, we can give you very easy terms of payment.

When we sell you furniture to-day, we think of what you may say about us a year from now. The constant aim of the "Home-Maker" Store is to render service of the lasting and satisfying kind—to sell you furniture correct in design, honest in workmanship and reasonable in price, so as to merit your good faith and continued patronage.



### Odd Things For Home Adornment

Odd bits that beautify the home—for which there can always be found a place—commend themselves as most acceptable wedding gifts.

They can be had for most any price one chooses to pay—which is an agreeable feature to the purchaser.

Our present display of such things is most satisfying in variety and range of price, embracing as it does the best of the latest productions of American and foreign makers.

Glad to have you look them over.

### Popular Gift Pieces

We show a very complete collection of fancy and useful things in

#### CHINA AND GLASS

in all the new shapes, in a large variety of patterns and decorations, at popular prices.

Notwithstanding their low prices we assure you that there is no piece in the collection that is not worthy and up to date.

An inspection will convince you how low the prices are.



**WEILER Bros LIMITED**



### BUILDING WILL BE READY FOR OCCUPANCY

Police, and Detectives Will Move Into New Quarters Next Week

It is already assured that the city police and detectives will be able to occupy their new quarters in the front of the police building, Fisgard street, by next week. It is not yet certain, however, when the new jail itself will be put into service.

The object is to free the present police court for the use of the water collector's department by November 1. Some of the fixtures at the new courtroom are now being installed.

The police station may be continued at the old premises for a short time, yet as the ironwork of the cells in the jail is not quite finished, but the police officials and detective department can move over as soon as the premises have been cleaned out.

Generally speaking, tons of the building will convince any citizen that convenience and simplicity have been studied in the design, and that the joint committee of the police commissioners and aldermen, with the architect, have secured a good job for a remarkably low figure, the expenditure to date being about \$66,000. Of course, with the fitting of the actual cost will exceed the amount appropriated, from the point of the detainees, but it is the intention to keep the excess as low as possible, and as some of the old material from the existing building is being taken over, the extras will be kept within bounds.

The police magistrate's room is separated from the room to be occupied by the clerk by a vault for keeping the records of the court. Witnesses' rooms are provided, and these will fill a long-felt want. A number of rooms have also been set aside for the police and detectives, which will avoid the crowding of offices which has occurred in the past.

Some of the devices employed are worthy of comment. For the development of photographs of criminals, an excellent dark room has been provided, while to allow conversation between prisoners and their solicitors a room is prepared where in addition to the usual iron bars, a close wire screen has been placed in position, so that the prisoner can talk all he likes to his lawyer, but nothing can be passed between them.

The automatic unlocking device for the cells to give an immediate jail delivery in case of emergency, is now being installed, and promises to give adequate protection. Behind the cells is a avenue through which passes the ventilating shafts. The beds in the cells are movable. The actual arrangement of the cells is the same as has been adopted in all modern prisons. The cells are arranged in tiers back to back, though in order to make the most of the room there are also some right angles which will not get so much natural light. Mr. Hutchinson himself, supervising the construction of the framework, the women's quarters are entirely separate from the men's and each will have a hospital ward for sick prisoners.

There are many little details which will contribute to the comfort of the prisoners, who will be as well provided for as in any state institution.

In the basement is a large amount of accommodation for storage, and there is also the heating plant, with an auxiliary plant for summer use when the big furnace is not wanted.

At the top of the building the fire alarm equipment will be placed in position, the undertaking of the city to the Underwriters' association being to place it in a fire-proof building. J. C. M. Keith, was the architect of the building which was constructed by C. W. Carle & Co., the lowest tenderer.

Hutchinson & Co., Ltd., have the contract for the steel work.

It was a minstrel performance, and in the intervals between the songs the usual jokes were being perpetrated. "What am I difference between an old maid and a married woman?" asked Sambo. "I done give it up," replied Bones. "Why?" explained Sambo. "old maid am looking for a 'husband' every day, an' de married woman am lookin' for 'em every night!" There was a pause, and several elderly gentlemen got up and stole softly into the night.

### This is new

The Peps way of treating coughs, colds, bronchitis and lung and throat troubles. How? Well, up to now people with these chest and throat troubles have swallowed cough mixtures, sickly syrups and the like, but their stomachs. So now, instead of throat get no good by dosing the stomachs. Peps work differently.

Peps are tablets made up of fine extracts and medicinal essences, which when put into the mouth turn into healing vapors. These are breathed down direct to the lungs, throat and bronchial tubes—not swallowed down to the stomach, which is not ailing. Try 5c. box of Peps for your cold, your cough, bronchitis or asthma. All druggists and stores or Peps Co., Toronto, will supply.

A WOMAN.

During one of the principal events at a race meeting the cry of "Hate off in front!" was raised and obeyed. When the horses had passed the hats were, of course, replaced. A few minutes later a young man began wildly to lift the hats of the spectators around him, replacing them with savage expressions of annoyance. On lifting the hat of one of the spectators he was asked what he was "up to." "Why," he exclaimed, "I bet five pounds with a bald-headed man, and I am trying to find him."

**Peps**



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### THOUGHT AND PRODUCTION.

To the Editor—I am again taking the liberty of expressing my ideas regarding different subjects which I consider worthy of individual attention, as each individual should take interest in the current events and happenings of their city or province, and until we do so there are a thousand and one things awaiting our investigation and comment. For instance, the letter in the Times, October 13, "Gas and Electricity." Speaking about private ownership of gas and electricity, I for one would like to understand why every city does not own and operate its gas and electric companies, also wood yards, electric car service, etc. If private companies become wealthy through such industries, what is to deter the city from benefiting itself by the same sources? Of course many people will ask why the wood yards as well. Simply this, that there could be a moderate price charged for electricity, gas and wood, thereby giving the public the satisfaction of knowing they will have a fixed price and at a nominal sum.

Why doesn't our government own the coal mines and railroads? This is an old subject, but it is nevertheless a worthy subject:

Now for a different subject. I see posters on the fences, etc., saying "Beautiful Victoria," when really the fences and buildings these posters appear on are a disgrace to our city. When you walk on some of our most prominent streets and survey the old tenement shacks, do you feel ashamed of the appearance of such places? Why are they not condemned and pulled down instead of being rented to citizens for blankets and so forth? Why are the vacant lots in many cases covered with unsightly growth? Such things do not beautify our city neither do they give outsiders a good impression of our thrift.

Why haven't we a knitting factory?

Soldiers writing home again for socks.

Women are doing their level best with their knitting needles, but how inadequate our supply when we could have an industry that could help supply the need. We have had over a year in which to erect a knitting factory.

Believe me that is not the only industry this island could have working at top speed right now. We could be producing constantly now and disposing of all we could produce from a dozen different industries. In fact, no man or woman would need be idle were we human.

I often read that a company of men

are coming here to look over the city and surroundings in regard to starting some industry. Why is it that these industries never mature? Is it possible that the desirable locations are held at such exorbitant prices that would-be purchasers cannot buy? Or is it the idea that Victoria is such a wealthy city that we do not want factories?

It's a shame in either case.

These that have need not look for work, that what about men, married men, in our town to-day that are out of work?

I can tell you of one case to-day where a man has no work and only two or three dollars to his name and there is a little visitor coming to their house soon. Does he or his wife need worry?

Do they need the work that a factory could supply? How many are in the same condition to-day? No doubt if they cannot procure work that people will be charitably inclined towards them. But step and think how that father's pride is ground down when he cannot as a man's right supply his family's wants. Does this tend to make our city beautiful? In my mind there is no sweater sight than to see a thousand or more men making their way with their dinner pails to a good clean factory where they can earn a good even wage, and where can you find a more satisfactory sight than the picture of that man's home on Saturday night when his wife knows that they are sure of the common comforts due in all with an occasional bit of pleasure mixed in? This is war time. How often I hear that remark. Yes, indeed, it's "war time." Who are we not manufacturing the woolen blankets required by Russia? Millions of dollars passing by. Why not produce some more of the 1,000,000,000 cartridges for Russian rifles? Why not this? Why not that? Are we as a people in a financial condition to let this pass? We need this money in Canada. Let us exert ourselves and make ways and means to produce the necessities of war and supply our families with work. I am a woman and I am broad-minded enough to know that my views will conflict with those of thousands of others. But at the same time I am sure there are thousands that will agree with me. There is always the positive and negative side to all things, and we must give both sides a thorough investigation in order to arrive at a sound basis. I am not finding fault. I am only putting these questions and suggestions to the public, as food for thought, as thought is the greatest power on earth and until we think we never produce.

A WOMAN.

"I am directed by the board of trade to refer to your letter of August 31 last addressed to the minister of munitions and forwarded to this department relating to Canadian workmen who were brought over to this country through the agency of the British mission of inquiry into the supply of armament labor in Canada."

"In reply, I am to inform you that owing to variations in the demand for certain classes of labor in this country there have been a few cases in which delay has occurred in securing employment for such men, and that the board will be prepared to furnish you with particulars regarding any of the men referred to in your letter, whom you will supply the department with their names."

"I am further to state that all the men brought over from Canada have now been found employment or, in a very few cases where this course was necessary, are being offered their return passages. I am to add that the board will shortly be in a position to make an allowance of seventeen shillings and sixpence a week to dependents in Canada of men who are in employment which has been found for them through the agency of the board's labor exchanges in the United Kingdom."

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## GRAND ART FESTIVAL

### HELD AT SIDNEY

Berquist Hall crowded last  
night for entertainment by  
Allies Chapter, I. O. D. E.

Berquist Hall, Sidney, was filled to capacity last evening for the "Grand Festival of Art" held under the auspices of the Allies Chapter, I. O. D. E. The entertainment took its name from the tableaux vivants which constituted a large part of the programme. But these were by no means the only artistic features, and musically as well as picturesquely the affair was of an unusually "pleasing character. The Deep Cove orchestra supplied incidental music, and filled in the waits while scenes were being arranged behind the curtain.

The pictures were all beautifully posed and brilliantly lighted. Perhaps the favorite was that showing Priscilla and John Alden, the familiar characters in "The Courtship of Miles Standish." Mr. and Mrs. Alan Campbell respectively filled the roles of Priscilla and John, both striking their attitudes excellently, and the former wearing a particularly pretty smile. Another popular picture was that showing Nelson saying good-bye to his grandmother. This had the formal elegance of the older age, Alan Deacon filling the role of the youthful hero-to-be, and Mrs. A. E. Moore being the grandmother.

The sick child in Luke Fildes' famous picture, "The Doctor," was most realistically posed by little Agnes Williams, whose relaxed arms and unconscious face made the spectator feel something of the anxiety seen in the face of the father—Mr. Chute, the doctor (Rev. A. Bauchan Gibson) and in the grief-stricken figures of the mother (Mrs. Chute). Mrs. J. Wesley Miller posed for "Gainsborough's Duchess of Devonshire" and looked the part well.

Two songs by Miss Penegely were illustrated in picture. The first brought to light more small "caulfield gentlemen" than were supposed to be in Sidney's "Ten Little Nigger Boys" being

Roses Davis, Gerald Davis, Edna Parkes, Gordon Findley, Eva Findley, Norman Armstrong, Duncan Logan, Walter Simpson and Leslie Degnon. There were four pictures in all and the ear-to-ear grin of all the black jokings in the last was the signal for riotous applause from the spectators, who succeeded in slightly "widening" the small actors' smiles to almost breaking point. The second illustrated song was "Knitting," posed by a number of the Sidney school children, and representing the universal occupation of the hour, viz., making socks.

Miss Penegely was one of the hardest working of the entertainers, in company with Gladys Hicks, of Victoria, singing the national anthems of the respective countries shown in the patriotic tableau of the allies, which concluded the programme. Britannia was stately and dignified in the person of Mrs. Gladys Hicks, who gave a stirring version of the loyal song, the audience joining heartily in the refrain. "Justice" was impersonated by Miss Birch, Belgium by Miss Hart, France by Miss Rogers, Russia by Mrs. Camille Layard, Japan by K. Tomiyama, Italy by Mrs. Swan, Serbia by Mrs. McConan, Montenegro by Master Kennedy, and Canada by Sgt. Brethour.

The musical part of the programme was under the capable direction of Miss Eva Hart, who appeared in a number of costumes, songs and charmed everyone by her singing and dainty acting. The two Ezra Lehmann child songs, "If No One Ever Marries Me," and "Daddy's Sweetheart," were an artistic and popular success. In Dutch dress and a quaint starched muslin head-dress the two cutties from Miss Hook of Holland, "Little Miss Wooden Shoes," and "A Pink Pettie From Peter" were imminently rendered by the same artist whose claque-patter was envirously watched by all the small folk. In "The Doll Shop," a cleverly put-on pantomime performance, Miss Hart took the part of one of the smartest dolls on display by the Toy Makers (Mr. Worsnop), and went through her mechanical movements and singing with an impersonal daintiness and precision that was delightful. Miss Rogers and the Misses Dorothy Kelly and Barbara Parkes were interested purchasers looking about the doll-shop for something nice to buy, but incidentally bringing to light the talents of the "Italian Flower Doll" (Mrs. Swan), and the "Dolly Varden Doll" (Mrs. Layard). Other brisk puppets who layed at a touch of the button were the "Clown Doll" (Master Kennedy), "Father Christmas Doll" (Mrs. Birch), "Mr. Worsnop" (the toy maker) was thoroughly gental and business-like.

About ten small girls, unsuppected, shawled and powdered, an unusual act called "Grandmother Drill," hobbled together on to the stage, and going through a pantomime performance as deaf old gossips meeting and exchanging bits of scandal.

Two charming songs which suit her melodious contralto well were sung by Mrs. Gladys Hicks, "The Little Silver Ring" and "The Fairies." Mrs. McConan also contributed to the musical part of the programme with two delightfully rendered numbers, "The Early Morning" and "Love's Garden of Roses." Another musical feature which was much enjoyed was provided by Mrs. Camille Layard, who played the violin in a Dutch Folk song, and "Sibelius' Valse Triste," the latter being particularly beautiful. Miss Clayton and Mrs. Des Barres made admirable accompanists, and did much toward making the entertainment so successful.

As a substitute for the picture of "The Dirty Boy" whom the chairman expected on the ground that he had gone and washed himself Miss Lowndes recited "The Groom's Story," a narrative having to do with a motor car and a posse horse that came to be hitched there. This was delivered with consider-

able histrionic skill, and evoked great applause.

During the evening Miss Lowndes, regent of the Allies' Chapter explained something of the work done by that body since its inception. She referred to the presence in their midst of a returned soldier, Sgt. Brethour, of whom they were all proud, and her request for three cheques and a tiger was responded to vociferously.

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for, and suggested by his questions that the decision was in the matter of some staking done by Hodgson on Malcolm Island, that there was a contract between Hodgson and the syndicate by which he was to come into it if he succeeded in upholding his stakings, that this took place long before the Pacific company was formed, and that it could be easily indirectly beneficial to the syndicate.

That came to me long afterwards.

I was informed gradually and by stages about this deal, and after the settlement between March 1 and the middle of May, 1911, Hodgson gave me the full account.

Don't you think you have gone a great way in charging that this stock was to be given for political services? What justification have you for that?

The only justification I have is based upon Hodgson's full statement made to me between March 1 and May 15. I said this morning I had only a limited knowledge of that matter. I had no conversation with Arbutnott, and I only spoke to Savage about it once or twice. It only came to me gradually, by stages, and it was only a few days ago that I heard the name of the party to whom the stock was supposed to be given.

And that these shares were to come out of your own shareholdings because Arbutnott was entitled to compensation, and had never got anything for all his time and money?"

"I do not understand it was to come out of my shareholdings. It was to

be sold to him for 'em like you do."

The novelist's small boy had just been brought to judgment for telling a fib. His son, having lied away to his parents, was asked if he had lied. He said he, "How long will it be before I stop gettin' lied tellin' lies an' bein' set up to be sold for 'em like you do?"