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WELLINGTON GOAL

LANDED MORE MEN

Transports Put Strong British Reiterates Attaches Must Go and French Forces Ashore at Salonica

TO AID SERBIANS

ALSO MANY GUNS AND ARMORED AUTOMOBILES

French Repulsed Bulgarians Refuses to Divulge Information When They Attacked Line on Sunday

Athens, Dec. 7.-That British trans ports had landed several allied divisions at Salonica on Sunday was announced in an official statement issued here today. Armored automobiles. together with a large number of guns, were hurried north.

Bulgarians Repulsed

Paris, Dec. 7.-Defeat of the Bulgarians on December 5 in attacks on the French line at Abozarki, Demir-Kapu and Costmorino is reported in a dis-patch from Athens to the Havas News

The Serbian retreat into Albania says the dispatch, is hampered by bad weather and roads and the presence in the Serbian ranks of more than 40,000

Austrian prisoners, There are now 109,000 Serbian soldiers and 20,000 refugees gathered in Albania, the Athens advices state. German Plans,

London, Dec. 7.—As the Germans seem to be under the impression that their main campaign in Serbia has been closed, it is expected General von Gall-witz, with his German forces, will join the Bulgarians in Macedonia to move

the Bulgarians in Macedonia to move against the French at I British armies before they become mideh stronger. Information form Berlin indicates that the German forces engaged in the earlier movements in the Balkans have now been detached for the purpose of sharing in the attack on the Franco-British forces along the southern Macedonia front. Dispatches from Athens partly corroborate this theory, as it is reported that two German divisions are reported that two German divisions are operating with the Bulgarians near umnitza.

talk among the Germans and Australe by the papal consistory, at which Pope Benedict delivered an address calling upon the belligerents to make just and immediate peace. This encourages the millions in Germany and Austro-Hungary who are longing for peace,

Entered Monastir. Athens, Dec. 7.—The main German and Bulgarian units entered Monastir on Monday, it was learned here to-day. German Claim.

Berlin, Dec. 7.—The war office announced to-day that the French forces in Southern Serbia, near the Vardar river, had been compeled to retreat.

The capture of Ipek, Montenegro, also

GERMAN AGENTS IN GREECE ARE BUSY

Constantine, Influenced by General Staff, Disposed to Oppose Allies

London, Dec. 7.—The correspondent of the Daily Telegraph at Milan tele-

ca report that fresh decrees appear daily with special objects in view of the particular exigencies of eventual war. New uniforms are being dis-

LANSING DECLINES TO STATE FACTS

Because of Military and **Naval Activities**

HAS SENT REPLY TO **GERMANY'S REQUEST**

Germans Are Most Anxious to Have

Washington, D.C., Dec. 7 .- Secretary Washington, D.C., Dec. 7.—Sceretary Lansing has replied to Germany that, the American government's request for the withdrawal of Captain Boy-Ed and Captain von Papen, the naval and military attaches respectively of the German embassy here, was entirely because of their military and naval activities.

Secretary Lansing's reply to th German government's inquiry, which is dicated that the Berlin foreign office intended to contest the withdrawal of the attache under certain conditions, was delivered in a long communica tion which the German embassy im mediately forwarded to Berlin. At the German embassy all comment on it was refused.

Secretary Lansing also sent a reply to Germany through Ambassador Gerard, at Berlin.

Wilson Approves.

clares that the American government's action was caused by the military and naval activities of the attaches coupled with c. Amstances cumulative nature which are deemed sufficient for Secretary Janusha's au-tion. These alone are responsible. No mention is made of Mexican affairs nor does the name of General Huert-

The German government has been informed, however, that an accumu-lation of circumstances connected the attaches with attempts to violate the

neutrality laws of the United States.

The Archibald incident, it is said, is mentioned in connection with the case of Captain von Papen, and the trial of the Hamburg-American conspirators is mentioned in connection with the

The emphasis placed on the state-ment that military and naval activities alone were considered is taken to indicate that other German officials are not in any way concerned.

Germans Are Scheming. One reason why the American gov ernment will not furnish Germany with specific reasons for the request for the recall of Captains Boy-Ed and von Papen is its determination to keep secret the sources of its information while reports involving other men in this country are being investigated.

Secretary Lansing is understood to have conferred with President Wilson

have conferred with President Wilson before dispatching the reply. It is understood the secretary thought that under the circumstances the state department might well inform the German government of the principal causes of its action without, of course, going into a discussion of the facts or divuging the sources of its information. That is said to be precisely what has been done.

Archibald incident, Secretary Lan-sing's reply is undertood to intimate strongly that other things than those did enter into the case.

No Right to Ask,

war. New uniforms are being distributed for winter outfits, improved strategic positions are strongly occupied and the officers' pay has been increased.

One correspondent notes that both secret and open German influences have been at work, especially among the officers, who are displaying hostility against the allies. They are openly discussing the means of neutralizing the economic blockade.

The king, under inspiration of his general staff, is reported as being disposed less and less to yield to the allies. The five members of the general staff recently accepted special decorations sent them by the kaiser.

CHRISTMAS DINNERS

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Ottawa, Dec. 7.—Major-General Sir Sam Hughes has issued orders that no solider in Canada is to miss his Christmas dinner. Last Christmas, for the most part, the soldiers were entertained by whole-hearted people in the various districts where the men were in training, but there are more to be looked after this year, and if any are being overlooked by the general publid, Bir Sam has given instructions that they are to have a real Christmas dinner of their own.

WAR COUNCIL SAT IN PARIS AGAIN TO-DAY

Paris, Dec. 7.—The second session of the allied war council was held here to-day, with representatives of Great Britan, France, Russia and Italy in attendance.

The first session of the present series was held yesterday, when General Joffre presided.

BIG VESSEL NOT MAKING HEADWAY

As Soon as Minnesota Repairs One Boiler, Another Breaks Down

NEARING END OF HER SUPPLY OF EXTRA TUBES

San Francisco, Dec. 7 .- Another tu was sought to-day to go to the as-sistance of the Hill liner Minnesota. reported last night 620 miles south of ere, making feeble attempts to put back to this port while awaiting the wrecking steamer Laqua and the tug Dauntless. No word has been received as to the arrival of the vessels, but

they were expected to reach the Min-nesota during the night.

Captain T. W. Garlick reported by Wireless to C. W. Wiley, marine super-intendent of the Great Northern Wilson Approves.

President Wilson has fully approved Seretary Lansing's decision, and it was said authoritatively to-day it will be adhered to no matter what Gerden between the decision and it was said authoritatively to-day it will be adhered to no matter what Gerden be adhered to no matter what Gerden be adhered to no matter what Gerden be added intermittent process. As soon as and intermittent process. many does.

While there is no indication to-day that the text of Secretary Lansings communication will be made public, it can be said authoritatively that it demost totally disabled, Mr. Wiley said. Not Natural Causes

Natural causes, the superintendent declared, did not explain the disable-ment, and he suggested as a possible cause the secret use of chemicals in the water to corrode the boller tubes. Practically all of the 500 extra boiler tubes earried for the trip from Seattle to London have been used in regain-ing since the Minnesota sailed on No-vember 14, with 16,000 tons of foodstuffs.

Mr. Wiley said he had no informa-Mr. Wiley said he had no informa-tion concerning any trouble on the vessel other than the boiler disable-ment. He said none of the crew, so far as he knew, was in irons, but that he had relayed to Captain Garlick in-formation sent him by British agents that a water-tender on the vessel had made his will before leaving Seattle and had told his family that the Min-cessels would never reach its desti-

BERLIN WILL RECALL **BOY-ED AND PAPEN**

First Dispatch Dealing With

has been done.

In reply to Germany's intimation that usage, it is stated. However, Gertive would contest the withdrawai if it many probably will ask first to be informed of the grounds on which the the Urited States government bases its an-decision regarding the undesirability of the attaches.

News of the request for the recall has not been published as yet by the German press.

The above dispatch is the first direct word to be received from Berlin in regard to the probable action of the German government in response to the request of the United States for the recall of the two attaches.

Since Germany already has asked Washington for information as to the grounds on which the United States bases its request, and has had the American government's reply, it would appear that this fact had not been made public in Berlin up to the time of the filing of the dispatch.

ARTILLERY EXCHANGES IN CHAMPAGNE DISTRICT

Paris, Dec. 7.—To-day's communique from the war office reports heavy can-nonfiding in the Champagne district, with fighting with hand grenades south of St. Souplet. Quiet prevailed along the rest of the front.

Berlin, Dec. 7.—The capture of 250 metres of an advanced Freich trench in the Champagne district, east of Auberive, was announced by army headquarters to-day. Sixty men were taken prisoners in this operation, it is stated.

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DISCUSSIONS NOT

Germans Are Reading Only Censored Reports of Debate on Food

REICHSTAG COMMITTEE WRESTLES WITH PROBLEM

- N. C.

Producers, Dealers, Consumers and Govt. Officials

Berlin, Dec. 7 .- Vigorous and unre

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—The transport Lap-land, carrying 2,239 Canadian soldiers has reached a port in England safely. She left Canada on November 28.—The She left Canada on November 28. The troops on board were 37th battalion (Toronto), 4 officers, 1,104 men; No. 2 Siege battery, 7 officers, 273 men; Draft, field artillery from Winnipeg, 2 officers, 102 men; Draft, infantry from Toronto, 5 officers, 250 men; Draft, Officers' Training corps, for Princesa Patricias, 5 officers, 250 men; Cyclists, 1 officer, 30 men; Army Service corps, 5 officers, 199 men; Royal Flying corps, 2 officers. orps, 2 officers.

S. S. California. The troopship California also has arrived at a port in England, with the following troops on board: 9th regi-men Canadian Mounted Rifles, Winnimen Canadian Mounted Rifles, Winnipeg; 27 officers, 599 men; 52nd battalion, Port Arthur; 40 officers, 1,032 men; Draft, Army Medical corps, from the west; 4 officers, 100 men; Royal here from the United States for the Rallway Construction corps, 1 officer, recall of Captains Roy-Ed and von Papen undoubtedly will be complied with in accordance with diplomatic usage, it is stated. However, Germany probably will act.

APPEAL TO CONGRESS

The above dispatch is the first di- Asks Legislative Body to Assist Plans to End the War

> On board SS. Oscar II., at sea, by wireless, Dec. 7, via Slasconsett.— Henry Ford, head of the party of peace advocates now en route to Eu-rope, has sent a wireless message to congress asking support for his plans to end the European war. German Attitude.

German Attitude.

Rerlin, Dec. 7.—The German press in general treats the Ford peace mission only as a manifestation of American eccentricity. According to opinion here, the mission will have but slight chance of exerting its efforts in any belligerent country in view of the fact that the passports of its members are good only for neutral countries. It would be possible, of course, for Germany to relax its regulations and permit the members of the Ford party to enter Germany without passports, but as the mission comes without the approval of Washington, it is unlikely to do so, according to present indications.

FEAR MINNESOTA IN MUTINEERS' HANDS

Wireless Messages From Disabled Ship Cause Suspicion in San Francisco

EVEN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS PUZZLED

Blame Distributed Amongst Naval Auxiliary Saw No Ship Where She Was Supposed to Be

San Francisco; Dec. 7.-A fearfu strained discussion of the problem of suspicion that the great steamship food regulations continues in the Minnesota, of the Hill line, carrying a Labor's National Peace council in stirring up strikes in war munitions factories engaged on contracts for the all reports of the debate are not ed Kingdom, not only has been dis-

Schoriemer, have come under free.
Ohe radical speaker directed his
criticism against the producers for desiring higher maximum prices. He
pointed out that the German tariff
system in times of peace had been directed for years toward strengthening
German agriculture for its task in which
German agriculture for its task in magnitus west, latitude
The regulations already put into
force for the distribution of food products are being discussed at length
force for the members contend that the
federal council delayed too long.

4,131 CANADIANS

LAND IN ENGLAN

37th and 52nd Battalions, 9th
Mounted Rifles and No. 2
Siege Battery

Siege Battery

Service for the distribution of food
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Sunday night the Minnesota's wireless reported her 28 miles south of
Coronado Islands, and that she was
making 4 knots an hour toward San
Diego. That would have placed her
about 40 miles north of Cerros Island
on Sunday morning.
The naval auxiliary Glacler passed
to the north of Cerros Island Sunday
morning at 5 o'clock and her officers
report that while the day was clear

morning at a clock and her oncers report that while the day was clear and they could see for many miles, there was no ship in sight.

No word has come yet from the Union Iron Works wrecking steamer

aqua and the Red Stack tug Daunt less, which left here last Friday night to go to the liner's assistance.

Theory in San Francisco.
The possibility that the Minnesota is controlled by others than the capis controlled by others than the cap-tain, who are purposely keeping her position a mystery, is now pointed out here by shipping men as the most logical explanation of the suspiciously strange actions and silence.

Even the government officials are puzzled. They declare that the first thing the captain of a disabled ship usually does is to give her position accurately and send all details as to her SIINK RY FN exact condition which will enable

No such advice has come from the Minnesota, although the liner has one of the most powerful wireless equipments on the Pacific. The last position given was different by many miles from that which had come a few hours before, although it was not far from where the liner had been reported two days previously.

Enemy Attempted to Arrange Conference on Peace for Dec. 15

London, Dec. 7.—An interview with an unnamed Hungarian cabinet minister, published in a Budapest semi-official newspaper, gives some details of the preliminary peace conference which the central powers and Turkey planned to open at Berne on December 15, but which fatled to materialize owing to the fact that France, Great Britain, Russia and their allies had no intention whatever of discussing peace.

peace.

"The conference," the interview says, "was to arrange for a preliminary armistice and find a basis for negotiations regarding the actual peace conference to follow. The central empires and Turkey were ready to support the scheme, but the entente powers held that the stage had not yet been reached when peace could be considered."

ROUMANIA ADDING TO **FORCES WITH COLORS**

Bucharest, Dec. 7.-The Roum ian government to-day ordered the mobilization of all subjects who have become subjects by naturali-zation and all foreigners under the protection of Roumanian laws up to 40 years of age.

"PEACE COUNCIL" IS BEING INVESTIGATED

German Organization in States Worked to Cause Strikes in Munitions Plants

Full reports of the decate are not appearing in the press, but the accounts published indicate that one abled off the coast of Lower California, but has fallen completely into the discussion consists of controversial attempts to lay the blame for various fallings on the shoulders of producers, dealers or consumers of representatives of different ministries.

The spasmodic distress signals furnished through David Lamar by presentatives of different ministries.

controversial attempts to lay the for various failings on the shoulders of producers, dealers or consumers or representatives of different ministries.

Both the minister of the interior, Clemens Delbrucck, and the Prussian minister of agriculture, Baron yon Schorlemer, have come under fire.

One radical speaker directed his criticism against the producers for destring higher maximum prices. He string higher maximum prices. He string higher maximum prices, the string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices. He string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices. He string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices. He string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices. He string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices. He string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices. He string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices. He string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices. He string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices. He string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices. He string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices. He string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices are the string higher maximum prices. He string higher maximum prices are the st

Austrian Arrested.

The New York police are investigating the record of Anton Mente, an Austro-Hungarian arrested yesterday, in whose laboratory they said they discovered a large quantity of chemicals used in the manufacture of high explosives. They are trying to discover whether Mente was implicated in placing bombs on board the steamship Kirkoswald, which left here for Marsellies, France, in May. Unexploade bombs were found in the hold of the vessel on her arrival in the French Mente asserted that he was merely a Mente asserted that he was merely a recognization and reconstruction such as statesmen and peoples have never been called upoa to attempt before."

The Message was the longest Mr. Wilson has ever delivered to congress. He began with a statement that since he last addressed congress "the Euroscan was has extended its threatening and sinister scope until it has swept into its flame some portion of every quarter of the globe, not excepting our own hemisphere, has altered the whole face of international afters and now presents a prospect of reorganization and reconstruction such as statesmen and peoples have never been called upoa to attempt before."

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Mente asserted that he was merely a student of chemistry and had no criminal intent in experiments he conducted in his laboratory. He denied he had received money from any foreign government.

The United States had remained neutral, he said, because it had no interest in the causes and because it was the duty of the nations of the western hemisphere to prevent collective and received money from any foreign government.

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A police affidavit charged that a quantity of "inflammable mixture in Mente's possession was intended to be used in the destruction of ships and ammunition plants." A police affidavit charged that a

Fresnel Destroyed, Twenty-Eight Men Being Captured; Two Vessels Sunk

Paris, Dec. 7.—"According to a German radiogram, the French submarine. Fresnel was destroyed on December 5 by an Austrian warship," says a communication issued to-day by the ministry of marine. "Two officers and twenty-six men were captured."

The Fresnel, built in 1909, was 167 feet long, displacing 392 tons when on the surface. She had six torpedo tubes. Her normal complement was 24 men.

Vienna, Dec. 7.-Destruction of the Vienna, Dec. 7.—Destruction of the French sybmarine Fresnel by an Aus-trian warship, is announced officially by the war office. The incident occur-red mear San Glovanni de Medu. Two officers and 25 of the crew were cap-

British Ship Sunk, London, Dec. 7.—The admiralty am-nounced to-day that the British steam-ship Tringa, 2,184 tons gross, was tor-pedoed and sunk by a German sub-marine on Monday.

Swedish Vessel.

SAYS ALL PLOTTERS MUST BE CRUSHED

Wilson Declares End Must Be Put to Activities of Germans

PRESIDENT READS HIS **MESSAGE TO CONGRESS**

Asks Legislators to Provide Laws to Deal With Offenders

AN END TO PLOTS IN UNITED STATES

loyalty and anarchy (German plot-ters in United States) must be crushed out. They are not many, but they are infinitely malignant."— President Wilson in his message to ongress to-day.

behind the reading desk in the House

Mente was arraigned in police court to hope that no question in control to hope that no question in control was a reason and held for a further hearing on Thursday.

The president said there was reason to hope that no question in control were between this and other governments would lead to any serious breach of amicable relations, and that a proposed that a serious breach of amicable relations, and that a proposed that a serious breach of amicable relations, and that a proposed that a serious breach of amicable relations and that a serious breach of amicable relations are serious breach of amicable relations.

Poison of Disloyalty. "There are citizens of the United States, I blush to admit," he declared, "born under other flags but welcomed under our generous naturalization SUNK BY ENEMY laws to the full freedom and on tunity of America, who have position of disloyalty into the arteries of our national life; have sought to bring the authors. under our generous naturalization laws to the full freedom and opporhave sought to bring the authority and good name of our government in-to contempt, to destroy our industries wherever they thought it effective for their vindictive purposes to strike at them, and to debase our politics to the

uses of foreign intrigue."

No federal laws exist to meet this situation, said Mr. Wilson, because such a thing would have seemed in-

such a thing would have seemed in-credible in the past.

"Such creatures of passion, disloy-alty and anarchy," he added, "must be crushed out. They are not many, but they are infinitely malignant and the hand of our power should close over them at once."

Points in Message

Points in Message.

Points in the message were:

"We have been put to the test in the case of Mexico, and we have stood the test. Whether we have benefited Mexico by the course we have pursued remains to be seen.

"If our citizens are ever to fight effectively on a sudden summons, they must know how modern fighting is done and what to do when the summons comes to render themselves immediately available and immediately available and immediately available and immediately effective. And the government must be their servant in this matter—must supply them with the training they need to take care of themselves and it.
"We have always looked to the navy

raphs: Dispatches from Athens and Saloni-Hamburg-American trial and

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Germans Achieved No Greater Heinz Pothoff Suggests Ger- Kaiser's Special Agent in Results There Than in Dwinsk Region

statement' yesterday:

"In the month of October the German official communication greatly exaggerated the number of Russians made prisoners. October was an especially successful month for the Russians, who captured 674 German officers, 49,200 Austro-German soldiers, 21 large cannon, 1,118 machine guns and three searchlights."

ments of a strong nation.

"Wo et o our enemies if they attempt to exploit further this noble aspiration of our people! On their heads will be the blood they shed.

"We will gladly tread the path that leads to the end of the war, but our enemies deceive themselves if they fink they can force us upon the path of penitence. The hallucination under which they are laboring that Germany is daily growing teebler may cost them

EIGHTEEN SENTENCED BY

GERMANS in

Jondon, Dec. 7.—The Amsterdam strespondent of Reuter's sends the following:

"The Allgemeine Handelsblad says it has learned that another courtmartial took place at Brussels on November 12, at which 15 persons were sentenced to serve terms ranging from two and a half to fifteen years on charges of having treasonably hidden and assisted French airmen and having supplied the enemy with men illiable to military service. Three others, including the wife of one of the condemned, were sentenced to short terms for not having denounced the foregoing crimes."

There is no doubt," says this article, "That the German general staff is determined to resort to extreme measures. If Germany should ever be brought to the verge aff actual starvation, it is certain that the general staff would do anything rather than allow the victorious German armies to be called home from France, Belgium and Russia owing to the lack of food.

"The staff will adopt the severest asures rather than submit to stated by starvation, Extrem within our reach.

Expel all inhalt middle the start of the severest asures rather than submit to stated by starvation. Extrem within our reach.

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FORGETS ALLIES HOLD GERMAN PRISONERS

mans Would Kill Their Prisoners to Save Food

Feace talk continues in Germany and has been taken up by the press throughout the empire. In a significant statement Dr. Solf, the limprial colonial secretary, says that Germany department has revealed that throughout the empire. In a significant statement Dr. Solf, the limprial colonial secretary, says that Germany asks "no more than an honorable peace with guarantees of a happy future." This view meets with general approval. The most violent war organs are jointied, but were stopped by our artificing in this kind of comment, although they insist that Germany and has been taken up by the press throughout the empire. In a significant statement Dr. Solf, the limprial colonial secretary, says that Germany and has revealed that the real purchaser and owner of the Massier's financial distinguist, but without result.

"South of the town of Rafalowka, on the Styr, the Germans took the offessive against the cemetery near Kozilinitehi, but were stopped by our artificing first the restopped by our artificing first the restored first the restored first first the restored first first

"We gladly associate ourselves with the honest aspiration for a speedy peace to which the Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung recently gave expression on behalf of the government. This, however, was an expression not statement yesterday: ments of a strong nation

is daily growing feebler may cost them thousands of lives without the ultimate ends being in the slightest degree af-

of thousands of prisoners now consum-ng our supplies. It would be frightful, out it is inevitable if there is no other vay of holding out."

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Second Battalion Died of wounds Pte, L. C. Numan, Ottawa. Fourth Battalion — Wounded; Pte Harry Yates, Edmonton.

Tenth Battalion-Previously reported killed in action; now safe and serving with unit; Pte. J. Ramsay, Scotland. Thirteenth Battalion Killed in ac-tion; Pte. G. Saville, Oakville, Ont. Wounded: Pte. Harry Sievewright, Wontend.

Fourtegath Battallon-Killed in ac-

Fourteenth Battallon—Killed in action: Sergt. W. F. Fegan, England.
Sixteenth Battalion—Died of wounds:
Pte. J. Hams, Paris, Ont.
Eighteenth Battalion—Killed in action: Pte. Edward Goodier, England;
Pte. Wm. McMillan, Scotland.
Nineteenth Battalion—Wounded:
Corpl. J. S. Ditchburn, Rosseau, Ont.;
Pte. M. Glissold, England.
Died of wounds: Pte. W. J. Rankin (formerly 1st Cameron Highlanders);
no address.

no address.

Twentieth Battalion—Killed in ac-lion: Pie. Wia. Turell, England.

Died of wounds: Pie. R. Hallas, Eng-

Twenty-first Bettation Wounded:
Pte. E. Addyman, Windsor, Ont.
Severely wounded: Pte. W. Thomas,
Baltimore, Ont.
Shell concussion: Pte. H. McMillan,

Twenty-fourth Battalion-Wounded: Corpl. Thos. Conjon, Ireland.

ntieth-eighth Battalion-Wound-

ZEALANDIA IS OWNED BY HEINRICH ALBERT

States Tried to Use Her for Contraband

country.

The nominal owner of the Zealandia is the Fiske Trading company, which recently addressed a protest to the state department against the action of British naval officers in going on board and searching the Zealandia in neutral Mexican waters, and has sought to create an issue with Great Britain, appearing in the guise of an aggrieved American corporation.

Dummy Company

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But an official investigation, it is said, has uncovered the Fiske Trading com-gany as a "dummy" corporation serv-ing the interests of Dr. Albert. The purpose of the company was to engage in the transport of contraband to Swedish ports for reshipment to Ger-

The Zealandia was bent on this mission when caught up with by a British bruiser off the Mexican coast, it is agserted. It is said she had a cargo of resin and intended to ship a cargo of oil at Tampico, Mexico, to be carried to Malmo for reshipment to Germany. The suspicion aroused by the move-

the suspicion aroused by the move-nents of the Zealandia, however, has cryed to make her worthless for such sork. Therefore, the Zealandia is for ale. Inquiries by prospective pur-basers recently have been made here to determine the safety of the trans

This is the second vessel which th This is the second vessel which the Fiske Trading company seems to have taken out of the contraband trade and offered for sale because the suspictors of the British were aroused. The first vessel was the Atlantic, which shipped vessel was the Atlantic which shipped a cargo of rubber and resin, consigned to Archangel. It appears, however, that the owners of the Atlantic learned the British were on the lookout for them and therefore the Atlantic's cargo was removed before she left New York and the ship sold.

First Definite Clu

These are, perhaps, the first definite clues of the contraband trade being carried on by the Germans from the United States which so often have been reported, but have been so closely covered up.

Another interesting and perhaps significant circumstance regarding this Fiske Trading company is it relations to the Hamburg-American line, which recently occupied the limelight in the courts as a result of its efforts to serve German interests. German interests. It is said that Mr. Fiske was an employee of the Ham-burg-American company and that the Zealandia was purchased with Dr. Alrt's money in Mr. Fiske's name by Carl Heynen, also at one time an em ployee of the Hamburg-American com

The report to the treasury department was made by George F. Lamb resistant surveyor of customs of the ort of New York. It is being kept a strict secret at the treasury depart ment, and no official of the state de partment, to which the report is un derstood to have been sent will ac-knowledge having seen it.

Had It Been Known.

Although, according to the informa-tion available here, the Zealandia is so flagrantly of German ownership, she flies the American flag and boasts of special act of congress to have her added to the list of registered Ameri-can ships. The complaint of the Fiske Prading company against the treat-Trading company against the treatment of the Zealandla by the British, therefore, seems to present another case of a vessel serving German interests but flying the American flag and relying upon the protection of the Brited States government when her service to her German masters gets her into trouble with Germany's enemies. Had it been established at the time that the Zealandla was German-owned not only would the United States not have been interested in the case but the Zealandla certainly would have been seized and confiscated by the

Shell concussion: Pre. H. McMillan, England.

Twenty-fourth Battalion—Wounded: Corpl. Thos. Conjon, Ireland.

Twenty-seventh Battalion—Died of States go far beyond the few cases uncovered. It is known that the Germans to day are spending large sum of money even in the purchase of ammunition in the United States, and a shell.

Twentieth-eighth Battalion—Wound-Twentieth-eighth Battallon-Wounded: Pte. D. Collins, Ireland: Pte. S. New and Pte. Chas. Box. England. Thirty-first Battallon-Wounded: Pte. H. J. Brown, England. Second Canadian Mounted Rifles-Killed in action: Pte. H. J. Leather, Sectland. though it is said this is to be stored up until the end of the war it is be-lieved much of it leaves the country through some secret channel.

Killed in action: Pie. H. J. Leather, Scotland.

Thiril Canadian Mounted Rifles-Killed in action: Sergt. S. A. McCarry, Corpl. P. A. Connew, Pte. R. I. Cumb and Pte. W. A. Simpson, Engiand.
Royal Canadian Horse Artillery-Slightly wounded: Pte. W. S. Plaskett, England.

Third Field Artillery-Dangerously ill: Sergt. C. A. Billings, Billings Bridge, Ont.

Sixth Field Co., Divisional Engineers—Wounded: Pte. J. McDonnell, Kingston, Ont.

Word was received by the minister of militia last night that Capt. D. R. Mackay, of Oakville, Ont., of the 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles, with the corps troops in France, was killed on Sunday. Lieut. Wilfrid Victor Sifton, a son of Sir Clifford Sifton, also with the same regiment, is reported wounded.

CANADA'S LEAD WILL

BE FOLLOWED ELSEWHERE

London, Dec. 7.—The Times contracted the intervence of marting a credit for Britain in the intervence of the marting promptly taken the initial transportation in the Dominion.

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NORTH GERMAN LLOYD TO BE INVESTIGATED

Probable American Authorities Will Unearth Facts About Line's Illegal Activities

New York, Dec. 7. Federal investi-tation of the North German Lloyd Steamship line may result from declopments of the recent trial of officials of the Hamburg-American line. Federal officials said to-day they were interested particularly in the activities of the steamship Marina Quesada, which frequently was name in the trial of Dr. Karl Bu

The government charged during the trial that the Marina Quesada or December 16, 1914, cleared from Newport News, Va., for Pernambuco, but instead she took supplies to German-cruisers in the Atlantic. The Hamburg-American defendants denied absolutely that they had operated the vessel, although they admitted the direction of a dozen others.

Federal officials believe they may nnect the North German Lloyd line with the Marina Quesada case through a message produced at the trial from the line's Baltimore agent, Phillip Volz, to Hans Suhren, captain of the Marina Quesada, "care Nord-mann, Eleven Broadway." This was the address of Captain Karl Boy-Ed, German naval attache.

WILL BRING IMMIGRANTS AFTER WAR HAS ENDED

Canada's Great Crop Attraction, Says Bank of Montreal.

Montreal, Dec. 7.—The most encour-aging feature from a trade and finance standpoint has been the boun-tiful harvest of the northwest, where a greatly increased area under cultivation has given the highest average yield in the history of the country," said H. V. Meredith, president of the Bank of Montreal, addressing the shareholders at the ninety-eighth annual general meeting yesterday. "It is estimated that the grain crop of the three western provinces has a market value to the producers of approximately \$400,000,000. Such remarkable results will have the effect of attracting the tide of immigration to our shores when the world is again at peace. The restoration of a favorable halance in our foreign trade is a factor of supreme importance at the present time." vation has given the highest averag ent time.'

present time."

The president referred to the 500 employees of the bank who have enlisted and the success attending the raising of the Canadian war loan.

Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor, general manager, referred more particularly to the important features of the bank's statement and the expansion of its general business. He drew attention especially to many of the situations that indicated strength, but he also seemed to strike a note of unalarming but definite warning as to the troubles which Canada still has ahead of her.

LOGGING CAMPS WILL NOT CLOSE THIS SEASON

Employees of Comex Logging and Railway Co. Are Working Full Time.

tive in creating a credit for Britain in the Dominion.

"Throughout the empire the practical example thus set by way of lightening the special burden laid on the mother country in paying abroad the abnormally high bill for imports required here for war purposes will be of value far beyond the immediate effect," says the Times.

There is always need of persons to commence new practices and set the example of more enlightened conduct.—I.

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Courtenay, Dec. 7.—The camps of the Comox Logging & Railway company are not to shut down this year, it is understood. They usually close from two to three months at this season, but now have plenty of work to keep them going. There are about 200 men employed in the various camps, and all are working full time; in fact, the railway men are working overtime funning carloads of logs to the boom at the bay for shipment.

Mayor Kilpatrick has received word from his son, -Bert, who has been studying law in Vancouver, that he

has joined the colors for over vice and expects to leave shortly

Lieutenants J. H. Dilson and R. C. Brydon, of the 102nd Battalion, ar-rived here last week and have gone to Comox to take charge of the recruiting office in the Port Augusta building office in the Fort Augusta building there, where they are ready to receive recruits. The men will be quartered in the building until such time as ar-rangements can be made for their ac-commodation on the spit. Just as soon

as these arrangements can be made active work in drilling and organiza-tion will be started. Three recruits from Courtenay have joined already. Ducks are very plentiful here and some big bags have ben secured of mallards, teal, etc. Jack Mitchell, of the Lower road, went out the other day for a couple of hours and came

back with fifteen fine specimens PRES. WILSON MET BARON SHIBUSAWA

Washington, Dec. 7.—Baron Shibusawa, the noted Japanese financier, was introduced to President Wilson yesterday by Viscount Chinda, the Japanese ambassador. The president welcomed the haron to the United States and told him how deeply he was interested in friendly relations with Japan. The baron expressed to the president his deep interest in this country.

Later the baron and his party called on Secretary Lansing.

DID NOT SEND MESSAGES FOR COUNT BERNSTORFF

Washington, Dec. 7.—The Swedish legation yesterday afternoon formally denied published reports that the minster from Sweden, W. A. F. Ekengren, and transmitted communications from

had transmitted communications from Count von Bernstorff, the German am-bassador, to the Berlin foreign office. The British ambassador, Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, sent a denial to Secretary Lansing that his embassy ever had sent to the American government protest against such actions by the Swedish minister.

SAY THEY LOST ONLY 7,000 MEN IN SERBIA!

Bucharest, Dec. 7.-The Austro-German losses in the present Serbian cam-paign are placed at 7,000 men in advices received here to-day from German sources.



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OKUMA ADDRESSES THE JAPANESE DIET

Japan's First Duty, He

Tokio, Dec. 7.-Count Okuma, the rime minister, having recovered from the indisposition caused by an opera-tion on his leg recently, addressed the liet to-day. He dwelt on the universal spirit of loyalty and patriotism manition of Emperor Yoshihito as a basis for further strengthening of the solidity and prosperity of the imperial house and the empire. He emphasized the statement that the project for naval repletion, which was ratified by the cil of defence, was the first neces-

propitious,

Baron Ishii, minister of foreign affairs, also addressed the diet. He reviewed the Chinese situation without referring to the question of China allying herself with the ententé powers. As to the question of the re-establishment of the menarchy in China, the foreign minister said that China contemplated some deiny in the execution of its plan, but that he was not at liberty to give the details of Japan's request for a postponment of the subject.

WOULD BE UNDIGNIFIED TO CONVEY INTIMATION

Associates, Says Lord Robert Cecil.

ondon, Dec. 7.—Following the reply Lord Robert Cecil, parliamentary der-secretary for foreign addirs, in House of Commons to Sir Edwin ernwall, that the members of the oom was left for action by the British covernment. A rapid bombardment of uestions immediately came from dif-erent parts of the house. Members he United States amid a storm of ation that they are not wanted here t any time

Lord Robert Cecil parried

aughter aroused by Will Crokos, La bor member for Woolwich, who asked "If they have the right of asylum here can we certify them to be insane?"

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY AS GERMAN STATE

London, Dec. 7.-The Times publish London, Dec. 1.—Ine Pimes publishes a long article by its Berlin correspon-dent, who is now in London, describ-ing the "new engine of domination for the future, the foundations, according to the correspondent, are the economic absorption of Austria-Hungary by Gernany and the creation of an economic olitical central European system estined to draw all the states upon its ringe. The carrying out of this pla s regarded as urgent by Germany.

BRAND WHITLOCK WAS **WELCOMED IN TOLEDO**

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 7.—When Brand Whitlock, American minister to Bel-gium, arrived here yesterday, he was glum, arrived here yesterday, he was greeted by the entire city. The day had been set aside as "Whitlock Day," and flags and bunting decorated nearly every home and business houses in this city.

A large sign inscribed "Welcome Home, Brand Whitlock," was one of GERMANS HOPING TO

entered the city.

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GORIZIA BRIDGEHEAD **BOMBARDED HEAVILY**

To Increase Her Navy is Artillery Actions Along Whole German Trenches and Convoys Italian Front: Enemy's Attempts Failed

> Rome, Dec. 7.—The following official communication was issued last night: "There have been artillery actions along the whole front, despite the unaronable atmospheric conditions. Our artillery has destroyed enemy shelters in the Volala zone of Carnia, and dis-persed a detachment of troops in the Zebach valley.

> "Enemy artillery bombarded Paul-aro, on the upper Chavizo and Monfal-cone, causing some damage. Enemy detachments, which were favored by the mist, attempted to break our lines

the mist, attempted to break our lines at yarious points, but everywhere were repuised, and in the Globua zone, on the Middle Isonzo, were counter-attacked and put to flight. "Short but dashing advances by our infantry have given us some advantage in the Carso region."

Against Gorizia Bridgehead. Vienna, Dec. 7.-The following off

tillery fire, which has continued from time to time, has been especially se were against the Gorizia bridgehead

Doberdo, Italian infantiy attacked luring the day near Redipuglia and Polazza and in the evening near San

"On the Tyrol front the activity

EFFECTS OF BALKAN **CAMPAIGN NEGLIGIBLE**

German Plan to Bring Peace, Says Serbian Minister to Greece

Paris, Dec. 7.—The Athens cofres condent of the Figaro sends an inter-tiew which he had with M. Balougd itch, Serbian minister to Greece, con-Salkans. He quotes the minister as

follows:

"The effects of the campaign are nil. The more fronts the Germans fight on the more rapidly will they exhaust themselves. The object of the Balkan undertaking was to strike the imagination and force peace. One of my neutral colleagues informs me that Germany asked a moverful medicies or tral colleagues informs me that Ger-many asked a powerful pacificist or-ganization in his country to start a movement in favor of peace, but that his government was opposed to pro-ceeding, knowing that it would be un-favorably received by Great Britain and France."

ARRIVAL OF AEROPLANE RAISES NEW QUESTION

New York, Dec. 7.—Aeroplanes arriv-ing here from foreign countries under their own power are not merchandise, but yessels, and should be entered as such at the customs house, according to a guling by Dudley Field Malone, collector of the port, announced to-day. to a guing by Dudley Field Maione, collector of the port, announced to-day. As the United States law makes no provision for this kind of customs entry, it is understood Mr. Maione will consult with Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo concerning the advisability of amending the customs laws so as to make special provision for the entry of accomplanes and for special inspectors.

FIGHT IN MESOPOTAMIA

Geneva, Dec. 7.—The Germans are preparing on a large scale for operations in Mesopotamia under Field Marshal Baron Kolmar von der Goltz, who has just been appointed commander of the Turkish forces in Mesopotanila, according to private information received by the Journal de Geneve. Although the Germans speak ostensibly of Egypt, says the dispatch to the Journal, it is not impossible that they make their principal efforts this winter from Bagdad toward the Persian Gulf. an Gulf.

BOMBS DROPPED ON CAMPS.

Paris, Dec. 7.—The following official statement dealing with the operations at the Dardanelles was issued last

was great activity on the part of the artillery of both sides. Our artillery took under its fire enemy workers at the mouth of Kereves Dere. Our aviators dropped numerous bombs on the Turkish encampments."

FIRE IN ST. CATHARINES.

St. Catharines, Ont., Dec. 7.—The Maple Leaf Milling company's plant here was damaged by fire to-day to the extent of \$200,000.

BRITISH AND FRENCH

Shelled; British Airmen Raided Don

London, Dec. 7.—The following official communication was issued last night: "On December 2 an air raid was car "ried out against Don station and build-ings in the vicinity. An ammunition depot is believed to have been blown up, and the railway was hit near the station. Some fires were observed in Don after the raid. All the machines

Don after the raid. All the machine returned safely, although several hos-tile machines were net and engaged, "Our artillery has continued to bom-bard enemy trenches with satisfactory results. On December 2, in retallation for bootile artillary shalling trenches south of Epinette were bombarded Heavy gaps were made in the parapets and a bomb store was blown up.

Paris. Dec. 7.—The following official ommunication was issued last night:

especially in the direction of Schoor-bach and Woumen. The German ar-

THOSE ON RELIGIOUS

FIFTY-TWO LOST LIVES WHEN UMETA WAS SUNK

of the British steamship Umeta, tor-pedoed yesterday by a submarine. landed safely here to-day. Five British officers and 47 Lascars perished when the steamship was sunk.

make special provision for the entry of the special inspectors to examine them when they arrive here by the aerial route. The point arose when Victor Carlstrom recently made the flight from Toronto, Ont., to New York, and attempted to make an official entry of the arrival of his aero-plane.

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and a bomb store was blown up.
"On December 3 the enemy's artillery
was active, but our fire checked it. On
December 4 and 5 the enemy's parapets again were broken in several
places and their wire cut.
"Mining activity continues on both
sides. We blew up a mine west of Fricourt on December 4, and the enemy
one on December 5. The latter did no
damage. The same day, two more mines
were blown up by us, destroying a gallery in which the enemy was working.
The enemy replied with another mine

Artillery, Active.

the region of Saint Souplet as far as Massiges, and in the Argonne, at

MISSIONS NOT STOPPED

Rome, Dec. 7.-Replying to the im-Rome, Dec. 7.—Replying to the implied accusation in Pope Benedict's allocution yesterday that Italy had interfered with Teutonic envoys carrying out church duties, the government to-day issued a statement in which it was denied that any restriction had been placed on disjunction processing.

ment, "gave all possible guarantees to protect the diplomatic action of rep-resentatives of the central powers." The press to-day generally supports the government's declaration that the pope's statement was "inopportune."

Paris, Dec. 7.—Fighting between strong bands of Albanians and the Montenegrin and Serblan troops is re-ported in a dispatch from Cettinje to the Havas Agency.

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foreign traffic "merely as a protective King Nicholas, of Montenegro, has sent the treasure of his kingdom to Italy for safe-keeping.

#### Expected Commission Will In-**DUMA WILL NOT BEGIN**form Entente Representa-**SESSION TO-MORROW** tives to That Effect

Petrograd, Dec. 7.-Emperor Nicholas has issued a rescript postponing indefinitely the opening of the duma and the council of the empire. This action is taken on the ground that the budget committees of those bodies have not yet completed the preparation of the budget,

ceived here to-day. It is believed the commission will inform the allies that the Greek general staff has advised on September 16.

# gainst Greek demobilization and with-lrawal from Greek Macedonia. Reports from Bucharest say that Roumania closed the Danube to all

**MUTINIED**; 300 SHOT London, Dec. 7.—An unconfirmed report of the mutiny of a Bulgarian infantry regiment received at Amsterdam from Frankfort, was forwarded to-day by the correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company. This report is to the effect that the regiment was ordered to proceed to the Galilpoil Peninsula to fight with the Turks, and that when it refused to obey the command, 300 of the muti-

#### SEVERAL JAPANESE WARSHIPS AT SHANGHAI

budget committees of those bodies have not yet completed the preparation of the budget.

A recent dispatch from Petrograd said the duma would reassemble on pecomber 8. That body was prorogued on September 16.

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#### CONSTANTINE'S "APPEAL."

Through a correspondent of the As-American consumption, in which he the last few months, at the same time, criticizing the demands and attitude country neutral. In the second part he shows his hand clearly, though indiscreetly, when he predicts the defeat of the entente powers in the Balns and upbraids them for interfering with Greek shipping and Greek commerce-"just as they ruined Amer-

The prediction of entente defeat in the Balkans and the reference to American shipping should dispel any lingering doubt as to Constantine's sympathies sador. If he gave out a written statement there can be no doubt that it was ultimatum to Serbia, by a representative of the German foreign office. The hypocrisy and shallow insincerity are unmistakables The attempt to influ ence Roumania and to make the world forget Germany's assault upon Belgium by depicting the entente powers

Greece is easily penetrable. Constantine's plea that Venizelo does not express the true sentiment of the Greek people falls to the ground from sheer inanity. The policy enunciated by the late premier was the immediate issue of the last election; the circumstances under which pro-German influence at Athens had caused his resignation made the issue unequivocally clear. Venizelos stands for the realization of his country's aspirations, the fulfilment of her treaty obligations and constitutional three. His effort to gain sympathy in treachery to Serbia, a crime infinitely worse than the cowardly onslaught by visiting Canada, in an address deliv-Bulgaria, cannot be explained away.

the creation of Great Britain, France to cover purchases from them similar the creation of Great Britain, France and Russia. They set the restored nation upon its feet through force of tween Great Britain, France and the arms on land and sea. They financed it and even paid the salary of its ruler. Great Britain presented the country with the fonian islands in order that there might be no obstacle to its progress and development as a ment, if generally adopted throughout the might be no obstacle to its progress and development as a ment, if generally adopted throughout the might be no obstacle to its progress and development as a ment, if generally adopted throughout the might be no obstacle to its progress and development as a ment, if generally adopted throughout the might be no obstacle to its progress. The progress are development as a ment, if generally adopted throughout the might be no obstacle to its progress and development as a ment, if generally adopted throughout the manual progress and development as a ment, if generally adopted throughout the manual positions would indicate that they have opportunities of learning the truth about the war, if peradventure their projudices do not blind the eyes of their understanding. Hence the Boston Transcript is moved to state a few objects for the enlightenment of the darkness of an American preparation of the darkness maritime state. The three pow- the empire, would relieve the financial government for Greece. Developments financial resources to her own needs on the throne Greece will have no form verse trade balance. Great Britain's of constitutional government which credit is the soundest in the world; it Berlin. In other words, although Gerbe questioned—the unimpeachable chardrain will be beaten in the war she still will possess a province on the Mediterranean under the rule of a king gain through the extension of trade who is really nothing but governor, with the United Kingdom. They would the entente powers are not seeking Greece's armed co-operation; it is too late for her to affect the Balkan situa
dependent of neutral nations.

Cardinal O'Connell says it is difficult to 'unravel the truth of the story of the case of Belgium.' But there is of the case of Belgium that is certainly who used to carry our flag into every true, and already unravelled to the satisfaction of history forever—that fleet we once used to make us rich, that great body of sturdy sallors who used to carry our flag into every see, and who were the pride and often most driven out of existence by inexcusable neglect and indifference and by army, though the country never did. many's game, and will carry that de- system. We are out to win this war and libraries and halls and houses determination to the point of compulsion. They have demanded the demobilisawhich ailled soldiers seem to be wholly overlooked by con- their death. There is no chance for a nations. tion of Greek troops in Macedonia,

are supplied, as the only guarantee live a stab in the back from the hand which callously betrayed Serbia. Constantine says he has given his word he attached his signature to a solemn treaty of alliance and then dishon-

#### VON HINDENBURG'S LATEST.

of a Vienna newspaper containing several passages that will a drain of \$750,000,000 with money to strike the observer as decidedly humor-ous, which the old Prussian, of course, did not intend them to be. He individual economy and the restriction says the Russian human material is of imports to immediate necessities, ourse, did not intend them to be. He nferior and declares "there are no was observed in the Russian army" last spring has been overcome. He then added that "although he did not expect another Russian offensive, he was eady for one."

But if the Russian army is still "deoralized" why should von Hindenburg admit the possibility of another Rusdan offensive? The average German on eading the marshal's naive ad- be kept in operation, for they form the mission that he is now on the defendve and that the "demoralized Russlan" had assumed the initiative well for victory, might open his eyes in bewilderment. He might inquire if it was merely gain a "favorable strategic position" against an ultimate Russian ofsociated Press the King of Greece has fensive that Germany and Aus-Canada will benefit from this war. She given out a statement intended for tria suffered a million and a is making sacrifices and must make casualties. He would be half endeavors to justify his course during struck with the awful cost von Hinunimportant result. The drain on German resources and material on the of the entente powers. The first part cast front is three times as heavy as protests his friendship for Great it was before the big advance last upon her own feet; to rely upon her morally responsible, whether they can Britain and France and records his insia could justify such sacrifices. This and to know how to use it.

May Only the complete defeat of Russia could justify such sacrifices. This and to know how to use it. flexible determination to keep his sa could justify such sacrifices. This and to know now to use it.

Sia could justify such sacrifices. This and to know now to use it.

Canada had developed the habit of malice against the peace and happing was not accomplished or nearly accom-

will recross it. the lips of German soldiers and writers ence the inevitable result of too many to the Federation of Catholic societies, these days. It figures in von Hinden- calls upon the lender. They were that he is able to take no other than these days. It figures in von Hinden-burg's interview. He tries to show that there is no parallel between the Mos-cow campaign and his own owing to would have to be repaid with They unquestionably show that it we breent day fransportation to miles interest and were spending made the words attributed to him it. When winter has come von Hindenburg of it carelessly, haphazardly, spectime was only after his remarks had been will appreciate the shortcomings of his tacularly, with no settled, business—the cardinal is unable to reach an rehearsed before the German ambas- transport service. The other day a Cos- like plan of development. Sharp pracsack patrol bagged an entire German Lice on the part of promoters had be-divisional headquarters staff. There is gun to stain the record; worthless edited beforehand, like the Austrian note a railroad serving the German stocks, dripping with water, had been armies on the east front that will not traded for good coin of the realm and be interrupted in numerous places Mr. Bull had started asking questions. style is familiar; the subterfuge, every few days as soon as General Winter reaches the scene.

#### JOHN BULL'S FINANCES.

oliars an hour on the war. Not only and resources. We have a fat savings A prominent British financier no

ered before the Canadian Club at Mont-Bulgaria, cannot be explained analy.

Constantine or the German ambassa- real a week ago suggested that the There still are apologists for the have their trifling tribulations. Ye dor at Athens showed some discretion, overseas dominions, which now Raiser on this continent, and the is vanity and vexation of spiriti at any rate, in not trying to explain it. are exporting heavily to the United gropers in the dark are not German.

The present kingdom of Greece is Kingdom, arrange a system of credit Arrangement that had been continued. bound themselves to pressure in Great Britain materially; secure and guarantee constitutional it would enable her to devote her own last three or four months have and reduce the proportions of the shown that as long as Constantine is danger which lies in the growing addoes not harmonize with the plans of is backed by a security which cannot late for her to affect the Balkan situa- dependent of neutral nations. army, though the country never did tion one lota, as far as Serbia, her late If this Dominion's present banking ally, is concerned, but they are deter- system does not lend itself to such an army or its master; that Belgian cities arrangement, we should change the have been laid waste, their churches

cepting that they will not re- ablebodied man into the ranks or ammunition factory regardless of cirthe scale of the present conflict that that no treachery is intended by him would be ruinous. It might work out the gave more than his word to Serbia; all right for a year or so but its artension to two or three years would be courting destruction. In the very nature of things Great Britain must mport heavily from abroad no matter what happens. She must pay for the imports in money or goods. If her fac-Field Marshal von Hindenburg has tories are not kept in operation she tiven an interview to the representa-As we have pointed out, she can stand spare, but an outflow of \$2,000,000,000 a different matter. Rigid national and will help the situation; the arrangesigns that the demoralization which ment of credit with the countries from which goods are purchased, also w substantially relieve the strain, but the terms on which that credit might be obtained would be governed, as far as foreign countries are concerned, by the industrial condition of the debtor nation and its trade outlook. Whatever happens, Great Britain's factories must foundation of that economic strength the full exercise of which is required

#### OUR COMPENSATION.

Through the law of compensation Canada will benefit from this war. She denburg paid for such a comparatively tions in terrible upheavals of this character, but it will be a stronger, better Canada that will emerge from the fiery furnace. She will have learned to stand

because he needs every cent he can scrape up for his greatest trial. We

#### WRONGDOING THAT IS PLAIN.

positions would indicate that they have

place the blame for the war. The SAYS ALL PLOTTERS great majority of the people of Boston when a great wrong is abroad in the t world it is a satisfaction to know at least who is responsible for it. Cardinal O'Connell says it is difficult even to unravel the truth of the story the slightest thing to provoke that arrangement, we should change the arrangement, we should change the system. We are out to win this war and every other consideration and convenience should size way to that end. The elements of finance and trade our cardinal's, wickedly brought to a people, innocent their death. There is no change for a nations.

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doubt of this: the ruins and the

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corpses are there to prove it. "There are a few other things that

are as well known now, in all proba bility, as they will be known a hundred years from now. One of them is that one nation of Europe was fully prepared for war in 1914, and others were not, and that the prepared nation tool the first occasion to precipitate a war more; she must pass through the trials been destructive and directly in the last and tribulations which beset all nabeen let loose upon the world by thos plished. The Teutonic offensive has been a ghastly failure. Riga is as safe —dominion, provincial and municipal— is of some negative satisfaction, at as Moscow: the Germans never will cross the Dwina. Not one half of those streak across the Atlantic by innumer- must be sorry for Cardinal O'Connell who crossed the Niemen last August able pilgrimages to the great London that he does not possess it, especially will recross it. money market. A few years before the in view of the fact, which seems to be the name of Napoleon is frequently on war broke out they began to experithe world.' Now, in the midst of it all, the cardinal is unable to reach any definite judgment with regard to the war, any-opinion which can be stated in positive and concrete terms, except that 'the Kaiser has been maligned, and maligned purposely to inflame the Now, we cannot borrow from John popular sentiment against that side!"

Life at the best is but a nightmare who are sharing his trouble must use after all. Take the case of Andrew our own money for a change. We have Carnegle, who lately celebrated his Great Britain is spending a million plenty of wealth in income, capital eightieth birthday. The laird did more than scale the summit of his early ambition. He began life without a cent, is she financing herself but she has ac-commodated some of her allies and a spending money borrowed cheaply and white still a hale and hearty man number of neutral states to an amount abroad. We must develop our had accumulated hundreds of millions exceeding \$2,000,000,000. The withdrawal own strength with our own of dollars. Immediately he found out of millions of men from normal in- means and out of our own knowledge that all his accumulations did not bring dustry and the loss of markets have re-and experience. The young American the satisfaction anticipated. Complete duced the volume of her export trade republic had to do the same a century while her imports have increased ago and again half a century ago. We not the portion of any man born of while her imports have increased ago and again half a century ago. We through the enormous orders for munitions and other war supplies given to neutral countries. Formerly the imports exceeded the exports by \$750,000-able and unexpected situations; how to adapt ourselves to uncomfort up where he began. He says he has been laboring diligently to that end, and yet the canker remains. But perby this Britain was able to lend \$1,000-000 fo the download and forwing a people are seeing dishonesty in public still possessed of about two hundred government. Constantine, a foreigner, has been convicted of disloyalty to all ance now runs from \$1,750,600,000 to life, in their true light; before long we bute the unrest in his soul to that \$2,000,000,000, which raises a problem will cast them forth, because either trifle, however. He says the thing that merica shows that he shares with his that he serious nature of which is freely ignorance of his audience. His recognized. man. Well, we can tell Andrew, and from the depths of a good many years' experience, that even newspaper There still are apologists for the have their trifling tribulations. Yea, all

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\$4.90 OFFERING Beautiful quality silk crepe de chine and Georgette crepes, made with convertible collar and low neck styles. In shades of flesh, maize, Copenhagen, navy, white and black and white, also plain shades of tan, navy and Copenhagen in pussy-willow taffeta. Values formerly marked as high as \$12.50 in the assortment. We shall also offer at this price a few imported Tunies in beautiful quality lace over silk foundations and trimmed with sequin and fur. These were regular \$17.50 values.

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Tenders for pulling down an old building on lot 356 and 357, lot 31A, Heywood avenue, tenders to be in by Dec. 11, 1915, to A. Sheret, 1114 Blanshard.

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If You Want to Have Your Taxes Reduced for 1916 give your support to the Civic Retrenchment association by attending their meeting which be held Tuesday evening, the 7th inst., at 8 o'clock sharp.

"The Millennial Dawn Heresy" will be the subject next Sunday night at the Naval and Military Methodist

The Popular Playlet, "An Old-Time Ladies' Aid Business Meeting," will be presented in the lecture room of St. Columbia church, Oak Bay, Wednes-day evening, December 8. Doors open 7.30, orchestra 7.45. Admission, 25c.

W. C. T. U. General Board.—A spe

missioner for a report, Mrs. Johnston sold right-of-way for the Sooke pipe that the contractors not only cut down the trees on the right-of-way, but also 250 trees on her property.

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Scotch music should attend, the following will take part in the programme, Mrs. Joseph Crawford, Mrs.
W. A. Jameson, Miss Williams, Miss
Maggie Morton, Miss Mary Morton
and Messrs. Donald A. Fraser, James
Taylor, J. Findlay and Doble. The
pipers will be Messrs. Ross and Camcron. Do not fail to attend this treat.
The admission has been placed at the
nominal sum of 25 cents.

The Choral Society.—The m of the Choral society are reminded to be at the Willows not later than 7.45

be at the Willows not later than 7.45 this evening in order that the concert, may commence promptly at 8 o'clock.

Orangemen Meet.—Sir Edward Caron, L. O. L., No. 2394, will meet this evening in the Orange hall, Yates street, at 8 o'clock. A good attendance is looked for. Visiting brothers are cordially invited.

Oak Bay Prohibitionists.—The prohibition forces of Oak Bay will meet to-night in the lecture room of the St. Columba. Presbyterian church, Granite street, for the purpose of organizing. There will be several short addresses. All who are interested in the prohibition movement are asked to attend this meeting.

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Blue Cross Entertainment. — For some weeks past the Blue Cross committee has been preparing for a grand entertainment to be held on December 17, at the Oak Bay theatre. A moving picture show, including the Blue Cross film will be given in the afternoon, beginning at 3.30 o'clock. The pictures have been specially chosen to please grown-ups and children alike. The evening performance, beginning at 8 p. m. will be of a varied character.

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Anniversary Services.—The anniversary services in Wesley church on Sunday were attended by good congregations. The sermon by Rev. E. A. Sykes was greatly enjoyed by the people of Wesley. In the evening the pastor, Rev. S. J. Thompson, preched pastor, Rev. S. J. Thompson, preached on the value and mission of the church. This evening the anniver-sary supper and concept will be held. The following will take part in the programme: Mrs. Bennett, the Misses Palmer, Mrs. Butt, Messrs. Simpson and Muir. V. Leigh is expected to re-cite.

Selects D. W. Jones.—The Ward Four, Saanich Ratepayers association last evening adopted D. W. Jones, of Garden City, as candidate in Ward Four at the forthcoming election. Mr. Jones, is a. well-known-business—man in ties districts and in the company of the comp Cameron & Calwell's Auto Annuance the most up-to-date ambulance in the city, is at your service 'Phone in the city, is at your service 'Phone Phone in the city, is at your service 'Phone Phone Phone in the city, is at your service 'Phone Phone Ph

needful homes in the most economical way, having one of each for the joint use of the provinces.

soth Battalion Bang.—A new vocalist has been discovered in the person of Corp. Griffin, of the 88th battalion band. While Corp. Griffin has been known to his more intimate friends as a good singer for some little time, his modesty prevented him from making it known to the other members of the



Ratepayers Meet.—A meeting of the Ward One Ratepayers association, Sannich, will be held in the Temper-ance hall, Cedar Hill on Friday even-ing, at 8 o'clock. All ratepayers are requested to attend.

Victoria Poultry Association.—The annual show of the Victoria Poultry association will be held in the last week of this month. The city council last evening granted the use of the city market balcony for the purpose of the show.

Mid-Week Market.—The mid-week Mid-Week Market.—The mid-week market will witness a large attendance of growers and a full line of all sea-sonable produce. Fifty stalls will be necupied and with a good attendance of buyers business should prove brisk. Fresh vegetables, meats, fish and dairy produce will be in abundance.

Skiing Tournament—A feature of winter life at Revelstoke is the Alpine sports which are made possible there by the fall of snow. Skiing is one of the sports which have made a good deal of progress there, and there is a very live club promoting the sport. A tournament is being arranged for, to be neld on February 8 and 9 next. * * *

Elks' Entertainment.—The Elks club will be thrown open to-morrow even-ing to the wives and lady friends of the members. An impromptu enter-land the members in the given, and refresh-ments will be served in the dining-room. This action on the part of the club is taken to show appreciation of the invaluable assistance rendered by the ladies at the various dances and lady friends are expected to attend.

concert, the proceeds of which will go towards defraying the cost of uniforms for the cadets of the George Jay school, will be held to-morrow evening in the assembly room of the school, comesting entertainment is promised. The concert will be opened with a piano forte duet by Messrs. Charlesworth an

las laken an active part in municipal a affairs, particularly with regard to the water question. The officers elected were: President, Anton Henderson; vice-president, O. Emery; secretary-is treasurer, B. C. Coates; delegates to the central association, Messrs. Drake, Sea and F. Letts.

Investment in National Loan.—The city council at its meeting last evening adopted a recommendation of the finance committee by which the profit which the city will secure from the dinvestment of \$250,000 in the Canadian National loan will be devoted annually to reduce the sum which the city pays into the sinking fund account. If the loan is taken up in instalments the profit during the first year above the sum which would have been received the profit during the first year above the sum which would have been received the sum which would have been received the sum which would have been received the profit during the first year above the sum which would have been received the profit during the first year above the sum which would have been received the profit during the first year above the sum which would have been received the profit during the first year above the sum which would have been received the profit during the first year above the sum which would have been received the profit during the first year above the sum which would have been received the profit during the first year above the sum which would have been received the profit will be \$2,563 annually. The concil decided to take advantage of the discount if payment of subscriptions is made by January 3.

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power little time, his more intimate friends as a good singer for some little time, his modesty prevented him from making it known to the other members of the band. It came to the knowledge with the knowledge with the subject to rheumatic pains; if you have any painful swellings that refuge to go away—get busy with Nerviline. This is the very sort of trouble that the corporal carned the lasting appreciation of the large audience and his fellow-handsmen at the concert given by the band in the Variety have any painful swelling. The results of so away—get busy with Nerviline is noted for curing quickly. There was any painful swelling that request the concert given by the band in the Variety have any painful swelling. It followed an injury I received in the concert given by the band in the Variety have any painful swelling. It followed an injury I received in the concert given by the band draw for this song and also to "The Boys of the long." The Boys of the Old Brigade," which was sung land down or "The Boys of the Considerable applicance, and demonstrated once again, that in the Sth. band, the Victoria public have an organization of which they might well feel proud. While—all the numbers were rendered with equal grace under the capable leadership of Bandmansten, limbago, neursiglia and content from the word of the sports which the content of the word of the sports which the capable leadership of Bandmansten, limbago, neursiglia and content, and the capable leadership of Bandmansten, limbago, neursiglia and content, and the capable leadership of Bandmansten, limbago, neursiglia and content, and the "Halleshuish Chorus," by Handel.

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Refuses Permit.—The city council Friday evening, at which F. H. Sheplast evening respected the petition of interested owners, and refused a permit for the erection of an oil tank at the foot of Russell street, by the Victoria Machinery depot. The owners in the district declared such a tank would be a menace to surrounding buildings, and claimed that he had been the means of bringing more appropriations to the district than any of his predecessors in its representation.

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Fire Alarm System.—The installation of the gongs will complete the new fire alarm system now in process of being placed in position by the city. Use has already been made of the new switchboard. When the gongs are in service, a test of the whole system will be made.

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A novel and sensible gift—Kirkham's Scrip—(same principle as glove scrip) issued to any amount and redeemable at any time for groceries, meats, etc. Buy one to-morrow. Give us the name and address of anyone you wish to give scrip. We'll do the mailing.

Esquimalt Oysters, doz. 30¢ Fresh Cod, Soles or Smelts, per lb...... 10¢ Horlick's Malted Milk, jar, 50¢, 95¢ and ... \$3.50

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NOTICE

VOTERS' LIST A Court of Revision of the Voters' List for the year 1915 will be held at the Municipal Hall, Esquimait, on Friday, December 19, from 7 p. m. to 3 p. m.
A copy of the Voters' List has been prepared and can be seen at the Municipal-G. H. PULLEN, C. M. C.

PANTAGES THEATRE WEEK OF DECEMBER 6. THE DOREE **GRAND OPERA** 

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ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

#### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

B. Russell, of Edmonton, is at the Mrs. Lumlock, Kelowna, is on a visit

to Revelstoke. J. K. Grover, of Duncan, is at the

Hotel Strathcona E. C. Binkley, of Vancouver, is at

ing at the Metropolis. 立 立 立 L. R. Wilson, of Dawson, is staying

at the Dominion hotel. J. J. Martin, of Fernie, is registered

at the Dominion hotel. M. McFadyen, of Seattle, is staying t the Hotel Metropolis,

Mrs. French, of Sooke, has arrived at the Hotel Strathcona.

A L Johnson, of Port Angeles, is stopping at the Dominion Mrs. J. R. Jackson, Greenwood, is isiting friends in Victoria.

Geo. W. Ledingham, of Vancouver, is registered at the Domin

力力力 J. Dale, of Cowichan Lake, is uest at the Hotel Metropolis.

Mrs. Scarborough, of Westholme, taying at the Dominion hotel.

W. D. Mackay, of Port Moody, w 京 京 京 J. H. Whelan, of Wallace, Idaho, guest at the Hotel Metropolis.

D. J. Slensby, of Milwaukee, at the Empress hotel yesterday

W. S. Crone, of Toronto, registered at the Empress hotel yesterday.

T. B. Andrews, of Vanctuver, registered at the Hotel Strathcona.

H. A. Danforth, of Vancouver, is registered at the Hotel Strathcona.

re registered at the Dominion hotel S. A. Flerener, or New Westmanner, registered at the Hotel Stratheona.

George Crane, of Moose Jaw, regis-tered at the Empress hotel yesterday.

Wm. Rae is over from the mainland staying at the Hotel Strathcona Mr. and Mrs. Daye is registered from Vancouver at the Hotel Strath-

C. Kingham and J. Burroughs, Vancouver, are guests of the Domin

Mrs. McSorley, of Prince George,

ictoria to join the R.A.M.C. for over-as service.

Mrs. E. Dunkley and Miss F. Smith. Cobble Hill, are staying at the Ho-

Robert Chambers, of Alert Bay, is siting Victoria, and is a guest of the ominion hotel.

J. E. Hanson, Mrs. Hanson, and Mrs. Lake and son, of Saskatoon, are stop-ping at the Dominion.

g: George Ryder, Jim Porter, Free oung, Jas. Salvatore, Vido Zik, and

## ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE

TO-NIGHT

Robert Warwick

THE FLASH OF AN **EMERALD** 

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J. I. Seabrook and Mrs. Seabrook arrived to-day from San Francisco, and

# WILL ESTABLISH A GRAND OPERA CO.

Mme, Doree, Now in City, Asks for Voices to Train

Are there in Victoria any young opera? Are there any would-be prima

singers ambitious to train for grand opera? Are there any would-be prima donnas, contraitos, tenors, baritones or bassos still who look toward a niche in the hall-of-fame? These questions are asked because there is in Victoria this week one who is anxious to get into touch with just such people. This is Mme. Doree, one of whose companies is appearing in an artistic feature in the Pantages bill this week. Her motive in asking young singers to interview her this week during her stay in the city was explained to a Times' interviewer last evening in her dressing room at the theatre.

She has three companies "on the road." Each of these has within its ranks some splendid vecal talent. In the company appearing here this week, however, she has her finest artist, Signor G. Adami, or, to use his real name, Signor Adoino Gregoretti. He is very well-known in his native land, and in the larger cities of Europe where Italian grand opera is much patrenized. He is very well known in America, having appeared at the Metropolitan opera house, New York, with Tetrazzini, in Dinorah, Rigoletto, Lucia and other famous works, In fact when he returned with the famous prima donna from a tour in South America his name came before Tetrazzini's in the San Francisco criticisms which followed their appearance there.

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lowed their appearance there.

For the past year Mine, Doree has been negotiating with Signor Gregor-etti, and finally was successful in getting him to join her company. It was a fortunate acquirement, He is a finished artist, trained in the best Italian should and subscience for schools, and splendidly equipped for the training of young singers in the traditional rendering of the famous traditional rendering of the fa operas. Not only a singer, he master, and those who heard Doree's company when it was some months ago must have ne last evening the improvement

re staying at the Hotel Survey of the LO.O.F. for British Columbia, is visiting the lodges of the order in the interior, and hast week was in the name of the company, that is, he gives the members tuition in voice-placing, tone production, interpretation, etc. And now Mme. Doree has decided to assemble a real grand opera company, to open for the company of the com Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McVety, of VanColiver, are stoying if the Empress
hotel. Mr. McVety has just returned
to B. C. with his fellow commissioners
after examining into workmen's cohipensation acts across the line.

W. K. Esling, who has been for
thirty-three years in newspaper work,
and has been conducting the Trail

Mime. Doree has decided to assemble a
real grand opera company, to open
some time next year in San Francisco.
To secure her voices she is asking in
young artists to caff upon her and
liave their voices tested by Gregoretti.
If they are sultable and look toward a
career they will be accepted at once,
thirty-three years in newspaper work.



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News for seventeen years, this week side of Milan, Rome or Paris, where retires from active newspaper life, the greatest of the modern "magistros" having disposed of the News to W. W. are to be found.

Willcox, formerly of the Trail Pioneer, As her singers will not be stars who returns to that city after an ab-Mr. Esling.

ROBERT WARWICK

AT THE THEATRES

DOMINION THEATRE.

The Lasky feature entitled "The Explorer," now running at the Dominion, has many novel aspects which should appeal strongly to any audience. The plot of the story takes the spectator from the crowded thoroughfares and the famous sights of London and Paris into the wilds of Africa. The contrasts are startling and of course pleasing. They impart an air of realism to the picture which constitutes its greatest charm. The story itself is quite out of the ordinary. It is full of action and great dramatic quality. The African scenes are worthy of special mention, the realism in some of the battle scenes, notably the attack on the explering party sat the ford is striking and impressive. The acting is good all round. Lou. Tellegan, the star, scores strongly in the part of Alec McKenzie the explorer. It is a strong and entertaining picture that will meet with approval. The Gaumont Graphic on the same programme is full of interesting topical events. On Thursday the dainty and bewitching Marguerite Clark will be presented in the Francus Players production "Still Waters," a story of circus life.

Lead a hand and trust to luck:

Something's due to Jack Cánuck.

Patriotic Ald Society, 1210 Broad St. lorer," now running at the Dominion

licox, formerly of the Trail Pioneer, or returns to that city after an abce of three years. The good wishes all newspaper men who knew him to the host of friends he made in Boundary country will go with Esling.

As her singers will not be stars, as her singers will not be stars 

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produces opera in first-class manner, and I think we have a splendid opportunity. The demand for grand opera at popular prices is tremendous. It is not tremendous at \$5 a most!"

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles N. E.; rain, .60; weather, rain.

tremendous at \$6 a seat!"

"Besides," she added, thinking of the scruples of mothers who often do not let their daughters go abroad to train simply because they cannot see their maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 28; weather, cloudy.

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Kamloops—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 30; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Barservine—Barometer, 39.39; temperature, maximum yesterday, 32; minimum, 10; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, maximum yesterday, 25; minimum, 10; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; Apinimum, 36; wind, 12 miles E.; rain, 54; weather, cloudy.

Trease-No.29.39; temperature, maximum yesterday, 26; Apinimum, 36; wind, 12 miles E.; rain, 54; Apinimum, 36; wind, 36; Apinimum, 36; wind, 36; Apinimum, 36; wind, 36; Apinimum, 36; wind, 36; Apinimum, 36; Apinimum, 36; wind, 36; Apinimum, 36; Apinimu

is staying for the week.

Prior to assembling her present company two years ago in New York, Mme.
Doree enjoyed a prominent place in the women's club circles of the Empire women's club circles of the Empire women's club circles of the Empire state. She was first president of the New York City Federation of Women's clubs, was hostess for the city of New York at the St. Louis fair, was vice-president at the New York State Federation of Women's clubs, edited the Club-Woman Magazine (the official organ of the federation), and was president for twelve very of the Eclectic dent for twelve years of the Ecictic club. This organization did a great deal of philanthropic work, one of its Penticton chief interests being the education of Nelson purpose young musicians. This brought her into touch with the prefessional side of Qu'Appelle grand opera, although for years she had been a keen patron of the Metro-politan. When reverses of fortune turned her to seek a source of income she was well in touch with the busi-ness in which she is now so successful.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Forecasts.

For 26 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday.

Victoria and vicinity—Strong winds or
gales, mostly easterly and southerly, unsettled and mild, with rain.

Lower Mainland—Winds mostly easterly

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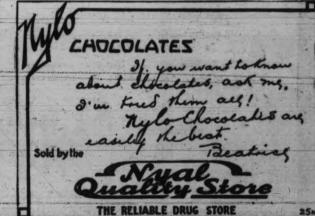
Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles S. E.; rain, 26; weather, rain.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .22; weather, rain.

Qu'Appelle Winnipeg Toronto .

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5

Cold water is the best of drinks,
The temperance poet sings;
But who am I that I should have
The very best of things?
Let princes revel at the pump,
Let peers enjoy their tes,
Whiskey or gin or Hudson Bay
Is good enough for me.
ANTI-PROHIBITION.



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# SPECIAL MEN WANTED FOR 103RD BATTALION

Linesmen, Operators and Signallers Urgently Needed; Unit Recruiting Rapidly

The 183rd Battalion, C. E. F., is askfing for linesmen, operators, and signallers for the new organization which
is being recruited. Applications may
be made at the central recruiting office, Fort street (next door to the Ritz
hotel), or at the Willows. Men-who
have been operators or ex-army sighave been operators or ex-army sig-nallers will be preferred.

sgt.-Bugler at the Willows up to 4 o'clock any day.

The 103rd is expecting to remove to its winter quarters in the new drill hall on Thursday or Friday of this week. As recruits are coming in rapidly the accommodation at the Willows quarters is taxed, and it will occasion general relief to be housed in the comfortable barracks which is being prepared in the armory. As the building has one of the finest swimming pools has one of the finest swimming poises, the newly-forming battalion will have quite the most comfortable and compact quarters of any unit in the district.

The strength is now about 300, the total number of recruits yesterday

Like beathens we heed no word He taught.

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The chains we forge that bind us down the fashing the fashing the fashioned from our lust and greed; The world must writhe in dread and fear, Before we make pretence to hear.

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The world must war, and no race will win the scourge of God turns black to white,

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When man's soul peers deep into hell, There comes a voice, it can never fade, That voice says: 'It is I. Be not afraid.'

Come, lay your head upon my breast, i, only I, can give you rest.

LAURA LEWEN.

alone being forty. The recruiting officers are wasting no time, and in the
comfortable offices on Fort street have
an energetic little establishment prepared to deal with a large number of
applicants. A medical officer is in attendance with the recruiting officer
from 9 ar m. to 11 p. m. daily, ready to
examine men who wish to enlist. Lt.
Col. Henniker is also receiving applicants from outside districts, and in the
course of a week or so, when the unit cants from outside districts, and recourse of a week or so, when the unit is settled in its new quarters, the work of recruiting in the up-island points will be carried on in well-organized fashion.

nallers will be preferred.

More drums and buglers are also needed for the new unit, and applications should be made through, the Sgt-Bugler at the Willows up to 4 o'clock any day.

With pomps and splender we fill this world,
To gods mortal how we cringe and bow; Only Like peacecks we strut about for naught, case, o'clock any day.

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Place & pound grated cheese in a small saucepan with 2 tablespoons milk or beer and 1 teaspoon Lea & Perrins' Sauce, pinch red pepper and & teaspoon made mustard, and stir over fire until smooth. Pour over hot buttered toast and serve at once. 1 or 2 egg yolks may be added before serving. The egg makes it richer and prevents the cheese hardening so quickly.

# ALL OVER ISLAND

Native Son, Passed Away Last Night

A very popular native son of Vicillness, in the person of Alexander

own son."

In the city of Nanaimo, and in fact throughout the whole Island where his cheery presence was always welcome, his death will be keenly felt. He made a host of friends wherever he went, and was universally liked.

He was a member of Post No. I. Native Sons of B. C.; a member of the Camosur club and vice-president of the Commercial Travelers' association.

tion. He is survived by his mother, stepfather and one sister, Mrs. J. A. Fra-ser, wife of J. A. Fraser, M.P.P., senior member for Cariboo; also by four

Alexander Vaughan, Popular Some Clvlc Departments Protest Against Method of Preparation

DEPARTMENTAL VOTES

The announcement of the civic estioria passed away last evening at St. mates in city council last evening was Joseph's hospital after a very brief followed to-day by the usual heartburnings in several of the departments

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death of his brother some few weeks ago had made a very great impression on him, and it is believed that the great grief he felt had an extremely projudicial effect on his health.

Mr. Vaughan was a son of Mrs. Walter Walker, of Oak Bay avenue. He was educated at the Central and High schools here, from the latter of which he passed at the age of sixteen years, to enter the firm of Wilson. Bros. as office boy. In the intervening years he raised himself through the office to the position of representative for the firm for the whole Island.

Speaking of the deceased to the Times this agorning, Percy Wollaston, the manager of Wilson Bros., said:

"He was one of the best salesmen who ever went on the road, and the firm feals."

Mr. Vaughan was a son of Mrs. Grow the latter of which he passed the capture and making changes in the old jail building, at 25, 600. The cost of putting the market building into use for a real market, by remodelling the interior, fencing the yard on Fissard street, and increasing the lighting, is set at \$14,000. This item is certain to be challenged on the ground that the market has not yet passed the experimental stage.

The comparative, etc., required by the department in the year.

The most important items in the vote for buildings have very little hope of going through, however meritorious they may be. The building inspector figures out the cost of installing a heating plant, remodelling the building, at 25, 600. The cost of putting line an elevator and making changes in the old jail building, at 25, 600. The cost of putting in an elevator and making changes in the old jail building, at 25, 600. The cost of putting in an elevator and making changes in the old jail building, at 25, 600. The cost of putting in an elevator and making changes in the old jail building, at 25, 600. The cost of putting in an elevator and making changes in the old jail building, at 25, 600. The cost of putting in an elevator and making changes in the old jail building, at 25, 600. The cost of putting in an eleva

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#### FORTY YEARS WORK

Archdeacen Collison Writes Interesting Volume on Labors Among Coast Indians.

"Do you believe that there is really something which can invariably tell kincolith, father of the newly-appoint-when a man is lying?" "I know it." id archdeacon of Clayoquot, has issued his long-promised volume of remninstruments?" "Seen one? I married one."

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FACE

churches.
"It is the writing of a broad-minded and large-hearted yeteran of the cross, who, conscious that he was so early on the scene, welcomes those who followed after him and helped to carry on the good work begun in faith

WORK FOR SOLDIERS.

To the Editor,—In your Saturday issue I read that the Saanich municipality are calling for application for a waterwork clerk and metre reader. I have also before me a letter from the returned soldiers' employment committee, asking if I know of any openline available for our men.

mittee, asking if I know of any opening available for our men.

Might I suggest that the reeves of our municipalities endeavor to fill these positions with the returned heros. I find that three reeves are members of the committee. By so doing they would be setting a splendid example to others who are in a position to find work for the returned soldiers.

WILLIAM CAREY.

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## WAR-TIME A. B. C.

Esimpseans and Nishgas. In an appreciative reference to the book Right Rev. F. H. Du Vernet, bishop of

Right Rev. F. H. Du Vernet, bishop of Caledonia, says:

"There is no other living man so familiar with the early history of this coast, both through personal experience and also through close questioning of an older generation of Indians who have long since passed away.

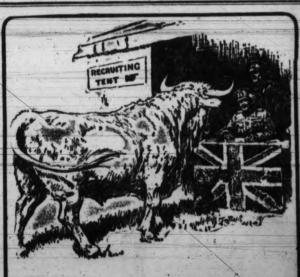
"His book which has just been published entitled in the Wake of the War Canoe, is well written and beautifully lilustrated. There is not a dull page in it from beginning to end. Bear stories and canoe adventures abound, but to me the most striking feature of the book in comparison with some others bearing upon the same subject is the eminent fairness and kindly appreciation with which the archdeacon refers to the work of other missionaries, both of his own and other churches.

"It is the writing of a broad-minded"

"Receds From Sale of Anonymous land. France, Germans, etc. The lines start with the letters of the alphabet in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing of the lilitude and though a device which will simplify the learning of the lilitude and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are also in red, and the words commencing with these letters are als

Albert, Belgium, Courage, Duty, England, France, Germans, etc. The lines

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# **DISABLED FISHERMAN** TOWED INTO VICTORIA

Constance, of Seattle, Had Exciting Time in Strait Last Night: No Assistance

attle fishing schooner Constance was towed into Victoria at 2.15 o'clock this towed into Victoria at 2.15 o'clock this afternoon by the tug Grace. The vessel became disabled off Smith Island, about nine miles this side of Port Townsend, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The Constance carries considerable canvas but she was unable to grable canvas but she was unable to grable canvas but she was unable to grable canvas but she was unable to graph of the constance carries considerable canvas but she was unable to graph of the constance of t make progress down the Sound. As a result her master decided to sail to-wards Victoria, in the hope of picking up a towboat.

The content of armed trawiers. His duties now consist of coast patrol and escorting transports.

Capt. Johnson is having splendid ruccess with his submarine, and when the opportunity are consistent.

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The Constance was gradually set to-wards this port, and when off here early this afternoon a tugboat was sent out in answer to her signals. The captain has wired his owners in Se-attle of the mishap and will make ar-rangements to have his craft towed to the Sound to-morrow. She will not be required here.

has hitherto enjoyed a large share of Oriental trade, but a change may now be expected in consequence of the Pacific Mail Steamship company having retired from that route. Since the commencement of the war Canada has suffered through the withdrawal of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's steamers, which were commandeered by the British government, and the Oriental carrying trade, at this writing, is monopolized by Japanese steamship companies.

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"The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Empress of Japan is scheduled to sail from here on January 1, and the Monteagle on January 11. The Empress of Asia and the Empress of Russia, having been released by the British authorities, are now being refitted at Hongkong, and will be put on the route at the earliest possible date, probably early in the new year.

"It is, therefore, gratifying to learn that Yictoria manufacturers and merchants will be exceptionally well situated for trading with the Orient, have the advantage of the additional of the property of the property

# **NEWS RECEIVED OF VICTORIANS IN NAVY**

Capt. H. Shadforth Has Taken Three Prize Ships Into Port; Others Doing Well

Victoria captains who have offered their services to the British admiralty are carving quite a formidable niche in the hall of records of the great war. in the hall of records of the great war. Capt. P. Shadforth is on F.M.S. Lord de Ramsey and commands a subdivision of armed trawlers. His brother, Capt. H. Shadforth, is chief-officer on the armed merchant cruiser Digby and has already taken three prizes into British ports. Capt. Barney Johnson has the distinction of being the only Royal Naval Reserve officer to command a submarine. Lieut. Commander Grieves, of Victoria West, is with the navy, and Capt. Thomson, who formerly was coxswain of the Victoriet power lifeboat, is now on a British submarine.

This interesting information con-cerning the movements of a few of the local seafaring men who went to England to serve the home land in the hour of trial, was contained in a let-ter which reached here yesterday.

Gets Three Prizes. Gets Three Prizes.

Capi. H. Shadforth, in his cruising on the Digby, has had the good fortune to run across three prizes, and, as he is chief officer of the craft, it naturally fell upon him to take the captures to port with prize crews on board. He accomplished each trip without difficulty.

With her crank shaft broken the Setitle fishing schooner Constance was cowed into Victoria at 2.15 o'clock this

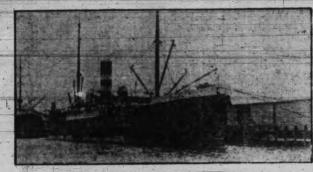
# TRIP IN A FEW DAYS

Yarrows' Mechanics Will Take Three or Four Days to Re-

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HARRISON LINER EXPECTED WITH CHRISTMAS GOODS



Owing to the blocking of the Panama canal the steamship was unable to arrive here on her schedule date. She was due on November 10 with a large shipment of Christmas goods from England. Following the landslide she had to proceed through the Strait of Magellan.

# HAWAII MARU WILL **DOCK ON SATURDAY**

Japanese Liner is Running on Steamer Tees Forced to Shel-Schedule Time; Mexico Leaving To-morrow

Running on schedule time the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Hawali Maru, Capt Saito, will arrive in port on Saturday morning. This information was contained in a radiogram received this morning by R. P. Rithet & Co., local agents for the Japanese company, from the ship. The Hawali was expected to dock here on Friday afternoon, but Capt. Saito evidently is not pushing his ship.

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she shows up at this port. If the Capt. Saito evidently is not pushing his ship.

The radiogram stated that the Hawaii has 630 tons of cargo for discharge at this port. This comprises chiefly Japanese oranges, although there is considerable merchandise consistently The big Osaka liner is on her second inward voyage from the Orient, and is not making nearly as good time as she did on her maiden run. She is taking exactly a fortnight to cross the pond. On her first run she was 12 days and 21 hours. The Hawaii and Mantla Maru have a speed of about 16 knots, and can steam from Yokohama in 12 days. On her last outward trip the Hawaii had boiler trouble and was part of the trouble and was get into their proper trim, and is avoiding pushing the ship, a course which might bring about a repetition of the trouble.

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On Thursday afternoon the Nippon liner Shidzuoka Maru, Capt. Degucht, will berth from the Orient with 1,361 tons of cargo for discharge at this panese freighter Hokkai Maru will resume her voyage to Vladivostok. A gang of mechanics from Yarrows' yards commenced work yesterday afternoon, and it is expected that the bulwarks which were strained by the shifting of the deckload will be repaired by Thursday night. New chain and wire lashings for the deckload are being made taut, and the vessel should

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S. Baltic, of the White Star-line, from New York at noon, Wednesday, December 1, with 73 first, 366 second and 399 third class passengers, is due in Liverpool on Thursday, December 2, S. S. St. Paul, of the American line, S. S. Paul, of the American from New York, at 4 p. m. on Novem-ber 27, with 195 first, 110 second and 292 third class passengers, arrived at Liv-erpool on Sunday morning, December 5. S. S. St. Louis, of the American line. 18 S. S. St. Louis, of the American line, ins from Liverpool at 11 p. m. on November 27, with 89 first, 465 second and insection in the second

# ANXIETY WAS FELT FOR COPPER BARGE

Steamer Gray Had to Leave Craft at Anchor. While She Went to Union for Coal

Vancouver, Dec. 7.—The barge Gran-by No. 1, loaded with copper matte valued at \$200,000, and in tow of the steamer Gray, has been overdue for some days, and some fear was felt for her safety. However, the arrival of the steamer British Columbia this morning shed some light on the where-abouts of the craft and her master spoke of the weather which has pre-valled in the north.

The steamer Gray and the barge The steamer Gray and the barge Granby No. 1 left Granby Bay, on November 27. The barge had a full cargo of copper matte for Tacoma. The Gray and barge should have put in an appearance at Tacoma some days ago and anxlety was felt for the safety of the vessels in view of the rough weather which has prevailed.

Left to Get Coal.

The Coast Steamship company steamer British Columbia reached Vancouver to-day with the first definite news of the Gray. The British Colum-bia found the Gray at Union Bay on bia found the Gray at Union Bay on Sunday afternoon taking on coal. She reported that she had run short of fuel owing to bad weather and had left the barge anchored near Juncan Bat, five miles south of Seymour Narrows. The Gray left Union Bay yesterday morning for the spot where the barge anchored.

position, and the str. Congress had but 230 passengers from this port to-day. The str. President, of the same line, has been delayed on account of stormy weather and will not arrive hear from the north until Wednesday morning. Lumber carriers arriving from the north to-day were: Str. San Gabriel, from Umpqua; str. Mandalay, from Creacent City, and str. Westerner, from Coos Bay.—The str. Doris

er, from Coos Bay. The str. Doris sailed for Grays Harbor in ballast to reload. San Francisco, Dec. 6.—Arrived: tt. Chiyo Maru, from Hongkong; str. President, from Seattle; str. Wapama, from Tacoma. Sailed: Nor. str. Thor, for Nanaimo; strs. F. A. Kilburn and Bear, for Portland; U.S.A.T. Sherman.

Portland, Ore., Dec. 6.—Sailed: Str. Multnomah, for San Diego.

Everett, Dec. 6.—Arrived: Str. Bee from San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Hor net, for San Francisco.

Port Blakeley, Dec. 6.—Arrived: Str. Redondo, from Seattle.

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The possibilities of increasing the possibility of the David of

Prince Rupert is very good at present, and the fishermen are catching about 2,000,000 pounds every month.

Sixty-seven passengers came south on the Prince George.

This morning the steamer sailed for the north with a fair list of passengers and considerable cargo. Tocopilla, Dec. 4.—Arrived:
Caddo, from San Francisco.
Guayaquil, Dec. 4.—Sailed:
Melville Dollar, for San Francisco. Balboa, Dec. 6.—Arrived: St bas, from Seattle, for London.

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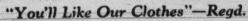
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# **SUNDAY SCHOOL** TEAMS ENTER LEAGUE

League Will Open Shortly After the New Year; V. I. A. A. A. Challenge

At a recent meeting of the Sunday £1,000 (15,000) apiece at Tattersall's chool Athletic association it was declared to recognize the posterball.

A recent decree of the minister of a School Athletic association it was dereorganize the basketball league. Delegates were present representing the Metropolitans, Knox Presbyterian, First Presbyterian, Congregationals, Fairfields and Belmont. The

chance to play.

Practises in preparation for the league opening will commence within the next week or two.

V. I. A. A. Basketballers Challenge.
The V. J. A. A. newly-formed basketball five have issued a challenge to meet any intermediate team in the city. Any club accepting this defi is requested to communicate with W. H. Davies at the Empire Realty Co., Fort street, by mail or telephone.

On Saturday.

DILLON VS. FLYNN.

New York, Dec. 7.—Jack Dillon, claimant to the world's lightweight champion, and Porky Flynn will box ten rounds before the Broadway Sporting club to-night.

Phoenix Stout—2 qts. for 25c.

#### TO IMPORT YEARLINGS TRAINED IN FRANCE

A recent detect of the minister of agri-ulture permits the exportation of year-ings, heretofore forbidden. The sale of Gaston Dreyfus's horses to-lay was not successful as they brought

peams.

It has been decided to draw up the schedule shortly after the New Year, and play semi-weekly games, adopting Kid Williams, bantamweight chamthe same method as prevalled last seat of the world, and Frankle Burns, of New Jersey, boxed twenty furious on the world. The Baptists, Centennials and James Bay churches were represented in the league last season, but this year they have been unable to get material. A problem of their players have enlisted, and left them too badly crippled to think of entering.

The Y. M. C. A. have allotted the teams periods in which to practise, and all the games will be staged in their gymnasium. Practically the same team as won the championship for the Pairfields last season will again represent that church this minute.

their gymnashum. Thampionship for the team as won the championship for the Fairfields last season will again represent that church this winter, but its boxing in Australia, has scored his fifth consecutive win via the knock-plenty of new material.

So great is the number of basketballers of the Metropolitan church that they have decided to enter two teams in order to give all the players a chance to play.

Characteristic Consensus with a day of the consecutive win via the knocked out to day stating that his most recent victim is Mike King, whom he knocked out in five rounds at Sydney on Saturday. Chicago, Dec. 7.—Eddie McGoorty, the Oshkosh, Wis., middleweight, who is boxing in Australia, has scored his

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# RIVAL HOCKEY MANAGERS EXPRESS THEIR CONFIDENCE IN ABILITY TO WIN

Coach Regina Victorias

lic. It is intimated by the advance rush for seats that every available inch of space will be occupied in the big arena. Up to last evening only a few seats remained unsold, and it is very probable that scores will be turned away when the shrill blast of the referee's whistle brings the teams together for the commencement of the first game of the 1915-16 hockey season.

There was a great rush for tickets

To-day both the Victoria and Se-tile teams went through a light orkout to get limbered up for toseing accustomed to their home ice, while the Victoria team, which is composed of a number of youngsters making their debut, and will be se-

Manager Patrick is extremely confi-dent that Victoria will win. Pe has great faith in his new material. Pete Muldoon, who is handling the affairs Muldoon, who is handling the affairs of the Metropolitans, cannot see anything but victory for his proteges. He says he has the finest bunch of puckchasers on the globe, and he ought to know as he has acted as manager of

Mayor Hi Gill, of Scattle, will face-f the puck. The teams will take the

cover point, Carpenter, rover, Foys-ton; centre, Morris; left wing, Walk-er; right wing, Wilson, Reserve, Haas, Victoring-Goal, McCulloch; point,

Tatrick; cover point, Genge; rover, Mallen; centre, O'Leary; left wing, Kerr; right wing, McDonald, Reserve.

Intimated Record Crowd Will through Seattle en route to Vancou Witness Curtain-Raiser at pion Millionaires in the opening match Seattle: Fred Lake May of the season. Manager Savage thinks well of the Rosebud's chances again with the work of his new material and confident of breaking into the wi olumn to-night. The teams:

Portland—Goal, Murray; point, Irvine; cover point, Jöhnson; rover Oatman; centre, Dunderdale; righwing, Harris; left wing, Tobin. Re-

Tickets on Sale.

There was a great rush for tickets for the opening game of the local season here on Friday night. The tickets went on sale this morning at the Fit-Itac clothing store.

Manager Lester Patrick, before leaving for Seattle yesterday afternoon, made application at the Willows camp for the extension of leave to the soldiers to permit them to attend the hockey match. hockey match

Lake May Coach Vics. Regina, Dec. 7.—Fred Lake, a few years ago considered one of the best professional hockey players in the business, would like to coach the Victorias of Regina to a championship this season, Lake's application for the position was received yesterday, mak-ing five that Secretary Woodside has received since the vice, advertised for a coach. So far as knowing the game, the Vice, couldn't get a better man than Lake. He has played hockey for years, first starting to chase the rubber puck around the frozen streets of played in the old International league, which was famous for its wood chop-jing; also in Winnipeg, Ottawa and Toronto. Last year he retired, and Mallen: centre, O'Leary; left wing, Kerr; right wing, McDonald. Reserve.

Riley.

Rosebuds in Fine Shape.

Accompanied by a band of supporters, the Portland Rosebuds passed filed.

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# CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES HAS BEEN ARRANGED

V. A. H. C. Will Oppose Western Scots for Title: Mechanics to Meet Electrics

Arrangements for a series of games to be played between the Victoria Amateur Hockey club and the Western Scots were completed at a meeting held in the office of George Newton last evening, with W. J. Shortt in the chair. A series of six games will be played, the first to take place on December 23. The games will be played on the following dates: December 23. January 6, January 10, January 20, January 27, and February 3.

To-morrow evening the Victoria

To-morrow evening the Victoria Annateur Hockey club will hold a practice at the Arena between 7 and 8 o'clock. All members are urgently requested to put in an appearance, After three or four workeuts the team to oppose the Western Scots in the series of the Michigan State league. To-morrow evening the Victoria

Game Thursday Night.

After the skating session Thursday night the B. C. Electric Hockey team and the Auto Mechanics will meet at the Arena. This will be the second meeting of these teams, as they met last week, the game resulting in a victory for the Mechanics by the score of 4 to 3. The Electric team has been strengthened and they are confident of reversing the decision.

The New York Glants finished last season with thirty-five men on the pay roll. This was the largest number carried by any major league club. The Phillies carried the least with only 23 players in their fold.

Willie Hoppe, the balk line billiard champion, will visit the Hawaiian Islands in the spring, and will play a series of exhibition games with Koji Yamada of exhibition games with Koji Yamada the Japanese cuelst.

#### WELSH VS. SCALER FIGHT HAS BEEN CALLED UP

nton. Dec. 7.-The big fight dope ten another sudden tumble. The

#### TEÁMS ARE TIED.

New York, Dec. 7.—The score at 7 o'clock, the 19th hour of the six-day bleycle race, was 429 miles five laps, with Lawrence leading. The record was 429 miles 4 laps, made by Goulet and Grenda in 1914. At 2 o'clock, the 26th hour, 13 teams were tied at 576 miles, 3 laps.

SYRACUSE WON.

Los Angeles, Dec. 7:—The heavy byracuse university eleven easily de-eated their lighter opponents, Occi-ental college, here yesterday in the inal football game of the season for the two teams. The score was 36 to 0.

# SPORTING GOSSIP

Victoria is confident of victory over

#### PLACED ON DEFENCE



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#### **BEAR AT PANTAGES**

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At last there is a fair exponent of At last there is a fair exponent of wrestling. Alice Teidy, a strapping brown bear weighing something over two hundred pounds, is giving a very fine demonstration of her skill "on the mat" with a young man who is handicapped quite severely as to avoirdippois. But as Alice's hands are tied up in rubber mitts which are intended to kessen the force of her grip the tussle's fair country. is fair enough. And at the end of the last bout it is with the war-look of the true Amazon that her ladyship is seen sitting proudly on the chest of

entation of the third act from Fravi-atia, of the fourth act from Faust, and the second act of Carmen were fol-lowed by thunderous applause. Mme. Doree herself made the announce-ments, which were a brief but com-This was the largest number carried by any major league club. The Phillies carried the least with only 23 players in their fold.

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Mike O'Dowd, of St. Paul, claims the welterweight championship. He has just recently, whipped Soldier. Bartfield and Frankle Brennan.

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Harry Lord, formerly of the Boston and Chicago American league clubs, has signed with the Buffalo Feds.

Art Ross has signed an Ottawa contract. Gerard and Shore have not yet come to terms with the Senator management.

CURLERS ARE ACTIVE.

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 7.—Leading eastern curlers, those who generally curl in the open on the numerous lakes of New York state and the New England country, are being asked by letter to-day to come to the Northwestern curling bonspiel, to be held here in January. Secretary Ered Hargraves, of the Duluth Curling association, so declared to-day.

"I have heard from most of the Canadian curlers," said Mr. Hargraves, "The only exception is Winnipeg, and they have not definitely decided."

WELLS TO MEET DUNDEE.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 7.—Johnny Dundee, the New York lightweight, and Matt Wells, the English lightweight, have ben matched to box ten rounds here on December 19. Dundee will concede several pounds to the Englishman.

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## **NEW PLAYERS AT PRINCESS**

John E. Drew and His Vaudeville Comedy Stock Company Open at Local Playhouse.

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# Boys'Specials

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## James Green

programme with "I Hear You Calling Me" and two encores, all sung in a voice which is very pleasing.

James Green

May than one. She can skate, standing as upright as the most nonchaelt
habitue of the rinks. She can sit on a
chan, and fize a numer of little ricks
which betray the sense of humor
which is attributed by naturalists to
the species. At the glose of the matinee on Saturday site will hold a reception to the small folk of the acdidince, who are invited to go up on
the staze and shake hands with her.
She will do a few special acts on that
occasion, when her role of hostess no
longer demands that she stand upright.

"The Boy and the Regiment" is
really a very human little play and
held the attention of the audience
splendidly. It was quite easy to be
relieve why the father of the boy was so
feared by all the members of the
family, so transible and hard was the
consracer made by C. J. Lionel, quite
unconsciously the playwright propagated a phrase which seized the fancy
of the hundreds of soldiers present. It
is already enjoying humorous repetition every hour of the day.

Laurie Ordway, as on her previous
visit here, found vast appreciation.
She is so clever that she is able to
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The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 20 ft. from the northwest corner of Lot's of easterly half of Section 66, Range 2, East Lake District, Map 134, and will be used for domestic and irrigation purposes upon the land described as Lots 6, 8 and 9 of easterly half of Section 66, Range 2, East Lake District, Map 134.

This notice was posted on the ground on the Sth day of November, 1915. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act, 1914," will be filed in the office of the Water. Recorder at Victoria, B. C. Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parllament Buildings, Victoria, B. C. Objections to the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parllament Buildings, Victoria, B. C. Objections to the first appearance of this notice in a local nowspaper. The date of the first appearance of this notice in a local nowspaper. The date of the November 9, 1915.

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TO THE BOARD OF LICENSING COMMISSIONERS, VICTORIA CITY

#### LIQUOR NOTICE.

Liquor Notice.

Take notice that I, Karen Louise Hansen, intend to apply to the Board of Licenso Commissioners for the City of Victoria at their next sitting, to be held at the City of Victoria on Wednesday, the 8th day-of December, Bit, for ralification by the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the Permission granted by the Mayor of the City of Victoria for a temporary transfer of the Interest of Niels Hansen, deceased, in the Hoense to Niels Hansen, deceased, in the Hoense to Historia at the premises known as the White Horse Hotel, situate at number 599 Humboldt street, in the City of Victoria to me, the executivity and devises of the last Will and Testament of the sald Niel Hansen. Dated the 4th day of Nov., A. D. 1918. KAREN LOUISE HANSEN.

#### Court of Revision on Municipal Voters' List for 1916

The Court of Revision on the Municipal Voters' List for the year 1916 will sit in the Council Chamber, GUN Hall on Friday, the 19th day of December, 1915, at 10 a. m.
"WELLINGTON J. DOWLER."

C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., Nov. 28, 1915.

# COMMISSIONERS OF THE

Netoria.

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

MICHARL YOUNG.

Valentine Harvey, Deceased.

NOTICE.

Per HENRY C. MACAULEY (President).

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next meeting of the Cicense Commissioners for renewal of the liquor license now held by the Leland Hotel, Douglas and Bay streets.

A. Proprietor.

## Proprietor. Dated this 16th day of November, 1915:

# Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at their sitting to be bed on the eighth day of December for the renewal of the hotel license to sell licens by retail for the premises known as James Bay Hotel, situated at corner Government, and Toronto streets, in the City of Victoria. Dated this lat day of November, 1915. T. K. KENNEDY BURGE.

Royal Oak, B. C., November 29, 19

strests, 90 Wednesday p, m. December, 1915, at 2.50 p, m. WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY.
COURT OF REVISION OF VOTERS
LIST.

Public notice is hereby given that the
Court of Revision of the Voters List will
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QUALITY OF GOODS is of first

Valentine Harvey, Occased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against said deceased are required to send same to the undersigned, Softctions for the Executors of the will of said deceased. And take notice that after the 50th day of December, 1915, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

Dated November 26, 1915.

CREASE & CREASE.

Notice is hereby given that at the next meeting of the License Commissioners of the City of Victoria application will be made for a renewal of the retail license now held by me at the premises known as the Metropolis Hois!, 712 Tates street, in the said City of Victoria.

Dated this lith day of November, 1915, CORNELIUS L. WHELAN.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the sitting of the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria. to be held on the 8th day of December, 1915, application will be made for the transfer of the license for the sale of liquor by retail in and upon the premises known as the "Pandora Hotel," stuate at the corner of Pandora and Blanshard streets, in the City of Victoria, from Albert Quaglitotti to Herbert Albert Rudge, of Victoria, Dated this 12th day of October, 1915.

ALBERT QUAGLIOTTI.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that at the next meeting of the License Commissioners of the City of Victoria application will be made for a renewal of the retail license now held by me at the premises known as the Gordon Hotel, 515 Johnson street, in the said City of Victoria.

Dated this 18th day of November, 1915.

A. W. FRASER, JOHN LIND.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision on the Municipal Voters' List for the year 1916 will sit in the Royal Oak Hall on Friday, the 19th day of December,

The next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners will be held in the Police Court. New Jail Building, Fisgard Street, between Douglas and Government of the New York Street Stre

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., Nov. 24, 1915.

# TO TRADE FOR CHICKEN RANCH

Well-built five-room modern bungalow with hot water heating, close in, on lot 50x135 ft. to a lane. Equity \$3,500.

What have you to offer?

# P. R. BROWN

# If I Were a Man

Incidentally, she ordered two more tons,

# Mackay & Gillespie Ltd

Office, 738 Fort Street

#### **Answers to Times** Want Ads.

The following replies are waiting to be 4, 136, 154, 188, 272, 273, 282, 296, 316, 344, 368, 430, 448, 452, 458, 476, 498, 527, 534, 563, 562, 630, 672, 676, 684, 696, 715, 2260, 2282,

#### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

DIGGONISMS—"If silence gives conse how is it women marry?" Digg Printing Co. Best personal Xmas can in town at 706 Yates street. F YOU APPRECIATE first-class tailor ing at moderate prices, we invite you inspection. Cooper & Potts, 768 Yates street. Metropolis Bidg.

THE UNDERSIGNED, will not be re

sponsible for any debts contracted un der my name, without my written order Dec. 2, 1915. Theo. A. Townsley.

TO LET-Three-room cottage, Second street, No. 1783, near Mount Tolmie carline, modern; rent \$7. Apply 2338 Fowl Bay road, near Arena. FOR RENT-Five-room cottage, all conveniences, Esquimalt, F. Cherry, 522

HIGH-CLASS CANDY BUSINESS for

FORD RUNABOUT, new engine, Att-water Kent ignition, for sale cheap, H. A. Davie, 617 Vancouver street, d9

FORD BODY AND TOP, 1913 model, for sale, \$20 H. A. Davie, 617 Vancouver

sale, \$20. II.

street.

NAP IN LOT-Graham street, close to
Hay 50x110; price \$400 cash. Currie &
Hay 50x110

Broad and Yates. Monday, afternoon, black leasher handbag, containing hands kerchlef, purse, car tickets, vielting cards and \$4.99. Mrs. J. Burtt Morgan, Phone 4479.

Prince 479. Mrs. J. Burtt and Arg. dr. Phone 479. Prince 479. Prin EXCHANGE—Good Victoria properties to trade for Saskatchewan farms: will assume. Dunford's, 312 Union Bank. d9 wagon. Phone 1483L. d9

Exion Bank. d2

EXCHANGE—Why pay rent? Good seven roomed house, granite foundation, modern, mortgage \$1.599; will take vacant lots for equity; price \$4,000; Dunford's, 312 Union Bank.

212 Union Fank.
PROPERTY WANTED—We can sell your property if the price is right. Come in with your listings. Dunford's, 312 Union do

Bank.

Al ACCOUNTANT, is years' experience, keeps small sets of books on monthly contract; terms moderate. Box 735, Times.

please leave at this omce with name. of WELL SETABLISHED VANCOUVER HUSINESS-ber site. General machine and automobile repair work, comprising machinery, office furniture, large stock machinery, office furniture, large stock machinery, office furniture, large stock friends for the kind words of sympathy and beautiful flowers during their sad bereavement.

# **MALLORY CASE IN COURT ON THURSDAY**

Trial Ordered to Prove Ownership of Documents Regarding Outer Harbor Contract

In county court chambers this morning Judge Lampman ordered the trial of the interpleader action of Mallory against Macdonald to take place on Thursday morning. His honor's direc-tion came following a finding that he was without jurisdiction in regard to the counter claim set up in the case by E. C. Mayers on behalf of the defen-

FOR RENT-Five-room cottage, all concerns certain letters and observed of the court under seal. They are condition. Call Candy Store, Hiblent condition. Call Candy Store, Hiblent condition. Call Candy Store, Hiblent Bone Bldg.

hen-Bone Bids.

HIGH-CLASS CANDY BUSINESS for sale, best location in city; owner leaving for England, low price for quick sale. Box 728, Times defined for the country of a counter claim by winting the hoped to obtain a prohibition order against the publication of the documents, and ROOMS 2.50 per week. 22 Fort St. ds.

LOST-Winchester rifle, 38-55, on Silver Mine trait. Finder please returns to 366 Manages against Mallory. His honor set over the hearing until yes-Rockland avenue and receive reward. dll Rockland avenue and receive reward. dil terday to allow Mr. Mayers to introduce some authorities that would show the county court judge had jurisdiction to hear a counter claim in an interplaced received by the county court judge had jurisdiction to hear a counter claim in an interplaced received by the county court judge had jurisdiction to hear a counter claim in an interplaced received his decision until to-day for the purpose of considering the authorities.

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WANTED Small Columbia or Fraser river boat hull. Reply Box 726. Times and had read the authorities quoted, but still was of his first opinion that a LOST—Satin bag containing glasses and knittime. Phone 3139. knitting. Phone 3130.

NTROGEN BULBS for 1915-16 Ford cars give more and better light, especially for wet pavements. At Jameson & Rolfe, corner Gordon and Courtenay streets (next Union Club).

WANTED—Clear titled Vancouver Island acreage, Saanich preferred. Offer in exchange a choice of up-to-date city homes in best residential parts of Victoria. Can give clear title or favorable terms as may be required. Address P. O. Box 531, Victoria.

WANTED—Late model motor car with electric starter and lights, must be in first-class condition; will give in exchange clear title to beautiful building lot in splendtd locality. Owner paid 11,500 for this lot. Address P. O. Box 621, Victoria.

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de de cessity for a trial. It was, he said, FORD DELIVERY VAN, in Al condition, for sale. Apply H. A. Davie, 617 Van-papers he had grabbed up that belonged to Macdonald.

ed to Macdonald.

Mr. Mayers: "All he claims are memoranda of a conversation he heard."

H. C. Hall: "There is more than

Mr. Mayers: "He can take his nemoranda and go."

His Honor: "There is no short cut out of the case. It will go for trial on

#### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOUND—Sum of money. Owner can have same by applying to J. Dempster, Con-naught Ave., Mt. Tolmie. 69

DIED

VAUGHAN—On December 6, 1915, at St.
Joseph's Hospital, Alexander Vaughan,
son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter: Walker,
corner Oak Bay and Richmond avenues, aged 2 years. Born at Victoria,
B. C. Besides his mother and stepfather, the decensed is survived by
one sister, Mrs. J. A. Fraser, wife of
J. A. Fraser, M. P. P., of Quesnelle,
and four brothers. He was a member
of Post No. 1, Native Sons of B. C.,
vice-president of the Commercial
Travellers' Association, and a membee of the Camosun Club.
Due notice of the funeral will be given.

CARD OF THANKS.

# **BOARD OF TRADE PUTS** IN STRONG PROTEST

Condemns Mackenzie-Mann Interests for Ignoring Shipbuilding Industry of Coast

The sense of the board of trade that the Mackenzie-Mann interests, which have so often proclaimed what they were going to do for Victoria, are greatly to be condemned for the manner in which the coast shipbuilders were ignored in the matter of the construction of the car ferries was placed on record by the council of the board this morning.

discussion which ensued upon a re-ort from the committee on shipbuld-ing, which has been holding several cettings lately and has taken up the nestion of the development of the in-

alled to the matter by several of the nembers, and it was apparent that members, and it was apparent that they felt strongly upon the question. It was pointed out that the Canadian Northern Pacific company had gone to a firm far outside the province to give an order for car ferries which were to cost \$400,000 each, and which could have been built here or in the yards on the mainland, and that this had been done without giving any chance to builders in this province to tender.

The council passed a resolution. Copies of which were ordered to be sent to the chief officials of the company, protesting strongly against the action of the company in awarding contracts for

testing strongly against the action of the company in awarding contracts for vessels which could have been built here without giving to Victoria builders an opportunity to tender. A retter from the Vancouver board in regard to shipbuilding suggested that-the time had arrived when it would be advisable for the committees of the two-boards to get together and meet also representatives from Prince Rupert and other coast cities. This suggestion will

representatives from Prince Rupert and other coast cities. This suggestion will be acted upon.

From the secretary's file was read a letter from the Union Steamship company, advising the board that on shipments from Victoria which had to be carried to Vancouver for trans-shipment on account of the steamers of the line failing to call here at any time the company would absorb the local.

time the company would absorb the local.

Messrs. Cross and Forman reported upon action in regard to the rate of postage upon parcels to men at the front, buf they were able to add nothing more than has already been made public. The point of difficulty, according to the postal authorities, is that the postal arrangements between Canada and France prevail in this matter, and that no change can be made.

Attention was called to the opportunity for the establishment of a fertilizer manufactory here from fish, and the prevalence of dog-fish in these waters, of which the fishermen complain, was instanced as afording ample material for the purpose, while at

salmon fishers of one of their greatest enemies. The matter was referred to the committee on manufacturers.

#### SCOTCH CONCERT

Interesting Programme Arranged fo Event in Knox Presbyterian Church.

The following is the programme of a Scotch concert, to be given in the Knox Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening at 8.15 o'clock, with Rev W. Stevenson in the chair:

W. Stevenson in the chair:

Pipe Selection

Pipers Ross and Cameron

Song—The Auld House

Mrs. W. A. Jameson

Song—Mother Machree

J. Findlay

Duet—Afton Water The Misses Morton

Song—Cam' Ye by Athol

Mrs. Jos. Crawford

Song Selected ..... Mrs. Jos. Crawford Song Selected ....Mr. Dobic
Song Jessie's Dream .....Miss Mary Morton

Pipe Selection
Pipers Ross and Cameron
Song—Selected Miss Williams
Reading—Hannah O' the Highlands.
Mr. Donald A. Fraser

Song—Joek & Hazeldean

Mrs. W. A. Jameson

Song—Draw the Sword. Jas. Taylor

Song—Angus MacDonald

Miss Maggie Morton

A new use has been found for the new Hudson's Bay company block, Doughas street, which yesterday was taken into occupation by the Cana-dian Army Ordnance Corps. The Douglas street, which yesterday was taken into occupation by the Canadian Army Ordnance Corps. The change is highly satisfactory to the department of militia and defence, which has leased the lower floor of the big building for the spurpose intimated. The quarters at Esquimalt were not at all adequate, representations received to apply for the Hudison received to apply for the

Tatum's Gem Calendar Pads for 1916 now ready. Sweeney-McConnell, Limited, 1010-12 Langley street.

Sale at Langford.—A sale of work

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Will be held on Thursday afternoon

from 3 to 6 at the Church hall, Langford, to be followed by a concert at 8.

p.m. At the sale afternoon tea will be

served, and there will be a Christmas

tree, a candy stall and a book and

white elephant stall.

Red Cross Concert.—The Victoria High School orchestra will give a con-cert on December 10 at 3.30 p. m., in the auditorium of the school. The pro-ceeds will be devoted to the Red Cross funds. Tickets are on sale at O'Con-nell's, Ltd., store on Government street.

Buy in Victoria. Several replies have been received by the "buy-at-home" club in connection with the ampaign the women's committee is taking to get Christmas shopping making to get Christmas shopping done here. The club hopes that the merchants will co-operate for a suc-cessful shopping season, as well as the

Receiving Inquiries.—The Development association is receiving daily inquiries from people on the prairies regarding Victoria and the resources of the surrounding country. These inquiries are in response to the advertising campaign the association has instituted in the three easterly provinces. Advertisements regarding Victoria have been inserted in leading newspapers, and much printed matter has been mailed to residents and to places where it will be given pubplaces where it will be given pub-

Northwest Sewer.—Pending the settlement of negotiations which have been in progress with regard to the right-of-way for the Northwest sewer, north of Selkirk water, the remaining links in the tunnels south of the Victoria Arm are being rapidly forged. The section of tunnel near the Beau Street shaft, where pipe had to be fitted, is now being laid. In the other section near Sea terrace where more pipe was required to be manufactured, the pipe has now almost matured. the pipe has now almost matured and it is expected that it will be laid, beginning next week. Figure 1 nning next week. Efforts are besome material required for the pipe-line north of Selkirk water, to tie it up to the Gorge ravine bridge. This is the section about which negotiations

the section about which negotiations have been in progress for some time.

St. Jude's Sale.—Over \$80 was taken at the sale held by St. Jude's Tillicum mission last Friday. Part of this sum will be given to the work of the W. A. to Missions, the rest to the work of St. Jude's mission. St. Jude's junior branch of the W. A. took an additional \$11.. The stalls were in charge as follows: Plain and fancy-work, Mrs. James, Mrs. Ball and Mrs. Levings; home-cooking, Mesdames' Smith, Butterfield, Morriss and Scott; ice cream Attention was called to the opportunity for the establishment of a fertilizer manufactory here from fish, and the prevalence of dog-fish in these waters, of which the fishermen complain, was instanced as affording ample material for the purpose, while at the same time it would relieve the same time it would relieve the same of one of their greatest. vey, Vernie and Clarice Shemilt, Lena Butterfield, Eisie and Flossie White Eunice Hodges, Veronica Moore. The sale was opened by Miss Turner, diocesan W. A. president, who was in-troduced by Rev. M. F. Hilton. Arch-deacon Sweet was present and was given a warm welcome. There was a programme during the afternoon, con-tributed by Miss Middleton and Mrs. Ogard.

#### SAILOR SUPPLIED INDIANS

Serious Offence is Punished With Stiff Term in the Jail.

Miss Maggie Morton
Pipe Selection
Pipers Ross and Cameron
Auld Lang Syne.
God Save the King.

MOVING TO NEW PREMISES

Canadian Army Ordnance Corps Takes
Possession of Lower Floor of
Hudson's Bay Building.

A new use has been found for the

# **HOW SHOULD NOTE BE** PRESENTED TO BANK?

Interesting Discussion in the County Court on Corret Method

ment. There was no obligation on the person presenting the note, he claimed, to first get it marked by the ledger-keeper. That, Mr. Alkman contended, was the duty of the bank teller. Judge Lampman took the other view, that the note lifet must be marked before the teller can cash it, to which Mr. Alkman replied that while this was so there was no obligation on the part of the person presenting the note for payment to get it marked. That course, he said, was a convenience arranged by the banks to suit their mode of doling business.

ing business.

The argument arose in the case of Pacific Motor Sales company against Powell, in which payment had been made for part of an account by a promissory note made by a third party. The plaintiff held that the promissory onte had been given and accepted for

promissory note made by a third party. The plaintiff held that the promissory note had been given and accepted for the sum sued for, but the defendant claimed the note was taken by him as security, and was not to be in payment if he was unable to collect on-lt. One of the witnesses said he presented the note to a youth in charge of a ledger at a branch bank, and they youth had said there was no money to meet it. Mr. Alkman contended it never had been properly presented for payment, because it had not been presented to the teller of the bank, who, according to the bank act, was the proper person, Mr. Alkman contended to receive or refuse it.

Both the judge and the lawyer said they had protected scores of notes, and each remained of the opinion stated

they had protected scores of notes, and each remained of the opinion stated in the first instance. Mr. Alkman contended that he might have a note coming due and go to the bank an hour before the maturity of the note and leave the money with the teller, notifying him to pay it when the note was

fying him to pay it when the note was presented a few minutes later.

His honor said he did not think the teller would take the money.

Mr. Alkman remarked: "Can you imagine a bank refusing money?"

His honor replied: "Supposing someone brought money to you and said, 'Pay this for me.' I don't think you'd take the said of the said of the said.

Mr. Aikman (after a second's reflection): "I think I should."
His honor: "Not without chargin for the service?"
Mr. Aikman: "That may be."
His honor reserved judgment.

#### WORK WAY FROM VICTORIA

Man From Vancouver Given Chan Return to the Mainland.

The result of the hearing given Her bert McDonald this morning by the leased on suspended sentence and advised to find work which would earn him the means of paying his fare back to Vancouver.

McDonald got here on the night boat

McDonald got here on Sunday morn-

from the mainland on Sunday morn-ing, and during the afternoon he was found begging from citizens, for which offence he was "vagged" by Constable McPherson on Yates street about half-

Term in the Jail.

The police court on the serious charge of supplying ilquor to Indians, the office when McDonald day last.

Thomas, a Nitinat Indian who is now serving a term for being drunk, and his wife Josephine gave evidence that pelegren had come to the house where they are living on Douglas street, near Discovery, and brought back a quart of whiskey, of which both of them had some, as well as the sailor. John Simpson, who lives near the house where the lindians are, had his wife some as well as the sailor visiting at a house where white people were not living, and he saw him go in and the wife of the proprietor, each of the man water for the proprietor, each of the man distance and accosting all the passers-by. When are the passers-by. When are the passers-by. When are the passers-by. When are the session.

Louis Martin and Andrew Nichols were in a hotel office when McDonald denied that the head been for fifty cents, and on Using refused said he would see them later.

Mike Pelegren, a salior in the Canadaccosting all the passers-by. When are accosting all the passers-by. When are asked by the association with any special family in mind should send in the names of such arrange ments may be made to provide them mind should send to provide them mind should send to provide them mind should send in the names of such arrange ments may be made to provide them mind should send in the names of such arrange ments may be made to provide them mind should send in the names of such arrange ments may be made to provide them mind should send in the names of such arrange ments may be made to provide them mind should send in the names of such arrange ments may be made to provide them where he made to provide them with a hamper. The rooms after December 13 will be open from 9.30 a. m. to 5 p. m. and by that time it is hoped the would send in the name of provide them which a hamper in a hamper of provide them with a hamper of the provide them with a hamper of provide them with a hamper of provide them with a hamper of prov

and the headquarters at which each nowledges with grateful thanks the canvasser in the Y.M.C.A. Dollar Day campaign must report on Saturday vember: Cash from the city, the Boundard of the Bo

PHONES

WEST END Grocery Co., Ltd. People's

# Let's Talk About Groceries

Starting with the fact that we have one of the finest stocks on the Pacific Coast-a fact which can be confirmed by a visit to our store. When we talk about Groceries we know our subject -know the suppliers-know the goods.

NOTHING BUT THE BEST IS GOOD ENOUGH FOR OUR CUSTOMERS

AND OUR PRICES POSITIVELY DEFY COMPETITION Royal Chili Sauce, large bottle C. & B. Sweet Pickle, bot. 25¢

Rowat's Chow Pickles, large bot-

Red Letter Peaches, sliced. 45c

Reg. 40c. 2 for ...... Bonnar's Seedless Raisins, 16-oz.

 Xmas Bon Bons, \$2.50 a box to
 15¢

 Xmas Tea Sets for the children, \$1.25 to
 10¢

 Xmas Stockings, \$3.00 to
 5¢

 Xmas Baskets of all kinds
 All Prices

 Xmas Baskets of all kinds
 10¢

 Xmas Chocolates, \$5.00 a box to
 10¢

Y. W. C. A. FOREIGN PAGENT Dec. 10, Old Victoria Theatre

CORNER GOVERNMENT AND BROUGHTON

#### SUBSCRIBE TO FUND

atriotic Mobilization Receives Further Subscriptions; Collectors Not Yet Through.

The patriotic mobilization commit The patriotic mobilization commit-tees are still busily at work collecting subscriptions for the Patriotic Ald fund, and although no official esti-mate has yet been made of the col-lections to date it is probable that is the end of the week half at least of the amount aspired to will be sub-scribed. Relatively few of the lists have been completed, so that the pros-pects of a considerably heavier total are better than they would have been had the collectors finished their work.

had the collectors finished their work In the various districts.

Subscriptions are being received at the headquarters, corner of Broad street and Trounce alley. The follow-ing are among the latest subscribers to the fund: B. Wilson & Co., \$1,000; R. P. Rithet & Co., \$600; Hudson's Bay Co., \$575.

## FRIENDLY HELP MEETS

Christmas Work Planned at To-day's Session; Gifts for Hampers Will Be Welcome.

The regular monthly meeting of the The regular monthly meeting for which offence he was "vagged" by Constable McPherson on Yates street about half-past two o'clock.

The constable told the court that he had seen the man walking into every store on the street for some distance and accosting all the passers—by When

LIST BEING PUBLISHED.

Canvassers for Y.M.C.A. Dollar-Day to Be Allotted to Districts on Thursday.

On Thursday there will be published in the columns of the Times a list of the manes of the canvassers and the headquarters at which each anvasser in the Y.M.C.A. Dollar Day sympalgn must report on Saturday.

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Lieuts, T. O. Alexander and H. E. Jekill.

This latter has been lent by a kind friend of the organization and will be occupied by a deserving family on the books of the association.

The following received in November were gratefully acknowledged by the association this morning:

The Friendly Help association acknowledged by the first of the manes of the canvassers at which each anvasser in the Y.M.C.A. Dollar Day sympalgn must report on Saturday following donations, received in hones a list of the manes of the canvassers at which each anvasser in the Y.M.C.A. Dollar Day sympalgn must report on Saturday.

Painter, Miss Bruce, Miss Mitchell, E.
J. Haughton, James Bay, hotel, Mrs.
Dickinson, Mrs. Duncan Ross, Mrs.
Galbraith, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. MacRae, Mrs. Moore, a sincere friend, Mrs.
A. T. Goward, Mrs. A. J. Young, E.

Potatoes from Jones & Rant. Vegetables from stall-holders is narket, Mrs. D. R. Ker, Mrs. F. Pem-

Salmon from Mrs. Wilson. Four boxes smoked salmon from ancouver Island Fisheries. Shoes from T. J. Goodlake. Two layettes from the Baby's Aid.

#### ROYAL MILITARY SCHOOL

Opened Yesterday at Work Point Under Supervision of Major Versturme Bunbury.

A Royal Military School course for nen wishing to qualify for captain's rank was opened yesterday at Work Point under the direction of Major Versturme Bunbury. The personnel of the school is as follows:

the school is as follows:

6th Regiment, D. C. O. R., Vancouver-Lieuts, J. A. Cresswell, J. H.

Roaf, E. B. Duncan, C. B. Garland, P.

beld D. S. Honeyman and C. H. D. Roberts-

son.
11th Regiment, Irish Fusillers, 7an-couver-Lieuts, H. T. M. Love, A. W. Street. F. Lawton ent, Prince Rupert-Lieut,

68 Regiment, Prince Rupert—Lieut, J. F. Brandt. 72nd Regiment, Scaforth Highland-ers, Vancouver—Lieuts, E. J. H. Car-

# To the City Taxpayers

You are cordially invited to attend the annual meeting of the Civic Retrenchment. Association, which will be held in the Board Room, Belmont Bidg, topposite the Post Office), on Tuesday evening, December 7, at 8 o'clock sharp, for the purpose and to receive the auditor's report, and to impress on the City Council and the School Board the very urgent necessity for further curtailment in their expanditure for 1916.

F. J. O'REILLT.

# The Island's Best

show that our climatic conditions are so favorable that an all-the-year-round school can be maintained here.

"Should the school come here: in the first place it would be a vindication of our claims for a suitable climate day at the navy department that the (which has already been established to have the school come of the school come

presents more favorable climatic advantages than anywhere else in Canada for the conduct of a school of aviation, and the two gentlemen who spoke were appointed a committee to prepare a memorial to the Dominion government sejting forth the facts, and to act in the matter.

23.8 east. One man injured seriously."

The commander of the cruiser said he had obtained from the commander of the Petrolite additional information that the submarine which attacked the Petrolite flew the Austrian flag, and looked like a big cruising submarine.

NO FORMAL APPLICATION ABOUT MOUNT ROBSO Ottawa, Dec. 7.—Apparently there no immediate prospect of the name marine.

## SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES

Results of First-Aid Examination Conducted by Dr. C. Denton Holmes.

Dr. C. Denton Holmes, the examiner or Victoria of the St. John's Ambu- AUSTRIANS SEARCHED lance association, this morning an-nounced the list of successful candi-dutes for the first aid certificates in the examination recently held at the

the examination recently held at the Y. M. C. A. The class was conducted by Dr. Melbourne Rayner. Fifty-five entered the examination, and the following were successful: Victor Bartholomew, Frank Crompton, Alfred Dowall, Hugh A. Gourlay, Edward J. Greig, Arthur T. Hickling, John O. Jones, William J. King, Walter H. Lambert, Thomas H. Laundy, Norman G. Lee, George Leeming, Victor Leigh, John R. Low, Robert Marwick, Robert Morrison, Archibaid McMillian. Robert Morrison, Archibald McMillan, Henry F. Noakes, Harry C. Osborne, Earl J. Parker, William Penman, Alex-fuder Ronald, Alfred Shroeder, Wm. H. Settle, Robt. J. C. Smith, Ernest R. Tarling, Arthur Urry, Bruce H. Wal-lace, Thomas W. Webster, Edward W. White, Ernest G. Wildespsoon, Archie H. Wills, John Woolcock.

My candidates who completed the written examination but not the prac-tical part of the test should make ar-rangements to call on Dr. Holmes at his residence, Quadra street, any even-ing between 6 and 8 o'clock.

We Deliver Immediately—Anywhere Phone your order 4253 THE HUDSON'S BAY CO WINE DEPARTMENT
1812 Douglas St. Open till 10 p. m.

Messina, Dec. 7.—The Greek mail to be considered until the J steamer Spetzai, arriving here to-day, reported that she had been intercepted and searched by an Austrian sub-marine off Cape Spartivente. Although Serbian officers were aboard, sel was allowed to proceed.

# **AUSTRIAN SHIPS SHELLED**

were sunk, the dispatch says.

French Red Cross.-Arrangements French Red Cross.—Arrangements are made by a French committee, including M. and Mme. Pichon, M. and Mme. Robillard, M. and Mme. Pauly, Mme. Holder and Mile. LeRoy, for a tea to be given in aid of the French Red Cross. The tea will be held in the Cak Bay hotel on December 18. Mr. Virtue has kindly donated a beautiful kopard skin to be raffled on that occasion. The tickets are twenty-five casion. The tickets are twenty-five cents each, and the skin is on view at Angus Campbell's store. Mr. Pichon also has contributed a very old and

# SPENT THOUSANDS; PLAN FRUSTRATED

of our claims for a suitable climate (which has already been established to the satisfaction of the scientific world by the location of the scientific world by the location of the scientific world by the location of the big telescope here), and in the second place the expenditure in connection with the school (to be followed, I hope, by a factory), would be of considerable value directly to our business men.

"The matter is of sufficient consequence, I believe, to warrant you in calling a meeting of the council of the board of trade to consider the necessary steps to be taken to influence the Ottawa authorities to revise their decision to send the boys to England rather than have them trained in Canada. And I believe the matter is urgent."

From the discussion which took place following the remarks of Messrs McCurdy and Blakemore the opinion prevails among the members of the council that it can be established beyond question that Vancouver Island presents more favorable climatic advantages than anywhere else in Canada for the conduct of a school of avia."

The commander of the

# ABOUT MOUNT ROBSON

that the submarine which attacked the Petrolite flew the Austrian flag, and looked like a big cruising submarine.

The man who was wounded was struck by a fragment of an explosive shell fired from the submarine. The attack took place about 350 miles west of Alexandria, and just off the western end of the island of Crete, distant about 120 miles.

AUSTRIANS SEARCHED

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—Apparently there is no immediate prospect of the name of mount Robson, British columbia, being changed to Mount Cavell in honor of the British nurse murdered by the Germans in Belgium. The suggestion was made by Sir Richard McBride, but up to noon to-day no formal application had been received from any one to have the change made. On the other hand a number of protests against the proposed change have been received.

The geographic board held its month-GREEK MAIL VESSEL by meeting to-day, so there is no further opportunity for a formal proposal The geographic board held its m meeting.

#### R. D. WAUGH RE-ELECTED MAYOR OF WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Dec. 7,—R. D. Waugh was re-elected unopposed as Mayor of Win-nipeg at the nominations this after-noon. Controller J. W. Cochburn was SAN GIOVANNI DE MEDU

Geneva, Dec. 7.—An Austrian squadron from Cattaro bombarded San Giovanni de Medu, Albania, Dec. 5. according to a dispatch received here today from Scutari. A Greek vessel carrying arms and ammunition to Montenegro, and an Italian vessel were sunk, the dispatch says.

#### CONFERENCE ANNOUNCED BY SKOULOUDIS TO-DAY

Athens, Dec. 7.—An agreement for a fate conference of Greek military suthoristies and military representatives of the entente powers to examine into and report upon the necessities of the situation respecting the allies' demands upon Greece has been reached, and the preliminary steps toward holding the conference have been taken, Premier Skouloudis announced to-day.

Phoenix Beer-2 qts., for 250

# **DEVELOPMENTS ARE** EXPECTED SHORTLY

Von Rintelen was in this country from April to August 3. After he had left the country and ceased supplying money, the activities of Labor's Na-tional Peace Council dwindled and came to an end.

#### WILL BLOCK GERMAN INTRIGUES IN CHINA

#### LABORATORY DESTROYED.

#### PROHIBITION IN N. B.

Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 7.-The New Brunswick branch of the Dominion Alliance has determined to make a demand for prohibition in New Brun-swick. "Prohibition and nothing else" is to be the slogan.

#### OPENING ON JANUARY 12.

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—It is practically certain that parliament will meet on Wednesday, January 12. An anouncement to this effect is expected after a meeting of the cabinet this

#### BORDEN GOING SOUTH.

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—A quiet time is in prospect in political circles until after Christmas. Sir Robert Bordén is to go south for Christmas and some oth-ers of the ministers also will be ab-

#### **BRITTANIC WILL BE USED AS HOSPITAL SHIP**

manufacture of munitions.

Mr. Marshall's statement followed announcement that C. H. Canode, printer of the council, and William F. Kramer, of the International Brothershood of Blacksmiths and an official of the council, had been subpoensed to come to this city from Chicago to teach council that a new abord this morning that a new abord this morning that a new abord the beard had been named the person of Mr. Perry, who was not time connected with the coloning that the coloning time of the board had been named the person of Mr. Perry, who was not time connected with the coloning time of the board had been named the person of Mr. Perry, who was not time connected with the coloning time of the board had been named the person of Mr. Perry, who was not time connected with the coloning time of the united States attorney says:

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METAL MARKET.
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NEW YORK COTTON MARKET. (By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

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- 10	The Island's Best WELLINGTON COAL		PLAN FRUSTRATED	EXPECTED SHORTLY	London. Dec. 7.—It is learned that the Brittanic, the 50,000-ton White	T. W. BILVE	NSON & CO.	
		ay-at-home fire, you must have the			Star liner just completed, is to be used as a hospital ship. She will be		CKS	16
	LUMP, \$7.00 Per Ton. NUT	(largest in the city) \$6.00 Per Ton	Rintelen, German, Succeeded	Authorities Busy at San Fran- cisco Investigating Bomb	equipped with 6,000 beds.  The Mauretania, which was visited		BONDS	
	HALL &	WALKER Dunsmuir) Ltd., Wellington Coals.	in Causing Only Few Strikes in States	Conspiracy Conspiracy	at Naples by the American, Danish and Swedish consuls to refute the Ger- man allegations that she was being	104-106 Pemberton	Building Tel. 362	
12	1232 Government Street.	Phone 83	New York, Dec. 7.—United States	San Francisco, Dec 7 Important	used for transporting munitions while posing as a hospital ship, has made it possible to bring wounded from the Dardanelles to this country in a week.			
	WILL URGE CLAIMS OF	GREEK GOVERNMENT	District Attorney Marshall declared to-day that Franz von Rintelen, the	the nation-wide conspiracy were fore- shadowed to-day. Increased activity	revolutionizing the schedule of the or- dinary hospital craft.	(G/69/64)	neioles	
	AN AVIATION SCHOOL	PLAYING FOR TIME	German agent, who is accused of hav- ing come to this country armed with a large corruption fund to incite	was apparent in federal circles. At the same time the veil of secrecy with which the officials have guarded their	CITIZENS OF WARSAW	GUU	None &	•
	AN ATIATION OCHOOL	m - Land	strikes in munitions factories, and who financed Labor's National Peace	movements was more closely drawn. A special meeting of the federal	SUPPORT PROHIBITION		JEWO.	
	Board of Trade Takes Up Mat-		council, now under investigation, was "double-crossed" by the labor men he tried to corrupt.	row to deal with the rapidly accumu- lating mass of evidence the govern-	ceived here from Warsaw says that	SALES OF STANDARD	BEARS IN STOCKS	
-	ter and Will Forward Mem- orial to Ottawa	Says Athens Correspondent of Paris Matin	Mr. Marshall said that despite the expenditure of several hundred thou-	corps of private detectives, have been gathering for weeks past.	the Russian law prohibiting the use of all alcoholic beverages was to be instructed cancelled in the future, a			
	Government action and aid in the		sand dollars, von Rintelen failed to accomplish his mission in any effec- tive manner. He gave the major credit	morrow night against Charles C. Crowley and Baron George Wilhelm	deputation of the citizens of Warsaw	LEAD MADE TO-DAY	ARE UNCOMFORTABLE	
	establishment of an aviation school here will be urged by the board of	pondent of the Matin, in a dispatch re- lative to the attitude of Greece toward	for von Rintelen's failure to the stand taken by high officials in labor organi-	bills being returned against others who	tained.	Outside Demand Continues in	Strong Tendency to Resist	
	actively. A memorial is to be prepared, and this will be sent forward at once to	"The government is simply playing for time, hoping that the entente pow-	zations.  "Rintelen succeeded in corrupting only some subordinates," Mr. Marshall	ject of considerable speculation. Neither Franz Bopp, German con-	TO-DATS THADING ON	Issue; Granby Up	Selling Pressure Apparent in Street	18
-	Text Text Text Text Text Text Text Text	Austro-Germans and Bulgarians. It will be found in a week or so that an	said, "and he was beautifully double- crossed. The real labor leaders took prompt steps to check his activities. Save for a few small strikes, none of	vice-consul, appeared before the grand jury at yesterday's session. This gave	fluctuations and very uneven trading	One Dollar	III Street	Nec 1
5.0	president of the Victoria Aero club, and the points brought out in the letter were backed up by Mr. McCurdy, and	allied staffs cannot be reached, and that the government will declare that,	his efforts were successful, and all the strikes he did instigate were killed	subpoenaed owing to the possibility	Winnipeg market closed with Dec. 109ja	first at \$1.92 and lastly at \$1.94, while bid	New York, Dec. 7The stock list has	
	the state of the	goodwill toward the entente powers, it	of the unions.	the state department at Washington	Dec. and Sc. for May.	level	greeted the re-assembling of congress by a good advance in response to well de- fined indications of a favorable message	
	"Your board is aware of the fact that the decision of the Ottawa au-	only effective course is to apply a blockade to Greece, and adds: "It will be all the more fruitful in	dollars. He had \$500,000 to his credit in	had with the conspiracy.	wheat trade was good all morning, ex-	quiry, which was no less prevalent at	ecutive and to indications of a concerted	
		results since popular discontent with the royal policy is growing perceptibly.	Mr. Marshall refused to comment on David Lamar's activities in the scheme	TO STIR UP STRIKES	there was considerable buying also to	Granby strode upward one dollar and	modity markets, especially in view of the	
	who has recently visited Victoria, was passing through the snow and ice of	have been beaten, but now, notwith-	not be called as a witness before the grand jury, a proceeding which might	IN MUNITIONS PLANTS	were taken and premiums were without change all morning. The weakness which developed in the future market was due to a number of causes. The market was	Other prices moved indifferently, act-	the same, of course, spelling huge ton- nage for the raikfords as well as greater prosperity for the agricultural sections, also was a factor. Efforts of late to de-	* A.
	arrived here he was surprised to find	likely to get a majority. A blockade not	Rintelen is said to have financed La-		top heavy on the start. For the moment the public interest has stackened and the storm on the lakes, indicating delay in	Flackbird Syndicate	pross securitles prices and provoke out-	
	opinion that the two hundred flying	Greece's sole source of wealth. Con-	If sufficient evidence is produced in- dictments will be sought against labor	Peace Was Not Object of Labor's National Peace	shipping was also a bear factor. Coarse grains were dull in the Canadian market	Crow's Nest Coal	come inclined to retreat rather vigorowsly. Then, too, the bulls have gained courage and now are using aggressive tactics on	
	school it was up to the Victoria people to make a move in the matter.	agitated and business sireles are	Mr. Marshall said these men could be prosecuted under the Sherman law on	Council in States	May	Lucky Jim Zine084 .09	the up side. High Low Bid Alaska Gold 232 231 23 Allis-Chalmers 335 324 321	
	"Statistics from the weather bureau (Mr. Denison) will establish beyond a doubt that our winter climate-com-	SUBMARINE ATTACKED	the ground that they had conspired to restrain the trade of the United States in munitions.	New York, Dec. 7.—United States At-	Oats- Dec 412 412 May 432 422 Flax-	McGillivray Coal   .14 .17     .14   .17     .14   .17     .17     .18   .19     .18   .19     .18   .19     .18   .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19     .19   .19     .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19   .19	Do., pref 829 82 814	
	pares favorably with that of any part of England, and that our summer chimate is better, because it is drier,	AMERICAN STEAMSHIP	Rintelen is at present in London, held a prisoner by the British authori- ties. Mr. Marshall says his offence is	torney H. Snowden Marshall, in a statement issued late yesterday after-	Dec	Standard Lead	Amn. Beet Sugar	~
	"Whether the boys come here or not therefore, is a matter of policy, plus the expense of sending them from To-		not extraditable. Samuel Gompers, the labor leader, who has made re- peated statements in public that he knew strikes were being engineered by	which convinces him that the organiza- tion known as "Labor's National Peace	100; 2 Nor., 106; 3 Nor., 103; No. 4, 1004 Oats-2 C. W., 42; 3 C. W., 405; extra 1	Slocan Star	Ann. Steel Foundry         64½         63½         63½         63½         63½         63½         63½         63½         63½         63½         63½         63½         63½         63½         63½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½         70½	
	conto to Victoria. Cap Victorians, change the decision already announced by the Ottawa authorities by urging, in the first place, that Canadian boys		agents of foreign powers, may appear	Eintelen, now held in a British prison,	Flax-1 N. W., 183; 2 C. W., 180.	American Marconi         3.75         4.00           Canadian Marconi         1.00         1.25	Amn. Sugar	
	should be trained in Canada if possible, and, second, by furnishing evidence to show that our climatic conditions are	Fired on Petrolite; One Man Wounded	ton from the west.	Mr. Marshall's statement followed	MONTREAL STOCKS	Island Investment	B. & O	
	so favorable that an all-the-year-round school can be maintained here.  "Should the school come here: in the	Washington, Dec. 7.—Word from the	PERRY IS ADDED TO THE MUNITIONS BOARD	announcement that C. H. Canode, print- er of the council, and William F. Kramer, of the International Brother-	(By P. A. Borden & Co.)  Montreal, Dec. 7.—To-day's local market	Portland Tunnels	C. P. R	
	first place it would be a vindication of our claims for a suitable climate (which has already been established to	cruiser Des Moines was received to- day at the navy department that the	Ottawa, Dec. 7.—W. L. Hichens, Rt.	the council, had been subpoensed to come to this city from Chicago to tes-	well during the morning session, with Dominion Bridge showing a gain at one time of two dollars, and Nova Scotia	Pingree Mines	C. & G. W	
	the satisfaction of the scientific world	call out last Saturday off Crete was the Standard Oil tanker Petrolite,	representative on the munitions board.	tify before the grand jury in an inves- tigation of the organization.		150 Standard Lead	Colo. Fuel & Iron	3. 1

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And \$4.50 Pipe Racks, \$1.35 Inkstands, \$2.25 and ... \$2.70 Book Stands, \$3.60, \$4.50 and Jardinieres, \$3.15

Pen Wipers ... 68¢ Paper Knives, Paper Weights, at each . ... \$1.35 Paper Weights, at each ... \$1.35 68¢ and ... 77c Paper Clips, \$1.35 Tie Racks, \$1.13 \$1.13 and ... \$2.25 Stationery Holders for . . . . \$2.70 Smoker's Tray \$2.70 Fern Dishes, \$3.60 Candlesticks, each, only . . . \$3.15



# TENTATIVE ESTIMATES SHOW A DECREASE

Figures of \$1,898,330 Submitted in City Council for Coming Year's Budget

are a slight decrease on those for the current year.

In moving that the council should go into committee of the whole on Friday evening, Alderman McNeill, chairman of the finance committee, made a brief statement.

He remarked there was a cut of \$100,000 on the current year, and he thought after a careful examination of the various items, that the figures could be cut down another \$100,000. That was not, however, the total debt, as it did not touch the debt for waterworks and schools, which in all raised the total to \$746,374. He hoped the public would also appreciate that in four items—debt, education, police and fire departments—a sum of \$1,228,137 was required, over which the council.

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The estimates now before the council are based upon the actual outlays the power to still the hope to council outlay the development of the province.

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for this year, and include the follow-

City debt\$	460,303
Municipal council	7,000
Legal department	7,139
Civie salaries	37,478
City institutions	357,968
Buildings	39,600
Miscellaneous	73,350
Education	340,184
Board of health	45,972
Waterworks	250,253
Works department	279,088
Total 1	. 666 999
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City institutions will require the following estimated outlays: Store, \$2,364; cemetery, \$4,859; parks, \$20,-276; pound, \$2,837; police, \$90,584; fire department, \$146,580; library, \$14,000; street lighting, \$44,547; public market, \$16,932; home for aged, \$31,-452; labor bureau, \$1,880. The chief items under the head of "miscel-inneous" are: Charitable aid fund, \$7,500; publicity grant, \$7,000; printing and stationery, \$7,000; telephone service, \$4,000; Children's Aid society, \$4,400; motor car maintenance, \$2,560; local improvement assessments on city property, \$12,500; taxes in other municipalities, \$2,500.

The fire department estimates of

cipalities, \$2.500.

The fire department estimates of \$146,580 include \$37,500 for water and rent of hydrants; the waterworks department figures of \$250,253 include ment, \$16,130; streets, sidewalks, \$102,600; sanitary work, \$103,956; sewerage maintenance, \$31,-100; plant account, \$9,405. The items included under the head of streets, included under the head of bridges and sidewalks cover \$3,500 for Rock Bay bridge; \$6,000 for the Hereward street bridge; \$5,000 for Suffolk street worft; \$9,000 for oiling roads; \$4,000 for Shelbourne street, and \$8,500 or temporary sidewalks, culverts, etc.

SUPERFLUITIES SALE.

ive Stock Auction To-day; Another Sale at Belmont Block To-morrow Afternoon at 2 o'Clock.

There will be a superfluities auction sale to-morrow afternoon at the Bellmont block when Henry Pearce and P. W. Jones will sell a quantity of goods donated for the benefit of the Red Cross society. The sale will begin at 2.30 and last until 4 o'clock.

Articles donated for the sales are on view at the stores of the Belmont block, and have been valued for store sale. Persons destring to you without

and more, people with chest and throat troubles have tried to cure them by pouring cough syrups, lung tonics and the like into their stomachs. All a mistake! The Peps way is different.

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# ROUNDLY CONDEMNED

cusses Retarding of Country by Areas Tied Up

land or else give it up, and one foreign

"Next year,' said the mayor, 'after the P. G. E. gets under way some-thing should be done to settle the land question in this district. We should either make them work the land or else have it revert back to the gov-ernment so that bonafide settlers may set it."

get it.
"That is one of the principal things
which is keeping this city and this
country back, said Alderman Livingstone. Practically all the land in this
district—at least all the good land—is
in the hards of seculative commander. in the hands of speculative companies.

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Laughter.)

Alderman Todd, while sympathizing of government this province has I with the sentiment expressed, ex-

know. It that doesn't snow what kind of government this province has I don't know what would."
"Alderman Ruggies, who had just re-turned from Vanderhoof, said that a firm with headquarters in Omaha, Neb.,

#### HOW TO PREVENT ACID STOMACHS AND **FOOD FERMENTATION**

By a Stomach Specialist.

By a Stomach Specialist.

As a specialist who has spent many years in the study and treatment of the conclusion that most people who complain of, stomach trouble, possess stomachs that are absolutely healthy and normal. The real trouble, that which causes all the sain and difficulty, is achigh the stomach busually due to, or aggrating that full bloated feeling. Thus both acid and fermentation causes wind which distends the stomach abnormally, causing that full bloated feeling. Thus both acid and fermentation interfere with and retard the process of digestion. The stomach is usually healthy and normal, but irritated almost past endurance by the stomach is usually healthy and normal, but irritated almost past endurance by the stomach distinct the city garbage was foreshadowed in a report from the sanitary committee to he city council last evening.

In the posses of digestion of the atomach difficulties the first and only step necessary is to neutralize the acid and stop the fermentation by taking in a little warm or cold water immediately after eating from one lo two teaspoonfuls of bleurated magnesia, which is doubtless the best and conceptored to digest the food in healthy, normal manner. Be sure to ask your druggest for the bleurated magnesia, as I have found other forms utterly lacking in its peculiarly vallable propering these. At the work of the city connected that the tenders were invited again, they should be of an alternative character, as the recommended that the tenders were invited again, they should be of an alternative character, and the fermentation stopped almost instantly, and your stomach will at once proceed to digest the food in healthy, normal manner. Be sure to ask your druggest for the bleurated magnesia, as I have found other forms utterly lacking in its peculiarly vallable propering the concepts of the city of the council and court of the city to furnish the tug and sepws. Captain the tender should not be council and decided to have the alternative character, and the fermentation should b

sale. Persons desiring to buy without attending the auctions can do so.

There is a sale of livestock being held this afternoon by Francis and Hemingway, Fisgard street. For the sale to-morrow afternoon there are no catalogues, but articles will be exhibited and described.

at Higher Average Price.

John Rogers, Secretary of the Rogers Lumber Company, Minneapolis, which has a chain of mills and yards in the sale to-morrow afternoon there are no catalogues, but articles will be exhibited and described.

city and registered at the Empress hotel.

Mr. Rogers foresees a bright future for the lumber industry, which has been passing through somewhat of a depression not only in the European market but on this continent as well. The prospects for a good trade next spring he considers excellent, and, a higher average price will be established, he thinks.

The war has taken a lot of lumber to Europe for various purposes, and the necessities of reconstruction after the war is over will take a great deal more. Mr. Rogers estimates the orders that have been placed with American mills by the allies as about two

ders that have been placed with American mills by the allies as about two hundred million feet, which have largely gone from the yellow pine areas of the south. In the past four months the price of this wood has risen

months the price of this wood has risen five dollars.

There has been a great demand for spruce also, this being in large use for aeroplanes, and the prices for it have jumped very high, Mr. Rogers says. The Oregon lumbermen have supplied a lot of this.

In the eastern states he looks for an increased demand from the railways, which have not been buying very much for some years, and have not been giving the large orders that used to be the case,

# REJECT PROPOSAL TO SECURE POWERS

Prince George Council Dis- Council Does Not Agree That General Principle of Relief Should Be Established

seeking power to relieve oppress

The matter came up in a resolution standing in the name of Alderman Dilworth, to imagic the city solicitor to incorporate in the private bill an application to the legislature for general powers permitting the city council to give relief to property owners from local improvement assessment by a three-fourths majority of the council approving of the resolution.

Alderman Dilworth thought it would be better to have the power, which was only a just one. Every city should nave the privilege through its council of coming to the relief of its citizens on local improvements. Much city work had been done without judgment,

past. In his opinion have to be given.

Alderman Bell said that relief should extend not merely to local improvements but to expropriations. He doubted if special legislation should be asked for Victoria only because it is would be better to have such powers to all municipalities. Then would be better to have such powers given to all municipalities. Then again it should be appreciated just how far the city would be prepared to go, having additional information at its disposal. When a sub-committee ats disposal. When a sub-committee had been appointed to deal with the subject, it was scarcely necessary to proceed just now. Alderman Porter did not believe the

Alderman Porter did not benefitied was opportune. The most serious cases were those of expropriations who did particularly for the owners who did not get a cent out of the compensation awarded. "We should have large dep-utations waiting on us," he added, "and

be soon enough to press for action. He thought that some solution would come ultimately, though as times were getting worse, the conditions were more difficult to meet.

Alderman McNeill illustrated the Pendergast street case, where the own-

Pendergast street case, where the early adjacent got nothing. Here, he said, relief must be given. It was essential that sooner or later the question must be faced, but perhaps it might wait for a couple of years.

Alderman McCandless associated himself with the other aldermen's re-

The mover, Alderman Dilworth, said My only contention is that it is a right which we should have." He wanted afraid of delegations influencing

Alderman Bell showed that the sche-Minneapolis Lumberman Thinks Prospects for Spring Trade Are Good, gers to compete with the city, and the contract not to commence till

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Campaign for \$200,000

is Progressing.

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Heifer Calves. The above cows are all milking except one, which is due to calve in March. Take B. C. E. R. to wilkinson Station. This ranch is about 150 yards from the station on Wilkinson road. The cows will be on view morning of sale. Full particulars will be given as to amount of milk received from each cow and when bred.

# **NOTE OF OPTIMISM**

Mr. Brewster Looks for Great Progress Under Sane Government

#### LIBERAL LEADER GIVES HIS VIEWS IN WINNIPEG

onfident in Future With Mc-Bride-Bowser Cabinet Removed From Power

On Thursday H. C. Brewster, pro-vincial leader of the Liberal party, was in Winnipeg, and was welcomed there-by Premier Norris and other leading Liberals of Manitoba. He was inter-viewed by the Free Press on conditions in this province, business and political, and is reported in that paper as fol-TO PATRIOTIC AID Incomplete Lists Show How

Prohibitionists of British Columbia will not be satisfied with Sir Richard McBride's offer of a piebiscite only, at the time of a general election. This spinion was expressed at the Royal Alexandra last night by H. C. Brewster, Liberal leader in British Columbia, Mr. Brewster has been east on a business trip and departs for the west to day.

In the course of the interview, Mr. Brewster outlined the position of the Liberal party of British-Codumbia on the temperance question, predicted a provincial election before next June, and sounded a very high note of optimism regarding the wonderful natural resources of the province. He also hinted at the awakening of the public conscience over recent disclosures, and pointed encouragingly to the fact that the Liberal party was now well organized and in a position to carry on the business of the province in a sane and businesslike manner.

ized and in a position to carry on the business of the province in a sane and businessilke manner.

Referring to Sir Richard McBride's declaration of Wednesday that he would grant a plebiscite on the occasion of the next election in regard to the liquor question, Mr. Brewster stated that the request of the prohibitionists was for a referendum. They wanted a bill similar to the Alberta act, and very strong delegations met the prevery strong delegations met the pre-mier and the abinet asking that such a bill be referred and at a time other than at an election, believing, as almost everybody does, that public sentiment would be expressed more clearly and definitely at a time other than during

olitical stress. Attitude of Liberal Party.

They then approached the Liberal party, and the executive of the Provin-cial Liberal association met and point-ed out that, as the prohibitionists wished the question kept entirely free from political influence and as a refer-endum was asked instead of a plebis-

do not the prohibitionists of the complete of

Heifer Calves. The above cows are all milking except one, which is due to calve in March. Take B. C. E. R. to Wilkinson Station. This ranch is about 160 yards from the station on Wilkinson road. The cows will be on view morning of sale. Full particulars will be given as to amount of milk received from each cow and when bred. MAYNARD & SONS, Auctioneers

Artist—"You see, we moderns strive for the purgation of the superfluous, which throws the accent on the linner urge. Do you follow me?" Friend—"No. a corn for all time. No pain. Curs wy "Putnam's" Extractor to-day.

Investigation Needed.

In reply to a question regarding the allegation resently made against certain British. Columbia ministers receiving presents from large corporations, Mr. Browster said. "That is a matter more or less sub fudice at the present time, but it is deplorable to night, and corns feel of such presents from corporations of the legislature being recipients of such presents from corporations of the legislature being recipients of such presents from corporations of the legislature being recipients of such presents from corporations of the legislature being recipients of the legislature being recipients of such presents from corporations of the legislature being recipients of such presents from corporations, and the matter more of less sub fudice at the present in the morning. Magical the way "Putnam's" that is deplorable to hear of ministers of the legislature being recipients of such presents from corporations, and the matter more of less sub fudice at the present in the morning. Magical the way "Putnam's" that is a dilegation recently made against certain British Columbia ministers receivals presents from legislaton recently made against certain British Columbia ministers receivals presents from large certain British Columbia ministers receivals presents from large certain British Columbia ministers receivals presents from legislaton recently made against certain British Columbia ministers receivals presents from legislaton recently made

# TORTURED BY RHEUMATISM

#### Sunday School Supt. Tells How "Fruit-a-tives" Relieved

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all phases of government activity in the province, as many things, such as Indian reserves, the deplorable failure of the Dominion Trust, and other seri

of the Dominion Trust, and other serious matters have had a great tendency to prejudice the public mind against our British Columbia institutions in other parts of the Dominion.

"Heretofore, the Liberals have not been organized in such a manner as to appeal to the general public of the province as the party to which they could turn for relief. At the present time, however, they are fairly well organized and with the candidates already in the field—there being 42 out of 47—the public may well turn to us for relief upon the declaration

# **AID FOR SOLDIERS** BACK FROM EUROPE

Notices Being Sent Throughout Province in Regard to the **Employment of Men** 

g-employment for soldiers back from the front, the Returned Soldiers' Aid sion (British Columbia) ending a circular to mayors, reeves and government agents throughout the province, explaining the work and askprovince, explaining the work and ask-ng co-operation. The secretary of the organization is located in the parlia-organization is located in the parlia-

al organization is located in the parliament buildings, and the minister of education, Dr. Young, is chairman.

The circular reads as follows:

"Your co-operation is asked in the endeavor to find employment for discharged goldiers who upon their return are physically and otherwise fit to assume such employment.

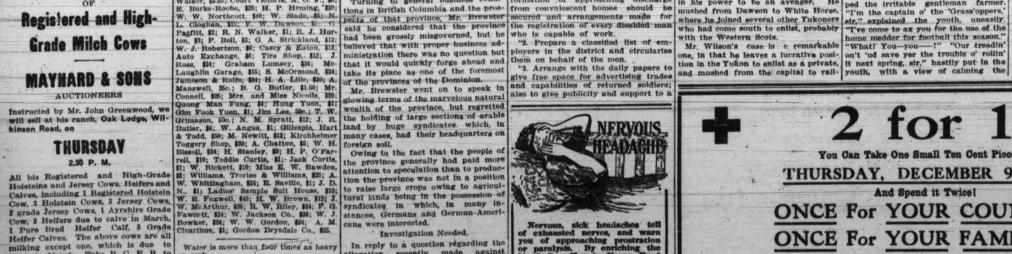
"It has been suggested by the Millitary Hospital commission that this matter may beet be handled by local committees which would arrange for openings in the districts from which the men were recruited. This has already been done at some points, and we shall be glad if you will advise us fully as to what, if any, steps have been taken in this direction by your centre.

The circular reads as follows:

"Lindeavor by personal solicitation.

"This commission feels that much will be accomplished by the hearty co-operation of all those interested in this matter, and we trust you will do everything in your power to further the work.

"It is expected that as far as possible the administration of the local employment committee will be voluntary. Should there be any operating expense entailed it could, no doubt, be provided by the local authorities or by voluntary contributions."





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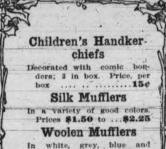
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