

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m., Wednesday: Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, and cold at night.

# Victoria Daily Times

Pantages—Vaudeville.  
Royal—Pioneer Trails.  
Capitol—Ziegler.  
Dominion—The Steadfast Heart.  
Pantages—The Last Round-up.  
Columbia—Driven.

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## BERLIN CLAIMS RHINELAND MOVEMENT BEING CRUSHED

### PRESBYTERIANS FIRE POINTED QUESTIONS AT UNION ADVOCATE

Opponents of United Church Tell Dr. George C. Pidgeon There is an Increasing Majority Against Movement; Burning Question Divides Conference in Victoria

Presbyterians in Victoria opposed to church union voiced their objections in an avalanche of questions showered upon Dr. George C. Pidgeon, of Toronto, chairman of the Presbyterian Unionists, at the conferences on church union yesterday at the Metropolitan Church. In connection with the sea to sea campaign, Dr. Pidgeon, Dr. J. A. Aikens, of the Young People's Methodist Church, Toronto; Dr. W. T. Gunn, of Toronto, secretary of the Congregational Union of Canada, spoke in Victoria at meetings yesterday and the great interest shown in the subject was evidenced by the large audiences.

**Rush of Questions**  
At the afternoon meeting, presided over by Dr. W. J. Sippell, questions were invited after Dr. Pidgeon had delivered an address in which he touched mainly on the legal aspect of church union, and that there was strenuous opposition was evidenced from the outset. There was an immediate rush of questions, and the chairman "waded" through 4500 upon to decide which of two members of the audience had the floor. When Dr. Pidgeon suggested the closure of the debate, which he had previously referred to as reaching the proportions of a "Presbyterian scrap," there were three questions on their feet anxious to put more queries to the Presbyterian church union advocate.

Throughout the discussion Dr. Pidgeon proved himself an accomplished debater and preserved his equanimity under the fire of opposition from his fellow Presbyterians. To prevent the debate becoming too heated, the chairman, Dr. Sippell requested both sides to refrain from applauding. In his address Dr. Pidgeon referred to the bill prepared to consummate church union. The bill, he said, dealt with incorporation and property matters which came under the civil law. No legislation for ecclesiastical church union was needed.

**Withdrawal Clause**  
The third clause of the bill, he pointed out, made provision for those who wished to withdraw from the United Church of Canada. The idea of the bill was to incorporate the church, the Methodist Church was incorporated. The Presbyterian Church was not, although it had many incorporated bodies under it. The idea of incorporation was to protect the civil rights of the church. The churches went into the United Church as entities, taking their rights and privileges with them.

**Explaining Procedure**  
Explaining the procedure of the Presbyterian Church, he said the Presbyterian Church was governed by the Presbyterian General Assembly, which had adopted the basis of church union. The Assembly could not act without sending it down to presbytery. This was done and the church as an organized entity decided to enter the union.

**CHANGED PLAN FOR TORONTO VIADUCT NOW IS URGED**  
Toronto, Oct. 22.—The presidents of the Canadian National Railway and the Canadian Pacific Railway have notified Mayor Maguire that they acknowledge the binding effect of the Railway Commission's order of 1912 calling for the construction of a viaduct along Toronto waterfront, but owing to changed conditions believe certain modifications should be made.

**BONAR LAW AGAIN IN PEAK CONDITION**  
Has Suffered Recurrence of Throat Trouble  
Constantly Under Care of Medical Advisers

London, Oct. 23.—Former Premier Bonar Law has had a recurrence of the throat trouble which caused him to resign the premiership and his condition is giving considerable worry to his friends.

Mr. Bonar Law suffered a chill a few days ago and is confined to his home with a cough. He is under the constant care of doctors, but his throat condition apparently is not readily amenable to treatment.

**1,500 AT CONVENTION**  
Washington, Oct. 22.—More than 1,500 delegates were for the first formal sessions of the annual convention of the United Typothetae of America to-day.

### Auto Accidents in U.S., Fatal and Non-Fatal, 31,604

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Carelessness by motorists and drivers of automobiles caused 31,604 fatal and non-fatal accidents in the United States during 1922, at a minimum financial loss of \$12,569,078, according to an estimate by the Chicago Safety Commission.

### FEARED EIGHTY MEN DROWNED

British Ss. Westmorland May Have Sunk Off Delaware S.O.S. Call Picked up Last Night; No Word To-day

Newport News, Va., Oct. 23.—S.O.S. calls purporting to come from the British steamship Westmorland were picked up here last night by the Danish steamship Phoenix, according to Capt. Gai, master of the Phoenix, who came ashore here to-day. The Westmorland was reported fourteen miles east of Five-Fathom Bank Lightship, off the Delaware Breakwater.

R. C. Thompson, British Vice-Consul here, said the Westmorland carried a crew of eighty officers and men.

Attempts to get in touch with her by wireless to-day proved futile and it is feared she went down with all hands.

### LOYD GEORGE VISITS THE HARDING TOMB

In Marion, Ohio, He Honors Memory of Late U.S. President

Talks With Mrs. Harding and Calls at Newspaper Office

Marion, Ohio, Oct. 23.—David Lloyd George, former Premier of Great Britain, arrived here early to-day to pay his respects to Mrs. Harding and do homage to the memory of President Harding by visiting his tomb here.

Lloyd George called at The Marion Star, the newspaper formerly owned by President Harding. He was then taken to the Harding home, and thence to the Marion cemetery, where he visited the Harding tomb.

The party then motored to the White Oaks farm, the home of Irling General C. E. Sawyer, where the British war-time Premier visited Mrs. Harding, who is temporarily making her home there.

### Statement at Party Conference Awaited; Premier Baldwin

Miss Darroch, Glasgow, and Miss Sharp, Australia, Are Prisoners of Bandits



### ELECTION TALK HEARD IN BRITAIN

Tariff Discussion at Height as Unionists Gather for Conference

Plans Baldwin Will Outline Subject of Greatest Interest

London, Oct. 23.—Great Britain may soon be preparing for another general election if the intimations appearing in today's newspapers are reliable. In a speech to the Unionist Party conference at Plymouth to be delivered on Thursday, Premier Baldwin, according to The Daily Express, is expected to propose an all-round protection of British industries by a scientific tariff.

It is not anticipated that he will suggest a tax on imported wheat or meat, but rather that the revenue from a tariff on imported manufactures be applied to subsidizing the Dominion in the production of meat, wheat and cotton. If this programme is adopted the Government will have to appeal to the country for its endorsement, because when the Conservatives came into power at the last election Mr. Bonar Law gave a pledge that there would be no radical change in the country's fiscal system during the life of the present Parliament.

Although not going quite as far as The Daily Express, some of the other newspapers, including The Morning Post and The Daily Telegraph, both of which are close to the Government, indicate the probability that the Premier will set forth a protectionist programme for future adoption which is likely to form the text of the widespread platform campaign arranged for the coming Winter.

### URGE PROTECTION FOR HOME BANK'S D.C. DEPOSITORS

Oliver Asks Ottawa to Take Steps to Aid Them

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### DELEGATES DISCUSS EMPIRE SHIPPING

One Gives Protection Against Foreign Discrimination

London, Oct. 23 (Special Cable to the Canadian Press by George Hambleton, Staff Correspondent).—Two resolutions of importance to shipping interests were adopted by the Empire Economic Conference, here to-day.

One of them, it is understood, provides that if any foreign nation should adopt discriminatory legislation against British shipping, the British Government would be consulted to see what action could be taken in the matter.

The other resolution provides for the temporary continuance of the Imperial Shipping Commission. The text of the resolution probably will be issued to-night.

### CHURCH WORKERS CAPTIVES IN CHINA

Lack of Co-operation in Efforts to Rescue Them Reported

Peking, Oct. 23.—The Piteful plight of two British missionaries, the Misses Mary Darroch, of Glasgow, Scotland, and Mary R. Sharp, of Millikent, South Australia, who were captured by bandits in Honan Province last month and are being held in the mountain strongholds of the outlaws, is described in dispatches from Kaifeng.

F. S. Joyce, another missionary who has been trailing the bandits in the hope of obtaining the release of the women, reported that he had just interviewed a messenger from the kidnappers who told of the extreme suffering and hardships undergone by the women since their capture. He said they had been dragged from place to place in the mountainous country of Honan and were clad only in thin, ragged garments.

The captives are said to have lost their bedding and extra clothing when they were taken, and are suffering from lack of food and shelter. The outlaws fled before the attack of the soldiers, abandoning their loot but holding the two missionaries, and the women in the hope that they can, like the Linching bandits, force enrolment in the army. The missionary captives, the messenger stated, are given but little to eat and are in a miserable condition.

The messenger said the leader of the bandits had sent him out for urgent necessities, giving him money to purchase them. Joyce said he was assembling these supplies in the hope of relieving the sufferings of the captives.

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"I will not ask the Federal Government to pay the depositors in full," Mr. Oliver stated this morning. "I could not commit myself to that plan. I have, however, asked Mr. Fielding to take whatever steps he possibly can to protect the depositors."

Uphill Plans Action  
The Home Bank smash and the difficulties of its British Columbia depositors will come before the Legislature during its forthcoming session, it is understood at the Parliament Buildings. Thomas Uphill, Labor member for Fernie, is expected to introduce a resolution on the subject.

People in Mr. Uphill's constituency of Fernie suffered in the collapse of the Home Bank and are asking their representative to do everything in his power to help them. Mr. Uphill is expected to arrive here late this week.

### ALBERT PANGORA, NEW YORK, SETS TYPEWRITER RECORD

New York, Oct. 22.—Writing 147 words a minute, a new world's record, Albert Pangora, New York, last night won the contest for professional typists, an annual feature of the National Shipping Commission.

George Hosefield, former holder of the world's record, was second.

### WINNIPEG MAY TEST CENTRAL STEAM HEATING SCHEME

Winnipeg, Oct. 23.—The City Council last night decided to submit a by-law to the ratepayers at the forthcoming civic election on November 25 for the establishment of an \$175,000 central steam heating plant. The ratepayers will be asked to pass on a debenture issue of \$550,000 and approve the scheme for co-ordinating a central steam heating plant with the hydro-stand-by plant.

### "COMMITTEE OF ACTION" NOW IN SAXONY, AND FIGHTING IN HAMBURG

Dresden, Saxony, Oct. 23.—A "Committee of Action" has been formed, with full power to call a general strike.

The occupation of all Government departments is expected soon.

Berlin, Oct. 23.—Disorders which started in Hamburg this morning were continuing this afternoon. Discontent with food prices caused the trouble, it is stated. Some of the police stations were stormed and some policemen were disarmed, but police reinforcements recaptured the stations. Many food shops were plundered.

London, Oct. 23.—Reports of Communist made concerted attacks on the police stations of Hamburg to-day, says the Berlin correspondent of the Central News. The Communists occupied all but three of the stations, which at the time the dispatch was filed (about noon) were still holding out.

Strikes have been proclaimed at the Vulcan, Jansen and Schullinsky dockyards in Hamburg, the correspondent asserts.

### GREEK MUTINEERS RETURN TO RANKS

Men Say They Were Duped by Their Officers

Greek Fleet Now Anchored Off Corinth

Athens, Oct. 23.—It is reported from Chalcis that most of the provincial soldiers who revolted under the leadership of General Metaxas, the royalist, are returning to the ranks. The men assert they were duped by their officers, whom they followed under the belief that they were wanted for regular service.

The Greek fleet is anchored off Corinth and the passage of any insurgents to the Mainland is impossible.

Government Winning  
London, Oct. 23.—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Athens this afternoon says the latest information shows the Government is dominating the situation arising from the revolt of the provincial garrison.

### DUE ON COAST TO-MORROW WEEK

Hon. T. A. Low Will Make Delayed Inspection

Is Expected to Pay Short Visit to This City

Hon. T. A. Low, Minister of Trade and Commerce, is expected on the coast at the end of next week. He has definitely notified the secretary of the Burrard Liberal Association that he will reach Vancouver to-morrow week, and will remain in that city for three days.

Leading Liberals here are endeavoring to bring the Minister to Victoria, but so far no definite arrangements have been made. There has been considerable delay in connection with the matter owing to Mr. Low having been engaged in Ottawa on freight rate matters; in fact a month ago it was stated that he would have to postpone his Western tour on that account. However, he started on the tour later, and is now on his way westward, fulfilling various engagements.

There are a number of matters in connection with the portfolio to which he recently succeeded which have a lively interest for Vancouver island, and there is little doubt that the various organizations here will wish to meet the Minister and present various subjects to him.

### Tangier Trade Development is Urged by U.S.

Paris, Oct. 23.—The State Department at Washington has made known to the powers represented in the conference over Tangier-Great Britain, France and Spain—that it takes for granted that any regime adopted for Tangier will be in accordance with the decisions of the Algeiras Conference as respects the "Open Door."

The Department's view was communicated in a sort of informal memorandum.

### THREAT OF GENERAL STRIKE IN BERLIN

Workingmen Want Payment in Stable Currency

Berlin Police Quelled Forty Disturbances Last Night

Berlin, Oct. 23.—Dr. Schacht, managing director of the Darmstadt Bank, said to-day that representatives of the Berlin workingmen had demanded payment of wages in stable currency within three days, declaring that otherwise a general strike would be proclaimed.

It costs \$550,000,000 marks to buy a loaf of bread, and the food situation continues to give rise to numerous small demonstrations, and occasionally a larger outbreak. The police were summoned last night to forty places where disturbances occurred, but quickly restored order.

1,300 Idle  
Berlin, Oct. 23.—A message from Essen reports that the August Thyssen works at Hamburg were closed because of financial difficulties. Thirteen hundred workers are idle.

### \$17,000,000 Ship Suit to be Tried in Seattle Shortly

Washington, Oct. 23.—A motion by the Government seeking to retain in a suit against the Government by the Skinner and Eddy Corporation, of Seattle, to recover between \$17,000,000 and \$18,000,000, claimed on contracts with the Emergency Fleet Corporation, has been dismissed in the Federal court at Seattle by the company seeking a similar amount, but naming the Fleet Corporation instead of the government as defendants will be tried.

Seattle, Oct. 23.—A controversy between the Government and the Skinner and Eddy Corporation, war-time shipbuilders here, which it was founded from Washington to-day is to be fought in the Federal court in Seattle, concerns claims for construction of vessels and for improvement of plant.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH BUDGET RECEIPTS TOTAL \$437,308

Toronto, Oct. 23.—Announcement was made to-day that Dr. Robert Laird, Treasurer of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, had reported that the budget receipts of the church up to September 30 at the Toronto and Halifax offices, of the receiving points, had totaled \$437,308. This was an increase of \$48,084 over the receipts for the corresponding date in 1922. Expenditures, however, totaled \$1,225,086, or \$58,122 more than the expenditures a year ago.

### STEELING EXCHANGE IN U.S. AFFECTED BY GERMAN EVENTS

New York, Oct. 23.—A further decline of nearly two cents in demand for to-day's foreign exchange market, bringing British sterling bills down to 44 1/2, a new low record for the year.

While bankers differed as to the chief cause, all were agreed that the German situation had been a contributing factor.

### RHINE SEPARATISTS DEFEATED AT POINTS AND GAIN ELSEWHERE

Republicans Beaten and Driven From Public Buildings in Aix-la-Chapelle by Trade Unionists; Duisburg and Wiesbaden Reported in Hands of Separatists

Paris, Oct. 23.—The Rhineland Republican movement was extended in some quarters of the occupied area to-day, but seemed to be receding in the districts first affected. Berlin maintains that the movement has been generally defeated.

The most important new accession of the Separatists was Duisburg, in the Ruhr, where, according to a Belgian official message, the republic was proclaimed early to-day and the public buildings occupied.

There are conflicting reports regarding the city of Bonn, where the Republicans were reported to have seized the Government offices. The latest Berlin advices, however, declared the Separatists had been defeated.

Treves, Mayence and all the cities in the Ruhr, except Duisburg, are apparently in the hands of the regular officers.

Overnight developments in the Bavarian situation were negligible. The aggressive attitude of Dr. von Kahr, the Bavarian dictator, and the support given him against Berlin by General von Lossow, commander of the Bavarian Reichswehr, has made the situation in the Rhineland more serious.

Berlin, Oct. 23.—Reports from various points in the Rhineland this afternoon indicate the Separatists have been generally defeated, especially at Aix-la-Chapelle, Muenchen-Gladbach and Bonn. At Aix-la-Chapelle they were severely beaten by the trade unionists and then ejected from the public buildings which they had been holding since midnight Saturday.

APPEALED TO FRENCH  
Coblenz, Oct. 23.—The Rhineland Separatists are reported here to have occupied Bonn at 10 o'clock this morning. It is uncertain whether they retained possession of the town, as the latest information was that the Republicans had clashed with the police and the city authorities had finally called upon the French troops to restore order.

The German police were said to be still patrolling the town, but whether under Separatist or loyal direction was not clear.

### BRITISH SAY ORDER Must be Kept in the Cologne Area

London, Oct. 23.—If the German separatist movement extends to Cologne, which is the bridgehead of the British Rhineland army, Great Britain will preserve an attitude of reserve, but will take every measure to maintain order, prevent bloodshed and insure the continuance of the present local Government, it was stated here to-day.

### ROUGHLY HANDLED

London, Oct. 23.—A Central News dispatch states that with the assistance of loyal workers, the German police have ejected the Republicans from Muenchen-Gladbach. It is reported the workers roughly handled the invaders.

### HOLDING DUISBURG

Brussels, Oct. 23.—A Belgian official news agency telegram from Duisburg to-day states that the republic was proclaimed there and the public buildings occupied by the Separatists early this morning.

### Allied Troops Could Easily Put End to Rhineland Move

London, Oct. 23.—News received at the British Foreign Office to-day from the Rhineland area was to the effect that the separatist movement was lacking in direction and cohesiveness. The views prevail here that the present disaffection in Aix-la-Chapelle and other Rhineland cities would collapse at the slightest gesture of firmness from the French or Belgian troops.

It is asserted that the movement has failed where there has been no collusion between the forces of occupation and the Separatists.

### WIESBADEN OCCUPIED

Berlin, Oct. 23.—The colors of the Rhineland were hoisted during the night on the German Government building at Wiesbaden by a band of followers of Dr. Hans A. Derten, leader of the previous Rhineland Republic movement, whose home is in Wiesbaden, a dispatch from that city states.

The Wiesbaden police were disarmed and locked up in front of the building.

### Prestige of Berlin in Germany Affected by Rhine Events

Berlin, Oct. 23.—With the German Nationalists demanding the resignation of the Stresemann Government, the Cabinet to-day discussed events in the Rhineland. Official opinion is that the success of the Separatist movement in several Rhineland towns and cities has seriously affected not only the morals of the Ruhr population, but also the prestige of the Reich.

An order has been issued prohibiting display of the Red flag.

### WOULD VOTE AT SPECIAL ELECTION

Amusement Centre Proposal Should be Pressed, City Authorities Think

The early submission of the Amusement Centre by-law is to be recommended to the Canadian Pacific Railway by the city authorities.

This decision has been reached in view of the annual election being due in seven weeks, and the disinclination of the citizens to give proper consideration to a by-law of the character proposed at the time of the annual election, when other questions will occupy the attention of the electors.

There is also the important aspect that if the by-law is delayed until the early part of next year, the work might not be ready to be of use in the season of 1924.

These phases have been engaging attention, and while there has been considerable reluctance to hurry the company into a decision on so important a matter, yesterday it was resolved to make a formal suggestion to the company's representatives, recommending an early submission of the by-law. It is known that when the negotiations were conducted here in the latter part of September strong sympathy was felt for the idea of a prompt expression of public opinion.

### INSULIN FREE TO 161 IN ONTARIO

Provincial Government Supplying Needy Persons Suffering With Diabetes

Toronto, Oct. 23.—"It cost only \$2.25 during the last month to supply free insulin to poor people suffering from diabetes," said Hon. Forbes Godfrey, Minister of Health of Ontario, to-day.

One hundred and sixty-one needy persons benefited by the Provincial Government's policy of free distribution of insulin during the first month's trial. Insulin to the extent of 11,500 units was dispensed by sixteen laboratories in Ontario.

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One-Cent Sale
This Semi-Annual Sale is held only by this store in this city. This is the Retail Store, and the One-Cent Sale is the private method of advertising. REMEMBER, ALL NEW STOCK for the sale, and you get two articles for the price of one + the 1 cent.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Notice to Housewives - Last car B.C. Italian Prunes just arrived. Order at once from your grocer and avoid disappointment.
British Columbia Carnival Dance and Children's Fancy-Dress Party at Empress Ballroom on Monday, November 19, by Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.G.E. Children, 7 to 9 p.m. \$1.50 including supper. Adults, \$ to 1 a.m., \$1.00.

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(Continued from page 1.)
COBLENZ PUZZLED
Coblentz, Oct. 22.—Coblentz awoke in the expectation that it would be occupied by the Republicans to-day and that Joseph Matthes, generally regarded as the "Father of the Republic," would arrive with a Provisional Cabinet to make this city the seat of the new Rhineland Government.

MORE NEW SETTLERS FOR THIS COUNTRY

New York, Oct. 23 (Canadian Press)—The British quota for the United States immigration law for the present year will likely be filled by November 3 or 4, it was stated at the offices of United States Commissioner of Immigration Henry H. Carron to-day. United States officials look for an unprecedented rush of immigrants from the British Isles as soon as the November quota opens.

OPPOSITION TO SEPARATISTS IN CITIES PREDICTED

Dusseldorf, Oct. 23.—The Rhineland Separatists so far have encountered no serious opposition, but they will not have such smooth sailing when they strike the cities known to be opposed to them, Elberfeld for instance, and Barmen, Essen, Dortmund and other Ruhr centres.
Even Coblentz is reported as likely to resist the honor of being the capital of the Rhineland Republic. The Burgomaster of that city, it is understood, has announced that force only will make him surrender the public office.

MALTESE DOCTOR VISITOR HERE

From the Youngest British Dominion in Mediterranean

Dr. Levanzin Comes From Historic Islands

Victorians have yet to learn much with regard to Britain's newest Dominion, Malta, which is situated at the cross roads of the Mediterranean. When the grant of self-government was imminent in 1920 there was a leading Maltese journalist, Dr. Augusto Bartolo, who came here with the Imperial Press Conference.

Bilingual Problem
Recognizing that keeping Maltese and English as parallel subjects of education in the Maltese schools is one of the best methods of sustaining the British sentiment, the Imperial party is standing out strongly for the higher grades. That would restrict Italian propaganda in the peasant classes, they believe.

Maltese in America
Professor Levanzin stated that the Maltese in the United States number about 25,000, and that 5,000 alone are at Detroit, chiefly in the automobile industry. They are numerous enough to have their own newspaper, and to it he is a contributor.

Placer Mining
Victoria Island had not been a profitable field from a placer mining standpoint. There were several small bonanzas, but they had petered out. Victoria, however, at one time benefited from placer mining, and was at one time the mecca of argonauts.

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Liverpool, Oct. 23.—Right Hon. H. Asquith, who came here for the demonstration of the Liberal party, was "kidnapped" to-day by a number of the Liberal students of Liverpool University when he refused their request that he address them.

MINISTER PLAYS INCREASING USE OF FOREIGN FUEL

Province Hard Hit as Oil Takes Place of Coal, Says Sloan

Hon. William Sloan, Provincial Minister of Mines, at this afternoon's luncheon of the Kwanan Club, launched a vigorous attack on the increasing use of fuel oil, which is striking a blow at the coal industry of Vancouver Island, which has shown a decreased production for the last two years with a result that the mines are only able to operate part of the time with adverse effect on the prosperity of the Province.

The cure was either with the Dominion or Provincial Government. By the decreased coal production through the fuel oil competition, the Province had lost a million dollars in royalty in the last ten years, in addition to the loss to the community.

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Intelligence Test
Wild guesses on the perimeter of Vancouver Island were cast in a guessing competition conducted by J. E. Umbach, Surveyor-General, who for the guidance of the members announced the island was 232 miles long. T. V. Messinger guessed 1,220 miles, nearest the correct answer of 1,534 miles. W. Duncan was second with 1,321 miles. Some members guessed as high as 25,000 miles.

Great Interest
London, Oct. 23 (Special cable to the Canadian Press by George Hambleton, staff correspondent)—What will Premier Baldwin say on Thursday?

Arthur Price Dies at Salmon Arm
Nanaimo, B.C., Oct. 23.—Arthur Price, thirty-four, a blacksmith in the employ of the Adams River Lumber Company, of Chase, died at Salmon Arm Hospital as the result of an accident. One of the company's logging camps on Mara Lake. He was working near a chute, and was struck by a log that jumped from the chute, sustaining internal injuries.

LABOR MARKET IN BEST CONDITION FOR MANY YEARS

Little Unemployment on Island Anticipated During the Winter

The labor market in Victoria and Island is on a much more satisfactory basis at the present time, than it has been since the war, except during the shipyard boom, according to reports from the Provincial Government Employment Bureau.

The reports indicate that there will be little unemployment, during the Winter. Logging companies and mills on the Island are running full time, and it is anticipated that they will do so throughout the Winter, except when it is necessary to close down for temporary repairs. There is a shortage of labor for temporary work, and the Bureau has not been able to fill all the orders which have been sent in.

The physically unfit, specialized trades and clerical workers are those the Bureau has the greatest difficulty in placing. For the clerical men the board is able to offer little assistance, and the list has been hardly reduced at all. Handicapped men have come to Victoria from all parts of the country because of the climate. The merchants have shown great consideration to this class of men, the officials of the Bureau report, and the Government has done more for them than in any other part of Canada.

As a result of the big buildings under construction at present in the city a shortage of plaster, bricklayers and good building laborers is reported. Virtually all of the carpenters in the city are reported to be employed.

There is a decided shortage of farm help. One reason for this is that in most cases farm help, able to milk, is needed and this frequently proves a barrier to many of the applicants for work on farms.

SHERIFF TO HAVE NEW QUARTERS

H. W. Goggin and Assistants Will Move to Ground Floor of Court Building

Nearing the finishing stage of its completion, the new quarters for the sheriff of Victoria, the marriage license and associated offices, the eastern wing of the ground floor of the court house building, Bastion Street, will be occupied by its tenants about the close of this week. Sheriff H. W. Goggin, Deputy Sheriff Robert Sangster, and their staffs will have new and commodious quarters, relinquishing rented premises now in the Law Chambers Building to the south side of the street.

The alterations to the ground floor of the court house were made possible by the removal of the Provincial Police to the Menzies Street Armories Building some time ago. The change provided for the installation of a new extension to the vault of the Land Registry office which will accommodate that office and its records to a greater extent than was possible before. When the work is completed all court offices will be housed under the same roof.

FISH MASTER NAVIGATORS, BABCOCK SAYS

The mysterious wanderings of the sockeye salmon from the lake where it is born to the open sea and back again several years later were described to the members of the Natural History Society at the first of its series of Winter meetings in the Jones Block last night by J. P. Babcock, Deputy Commissioner of Fisheries.

"The sockeye is a past master in navigation," Mr. Babcock said. "In coming in from the open sea, where it has wandered and fed for three years, it follows the route of its ancestors, it approaches the same headlands on similar tides at the same time of the year, hugs the islands' coasts, passes through the narrow channels and entering the Fraser channel it journeys up-stream, passes the mouths of all tributary streams until it reaches the mouth of the tributary that flows from the lake from which he migrated years before. The sockeye knows its own town, street and number and how to get there."

The Natural History Society decided last night to appoint a committee to investigate the complaint of the Chamber of Commerce that the barren condition of the Ross Bay Cemetery fronting on the Marine Drive was detrimental to the tourist business.

MAJOR GUS LYONS WILL BE OPPOSED

Annual Meeting of Liberal-Conservative Association Will Be Held To-night

Keen interest is being displayed in the annual meeting of the Victoria Liberal-Conservative Association scheduled for 8 o'clock to-night in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

Apart from the election of officers, which will be the chief business of the meeting, addresses will be given by prominent Conservative leaders, including W. J. Bowser, K. C., leader of the Opposition; Senator G. H. Darnard, Senator R. F. Green, R. H. Pooley and Joshua Hinchcliffe.

Major Gus Lyons, president of the Association, will preside. A spirited contest is anticipated for the presidency of the Association as Major Lyons, it is understood, will be opposed by Dr. J. D. Hunter. Reports will be presented outlining the activities of the Association during the past year and the speaker will be given the floor during the election of officers.

Mr. Bowser is expected to outline his views on various issues that will come before the Legislature during the approaching session. All members of the party are cordially invited to be present at to-night's meeting. Those admitted to the meeting will be required to sign the roll.

MAINTENANCE MEN ON RAILWAYS ARE AWARDED INCREASE

Montreal, Oct. 23.—By unanimous decision, the members of the Board of Conciliation have awarded an increase of two cents an hour to all employees of Canadian railways engaged in maintenance of the way work who are at present receiving less than forty cents an hour.

The decision affects sixty per cent. of men engaged in the various classifications and numbering about 4,200 persons. The decision was made public here after the report of the Board had been received and approved by Hon. James Murdock, Minister of Labor.

MEN WHO AIDED WITH HARVEST GIVEN WORK FOR WINTER

Calgary, Oct. 23.—Positions will be provided during the Winter season for every Britisher who came to Alberta to work in the harvest fields and more jobs have already been secured than there are men to fill them.

This was the statement made by Walter S. Woods, superintendent of Calgary for the Soldier Settlement Board.

OBITUARY

The death took place on Sunday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital of Hiroshi Nakakuni, aged twenty-one years, born in Japan, and a resident of this city for the past two years. Late residence, 961 North Park Street. The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 3:30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel, and on the night boat the casket will be forwarded to Vancouver, where cremation will be made.

The funeral of the late Joseph Lovick, who passed away at the family residence last Sunday, will take place to-morrow afternoon. Short service at his residence, 1717 Oak Bay Avenue, at 2 o'clock, and fifteen minutes later services will be conducted at the Emmanuel Baptist Church, Gladstone Avenue and Fernwood Road, by the Rev. William Stevenson, and the remains will be laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery. The deceased was born in London, England, on February 22, 1863, and had been a resident of this city for the past two years. He is survived by, besides his widow, two daughters at home and a brother in England.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Thuesdell Knappton will take place to-morrow afternoon. Service will be held at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1525 Quadra Street, at 2 o'clock, when the Rev. Dr. Campbell will officiate. The remains will be laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

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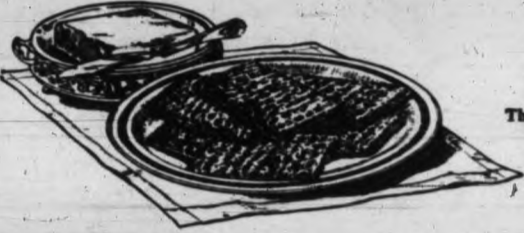
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## GOOD ROADS MEN MEET AT OLYMPIA

Automobile Caravan From Olympia to Salem, Ore., Thursday

Seattle, Oct. 22.—State Senator P. H. Carlyn, of Olympia; Claude Ramsay, former King County Commissioner, and Al Rogers, of Waterville, will be candidates for president of the Washington State Good Roads Association for the coming year at the twenty-fourth annual meeting in Olympia to-day and Wednesday.

The convention opened last night at Olympia and will continue its business sessions until Wednesday and end Thursday and Friday with the caravan will pause on the Vancouver-Portland inter-state bridge Thursday afternoon to celebrate the obsequies of "Old Man Detour," as paved roads will take the place of the just dirt sections of the route.

**Arrived in Groups**  
Fred L. Wolf, of Newport, president of the association, headed a party of four automobile loads of delegates who arrived here yesterday after a drive from Pend Oreille County. S. A. Hawkins, of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, brought party of delegates from that state. Thomas B. Kirk, president of the British Columbia Automobile Club; A. E. Foreman, president of the Vancouver Automobile Club; Charles H. Tisdall, Mayor of Vancouver, B.C., and a number of British Columbia highway officials made up a party that also arrived here yesterday.

## DENIAL IS MADE TAXING OF FOOD IN BRITAIN PLANNED

London, Oct. 22 (Canadian Press Cable)—Ronald McNeill, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, speaking at Riverston last night, said the Government had no intention of taxing the food of the people as some of the Liberal leaders alleged. The proposal to increase the existing duties on dried fruits from Turkey and Greece, he said, had produced a frantic effort by Sir John Simon to capture the votes of women by talking of an imaginary increase in the cost of the "currant bun." He described Sir John's attitude as "fatuous flapdoodle."

## CHARLES SCOTT DIED IN OTTAWA

Ottawa, Oct. 22.—Charles Scott, a civil servant for forty-five years and formerly one of Canada's best rifle shots, died at his home here yesterday, aged eighty years. He went to Bielefeld in 1892 and 1894. Lieut.-Col. C. M. Scott, of Winnipeg, and George Scott, of Vanderhoof, B.C., are the surviving sons.

## SAYS C.N.R. MUST BE MADE SUCCESS

Sir Henry Thornton Declares Prospects Are Bright President of System Speaks in Sherbrooke, Que.

Sherbrooke, Oct. 22.—"We must make a success of the Canadian National Railways if the Dominion is not to go bankrupt. We can not go on forever having a \$50,000,000 deficit every year."

Sir Henry Thornton, chief executive of the Canadian National Railways, speaking here yesterday, made this statement.

Sir Henry was very enthusiastic regarding the future of the railway system. "With a refusal to meet defeat, I believe we shall make the Canadian National Railways not only self-supporting, but also a thing of influence in Canada," was his prediction.

"It must always be remembered that the railways are operated by the people for the people, and an effort must be made to render the National Railways self-supporting as quickly as possible, and eliminate the possibility of their remaining a burden on the taxpayers of the Dominion. We are doing the best we can to bring this about. Having the prospect of a new system, it seems that patriotic motives should emphasize the necessity of the public giving us its full assistance," said Sir Henry.

**Earnings Increasing**  
He went on to say that the prospects looked bright, giving figures of the increased net earnings of the C.N.R. He stated the officials would always be quite willing to lend an ear to constructive criticism, but stated that in this country, as in every country, there were people who offered criticism simply for reasons of their own.

## PRAIRIE THRESHING NEARS COMPLETION

Weather Has Been Favorable; B.C. Apples Sent to Packing Plants

Winnipeg, Oct. 22.—Generally good harvest weather has prevailed during the past week throughout the prairies and threshing is rapidly nearing completion, according to a report issued here by the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Under improved soil conditions, as a result of recent rains, ploughing is proceeding apace, with every indication of an increase in acreage over last year's figures. Pasture conditions are good and stock is going into winter quarters in the best of condition and with an abundance of food in store.

Some good yields are reported from the Olds district in Alberta, where wheat yields are averaging thirty to fifty bushels an acre, oats sixty to 110 and barley thirty-five to forty.

The weather has been good for the harvesting of apples in British Columbia, and they are being sent to the packing plants in large quantities. Warm days and cool nights with a touch of frost have made a big improvement in the color of fruit during the last week.

## ONLY ALBERTA WHEAT IN NEW ALBERTA POOL

Calgary, Oct. 22.—Saskatchewan farmers, as individuals, can not ship their wheat to the Alberta Wheat Pool this year, H. W. Wood, president of the United Farmers of Alberta and chairman of the provisional board of seven trustees of the pool, stated to-day.

It was considered for a time in some circles here that these farmers of Saskatchewan desirous of obtaining any benefits which may accrue from co-operative marketing might be allowed to ship to this province's pool.

## R.C.M.P. MAN IN WINNIPEG WAS ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

Winnipeg, Oct. 22.—Private Norman Teske of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, until recently a resident of Ottawa, is in a hospital here suffering from the effects of a bullet wound in his stomach, said to have been accidentally inflicted last night by Private James Young. His condition is critical.

## INDIANAPOLIS AUDIENCE HEARD LLOYD GEORGE

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 22.—A message of gratitude to the United States for the part she played in the world war was delivered here last night at the national headquarters of the American Legion by David Lloyd George, war-time Premier of Great Britain. Speaking to a great audience in Cadle Tabernacle, the man who bore such an outstanding part in the war, with lofty eloquence, coupled with his message an appeal that Great Britain and the United States continue to co-operate for peace.

At the same time, in discussing conditions in Europe, the former Premier urged "the Lincoln touch, conciliation not vengeance." Referring to Germany, he said: "Having overthrown the military autocracy that menaced us—it is a broken creature, lying on the plains of Central Europe at this moment—do not let us begin to destroy a nation. Let us have reconstruction, peace in the work, not a poor thing; it breeds vengeance; it propagates its kind. Let us have peace, conciliation, wisdom. Let us have the great doctrine of Abraham Lincoln in Europe again."

Mr. Lloyd George delivered his address as the guest of the state of Indiana before an audience which was warmed up for the occasion by singing the old war songs, supported by a chorus of several hundred.

## B.C. DEATH RATE EIGHTH PER 1,000

Lowest Among Eight Provinces in 1921; Quebec Not Reported Yet Manitoba's Birthrate, 30.3 Per 1,000, Was Highest

Ottawa, Oct. 22 (Canadian Press)—Manitoba had the highest birthrate of the Canadian provinces in 1921, as shown by the first blue book covering Dominion vital statistics compiled and issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The figures cover only eight provinces, however, Quebec not being included. Manitoba's birthrate in 1921 was 30.3 per 1,000, the next highest being Saskatchewan, with 29.7 per 1,000. British Columbia had the lowest rate, namely 23.3. Ontario's rate was 25.3. With a population in the eight provinces of 6,414,654, living births for the year were 168,979. These included 137,747 pairs of twins and twenty-three sets of triplets. The proportion of boys to girls born alive was 516 to 484 in each 1,000. The year before the proportion was 514 boys to 486 girls. The net natural increase in these eight provinces was 101,257 in 1921. In every province except Prince Edward Island the number of males exceeded the number of female babies.

**Infant Deaths**  
Infant deaths showed a notable decrease in 1921 as compared with 1920. For 1921 the rate was 88.1 for each 1,000 births, while the year before it was 100.1. The highest rate in 1921 was 112.3 per 1,000 in New Brunswick, against 124.9 per 1,000 in 1920. British Columbia had the lowest death rate for babies, 56.5 per 1,000 in 1921 and 60.8 in 1920. The rate in 1921 in the prairie provinces ranged from eighty to eighty-four per 1,000.

**Deaths**  
Total deaths in 1921 of people of all ages is given as 67,722 for the eight provinces, or 10.6 per 1,000. The year before the rate was 12.3 per 1,000. A decrease in total deaths as well as in the rate was registered in every province. New Brunswick had the highest death rate in 1921 with 12.9 per 1,000, while British Columbia had the lowest with eight per 1,000. The rate in the prairie provinces ranged from 7.4 to 8.4 per 1,000, while in Ontario the death rate was 11.8 per 1,000.

**Causes of Death**  
Diseases of the heart headed the list of the causes of death in 1921, accounting for nearly nine per cent. Cancer was next with 7.12, while tuberculosis was responsible for 7.7 per cent. Nova Scotia had the highest rate from tuberculosis, while cancer caused the highest rate of deaths in British Columbia. Saskatchewan had the lowest death rate from tuberculosis, while New Brunswick had the least number of deaths from cancer in proportion to population. More women than men died of cancer during 1921.

Manitoba held the record during the year for marriages, 8.7 per 1,000 population, the lowest rate being in Prince Edward Island, 5.8 per 1,000.

## EXPECT MEXICO TO REPAY DEBT

T. W. Lamont Expresses Hopes of International Committee of Bankers

New York, Oct. 22.—Commenting on news dispatches from Mexico City as to the Mexican Government's financial difficulties and their possible effect on the Mexican debt agreement, Thomas W. Lamont, of J. P. Morgan & Co., chairman of the international committee of bankers for Mexico, said his committee continued to have confidence that the Mexican Government would carry out its obligation under the debt agreement.

Mexican bonds were sold freely on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday, both the fours and the fives touching new low prices for the year. Mr. Lamont's talk with newspapermen took place after the close of the market. He said he and his associates on the committee had noted with regret the statements emanating from Mexico City. Nevertheless, he said, the committee felt confident there would be no interruption of the debt agreement plan, adding that a substantial amount of \$15,000,000 required for the first year's debt service under the agreement already had been made available to the committee.

**To Be Declared Operative**  
Mr. Lamont said also that he believed it to be the committee's intention to declare the whole plan operative as soon as the balance remaining for the first year's debt service had been deposited.

Replying to questions as to the effect the recent resignation of Finance Minister de la Huerta might have on the plan, Mr. Lamont said that several deposits had been forwarded by Secretary Pani, Mr. de la Huerta's successor, and that he thought it would be only a short time before the full amount would be available. It was stated that although no reports had been received from abroad there was little doubt that a majority of the bonds had been or would be deposited with the committees in the various countries.

## VERSAILLES THIEVES TOOK TAPESTRIES

Paris, Oct. 22.—A sensation was created in Government and artistic circles yesterday when it was learned that two Gobelin Tapestries, each valued at 1,000,000 francs, had been stolen from the walls of the Versailles Palace. The guards are certain the tapestries were hanging on the walls Sunday evening when the palace was closed, but they were gone yesterday morning. The tapestries were made in 1674 and formed part of Louis XIV's collection. One of them represented the siege of Douai, and the other the entry of the king into Dunkirk.

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## DOMINION NOTE CIRCULATION GROWS

Ottawa, Oct. 22.—An increase of \$7,500,000 in Dominion note circulation is shown by the monthly currency statement issued to-day by the Minister of Finance. The amount of gold held against notes is about the same as a month ago, however, showing a somewhat lower gold basis. Total circulation of Dominion notes and specie on September 23 was \$242,695,974, as against \$235,121,349 on August 31. Gold held by the Minister of Finance against notes in circulation was \$112,964,281 at the end of September, compared with \$112,797,158.

## Mother and Her Baby Are Relieved of Eczema

Mrs. Peter A. Palmer, Salt Burn, Sask., writes: "Dr. Chase's Ointment has completely relieved me of eczema and pills. I also used this Ointment for my baby, who broke out in eczema. A few applications were all that was necessary in her case. Dr. Chase's Ointment has been worth a hundred dollars to me—before using it I had spent a great deal more than that in unsuccessful treatment from doctors. We have also used Dr. Chase's other medicines, the Nerve Food having restored my health after suffering from severe nerve trouble when a girl."

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## TAXATION OF AMUSEMENTS

The evidence and arguments with which the amusement interests have fortified their request to the Government for a reduction of the special taxation levied on them, if fairly examined, should command sympathetic consideration. They are now taxed ten per cent. on their gross receipts, regardless of whether those receipts meet their operating expenditures or not, and in view of the fact that they very often operate at a loss they are taxed in those circumstances upon their deficits. Hence, in some instances the Provincial Treasury derives more profit from the amusement houses than those who have invested their capital in them, who also are compelled to pay all the current Dominion, provincial and municipal taxes as well. The statement of one of the largest moving picture establishments in Vancouver shows a loss for thirty-five out of the fifty-two weeks of the year, owing to the high cost of films, which in some cases exceeds two thousand dollars a week, and other heavy charges. Nevertheless it has had to pay a tax of ten per cent. on its total receipts. No business, especially one which, owing to climatic and other factors, is so uncertain as that of catering to the amusement of the public, can reasonably be expected to stand up under such a burden, and this particular business, unlike transient attractions which are here to-day and away to-morrow, expends in wages and in other ways hundreds of thousands of dollars yearly in this Province, thus being an established economic factor of no little importance.

## THEY ARE ALL GERMANS

Until the experiments in the Rhineland and Bavaria—not to mention Saxony—have been allowed a little fuller rein the effect upon Germany as a whole will not be seen. For the moment there is no indication that the situation in either Saxony or Bavaria is a very serious threat to the permanence of the Reich. And unless the movement for a separate republic in the Rhineland should be the outcome of influences that are not yet apparent there is very little prospect of its succeeding.

It goes without saying, of course, that any confederacy that owes its origin to military compulsion will usually crumble in the aftermath of defeat in war; but above this elementary consideration in the evolutionary processes of a country like Germany—the Germany that has been drilled for half a century and still has to learn its democratic alphabet—the fact remains that the people of the Rhineland, as well as the people of Bavaria and Saxony, are still Germans and a mighty "putsch" will be required to make them anything else. Here is the factor that is almost sure to spell defeat for the separatists in spite of themselves.

## THE DIE-HARD POST

If it were a newspaper that really reflected the views of the majority of the people of Great Britain one might wonder why The Morning Post should reveal its ignorance of the Western point of view in its references to Mr. Lloyd George's invasion of the United States. But since the journal in question has failed to catch the gait of modern progress, and appreciate the changes in the average democratic outlook that the latter day pace has brought about, it is not surprising that it should indulge its dislike for the former Prime Minister by sarcastically warning the American people that even if Papyrus is the best British three-year-old, their distinguished guest is by no means the most "trustful pillar of statecraft" that Britain can produce. In view of last Saturday's event at Belmont Park, therefore, and because it never could and never will see anything good in Mr. Lloyd George, The Post argues that "English politicians should do their speaking and English horses their racing at home."

Happily for Great Britain and for the United States the missioner to thank our neighbor for her part in the war was not chosen by The Morning Post. We should have been holding our breath from the moment he touched American soil until he left it lest he should have fallen into the error which one or two other pilgrims have committed on this side of the water. Nobody had any misgivings about the man who withstood all sorts of broadsides during the fateful years of the war and then offered himself as a target for The Post and its following of die-hards. He undertook to round off his service to the Allies by a personal visit to the New World in the hope that he might persuade the United States that there is still a golden opportunity for the English-speaking nations to continue in peace what they commenced in war.

Our neighbors are not worrying about the present condition of Mr. Lloyd George's political stock. They are not concerned as to whether he is the most "trustful pillar of statecraft" that Britain can produce; but they are particularly pleased to meet one of themselves—one of the common people, if that much maligned phrase may be employed—who has not been selected for any particular social or political reason, but whose mode of appeal begins and ends with friendly counsel and not with admonition or lecture. And

if the former Prime Minister should be able to convince our neighbor that she should take a hand in the reconstruction of Europe he will have performed a service of first importance. Meanwhile he will not weep because The Morning Post does not approve of him and his ways.

## THE MISSING LINK

Although the city of Victoria is more directly interested in highway development and improvement on Vancouver Island than it is concerned in similar undertakings elsewhere in the Province, the tremendous importance of a trans-provincial highway to British Columbia as a whole is well understood by the Chamber of Commerce and all progressive institutions in this locality. On that account it is right and proper that the delegates which the premier commercial organization of this city will send to the forthcoming Convention of the Associated Boards of Trade of British Columbia should be instructed to lend Victoria's fullest support to such measures as may be required to persuade the Legislature that the Government's desire to get ahead with the "missing link" at the earliest possible moment should be made practical by the provision of the necessary appropriation of funds. As far as the choice of route is concerned Victoria is not especially interested as long as the final selection shall furnish a through thoroughfare that will give maximum accommodation at the right time of the year. Engineering advice and experience will decide this phase of the question.

## COSGRAVE PRICKS THE BUBBLE

Premier Cosgrave has apparently pricked the bubble of cheap heroics which the republican prisoners in Mount Joy prison have been blowing during the last few days. He declared to a Dublin audience yesterday that when the "hunger strikers" were searched they were found to be in possession of brown bread and food pastilles. It was also discovered that Austin Stack commenced his so-called fasting forty-eight hours after the others and that Eammon de Valera had not begun to deny himself at all.

This looks like another ill-arranged bid for popular sympathy and support on the part of the republican leader. If he had really expected some good to follow this course he might at least have displayed a little better generalship. As it is he will have converted the whole programme into a joke that will be enjoyed by every supporter of the Free State and by not a few of the more or less lukewarm adherents to the republican cause.

## Note and Comment

Vancouver City Council decided some time ago that it could not admit anybody to its payroll who had passed the age of forty. Those who were in favor of this extraordinary edict may hear an echo at the next municipal election if Dame Rumor is to be believed.

According to a Vancouver resident who has just returned to this Province from the Old Country, there are thousands of people on the other side of the Atlantic who are ready and willing to come to Canada and carve out their future. To all of which the echo answers: "Come."

It is now suggested that when Premier Baldwin makes his statement to the Conference of the Unionist Party at Plymouth on Thursday he will propose all-round protection for British industries by the imposition of a scientific tariff. It can be said at the outset that it will have to be extremely scientific to fool the British public. But our guess is that he will recall the fact that the Tariff Reform League went out of existence less than twelve months ago because it had insufficient funds to conduct its business.

## Some Thoughts for To-day

And better had they ne'er been born,  
 Who read to doubt, or read to scorn.  
 Scott.

Give you a reason on compulsion! If reasons were as plentiful as blackberries, I would give no man a reason upon compulsion, I.  
 Shakespeare.

The solitary side of our nature demands leisure for reflection upon subjects on which the dash and whirl of daily business, so long as its clouds rise thick about us, forbid the intellect to fasten itself.  
 Proude.

Their only labour was to kill the time;  
 And labour dire it is, and weary woe,  
 They sit, they loiter, turn o'er some idle rhyme,  
 Then, rising sudden, to the glass they go,  
 Or saunter forth, with tottering steps and slow.  
 Thomson.

## Our Contemporaries

### A TEST OF AGE

Belleville Ontario:—A man is old when he can yawn and go to bed and leave the hero in the middle of a bad fix on page 154.

### QUESTION OF SOBRIETY

Montreal Gazette:—Whatever may be said in favor of the beerometer, mentioned somewhere recently, for testing a man's sobriety, it should be borne in mind that a man in this country is really never drunk. But there are degrees in his sobriety. If he is said "to have had a little beer," it means that he has had too much. If "he's none the worse for what he's had" it means in ordinary parlance that he is very much the worse. If he is "noways intoxicated" you may understand that he is quite helpless. If he is simply "consumed in liquor" he is merely at the merry stage. Lastly, if he "takes his half-pint," you may understand that he habitually takes too much. But drunk he never is, which again raises the very obvious query—when is a man drunk?

## Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legibly written. The longer articles should be shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the writer wishes. The publication or rejection of articles is entirely at the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

### TWIN BRIDGES

To the Editor:—According to old Roman fables there was at one time much rumbling in the interior of a volcano in Italy.

The superstitious agriculturists gathered round, and after some discussion decided that the mountain was in labor; after waiting patiently for some time a small fissure opened near the foot of the mountain, and out came a mouse.

A certain city in British Columbia has been much exercised for years as to the advisability and feasibility of a certain project, this city now has twin (S) bridges, which will require careful nursing for many years.

However, this should not concern A. TRAMP.

October 22, 1923.

## TO VISIT NORTHERN PART OF ISLAND

### Archdeacon Collison Will Tour Scattered Settlements

(Special to The Times)

Duncan, Oct. 22.—At the request of the Bishop of the Diocese on Tuesday next the Ven. Archdeacon H. A. Collison, Vicar of St. Peter's, Quamichan, will leave to visit the scattered settlements of the north end of Vancouver Island. Formerly Archdeacon Collison used to give periodical services there, but since he left a year ago no one has visited them. He expects to reach Cape Scott, the extreme northwest of the island on Sunday next and will be away about ten days. Mrs. Collison will visit relatives at Parkville during his absence.

At a well-attended meeting held on Friday evening, the Duncan Basketball Club was reorganized and the following officers elected:

President, H. W. Dickie; secretary, Dr. C. French; treasurer, J. D. Brown.

An executive committee of five will be formed consisting of the three officers named and two business men of the district. This year the League will have two classes, A and B. A for the seniors and B for new players. Practice will start on Tuesday and it is hoped to have the League in full working order in two weeks' time, or probably sooner.

## METCHOSIN FARMERS TO HEAR ADDRESSES

Special to The Times

Metchosin—A special meeting will be held in the Metchosin Hall on Wednesday, October 24, at 8.30 p.m., under the auspices of the Metchosin Farmers' Institute, when addresses will be given by M. B. Jackson, K.C., M.P.P., chairman of the B.C. Game Board, on "Game Preservation," by Beaumont Hooper on "Fox Farming For Profit on Vancouver Island." The meeting will finish up with a social and dance with musical items interspersed in the evening. Everybody will be welcomed.

## The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 23—5 a.m.—The barometer is abnormally high over this Province and fine cold weather is general. Rain has fallen in Alberta and Saskatchewan.

Reports  
 Victoria—Barometer, 30.46; temperature, maximum yesterday, 51; minimum, 41; wind, 4 miles W. weather, clear.  
 Vancouver—Barometer, 30.48; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 38; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
 Kamloops—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 30; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
 Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.28; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.  
 Tatooch—Barometer, 30.42; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 46; wind, 14 miles E.; weather, clear.  
 Estevan—Barometer, 30.42; temperature, maximum yesterday, 51; minimum, 49; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, fair.  
 Fentona—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 51; rain, .04.

### RESPIRE GRANTED

Montreal, Oct. 23.—A third respite, this time until January 15, has been granted for Wilfrid Stonge, who was condemned to be hanged on Friday of this week for the murder of an old cobbler, Nester Geyrilovich, of this city, on the night of April 1, 1922. Certain technicalities in the process of the trial are being argued by defence counsel.

## BODY OF MAN WHO STARVED BURIED IN NORTHERN B.C.

Prince Rupert, Oct. 23.—Constable Van Dyke has returned to Prince George from a remote tributary of the Parsnip River in Northern British Columbia, where he buried the body of John Stack, a trapper who was found dead in his cabin some time ago. Stack is believed to have died more than two years ago of starvation after his feet had become frozen. The body of the man had been so long exposed that it had become almost mummified. No food was found in the way of fuel, even to the axe handle, had been burned.

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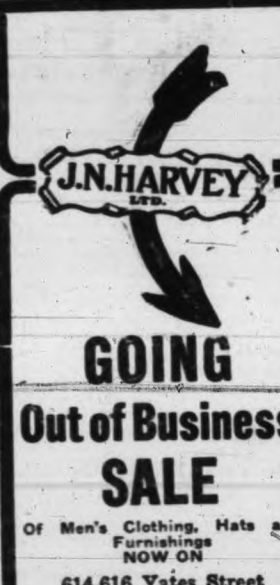
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These Coats are in sizes for Women and Misses, and at the price are real Golden Values. They are made from an excellent grade blanket cloth, in the popular, long, straight lines, with side or front fastening. The shades featured are grey or brown, and fully lined. The trimming include braiding, embroidery or colored stitching, and a convertible, beaverine collar. A big value, each **\$16.75**  
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**Baby Wear—Golden Values**

Babies' Kimonos, of beacon cloth, in various colors. Regular \$2.75 for **\$1.90**  
 A sample assortment of Babies' Coats, knitted and hand-crochet, of fine wool. These are slightly soiled. Worth \$2.50 for **\$1.00**  
 Babies' All Wool Knitted Dresses, in grey, rose, Saxe and white, trimmed in colors **\$1.98**  
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**Children's White Flannelette Gowns**  
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Children's White Flannelette Gowns; slip-over or button front styles, with long sleeves. Some have yoke with colored stitching; others with yoke and small frill at neck. Sizes for 4 to 14 years **89c**  
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**Wednesday Millinery Specials**

Our highest models, all re-marked and specially priced for Wednesday morning. These include the very latest ideas in Millinery.

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 —Furniture, Second Floor

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Cross Rib Roasts Beef, per lb. **13c**  
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 Plate Beef to Boil, per lb. **9c**  
 Mince Steak, per lb. **12c**  
 Oxford Sausage, per lb. **12c**  
 Mutton Steaks, per lb. **23c**  
 Local Veal Steaks, per lb. **28c**  
 Sirloin Steak, per lb. **25c**  
 Regular Counter, Delivered  
 Local Veal Chops, per lb. **32c**  
 Round Steak, per lb. **19c**  
 Short Cut Prime Ribs, per lb. **23c**  
 Loin Pork Chops, per lb. **35c**  
 —Lower Main Floor

**Gingham Dresses**  
 Worth \$2.75  
 For **\$1.98**

Martha Washington Dresses, made from a good grade gingham and designed with cuffs of organdie or finished with self trimming. Wednesday morning, each **\$1.98**  
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**Women's Outsize Underskirts for \$2.45**

Underskirts, made of heavy brocade satinette. A superior wearing material. They are scalloped around bottom and are exceptional value **\$2.45**  
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**Hair Nets**  
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**Whalebone Hair Brushes**

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**Two-Piece Jersey Suits for Small Boys**  
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Small Boys' Two-Piece Cotton Jersey Suits. The jerseys are made to fasten on shoulder, the pants are attached to bodice. Brown and navy. For the ages of 2 to 6 years. Each **79c**  
 —Children's, First Floor

**A Wednesday Slipper Special \$1.50 a Pair**

Women's Indian Moccasin Slippers, fur trimmed and beaded. Shown in grey and brown. Special, a pair **\$1.50**  
 —Women's Shoes, First Floor

**Men's and Boys' CAPS**  
 Wednesday, Each **\$1.00**

Men's and Boys' Caps from our regular stock, including English and Canadian makes, in one-piece or eight-piece tops lined and unlined. Values to \$2.50, for **\$1.00**  
 —Men's Caps, Main Floor

**Bloomer Dresses for Children**  
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Children's Colored Bloomer Dresses, of brown and blue flannel, with novelty design on skirt and piped with contrasting shades around neck, sleeves and hem. Sizes for the ages of 3, 4 and 5 years. Bloomers to match. Golden values **\$3.75**  
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**Boys' Jerseys and Sweaters**  
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Boys' Wool Jerseys, medium weight, with clasp at shoulder; heather, green and cardinal shades. Wednesday Morning **95c**  
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**Men's Braces, Handkerchiefs and Gloves—Golden Values**

Men's Fine Braces of elastic web, and with kid ends. Wednesday Morning, a pair **45c**  
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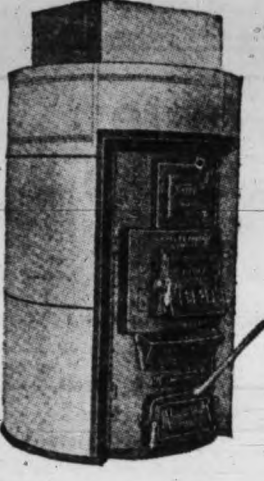
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# IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

## STARTED KUMTUKS CLUB IN KAMLOOPS

### Business Women Hear of Growth of Organization; Interesting Talk on China

The history of china and its manufacture from the dim ages coeval with the Bible until the present day was graphically described in an interesting talk by Miss Blakeway before the Kumtuks Club at its luncheon yesterday. The speaker described the early attempts at pottery-making and its ultimate development into the ceramic art, touching briefly upon the history of Josiah Wedgwood and his association with the famous Portland vase. Specimens of modern china of attractive design were shown by Miss Blakeway and added much to the interest of her address.

Miss Lottie Bowron, the president, announced that preliminary steps to the formation of a Kumtuks Club in Kamloops were made during her stay in that city last week, the announcement being greeted with applause in response to a request from the Kamloops Board of Trade for a member of the Kumtuks Club to attend their first annual banquet on Friday evening next. Mrs. H. P. Hodges was delegated to represent the club.

Members were reminded of the club's bridge and mah jong party to be held on Saturday evening, November 2, at the home of Miss Bowron, 928 Burdett Avenue. Table reservations may be made at 62655.

A hearty welcome was given to Miss Jocelyn Babbitt, a visitor, who was one of the refugees from the Japanese disaster.

## TRAGIC ENDING OF ROYAL ROMANCE

### Lover of Princess Louise of Belgium Dies and Leaves Her in Poverty

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It is reported that she had not sufficient money to pay the funeral expenses of the late Count. Visitors in Paris provided money for the burial.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

### CAPT. STATE GAVE INTERESTING TALK

Kumtuks Club Programme Also Included Youthful Musical Prodigy

Particularly beautiful views of historic and other spots in England and Wales were shown before an interested audience in the Alexandra ballroom last evening, under the auspices of the Kumtuks Club.

The lecturer was Capt. State, a world-traveler and official lecturer of the Canadian Northern Railway, and his address gave an interesting and illuminating account of conditions in the Old Country at the present time. In addition to the travelling on British soil, Capt. State showed the film depicting a trip on the C.N.R. from Winnipeg to Halifax.

Rounding out the very attractive entertainment was the delightful singing of Miss Eileen Bennett, a young pupil of Mrs. Irene Walsh Naamith. The mellow timbre and velvety quality of her contralto voice as heard in a cycle of three songs, amazed and delighted the audience, who accorded her unstinted applause.

Miss Lottie Bowron, president of the Kumtuks Club, introduced the speaker in a graceful little address and at the close conveyed the thanks of the audience to the lecturer and the singer.

## MOVIE ACTRESS ON SHOPPING ORGY

### Betty Compton Spent \$15,000 in Paris in Four Days

Paris, Oct. 22.—Miss Betty Compton, the American film star, has just completed a strenuous four days' shopping which must be almost a record.

She spent \$3,000 (\$15,000), and if that were her usual rate of expenditure it would represent \$1,375,000 a year.

A large part of this sum was spent on jewels—wonderful glittering and sparkling gems—a necklace of startling beauty, a rope of beautiful pearls, rings and a few other things.

Then there were gowns from Poiret, Jenny and Lelient for her forthcoming productions.

Lingerie, wisps of beautiful lace and ribbon attached to mere nothingness, cost \$200. There were two silk stockings \$120, and gloves a mere \$60.

On a far coat of zibeline Miss Betty Compton parted with \$170.

Among the trifles she bought was a beautiful collection of rag dolls—everybody there from the little Paris millinettes to His Excellency Rodolph Valentino, from the President of the Republic to a dancing girl of sunny Spain. The collection cost \$250.

## ANNUAL POLICE BALL ARRANGED FOR NOV. 23

The dancing set will welcome the news that the annual ball of the Victoria Police Mutual Benefit Association has been arranged for November 23 at the Armories. The police ball has been a feature of the most brilliant functions of the season, attracting several thousand guests. The arrangements are in the very capable hands of a committee whose personnel includes Constables A. Bishop (chairman), G. Foster, A. Jarvis and B. Ackerman.

## FIELD SECRETARY OF UNITARIANS IS DUE THIS WEEK

Carl B. Wetherell, field secretary of the First Unitarian Church of Victoria, will be in the city this week for the purpose of attending to the affairs of the church during the week-end. On Saturday evening he will meet the congregation and friends of the First Unitarian Church at a social gathering to be held in the church hall at 8 o'clock.

On Sunday morning he will occupy the pulpit at the services. His subject will be "Acceptance or Rejection." Mr. Wetherell is well known here both for his breezy personality and eloquent speaking and his periodical visits are always looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure and interest.

## YOUR HOME AND YOU

By HELEN KENDALL  
Speaking of Walls

"Do you know what I think makes so many walls uninteresting?" asked a home decorator, studying the walls of the living room in which she was sitting, having tea with the hostess and a friend or two.

"But you surely don't call these walls uninteresting," broke in one of the friends, with a haughty glance at the hostess.

"Indeed I don't—that's just why I speak," answered the decorator. "Do you notice how our lady hostess here has the wall spaces of this room broken up by objects having varied outlines? The trouble with most walls is that there is nothing on them but pictures, and square or oblong pictures at that. There may be variety in size, but there is generally little variety in shape or groupings. Pictures, pictures, pictures!

## INSPIRING MESSAGE TO YOUNG PEOPLE

### Rev. Manson Doyle Chief Speaker at Big Rally Last Night

The meeting of the young people of the various Victoria churches, held last night at the Metropolitan Methodist Church at the interdenominational rally, under the auspices of the Religious Educational Council, was a highly successful one, and the message delivered was an inspiring one. The principal speaker at the rally was the Rev. Manson Doyle, of the Religious Educational Council of Canada.

The meeting was part of the first annual rally under the local branch of the society. Rev. A. K. McMinn, of the First Congregational Church, acted as chairman.

At the commencement of his speech Mr. Doyle stated that the people, and especially the young people, had before them the work of giving service to fellowmen and women.

In the formation of young people's groups or societies, the speaker stated that the cooperation of three elements was essential. There must be co-operation, a spirit of giving and receiving by each individual, and recognition of superior skill. Evidently, he asserted, was in some particular and in varying degree possessed of some superior quality or knowledge, and it was only by intercourse or grouping with others, such as such superiority was distributed for the benefit of the whole, instead of being retained for the good of the individual.

The voluntary interest of all the members was also vitally necessary. Organized groups of men and women raised individual standing in life, the speaker asserted. It was a natural law that any man's outlook would be elevated by association with those who held a higher standard. It was good, he said, for a person to associate with good company, but it was better that a person be good company himself or herself, and possessed with a high standard.

At the conclusion of his speech the Rev. Doyle illustrated on a blackboard his views on what was required in both a spiritual and material way to secure the best from life.

The Rev. Dr. Atkins, of the Young Memorial Church, Winnipeg, packed a fund of truths in the few minutes allotted to him. He spoke on the relationship between Jesus Christ and the young people. No doubt existed in the love of Christ for the young people, but there was sometimes a doubt about the love of the young people for Christ.

Rev. E. R. MacLean, secretary of the Religious Educational Council of British Columbia, and field secretary for the Presbyterian Educational Board in British Columbia, spoke in connection with the value of complete organization of the young people of the churches and need of cooperation among them.

The musical programme included a selection of the hymn "The Christian's Walk" by Miss Melville and E. Tupman. Prayer was led by A. R. C. Hobden, and Scripture reading was given by Miss Ada Moffat.

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## ANNUAL POLICE BALL ARRANGED FOR NOV. 23

The dancing set will welcome the news that the annual ball of the Victoria Police Mutual Benefit Association has been arranged for November 23 at the Armories. The police ball has been a feature of the most brilliant functions of the season, attracting several thousand guests. The arrangements are in the very capable hands of a committee whose personnel includes Constables A. Bishop (chairman), G. Foster, A. Jarvis and B. Ackerman.

## FIELD SECRETARY OF UNITARIANS IS DUE THIS WEEK

Carl B. Wetherell, field secretary of the First Unitarian Church of Victoria, will be in the city this week for the purpose of attending to the affairs of the church during the week-end. On Saturday evening he will meet the congregation and friends of the First Unitarian Church at a social gathering to be held in the church hall at 8 o'clock.

On Sunday morning he will occupy the pulpit at the services. His subject will be "Acceptance or Rejection." Mr. Wetherell is well known here both for his breezy personality and eloquent speaking and his periodical visits are always looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure and interest.

## YOUR HOME AND YOU

By HELEN KENDALL  
Speaking of Walls

"Do you know what I think makes so many walls uninteresting?" asked a home decorator, studying the walls of the living room in which she was sitting, having tea with the hostess and a friend or two.

"But you surely don't call these walls uninteresting," broke in one of the friends, with a haughty glance at the hostess.

"Indeed I don't—that's just why I speak," answered the decorator. "Do you notice how our lady hostess here has the wall spaces of this room broken up by objects having varied outlines? The trouble with most walls is that there is nothing on them but pictures, and square or oblong pictures at that. There may be variety in size, but there is generally little variety in shape or groupings. Pictures, pictures, pictures!



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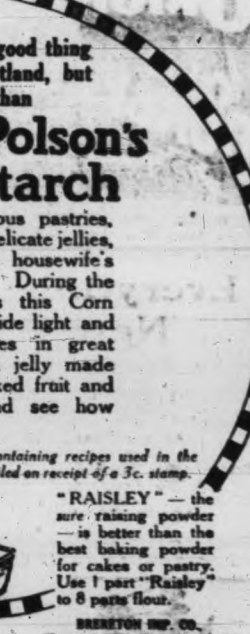
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### SEND FRUIT DISPLAY

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F. R. E. de Hart, who is collecting fruit throughout the Province for the Dominion exhibit at the British Empire Exhibition in London, next year, has secured some splendid fruit in the Creston District, obtaining 123 boxes of apples and pears. All the fruit is being brought to Kelowna and will be kept in cold storage until the shipment is made, probably about December 1. Between 700 and 800 boxes in all will be sent direct to London in cold storage all the way through. Fruit is being collected from Salmon Arm through to Creston, and all districts, including the Main Line, Okanagan, Similkameen, Boundary and Kootenay, will be

# AT THE THEATRES

## DOMINION

None of the many cinema producers who have attempted to catch Mark Twain's spirit of boyhood and transfer it to the screen has succeeded so well as the producers of "The Steadfast Heart," appearing now at the Dominion Theatre. This is probably due to the fact that they were discerning enough to select a group of real children to portray the parts rather than the customary highly artificial stage child. While the youngsters in the cast of "The Steadfast Heart" are, as a matter of fact, experienced performers, they seem to have escaped the characteristics which the children of the stage in the past have invariably acquired. Joey Depew, the hero in the Ju-

## To-day's Amusements

Pantages—Vaudeville. Capitol—"Zaza." Dominion—"The Steadfast Heart." Royal—"Pioneer Trails." Columbia—"Driven."

venile episode, is a regular kid all through and so is Jerry Devine, in spite of the fact that he is a sort of villain in the play. Sherry Tansey, as a printer's devil, is perfect and gives a most remarkable portrayal of that historic decoration of the small town newspaper.

No group of boys is at its best without the necessary feminine relief and in "The Steadfast Heart" Miriam Battista furnishes this. Miriam, despite her few years, is a lady of considerable cinema experience and an actress of unusual ability and poise. Still she has never forgotten how to act natural, which is, of course, the chief requisite for success.

Masters Depew, Tansey and Devine, along with Miss Battista, are perhaps the most distinguished gathering of pocket edition stars ever appearing in one picture. When they start functioning in "The Steadfast Heart" it invariably carries every last one of the spectators back to their childhood days with

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all the comedy and tragedy of the period. The scenes take place in a small Southern town not unlike the Hainan, Mo., of Mark Twain's "Tom Sawyer" and "Huckleberry Finn." The juvenile scenes, although a small part of the story, are in themselves worth the price of admission. Clarence Budington Kelland is the author of the romance, which ran serially in Collier's Weekly.

## ROYAL VICTORIA

Historically correct are the settings used in "Pioneer Trails," a Vitagraph special production, which is being exhibited at the Royal Theatre again to-day. For many weeks before the production was begun, the Research Department of Vitagraph was busy checking scenes in the film and obtaining information and descriptions of buildings and towns of the gold rush period of '49 for use in "Pioneer Trails."  
The Burnt Boot Saloon in the picture is an exact replica of the famous "El Dorado," a saloon and gambling den of the days of the early fifties. The bar and dance hall are exact copies of this famous place. The street scenes were made in a town built to duplicate in every detail the manner of construction of those days. The many roads with its pine-board dwellings caused many old-timers to marvel at the exactness of reproduction.  
David Smith, who directed "Pioneer Trails," insisted that every detail be correct before he began filming the picture. He took care to get town and sets to reflect the spirit and life of the West thoroughly so that there would be no need for substitution of the past and the impression of the early days which should be shown in actual scenes.  
He spared no expense in the building of the city and furnishing of the interiors of the structures with furniture and knick-knacks in vogue during the period portrayed. Considerable effort was met with in obtaining these relics of the past and many items used had to be purchased at almost prohibitive prices because of their rarity.  
Actors and actresses used in the scenes were chosen because of their resemblance to types commonly found in that period. The casting director spent several days studying photographs of persons figuring in early Western days to enable correct selection of types needed. Historical museums furnished much of the information necessary in this work.

## PLAYHOUSE

The revival of the great drama "The Belle" this week, commencing to-morrow night, will be welcomed by every patron of the Playhouse. Many were out of town when Mr. Compton produced it during the Summer season, and he therefore feels sure that the revival of Sir Henry Irving's great play at this time will prove opportune. Mr. Compton's

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study of the incomparable masterpiece generally conceded to be very fine, he having had exceptional opportunity of making such a study during his long London experience. Miss Peggy Dundas will again play Annette, whilst Herbert Leslie and Miss Agnes Burton will be seen as the judge of the court and Catherine respectively. The cast will be completed by Miss Winifred Macquire, George Durham, Clifford Winter, Herbert Gibson, Wilfred Hill and George Fenton.  
The play will be preceded by the farce "The Boatswain's Mate" played by Miss Agnes Burton, Herbert Leslie and George Durham.

## PANTAGES TO OPEN WITH STELLAR BILL

Sarafan, Spectacular Russian Production, Heads Fine Bill Starting To-night

Pantages opens at nine o'clock to-night with what is heralded as the biggest bill of the season. It is headed by Sarafan, Europe's latest sensation, as presented by the famous impresarios, B. Fridkin and D. Makarenko, offering glimpses of before-the-war Russia in scenes of the famous Moscow Yarr with its candle-lit tables and groups of Gypsies singing and dancing; a rustic betrothal, and the "Czar's" order for former favorite of the Petrograd ballet, who has recently been starred at the London Hippodrome, gives a spirited Cossack dance with a soldiers' chorus and the snow-capped peak of Mount Kestek for a background. Everything about Sarafan is typically Russian, and the cast are many noted favorites, including the wife of General Baranofsky, of the Czar's army, whose husband was killed by the Reds.  
Billy "Swede" Hall & Co. appear in an original character gem, "Hilda," the Swedish elevator girl, a type made famous by Billy "Swede" Hall. Mr. Hall is ably supported by Jolly Jennie Colborn & Co. in this laughable farce as they present it in the Hotel Kestek.  
Chabot & Tortini are two clever comedians in a programme of comedy cross fire talk, singing, piano and dancing, which will be a timely addition to the attractiveness of this offering.  
Paul and Georgia Hall offer character impressions with music, featuring Miss Georgia Hall, America's youngest female baritone; a delightful programme of harmony and character studies by Paul Hall, while beautiful settings and effects and many changes of costumes tend to the attractiveness of the production.  
Nestor & Vincent, two clever artists, offer a variety act of juggling, a speedy routine of unusual and dexterous manipulations.  
Josephine Davis, a clever little juvenile comedienne, presents a programme of singing and dancing, interspersed with comedy.

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## Young Organist Achieves Excellent Results in Recital

The pipe organ, the grandest and noblest of all instruments, owing to many difficulties, seemingly require the greater physical power and that belong to the sterner sex. Scarcely is it an instrument found supremely adaptable to female accomplishment, yet many there are who have achieved distinction and very satisfactory results. Among these can be numbered the organist of St. Andrew's Cathedral, Miss Marguerite McKay, who has become an organist of great ability. Last evening in her recital in the cathedral, at which large number of people attended, she made a distinct impression. The young organist gave three groups which called forth variety of composition, discernment of choice and showed both the capabilities of the performer and her skill in the multiplication of "mixtures," pedals, complexities, and in the total and expressive combinations of stop and manual. Her opening group included: (a) "March on a Theme of Handel," by the great French organist, G. Guillemant; (b) the beautiful "Meditation," by Paulke, in which the melody received a most enjoyable treatment; and (c) the dainty "Pastorale," by Lefebvre-Wely, a favorite with all organists. Her second group consisted of one of Bach's preludes and fugues, that in "C Minor" and "The Guardian Angel" (Pierre), in which the soft and delicate effects proved most delightful. The third group was the first movement of Mendelssohn's great sonata, the "Fourth," and the lovely "Largo," from the master, Bohemian, Dvorak's "New World Symphony."  
The concluding organ number of the programme was played by Jennings Burnett, the organist of St. John's (Anglican), who gave a masterly rendering of Felix Borowski's "Sonata in A Minor," the "Andante," proving most enchanting.  
Those assisting in the proceedings were J. O. Gillan, tenor, who expressively sang, "O Come, Let Us Worship" (Mendelssohn), and Miss Eva Hart, soprano, who with her usual dependency and artistry gave "With Verdure Clad," from the "Creation" (Haydn). During the evening the choir rendered the Gradual and Alleluia from the Mass of the Assumption (Gregorian Plain Chant), and at the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, Miss Eva Hart sang an "Ave Maria" (Cherubini). The cathedral choir again singing the "Tantum Ergo." Mr. Bursett accompanied the singers of the evening.  
The collection was in aid of the Red Cross earthquake fund.  
NO LIQUOR EXPORTATION  
Ottawa, Oct. 23.—The keeping of intoxicating liquor in the Province of New Brunswick for export and the export of such liquor from the Province by persons other than duly licensed brewers and distillers is prohibited on and after November 30 next by an Order-in-Council published in the Canadian Gazette.

## PRESENT CANTATA TO-MORROW NIGHT

"The Holy City" Will Be Produced at First Congregational Church

The programme of the cantata, "The Holy City," to be given in the Congregational Church to-morrow, commencing at 8 p.m. sharp, will include three opening numbers. The full programme is as follows:  
"Our Father, Who Art in Heaven"  
Choir  
"God is a Spirit"..... Brahms  
Quintet  
"How Lovely is Thy Dwelling"..... Bennett  
Choir  
"The Holy City"  
Prologue  
Soprano, quartette and chorus, "Love Not the World."  
Part One—Contemplation  
Organ Introduction.  
Tenor, quartette and chorus, "No Shadows Yonder."  
Air, tenor, "My Soul is Athirst for God."  
Ario, "At eventide It Shall Be Light," Mrs. Faterwood, Mrs. Sanbridge and Mrs. Smith.  
Chorus, "They That Sow in Tears," Air, contralto, "Eye Hath Not Seen," Chorus, "For Thee, O Dear, Dear Country."  
Chorus, "Thine is the Kingdom."  
Part Two—Adoration  
Organ, "Intermezzo."  
Air, baritone, "Thus Saith the Lord," Choral Sanctus, "Holy, Holy, Holy," Chorus, "Let the Heavens Rejoice," Air, tenor, "To the Lord, Our God," Air, contralto, "Come, Ye Blessed," Chorus, "The Fining Pot Is for Silver."  
Air, soprano, "These Are They," Duet, soprano and contralto, "They Shall Hunger No More."  
Soprano, baritone and chorus, "List, the Chœurist Host."  
Finale, "Great Things Marvellous Are Thy Works, Amen."  
God Save the King  
A collection will be taken at the door in aid of the Japanese relief fund. The soloists are: Mrs. A. W. Stokes, soprano; Miss Ethel Edwards, contralto; George Guy, tenor; Percy Edmonds, baritone; Miss Winifred Snowcroft at the organ and Fredric King, conductor.

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## Originals in Rapid Fire

Victoria will be honored with a return visit of the famous "Originals" of the Old Dumbells in their sensational new musical attraction "Rapid Fire," opening at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Wednesday, October 24, for three performances, terminating Friday, October 27.  
They are coming back with the premiere favorites who have delighted hundreds of thousands of people throughout Canada and the United States for the past four years. With such noted humorists as "Red" Newman, Bob Anderson, Jimmie Goodie, Ted Charter and Jerry Brayford; some of the world's best female impersonators such as Arthur (Jock) Holland, Fred Fenwick and Gene Pearson; dancers like Alan Murray; character entertainers such as Charlie McLean; an aggregation of melody kings like Tom Young, Bill Tennant and Bertram Langley; with Jack Ayre to direct the musical destinies and Leonard Young directing the production, the Originals are this season giving the public something in the way of new entertainment that has never had a peer. There is nothing old in the entire show, and a variety of lots of good things to suit everybody's taste. The programme is divided into two parts with twelve numbers in each, and is run off in the same smooth and snappy manner as "Biff, Bing, Bang," "Dumbells Revue of 1922" and "Full of Pep." After the unique programme of twenty-five numbers the boys give a very acceptable finishing touch introduced by Jimmie Goodie, they appear one by one in evening dress, thus the audience is able to see their favorites and ponder over the cleverness of these chaps who come to entertain them season after season, always more entertaining than before.  
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NEWS IN BRIEF Permits for private garages have been issued to A. E. Lefus, 2555 Blackwood Road, and Mr. McIntosh, 45 South Turner Street.

The Equilmalt Board of Trade has invited members of the City Council to attend a banquet at the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt, next Friday.

L. E. Gower was appointed by the City Council last evening to the statutory declarations under the Municipal Act, and the Municipal Elections Act.

Approval was given to an application of G. C. Mesher for permission to erect marquee over the entrance to 682 Fort Street, by the City Council last evening.

Kamloops is circulating the municipalities with regard to the method of maintaining isolation hospitals. The object is to secure state control and maintenance instead of municipal responsibility.

Ward Five Spanish Ritepaters' Association, at its meeting last evening, delayed consideration of the Spanish sewer by-law, which is to be voted upon on November 17, until a public meeting is held at Regal Oak in connection with the campaign prior to that date.

The theft of five Ross miniature target weapons from the Victoria West School is receiving attention at the hands of the city police.

In reply to an inquiry from the Victoria Publicity Bureau, Alfred H. Lomas, Indian Agent, Duncan, B.C., writes that the Cowichan River is not yet high enough to make the trip down the river, but it is expected that it will be within the next few days.

Church of Revelation will hold a social evening on Wednesday, October 24, at 8 o'clock, in Room 5, Surrey Block, 523 Yates Street.

On Saturday, November 3, the choir of the Church of the Holy Saviour, Victoria West, will hold a Halloween social at 8 p.m.

Central W.C.T.U. will hold a parlor meeting on Thursday at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Lovatt, 639 Dunedin Street.

Sitting as a Committee of the whole, the Oak Bay Council met the Board of School Trustees at the Municipal Hall last evening to discuss the question of a new High School building for Oak Bay.

The committee in charge of the Ancient Order of Foresters' Masquerade Dance to be held in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium Tuesday, October 30, met last night to make final arrangements.

HOSPITAL CAMPAIGN The committee in charge of the organization of the Jubilee Hospital campaign particularly requests that as the preparations for the hospital drive for funds to be used in a complete three-year campaign, that nothing new will be undertaken in the way of organized campaigns for funds for other worthy objects.

VICTORY AT AN APPEAL UPHELD ON APPEAL Newcombe Versus Green Hearing Decided in Favor of Appellant In a decision handed down in the Court of Appeal sitting at Vancouver, yesterday that tribunal reversed the finding of Mr. Justice Macdonald and a special jury in the Supreme Court hearing of Newcombe versus Green.

Appearing in the Provincial Police Court to-day to answer a trip charge, H. Blyth was fined \$20 upon conviction of having shot at a pheasant in the municipality of Oak Bay, a charge of which he was found guilty.

The Peppy sub-committee of the Amateurs' Period Committee arranged to hold a meeting in the Veterans of France rooms on Thursday evening, October 25, at 8 p.m.

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The hearing of Harris versus Pullen was set down for hearing in the County Court to-day. E. J. Harris, the plaintiff, claims \$300 alleged to be due on three promissory notes dated December 1921.

The annual ball of the Spanish police force will be held to-morrow evening at the Agricultural Hall, Keating. Flanders' five-piece orchestra will furnish the music and the West Spanish Women's Institute is in charge of the catering.

V. A. S. C. Dance—The dances to be held this season by the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club are in charge of a special committee, comprised of the majority of the younger members.

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OFFERS \$25,000 FOR BEST PLAN FOR WORLD PEACE Philanthropist Makes Handsome Donation to Avert War Information has been received by Harry Charlesworth, secretary of the B. C. Teachers' Federation, that a gentleman whose home is in Detroit, Michigan, has given to the World Federation of Education Associations a gift of \$25,000 to be used as an award for the best plan which will bring to the world the greatest security from war.

The Peace Plan A plan of education calculated to produce world amity is desired. There is a distinct difference between this and the one called by that distinguished citizen and generous donor, Edward Bok, inasmuch as this contest calls for a world-wide programme of education which will promote the peace of the world.

Rules of the Contest All manuscripts must be in typewritten form with sufficient margin for the notes of the examiner.

Commission on Award The commission on award will be composed of the following: Henry M. Robinson, president, First National Bank, Los Angeles, Cal.; Dr. Henry Noble McCracken, president, Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.; Percival P. Baxter, governor of Maine, Augusta, Maine; Dr. Herbert S. Houston, publisher of Our World, New York; Mrs. P. W. Henry, wife of the Hon. J. H. Hudson, N.Y.; Miss Olive M. Jones, president National Education Association, 60 Board of Education, New York City; Henry E. Dunsmuir, Librarian, G.F.S., Augusta, Maine; J. W. Crabtree, secretary National Education Association, Washington, D.C.; Mrs. Cora Wilson, Stewart, Grand Rapids, Mich.; George T. Moody, Bound Brook, New Jersey; Carlton E. Ladd, Buffalo, N.Y.; Wm. Gibbs MacLeod, Lowell, Mass.; Mrs. Milton A. McEwen, Detroit, Mich., and San Diego, Cal.; Alfred Lucking, Ford Building, Detroit, Mich., and Dr. R. A. Milliken, president, Institute of Technology, Pasadena, Cal.

PREPARE SCHEDULE ON PROVINCIALLY OWNED PROPERTIES IN CITY The case for an increased contribution by the Provincial Government to the Capital City of the Province is being presented by the City Council at the earliest possible occasion, before the executive is deluged with deputations which usually precede the opening of the Legislature.

Car Operator IS EXONERATED Late Michael Conroy Met Accidental Death, Say Jury Exonerating George Rhodes, the operator of an interurban car, a coroner's jury sitting inquest at the B.C. Central Court Building, Vancouver, found that the late Michael Conroy, sixty-seven-year-old resident at Glyn, Saanich, came to his death as a result of a riding accident, the blame was to be attached to the driver of the electric car, but brought in a rider to the effect that interurban cars should slow down at every station whether a stop was to be made or not.

At the actual time of the accident the car was slowing down and was moving at the rate of about six miles an hour. When the car stopped witnesses got off and saw Mr. Conroy lying against the station steps. He was unconscious. Witness telephoned to the city for aid and brought in the victim of the mishap.

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TOURISTS NOW. GIVE IMPETUS TO REAL ESTATE Summer Visitors to Victoria Purchasing Houses or Lots Increasing Activity Reported by Members of Victoria Board The real estate turnover in Victoria is greater at the present time than it was during any time in the Summer.

Have to Build Business is brisk in city houses and with regard to vacant property it is safe to say, said Mr. Patterson, that there has been a distinct increase in sales, especially in Oak Bay. Many prospective residents who have been unable to find exactly the kind of house they desire have purchased vacant property with the intention of building. It is an actual fact that houses, especially bungalows in good residential districts, are difficult to secure.

There are a number of houses which are too large for the average buyer. Some of these Mr. Patterson mentioned are being turned into flats and he anticipated that there will be a big demand for accommodation of this kind from tourists next Summer. He cited a specific instance of one tourist who said he would visit Victoria next Summer for two months and bring friends with him.

One feature sometimes overlooked by many people who do not understand the real estate business is that there is a class of people constantly arriving here who decide to rent for a few months with the intention of buying later. They rent first in order to determine which district of the city in which they will decide to live. Many of these are tourists who came here during the Summer and then returned to the city to live. They are now "becoming due," said Mr. Patterson. In other words they have decided upon a district and are making their purchases.

Mr. Robertson suggested that an appeal should go out to the tourist to take the opportunity this Summer of seeing some of the fine stands of timber which may soon fall, and to the fact that the timber of Cameron Lake would probably soon fall under logging operations.

Islands Arts Society Showing Finer Entries Than Ever Before "Bigger and better than ever." Such might be the summarized description applied to the annual exhibition of the Islands Arts and Crafts Society which opened with eclat at the Hudson's Bay private dining room to-day. In the history of the club it is doubtful if greater interest has ever been shown by artists and craftsmen, as reflected in the wide range of the exhibits, than is seen in this year's collection, and the presence of pictures by artists who have won a wide measure of fame in the Old World adds interest to an already interesting occasion.

Several cabinets of dainty china lustres and Satsuma ware are exhibited by Mrs. D. B. Holden, Mrs. Willis, Catherine Lohan and Jean G. Roberts, while hand-made pottery from Vancouver Island city makes a most attractive exhibit.

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As previously announced, the banquet, which commences at 7 p.m., will be attended by the staff only, as matters pertaining to the efficiency of retail merchandising, applicable particularly to the Kirkham stores, will be discussed, while the dance attended by the many friends of the staff will commence at 9 o'clock and continue until 1 o'clock.

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her portraiture. Mrs. Izard is the sole entrant in the miniature section, with some delightful studies of childhood.

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FRUIT MEN FIND BETTER MARKETS FOR FALL CROPS British Columbia fruit growers are finding much better markets for their fruit this year than in the Fall of 1922, according to W. H. Robertson, Provincial Horticulturist, who returned to his office in the Parliament Buildings here to-day after a trip of investigation through the Okanagan fruit districts.

THIS KLEPTOMANIAC WAS FAST WORKER Vancouver, Oct. 23.—Louis Bergloff, in police court this morning, pleaded guilty to nineteen charges of burglary. He will be sentenced Saturday. Bergloff operated in all sections of the city and his choice of loot ran from alarm clocks to jewelry and hot water bags. Included in the spoils were fur coats, suits, man-cure and toilet sets, cut glass articles, mirrors, club hats and gramophones. In the opinion of officials Bergloff is the victim of kleptomania.

M. ACHIDA, JAPAN CHAIRMAN OF GENEVA LABOR CONFERENCE Geneva, Oct. 23.—M. Achida, of Japan, was elected president of the annual conference of the International Labor Bureau of the League of Nations at its opening session yesterday.

SPORTING NEWS

Oatman Will Stay Here Unless Good Man Replaces Him

Jimmy Gibson Still Refuses to Play Hockey in Victoria This Winter

Calgary Offers Several Other Players But None of Recognized Ability

Chances of Jimmy Gibson, fleet centre ice man of the Calgary Tigers last season, reporting in Victoria this winter did not look very bright this morning.

Must Be Good Man The Cougar skipper does not intend to get a player of Oatman's ability without getting something good in return.

Further details are expected within a day or two as a settlement must be reached in view of the fact that Oatman will be reporting here on November 5.

Lester is anxious to have the deal settled as quickly as possible so that he can line up his team. He has the signed contracts of seven players, and only has to be heard from by Loughlin and Hec Fowler.

Work Out on November 5 The Cougars are due to hold their first workout of the season on Monday, November 5, which is two weeks from yesterday.

Baltimore Prolong Little Ball Series by Beating Kansas

Baltimore, Oct. 22.—The Orioles prolonged the seventh game from Kansas City at Oriole Park yesterday afternoon, 10 to 3.

A STUMBLING-BLOCK



"SLIM" HALDERSON

The hockey fans are glad to know that "Our Slim" is coming back to play with the Cougars.

School Ruggers Arrange Opening Game for Nov. 2

Oak Bay High and University Schools to Play; Four Teams Will Compete

School rugby teams will get into action on Friday, November 2, according to the schedule just released by the schools.

A Splendid League The four clubs are the Victoria High School, Oak Bay High School, Victoria College and University School.

Friday, November 2—University School vs. O.H.S., at Mount Tomlie. Wednesday, November 7—University School vs. O.H.S., at Cranmore Road.

GREG GAINS VERDICT

Newark, N.J., Oct. 22.—Harry Greb, Pittsburgh, midnight champion, winning the seventh game from Kansas City at Oriole Park yesterday afternoon, 10 to 3.

Babe Ruth Whiffs Twice Before the Miner's Flaming

Hazleton, Pa., Oct. 22.—Babe Ruth whiffed today for a baseball game. His appearance made a holiday, the mines closing at noon and the public schools of all towns in the region closing early.

Garrison Soccer Team Making Its Debut To-morrow

Tommies Will Meet Bays in Thrilling Game; Cranleigh Plays Broad Street

The Garrison football eleven will make their initial appearance in the Wednesday Football League to-morrow afternoon, when they will clash with the Hudson's Bay at the Royal Athletic Park.

The Games The games scheduled for the Wednesday League to-morrow are as follows: Hudson's Bay vs. Garrison, at Royal Athletic Park, at 2 p.m.

Many of the Wednesday fans have wondered who the Teamsters are. The team is mainly composed of players from the Hudson's Bay, Rennie & Taylor, and the Teamsters.

Canada Becomes a Member of British Soccer Association

London, Oct. 23 (Canadian Press Cable).—The Football Association of Canada has been admitted as a member of the British Football Association.

Girl Bookie Does Rushing Business With School Kids

London, Oct. 23 (Canadian Press Cable).—A nineteen-year-old girl of Enfield, Middlesex, was doing a rushing business in bookmaking and had among her clients a number of school children until the police put her out of business.

MARTIN NOW A SOLDIER

Charleston, W.Va., Oct. 22.—Bob Martin, heavyweight boxer, donned the uniform of a state trooper yesterday and went on duty with a special patrol at Webster Springs.

Georgian Peach Pries Two Batting Records Away From Famous Wagner



TY COBB, LEFT, AND HANS WAGNER, RIGHT

New York, Oct. 22.—Tyrus Cobb, pilot of the Detroit Tigers, has added new glory to his all-time batting record, a mark almost lost sight of in the closing battles of the season.

Another record which the Detroit manager pried loose from the former Pirate shortstop was that of making the largest number of hits.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

London, Oct. 23.—The following football matches were played yesterday: Rugby Union, Swansea 13, Aberystwyth 2.

SMILING ALEX FROM ABERDEEN



ALEX MARLING

Photograph by Goodenough The new pro at the Colwood Golf and Country Club, who arrived in this city last week.

Breaking Par no Longer Feat of a Great Genius

Ten Years Ago a Golfer Who Shot an 80 Was Looked Upon as a Wonder

Old man Par has about as much standing these days on a golf course as a rural worm in a wicked, metropolitan aquarium.

Unquestionably the players as a class are better. More are playing the game and the competition is keener.

Sluggers Are Passing

Possibly the chief reason why par has become less elusive is that the game is being played differently.

WILL HOLD TRACK MEET IN VANCOUVER IN 1925

Saskatoon, Oct. 23.—University of British Columbia was admitted to membership in the Western Canada Intercollegiate Athletic Union.

Lee Fohl Signed to Manage Boston Sox Next Season

Boston, Oct. 23.—President Robert Quinn of the Boston American League Club, announced last night that Lee Fohl, former manager of the St. Louis Browns, has consented to manage the Red Sox during the 1924 season.

Oak Bay Caddies Will Compete For Title on Saturday

There will be a caddies' competition at the Oak Bay links on Saturday next for the Victoria Golf Club caddies.

Mrs. Philbrick is Medalist in Oak Bay Golf Tourney

In the qualifying round of the ladies' championship of the Victoria Golf Club Mrs. Philbrick, the city champion, made the best score, 81.

NEW GOLF QUEEN



MISS EDITH CUMMINGS

Chicago, who won the ladies' golf championship of the United States this year.

Horse Racing to Claim Favor in California Again

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Tanforan Track Will Open on Nov. 3, But no Betting Will be Allowed

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Tracks Broken Up

Thereafter the big track holdings at Ingleside, Emeryville and elsewhere in the state knew the rush of the high-priced hordes of the stake starters no more.

Donoghue Rides There

Donoghue bade his adieu to American tracks by riding two mounts at Empire City track yesterday afternoon.

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Zev and My Own To Settle Their Quarrel on Nov. 3

Both Horses Have Entered in Latonia Championship; Expect Great Race

Papyrus and Donohue Leave For Home; Steve Finished Third in Two Races

New York, Oct. 22.—Zev, international three-year-old champion as a result of his decisive victory Saturday over Papyrus, the English Derby winner, will settle his rivalry with My Own for American honors in the Latonia championship at Latonia, Ky., November 3, unless present plans go astray.

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Good-bye to Papyrus

With turf interest drawn to Zev and My Own, Papyrus, the gallant Britisher, drew but the consolation prize at the Aquitania, which sailed to-day for England.

Record Crowd Expected

A record crowd of society folk and others is expected for the gala opening of the bright silks sported by the jockeys will run to green to a great extent, the Ryan, Rudolph Spreckels and other big stables having selected this as one of their colors.

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**PRESBYTERIANS FIRE POINTED QUESTIONS AT UNION ADVOCATE**

(Continued from page 1.)

**"Go Out of the Church"**

The Presbyterian Church as such goes into the union. Those who refuse to go into the union go out of the Presbyterian Church," he said. The applause and a few "Nos" that greeted the speaker's remark were the first signs that this was one of the most contentious points at issue.

"This is the vital matter between unionists and anti-unionists," he said. The very unity of the church as a whole depends on the right to go into the union as an entity, carrying rights and privileges with it.

Dealing on property rights, the speaker remarked that it would take too long to go into the exceptions, but in the main the churches' property would have the same rights to the United Church as it had to the present churches. Reversionary rights would apply.

"The act carries all churches into the union whether they like it or not," said Dr. Pidgeon. "This is the right of the church as an entity. The act does not come into full operation touching those who refuse to concur for six months. During that time any congregation that desires can vote itself out. Any congregation voting itself out takes all congregational property with it.

"Why," asked a questioner, "was it found necessary to compel the entire membership of the Presbyterian Church to go into the union and have individuals churches draw out? Why compel us to go into a union of which we do not approve?"

Dr. Pidgeon repeated his claim that the church must act for the entire membership.

**Want Another Vote**

Another questioner asked why another vote was not taken before the act was passed, and those who wanted to go into the union go and the remainder stay out as the Presbyterian Church.

"No action under an act can have validity," said Dr. Pidgeon. "The act goes into effect. The right to go into the union rested with the church as an entity.

"Ministers on entering the church took certain oaths during the act," he said. "How," he asked, "can you harmonize your conscience to a union of churches?"

"Am I by my word bound not to consider union with my brothers?" asked the speaker in reply.

"If it affects doctrine, yes," emphatically interposed a lady member of the audience.

**Prepared to Fight**

The same lady stood up and strenuously objected to yielding our consciences because the leaders of the church say we must go into the union. We are prepared to fight," she said, "and fight to last."

"You are a member of the Presbyterian Church," Dr. Pidgeon interrupted. "Yes and we will remain so to the end in spite of all unions."

Dr. Leslie Clark at this juncture requested permission to speak and asked if he could put his remarks in the form of a question. Dr. Clark claimed that votes taken showing increasing opposition among Presbyterians to church union. "Why camouflage the matter and make it appear the Presbyterian Church is asking for this?" he asked. "The church is not asking for this. A certain section of the Presbyterian Church is."

At this stage, despite the chairman's repeated remarks for one question at a time only, a questioner in the rear of the church asked why 50,000 Presbyterians in uniform in 1918 were not given the opportunity to express an opinion.

Questions were also asked why another vote was not taken on church union.

Dr. Pidgeon's reply that anti-unionists would not be bound by a vote was greeted with cries of "question."

"Why not take us into your confidence again?" asked a questioner, "as in the last analysis the people must be the deciding factor."

Dr. Pidgeon replied that the other churches had gone ahead so far on the strength of the pledges of the General Assembly of 1918 that the Presbyterian Church could no longer treat the matter as an open question. Every church, he pointed out in answer to requests for a referendum, sent representatives to the General Assembly.

**"Officialism"**

"It is a question of officialism," said one member of the audience. "It is not," responded the speaker. "It is the action of your elected representatives."

The Presbyterians of Victoria voted three to one in favor of church union at the Assembly," said another anti-unionist, "whereas the feeling in Victoria was really nothing of the kind."

Dr. Pidgeon defended the Presbyterian system of church government as the fairest form. He took issue with Dr. Clay on his statement that

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the feeling against church union was increasing and declared that throughout the country there was a wider belief in union. Union churches had sprung up in anticipation of the pledge of union.

Dr. Clay questioned the strength of a union which did not carry its entire membership. Dr. Pidgeon replied that it was impossible to secure an entire vote and pointed to votes cast in civic elections. On any other questions such as a vote on the vote on church union have been regarded as a sweeping victory, he claimed. "We find," he said, "an organized minority determined to block the will of the majority." The minority, he informed Dr. Clay, who declared there was no organization in 1918, was organized as early as 1915 in his (Dr. Pidgeon's) own church.

**Church Property**

Many questions on church property were fired at Dr. Pidgeon, in reply to which he explained that under the bill a congregation was the lowest unit that could be dealt with. Where a congregation withdrew from the union in the six months allowed they would retain their congregational property.

Pressed on the rights of a minority of a congregation divided on the question, Dr. Pidgeon said a congregation must be regarded as an entity. The division of property was something that could not be determined for them. "It is their desire and hope that congregations will keep together," he said. He advised unionists, where non-unionists were in the majority, to go with the majority to preserve the congregation. He would not advise them to tear their church asunder. In such a case a congregation should hold together and maintain its property. To separate the equity and distribute it would set the church back ten years, he said.

**Three Questioners**

With three men on their feet the debate was closed, but Dr. Pidgeon consented to answer a questioner who brought up again the matter of the men overseas when the vote was taken in 1918.

"These men have spoken through their representatives," he declared. "The staunchest supporters of church union are the men returned from overseas."

Regarding the calls for another referendum, he declared that the elders of the church in Scotland had said they had no right to go to the people. As the representatives of the church they should take the full responsibility. They must follow the dignified and thoroughly Presbyterian way.

**History of the Union Movement**

Dr. Gunn showed that the history of the early church revealed an effort to realize organic union, while preserving the matter of freedom and democracy, and showed also that such had been the history of the church in all subsequent periods, while in our day this effort toward organic union was more pronounced than ever in all forms of religious organization. He stated that the point at issue between the Anglican and the Non-Conformist bodies was mainly that of the status of the ministry, and stated that Dr. Salbie, principal of Mansfield College, Oxford, had said that in answer to his question, "What do you think of the ministry of the Non-Conformist Churches?" two English archbishops replied: "We recognize the ministry of the Free Churches to be a real ministry in the Word and Sacraments in the larger ministry of the Kingdom of God."

Dr. Gunn then gave an interesting recital of various church unions in Canada.

In 1817 occurred the first union of organic churches in Canada, being the union of two distinct branches of the Presbyterian Church. That since that time there had come into existence the Presbyterian Church of Canada made up of nine unions taking place between the years 1817 and 1875; that the Methodist Church of Canada had resulted from the union of eighteen divisions uniting seven succeeding years between 1832 and 1884, and that the Congregational Church had witnessed two unions, one in 1868 and the last in 1907.

The present proposed union of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational Churches had begun in 1902 by certain overtures from the Presbyterian Church made to the Methodist Church respecting a co-operation of effort in home mission fields. These were accepted to stand in the same year the Methodist Church offered a definite proposal for organic union and appointed a committee to meet similar committees of the other churches to confer on the whole project. The Presbyterian Assembly of 1902 referred the matter to its committee on correspondence, and thence to a conference on the subject with a committee of the Congregational Church in 1903. This joint committee met from time to time for five years, and then reported their conclusions that organic union was practicable. The matter then was referred by the churches to their various Presbyteries or Conventions as the case might be. The Congregational Church in 1909 accepted the proposal for organic union, and the Methodist Church did the same in its general conference of 1910. These actions of the two latter bodies had been confirmed from time to time.

**Approved Basis**

In 1915 the Assembly of the Presbyterian Church approved of the basis of union, and in 1916, by a vote of 406 to 90, resolved to enter into organic union, and to take the necessary steps to secure legislation to that end. Again in 1921 it reaffirmed its intention and determined to consummate such union as expeditiously as possible. In June, 1922, the Assembly again affirmed its desire for union, and presented its committee's report on law and legislation. This matter of the final revision of draft bills was submitted to the joint committee on union meeting in Toronto in September last, and by them prepared for presentation to Parliaments and Legislatures.

**Thousands Attend**

The most last night at St. Andrew's Church, was attended by a great throng of persons of all religious sects and creeds in this city and the general idea of the great union was popularly acclaimed. The speakers, the Rev. Doctors G. C. Pidgeon, W. T. Gunn and J. A. Aikens, put the matter of the union in clear and concise language and made a notable impression. The Rev. Dr. Wilson, of this city, was in the chair. Owing to the fact that throughout Canada in the larger centres there are too few churches and large congregations, ministers found it impossible to attend the seats of their homes, and as a result there has arisen an apparently irremediable state of affairs. Besides the unfortunate circumstances which have given rise to these difficulties in the central population, there has developed an entirely different but equally difficult

problem in the prairies; and the vast stretches of country where there are too many churches and too few in the congregations have faced most perplexing and similar facts, the speakers intimated, in favor of the great union of the churches under a common set of principles.

**Case for Union**

The three speakers, who have traveled across the Dominion addressing audiences everywhere on this important question, have studied the matter carefully and as a result have been able to enlighten the public as to the means whereby such a union of the creeds may be obtained and as to the beneficial church which will ensue. That union will make it unnecessary for the continued upkeep of the many churches of different denominations in the Dominion of Canada and will cut down a vast and needless expense, is a matter of paramount importance in the eyes of the unionists. It was argued that the inauguration of these three great churches under one leadership, with the same beliefs and a founded common agreement will alleviate the congestion of congregations in the crowded cities of Canada was another important phase outlined by the speakers.

The speakers dealt with various phases of plans for the union.

**Leave for Vancouver**

The Rev. Dr. J. A. Aikens, the Rev. Dr. W. T. Gunn and the Rev. Dr. G. C. Pidgeon left for the mainland last night to attend a huge convention. All three are members of the educational committee of the new United Church of Canada. In Vancouver they will be joined shortly by the Rev. Dr. Gandler, principal of Knox College, Toronto, moderator of the Presbyterian Church and also a member of this educational committee. Dr. Gandler has been in New Westminister for the past few days, giving a series of addresses on this same subject of church union in Canada.

The speakers last night were here in the city for the first time.

They laid stress upon the circumstances which have led up to the present negotiations for the formation of the United Church of Canada and of its probable future.

**NEW TAXI SERVICE INAUGURATED HERE ON 50-CENT RATE**

**Fleet of Luxurious Closed Limousines Put on Here by "C. and C."**

"Having tried the meter system taxi charging in 1914 without success we relegated it to the junk heap and are now adopting a system whereby every class of people will be able to enjoy the luxury of a taxi without having to pay a big charge for its service," stated A. A. Caldwell, of the Cameron & Caldwell Taxi Company 10-day, when speaking of the new service the company has inaugurated.

"We found that the charging by meter was all right for city work, but when anyone desired to go any distance at all the charge became too high and the public was dissatisfied and complained. We discarded this system then, and after years of experience in the taxi business have come to the conclusion that the system we are now operating is the best."

"We got the idea from the Toronto taxi, but Victoria being a smaller city naturally reduced the rates and have inaugurated what is now known as the 50c taxi. Now one can go practically anywhere in any part of the city within the mile and a half circle for that rate. There are some places, however, where the charge is greater, but this is due to the planning of the town."

**New Closed Cars**

The new service was inaugurated on Sunday, and it is the intention of the company to educate the public in the use of taxi driving. No extra charge is made for more than one person. Five persons can be carried from the home to the dance or theatre almost as cheaply as the street car and with the added convenience of having the car call at their door.

"Our new Dodge sedans are the first modern in the taxi service in Canada; in fact, they are the first to come to Canada. They are heated for the comfort of their passengers during the winter, while ventilation is provided for in the summer months. They are roomy, up-to-date and luxurious in every appointment. Regular value \$100. Wednesday Morning Special, 69c each."

**23c SPECIALS IN DRUG SUNDRIES**

Vinolia Vanishing Cream, value 35c, for 23c  
Special Tooth Paste, value 35c, for 23c  
Witch Hazel Cream, value 35c, for 23c  
English Wash Gloves, value 35c, for 23c  
Special Tooth Brushes, value 35c, for 23c  
Big Powder Puffs, value 35c, for 23c

**Men's Lined Maleskin Work Gauntlets**

Heavy Quality Gauntlet Gloves that will keep your hands warm and comfortable; all sizes. 69c Per pair

**Men's Work Pants**

Made from heavy quality Khaki Buck, with double seat and knee, rivetted buttons and double sewn throughout; all sizes. \$2.69 Per pair



**WEDNESDAY MORNING SPECIALS**

With every department offering Unusually Good Values, you will find it much to your advantage to shop here TO-MORROW MORNING

**Millinery Special**

For Wednesday morning's selling we have specially selected and priced a number of beaver, plush and velvet hats in the popular sailor shape. These are suitable for immediate wear. Shown in black, navy, black and white and navy and white. Values to \$6.50. Very special value at \$2.50

**Slip-On Veils**

In black only, with motif designs. Wednesday Morning Special, 12 for 25c

**Remnants of Ribbons and Laces Half-Price**

Dainty Laces, Insertions, Trimmings, Embroideries, Plain and Novelty Silk and Satin Ribbons, including beautiful Dresden ribbons, in various widths and good useful lengths. Clearing Wednesday Morning

**800 Yards of Prints and Gingham**

Special offering for Wednesday morning buyers. Medium and dark colored prints and checked and plaid effects in fine quality ginghams. Wednesday Morning, per yard 19c

**A BIG VALUE IN Striped Flannelettes**

English Flannelettes with a closely woven texture and warm nappy surface. Shown in a large range of stripes in excellent color combinations; 36 inches wide. 39c Per yard

**A Hundred Pairs of Flannellette Blankets**

100 Pairs Flannelette Blankets, woven from thick, soft lofty yarns in white and grey with pink and blue borders; three-quarter bed and bed size. Per pair \$1.98

**Large Turkish Bath Towels at 69c**

White Turkish Bath Towels with a closely woven pile; size 25 x 50. Excellent absorbent texture. Regular value \$1.00. Wednesday Morning Special, 69c each

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**Women's Vests and Drawers Special at 79c Per Garment**

Of medium weight Knit Cotton, slightly fleeced, low neck, shoulder straps or short sleeves; also high neck and long sleeves. Drawers to match vests, in open or closed styles, knee or ankle length. Sizes 36 to 40. Special at per garment 79c



**Smardon's Samples**

Values to \$10.00 for \$2.98

An unusual opportunity for women who wear small sizes to purchase stylish footwear at a very low price.

This group comprises one and two strap pumps in black kid and patent leather, with turn soles and Louis heels, also light welted soles and Cuban heels. Oxfords in black kid, black calf and tan Russia calf, with welted soles; choice of medium and Cuban heels; sizes 3, 3 1/2 and 4 only, in A and B widths. Regular values to \$10.00. All grouped to clear Wednesday morning only, at \$2.98 per pair

**Two Big Doll Specials**

300 Dolls at 95c Each

A Big Full Jointed Doll for \$2.95

Included in this Special Offering are kid body dolls, 14 inches long, with curly hair and sleeping eyes; also the cutest Character Baby Dolls, with real hair, sleeping eyes and moving tongue. Wonderful value at 95c each

**UMBRELLA SPECIAL**

Be prepared for the rainy days and buy one of these serviceable Umbrellas. They are made with good strong, steel frames, durable quality, black cambric covers, straight or bent wood handle. An extra special value at \$1.39

**An Exceptionally Good Value in Women's Piccadilly Coats**

English Piccadilly Trench Coats, tailored from good quality khaki Gaberdine, in loose style, with all round belt, large set-in armholes, double breast, trimmed with leather buttons, slip pockets, two-way collar and full lined. Showerproof and dustproof; sizes 16 to 46. Suitable for all kinds of wear. \$15.00

**HOSIERY Special**

Women's All Wool Cashmere Hose, English make, with wide top, reinforced heels and toes; in black, white, navy, brown, grey, seal and coating. Sizes 3 1/2 to 10 1/2. Wednesday morning, per pair 89c

Women's Chamoiette Gloves, with two dome fasteners; in black, white, sand, brown and beaver shades. Sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Wednesday morning, per pair 65c

**Half-Day Specials in Groceries**

Harvest Queen Bread Flour Excellent flour for bread, quality guaranteed; quantity somewhat limited, so order early. Wednesday Morning Special, 49-lb. sack \$1.75

Choice Quality Local King Apples Wednesday Morning Special, 7 pounds, 25c

Choice Quality Pumpkins For preserving or Halloween decorations. Per pound 3c

Sugar Crisp Corn Flakes Wednesday Morning Special, 3 packets, 27c

Pure Gold Quick Tapioca Wednesday Morning Special, 2 pounds, 25c

Aunt Jemima's Pancake Flour Wednesday Morning Special, per packet, 19c 3 packets for 55c

Patricio Brand Kipperd Snacks 3 tins for 25c

Brunswick Brand Sardines in Oil 4 tins for 25c

Imported Dutch Myacinths Extra for forcing; most of the popular colors and varieties still available. Each 10c

**Art Needlework Special**

Children's Stamped and Made Up Dresses and Rompers of chambray, crepe, pique and lawn; sizes 1 to 4 years; values to \$1.00. 39c

Notion Specials for Half Day

Silk Hair Nets In black, light, medium and dark brown. Wednesday Morning Special 8 for 25c

Costs Sewing Cotton 200-yard spools in black or white; all numbers, regular value 9c. Wednesday Morning Special, 12 spools for 89c

Clark's Colored Cottons All colors, 100-yard spools. Wednesday Morning Special, 3 for 15c

Mending Wool in Skeins Large size skeins in all colors. 6 for 25c

**Hudson's Bay Company**

Incorporated May 2nd, 1670

# THE TIMES DAILY PICTURE PAGE



**LOUIS KEILA**, American sculptor, with his prize-winning bust of the late President Harding.



**STRANGLER TO DEATH**—Miss Estelle Phillips, pretty saleswoman in a New York department store, who was found choked to death in her bedroom and in connection with whose murder Frank Collins, said to be the son of a Canadian minister, is being trailed by the police.



**ISRAEL ZANGWILL**, well-known writer, accuses Britain of failure to carry out the full terms of her mandate for Palestine.



**GREECE PAYS HONOR** to the body of one of the Italian delegates-murdered at Janina.



**"DEATHOMETER"**—This fifteen-foot indicator, fashioned after an automobile speedometer, told citizens of Buffalo, N.Y., the progress of a "Five Days for Safety" campaign carried on in that city in connection with the 12th annual congress of the National Safety Council, attended by 3,500 delegates.



**POSSUM ON A STICK**—After your houn' dawg has treed this southern delicacy and you either have cut the tree down or climbed up after Mr. Possum, this is the way you carry him home. Misses Emma Laurie Wesley, Isabelle Hunter and Lillian Ashley, of Atlanta, start home after one of their possum hunts.



**HERO**—Hilding Anderson is only thirteen but he's every inch a hero and credited with saving thirty-eight lives. Headless of his own danger, when flames enveloped the Augustana home in Minneapolis, he dashed through the burning building, spreading alarm and carrying many of the child inmates to safety.



**LIEUT. A. J. WILLIAMS** traveled the entire course at 242.67 miles per hour to win the Pulitzer prize at the St. Louis air races.



**WHAT'S HOME WITHOUT A SNAKE?**—Edmund Papineau, eighteen months, of Toledo, Ohio, has no use for dolls and rubber toys. His most precious pet is the six-foot Mexican bull snake shown in the picture, which Edmund's papa, who's a "yarb" doctor, uses in his medicine shows. The little leather horse at the left has been discarded for an intimate embrace with the reptile.



**HOLD 'EM, SISTERS**—Quite a crowd turned out to watch this novel pushball game staged by co-ed teams and fans of the University of Southern California. The lady holding the ball at the extreme left is Miss Florence Grey, who amply demonstrated her worth as an antagonist of some weight.



**LATEST PHOTO**—The grimace above is owned by Judge K. M. Landis, High Commissioner of the baseball world. Picture was taken at the world series in New York.

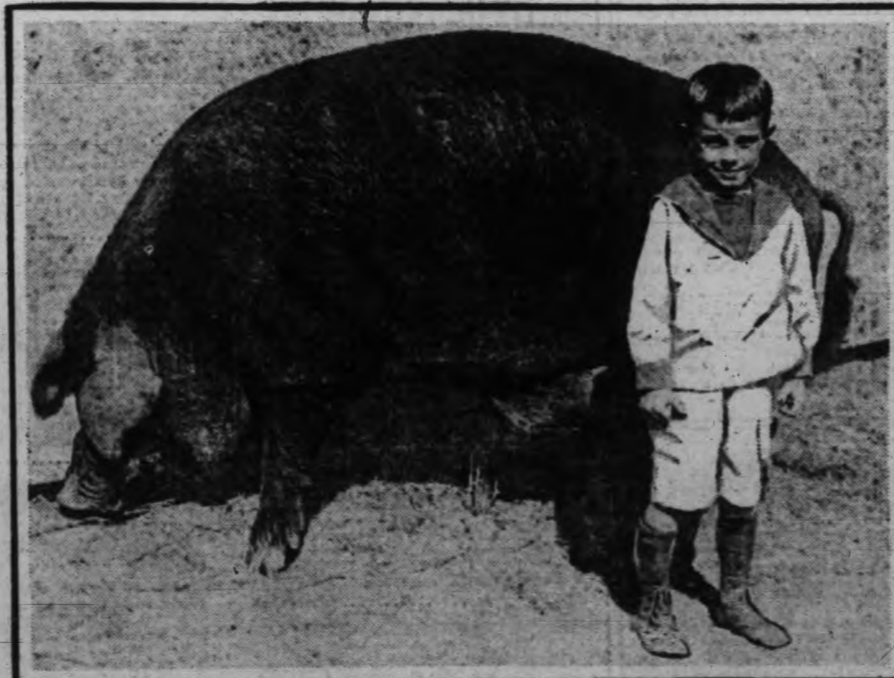
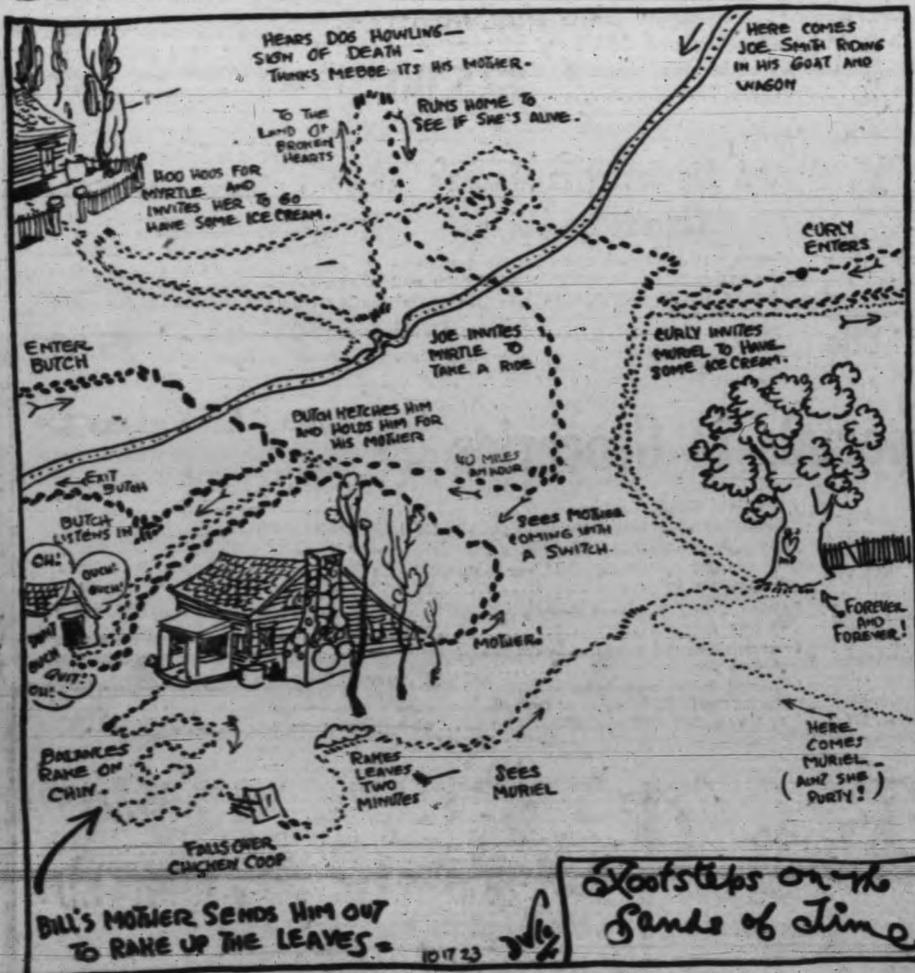


**EVANGELINE BOOTH**, commander of the Salvation Army, has undergone an operation in New York.



**ISSUES MEDAL**—In honor of the opening of the 1923 Canadian National Exhibition by Dr. F. G. Banting, discoverer of insulin, the medal shown above has been issued by the exhibition directors.

## SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG



**WHEN THIS PIG GOES TO MARKET—OH, MY!**—Franklin Deacon and his pal, Wengers Top Colonel 3rd. "My little friend weighs just 350 pounds," says the little boy. "Of course, he's some bigger than me. But that doesn't make any difference. We get along fine. If he gets naughty, I just pull his ears until he snorts. Then he behaves." But Franklin doesn't have to exert his tiny pounds very often. For the Colonel respects him. They play together most of the time. And they're happy together. But occasionally a note of sadness creeps into their play. Little Franklin knows that some day his friend will be taken away and turned into ham sandwiches. "Then I'll stop eating," he says, "and never touch a sandwich as long as I live."



**Dr. Held, of Chicago, and one of the Monkey "Laboratories" He Uses in Combating Age**  
Dr. William Held draws from the monkeys and chimpanzees in his laboratory an elixir of youth which may produce changes in life as

sharp as the primordial transition from simian to human. "What brings old age is not years but cholin," says he. "Cholin is a toxin liberated in the body, increasing as time passes. It is the direct cause of arteriosclerosis or hardening of the arteries which accompanies senility. It glazes over the glands so they function under a growing handicap. Having found out which elements in the human system need reinforcement, we induce a development of those elements in the monkeys. Then we withdraw the glandular fluid so produced, add extracts made from separated animal glands and inject in the patient. The cholin is split, then patient's own members go to work again and rejuvenation is accomplished." He cites the case of a woman of fifty, suffering from high blood pressure, short breath and fainting spells. After three months' decholinizing treatment the distressing symptoms disappeared and she joined a gymnasium class. A man of ninety-one took the treatment and went back to active work in his law office. In three cases, when a hair began coming in at its old-time darker hue.

THE LATEST NEWS FROM FINANCIAL CENTRES

Retail Market

Table listing various retail market items such as Vegetables (Garlic, Cauliflower, Spinach), Fruits (Valencia Oranges, Table Raisins), Nuts (Almonds, Walnuts), Dairy Produce and Eggs (Butter, Eggs), and Fish (Spring Salmon, Trout). Includes prices per unit.

NEW YORK STOCKS FINISH STRONG

(By British American Bond Corp. Ltd.) New York, Oct. 23.—Irregularity in sterling further reports of upheavals in Germany, and more specifically the earnings statement of Central Leather, the extension of the Powell oil field and another sagging of export copper prices, combined to make the stock market soft early today. About the only spot of strength was in the tobacco group, stores stocks and General Electric. The stores stocks are bought in anticipation of Christmas business and the electric companies are doing a capital business, and it is expected the volume will continue. Railroad earnings statements for September are due, and one of the first to be published is Union Pacific, which makes a very good showing. The main body of stocks are not weak, but the market cannot escape the influence of weakness in special features. Towards the close the market turned very strong with leading issues, such as American Can, Baldwin and Gulf States, all showing a sharp advance. Last prices were at or near the best quotations with sentiment having undergone a decided change for the better.

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EUROPEAN SITUATION UNSETTLED LIST

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Montreal Stocks

Table listing Montreal stock prices for various companies like Albi, Canadian Pacific, and others.

SAYS COMMISSION WOULD BE WHISTAKE

British Parliamentary Secretary Speaks of Empire Settlement Scheme

London, Oct. 23 (Canadian Press Cable)—Lieut. Colonel Albert Buckley, Parliamentary Secretary of the Overseas Trade Department, in a letter to The Times comments on General Bramwell Booth's letter to The Times yesterday with reference to the disappointing results of the Empire Settlement Act. Colonel Buckley says: "There should be a getting-together on the question of overseas settlement is precisely the one objective which the Imperial Economic Conference had in view when it convened a committee of the conference under my chairmanship. The committee is dealing with the problem of overseas settlement and I feel confident that our discussions will not be unfruitful."

TO-DAY'S TRADING IN WINNIPEG MARKETS

Table showing trading activity in Winnipeg markets for various commodities.

Important Sale of the Davenport-Chapman Collection of China, Glass, Pictures and Antique Furniture

Messrs. Roberts & Mellor

TO-morrow, Wednesday, Oct. 24

At 2 o'clock the above, famous collection (as previously advertised) removed from Duncan for convenience of sale.

MAYNARD & SONS

Household Furniture and Furnishings

Almost New Gerhard Heintzman Upright Grand Piano, in Mahogany, Cost \$750

Beautiful Baby Grand Piano, in Rosewood Case, Cost \$1900

Corner of Fort and Blanshard Streets, Not View Street

COTTON WEATHER

East belt—North Carolina, rains, cloudy; South Carolina, cloudy, probably showers, strong northerly and southwest winds; Georgia, cloudy, Edna fair, West probably frost, Northwest strong, North and West winds.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Heating and Ventilating of Public Works" will be received by the Honorable the Minister of Public Works up to 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of October, 1923, for the heating, ventilating, plumbing and electric wiring required for the Science Block of the University of British Columbia.

A Block of Canadian Government 5% 1943

We can sell for immediate delivery a small amount of the above securities at 98 1/2.

Private Bills

Notice is hereby given that the time limited by the Rules of the House for presenting petitions for Private Bills will expire on Wednesday, the seventh day of November, 1923.

GROWING with the Dominion, promoting and encouraging every permanent, progressive pursuit in industry, agriculture and commerce.

The Royal Bank of Canada

570 Branches in Canada, 110 Abroad

New Dominion Loan, 5%, Due 1943

We have purchased a large block of the above which we offer at market

FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY Dominion of Canada 5% Bonds

Due 1943 and Due 1928

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REAL ESTATE HOUSES, LOTS, ACREAGE, DAIRY, FRUIT, and CHICKEN RANCHES FOR SALE

A BEAUTIFUL OAK BAY HOME

NIGHT-ROOM, ABSOLUTELY NEW AND MODERN SEMI-BUNGALOW, complete with front sunroom, separate living-room and dining-room, all with hardwood floors, two large bedrooms and bath downstairs, also two bedrooms and bath upstairs; bright and well-arranged kitchen with large, new, electric range; HOT WATER HEATING THROUGHOUT. Extra fine basement, sealed fruit-room, coal and wood bins, laundry tubs, etc. House is extra well built and finished throughout. Grounds consist of three large lots (nearly half acre), all cultivated in lawn, flower garden, kitchen garden and orchard. Garage to match the residence, cement floor and pit, also cement driveway. Property is in best part of Oak Bay, close to golf links, beach and car line, and is well sheltered.

PRICE IS RIGHT POWER & McLAUGHLIN 629 Fort Street Phone 1466

11,500, WITH \$350 CASH

GENUINELY GOOD 4-ROOM BUNGALOW, high location at Hillside, close to car, school, etc. House contains living-room, dining-room, three-piece bathroom, Dutch kitchen, three-piece bathroom, tiled furnace, A. C. water, etc. HOME which can be carried at \$15 monthly, including taxes, and a cash amount will be paying off principal.

REARER & INSURANCE AGENTS, 624 Fort St. NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PRIVATE BILL

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next Session by the Corporation of the City of Victoria for an Act (to be known as the "Victoria City Act, 1923") providing for the following matters, and giving to the Corporation and the Municipal Council thereof the following powers, namely:

- 1. Amending "Victoria City Act, 1921," as follows: (a) Amending section 19 to provide for cancellation of "Better Housing" Agreements on default of purchasers and for forfeiture of deposits and amounts after ninety days' notice. (b) Amending section 19 to provide that tax sale lands becoming vested in the City by cancellation proceedings pursuant to said section, shall be deemed tax sale lands for purposes of re-sale. (c) Repealing and re-enacting with amendments section 23, requiring Collector to appportion tax arrears and future instalments charged against land, among parcels thereof after subdivision. (d) Amending section 25 to provide for the making of changes and corrections therein, and to amend the Municipal rolls from and after July 15 in each year. (e) Repealing Sections 4, 5, 10 and 11 of "Victoria City Act, 1922." Section 17, "Victoria City Act, 1922," providing retroactively for the apportioning of the Principal Sum of the various parcels into which said land may be subdivided. (f) Validating the Municipal Voters' List as closed October 31, 1923. (g) Enabling the Council, by-law: (a) To prohibit, regulate, restrict, define and allot areas of highways or public places for use in acquiring, building or equipping same with buildings or other equipment for parking or tourist camp purposes. (c) To grant money from current revenue for every year or all years of management, operation and maintenance of tourist camps within or without the City. (d) Enabling the Assessor to assess all parcels of land upon which a building stands as one parcel. (e) Enabling the Council to appoint any one or more of its own members as Directors of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital. (f) Enabling the Court of Revision to consider complaints against assessments according to the districts or otherwise, in the discretion of its members. (g) Enabling the Council to enter into franchise agreements for the installation and refunding of part or all of the City debt. (h) Providing retroactively that Section 11 of "Victoria City Relief Act, 1919 (No. 2)," shall not apply to the land upon which a church stands. (i) Enabling the Council to increase license fees which in its discretion, may be considered inequitable. (j) Validating By-law 1232, entitled "Blank Overdraft By-law, 1922." (k) Enabling the Council to make, alter and repeal by-laws for any of the following purposes: (a) To issue any portion of Elk Lake Reservoir and Water Shed property to any Government, person, firm or corporation for hotel purposes or for game farm purposes for a period not exceeding thirty years, and by agreement to terminate lease at any time on one year's notice and payment of lessors of compensation not exceeding value of improvements thereon. (b) To subscribe for and out of current revenue to acquire shares not exceeding par value, of \$10,000.00 of any Hotel Corporate Bond or other security of any part of said Water Shed property. (c) By payment out of current revenue to construct and establish camping grounds, bathing beaches, boating, fishing and other sporting facilities, including trap-shooting, tennis, lawn bowling and any other forms of sport, game or amusement, thereon.

PENSION APPEALS

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—The Federal Appeal Board, appointed to deal with appeals against decisions of the Board of Pension Commissioners, will start on a tour as soon as the soldiers' advisers have prepared their cases for submission. It was stated at the office of the board to-day that the most urgent cases will be dealt with as soon as possible.

GORGE WATERFRONT

SPLENDID MODERN HOME

PRICE \$6,000

MR. HOMERSEKKEK, if you are looking for a real modern home, exceptionally well-built, contained in a lot backing onto the street car, this one will suit you. The house contains large entrance hall, cloak room, spacious living-room with large brick open fireplace and built-in seats, cozy den with open fireplace and overhead match convenient dining-room, pass pantry and kitchen with all built-in cupboards, bins and coolers. On the second floor are four well-proportioned bedrooms with extra large closets off each, separate bathroom and toilet, large balcony and sleeping porch overlooking the Gorge waters. Full sized basement cemented, hot water heating, stationary wash tubs, extra toilet, etc., etc. Splendid garden laid out in flowers, shrubs and lawn, terraced down to the water's edge, concrete pier, splendid floating boat-house. The electric fixtures are wired for electric light. The size of this property has been reduced to \$6,000 for a quick sale. The electric fixtures and blinds are included in the purchase price. Possession to suit purchaser.

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FOR THE CHILDREN

The Sandman Story For To-night

THE BEE THAT DIDN'T WORK

One day a busy little bee was flitting from flower to flower gathering food as he should, to carry back to his hive. He was a very handsome fellow, and Miss Butterfly, who was very beautiful and seldom thought any one else was handsome, spied Mr. Bee and decided he was just the one to go roaming about with that Summer. "He will set off my handsome gown," said Miss Butterfly, as she looked at the gold-and-black coat Mr. Bee wore. Miss Butterfly wore a black-and-blue gown and she dearly loved a bit of gold, but never had she been able to get any to wear on her gown. "Now, if I can entice Mr. Bee to go about with me I can get the very touch I want to make me look more beautiful," so mused vain Miss Butterfly, and then she flitted over to the flower where Mr. Bee was busily working without a thought in his head but to do his work well. "Good morning, Mr. Bee!" said Miss Butterfly, waving her wings gracefully back and forth. "But Mr. Bee was not thinking of anything but his work, and so he answered her with a curt "Good morning" and went right on gathering honey. Miss Butterfly lifted herself from the leaf where she had alighted and looked at Mr. Bee. She could not believe he was not attracted by her beauty. But he had hidden his head

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NOBODY'S LOVER

By RUBY M. AYRES

"Not at all. I am motoring out to Barnet this morning on business. That is all." He looked at her white cheeks, hesitated, then asked rather awkwardly if she would not accompany him. "We could lunch there," he said, coloring a little. "And perhaps you would not mind waiting while I see my client, and then I could drive you back to town." Ursula said she would be delighted. Anything was a welcome change that took her out of herself. "If you are sure I shall not be in the way," she said. "Simon, junior, was quite sure, and presently they were driving away together. "Is this your own car?" Ursula asked him. "Yes—an expensive luxury, but it is the one hobby in which I indulge. I always drive myself, too." He looked at the neat little car with pride. "Ratray got this for me," he added. "Mr. Ratray?" Ursula said breathlessly. "There was a little silence. "Of course you know he has gone abroad," Ursula said after a moment, stiffly. "Yes, I had a letter from him a day or two ago, posted at Gibraltar." Ursula's hands clasped one another in a nervous grip. "Apparently Jake could write to everyone but her. "He did not seem particularly happy about the voyage," Mr. Simpson answered guardedly. "He seemed very sad, poor Mr. Bee, curled up as small as he could and tucked himself under a leaf, but a bird made him certain that that was not a safe place and away he went to find a warmer and safer place to stop until the warm days came again.

THE SANDMAN STORY

deep inside a sweet flower. Miss Butterfly waved her wings a little faster, for she was just a bit angry that this handsome fellow she had deigned to notice gave her no attention. "This is a beautiful morning, Mr. Bee," she said. "Far too beautiful for you or me to be sitting here. What do you say to a spin over the fields and hills in the sunshine?" "Madam, I am not sitting. I am busily engaged gathering honey for my hive."

THE BEE THAT DIDN'T WORK

One day a busy little bee was flitting from flower to flower gathering food as he should, to carry back to his hive. He was a very handsome fellow, and Miss Butterfly, who was very beautiful and seldom thought any one else was handsome, spied Mr. Bee and decided he was just the one to go roaming about with that Summer. "He will set off my handsome gown," said Miss Butterfly, as she looked at the gold-and-black coat Mr. Bee wore. Miss Butterfly wore a black-and-blue gown and she dearly loved a bit of gold, but never had she been able to get any to wear on her gown. "Now, if I can entice Mr. Bee to go about with me I can get the very touch I want to make me look more beautiful," so mused vain Miss Butterfly, and then she flitted over to the flower where Mr. Bee was busily working without a thought in his head but to do his work well. "Good morning, Mr. Bee!" said Miss Butterfly, waving her wings gracefully back and forth. "But Mr. Bee was not thinking of anything but his work, and so he answered her with a curt "Good morning" and went right on gathering honey. Miss Butterfly lifted herself from the leaf where she had alighted and looked at Mr. Bee. She could not believe he was not attracted by her beauty. But he had hidden his head

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### TO FILL VACANCY AS WIRING INSPECTOR

Appointment of a new city wiring inspector will be made on the recommendation of Mayor Hayward, City Electrician Hutchison and Building Inspector Barff to the City Council. The attention of the council was called to the matter by the Building Inspector, who referred to the vacancy created last week by the death of J. A. Daly.

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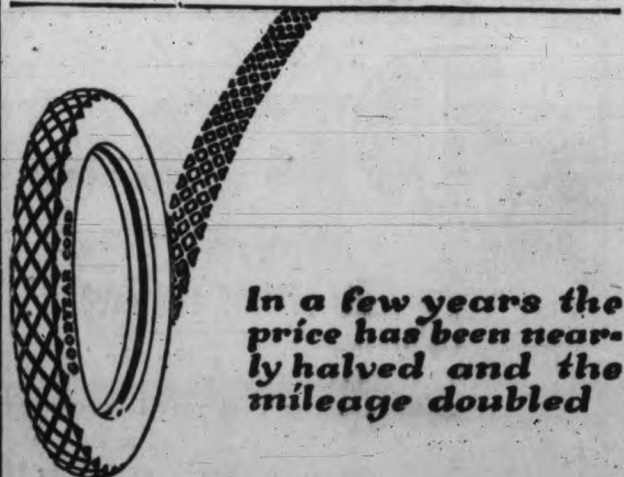
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## DECLINE TO PASS BRIDGE RESOLUTION

### Council Thinks Twenty Minutes Too Long to Keep Harbor Bridge Open

The period of duration for allowing the bascule span of the railway section of the Johnson Street Bridge to be down again occasioned a debate in City Council last evening.

### Opposition Develop

An amendment was moved by Alderman Andros, seconded by Alderman Woodward, to set the period of ten minutes before and after the arrival of trains, and their departure from the station, Store Street.

The council was called upon to pass this resolution in accordance with the agreement of December, 1919.

### Must Pass Motion

Alderman Todd declared it was too late to discuss the question now, because as aldermen they were obligated to approve the application.

The council could express the opinion to the Railway Board that a change was expedient was suggested by Alderman Leeming.

Further examination of the Coast Range Steel project and an interview with the promoter, H. Landahl, failed to change the original stand of the Iron and Steel Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, who in their report set forth their reasons for condemning the plan.

### Why Make Change Now?

Mayor Hayward expressed his concurrence with Alderman Todd, although he believed that twenty minutes before departure was too long.

No time limit had been set, said Alderman Woodward, and why fix the twenty minutes now?

Alderman Todd referred to his campaign material in 1920, when he had taken issue with the clause in the agreement.

Alderman Gillespie doubted if the council would be wise to repudiate the original agreement, if any hardship occurred by navigation interests would look after themselves.

When this was seconded, Alderman Andros said this postponement was characteristic of the council putting off dealing with the difficult questions of the day.

The amendment to the amendment of Alderman Sargent was rejected five to four votes.

Alderman Gillespie challenged the legality of the amendment, but it was withdrawn, and a vote taken on the main motion.

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## WANT SHARE OF GASOLINE TAX

### City Council to Press For Special Treatment as Capital City

There will be another effort made to secure exemption from the new Government both in regard to contribution to the community as the capital city, and also for a share of the proposed gasoline tax.

### Power Cable

Tenders for the power cable for the Johnson Street Bridge were opened by the city engineer and city purchasing agent for report.

### Garbage Dumping

The Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau drew the attention of the council to the complaints of garbage drifting in to the city beaches, and asked for the nuisance to be abated in the interest of tourist travel.

### Civic Economies

The civic finance committee yesterday received reports on possible economies from the city engineer, treasurer, health officer, electric parks superintendent, assessor, solicitor, fire chief, and purchasing agent, and as a result learned that it would be possible to save \$15,000 from the estimated expenditure.

## GIVES REASONS FOR CONDEMNING STEEL PROJECT

### Supplementary Report of Iron and Steel Committee to Chamber Directors

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## DR. MACLEAN FILES STATEMENT

### Gives Comparative Figures of Educational Cost in Four Provinces

Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Education, sent to the City Council last evening a statement defending the school boards, and educational authorities from charges of extravagance.

"At a recent meeting of the Union of B. C. Municipalities at Prince Rupert, a resolution was passed, recommending a survey of the educational system with a view to effecting economies."

"As such bodies as yours are responsible for school expenditures in your various communities, I think it fairly fair that you should know the facts in connection with the charge of extravagance implied in the resolution passed by the Union of B. C. Municipalities at Prince Rupert."

"A consideration of the following points will indicate the position of British Columbia in this respect as compared with the other Western Provinces of Canada: (a) School buildings; (b) school employees and teachers' salaries; (c) teacher training; (d) school inspection; (e) administration, education office."

Training of Teachers—Normal Schools

Students in Normal School	Alberta	Saskatchewan	Manitoba	B.C.
1922	322	120	616	490
1923	322	120	616	490
Salaries of Principals	\$2,600	\$4,200	\$4,800	\$2,600
Salaries of Teachers	\$2,800	\$2,800	\$3,400	\$3,540
Total cost	\$112,461	\$116,560	\$151,500	\$120,320
Cost of training each Normal student	\$132.47	\$122.20	\$117.16	\$132.47
Fees charged	\$25.00	\$30.99	\$40.00	\$40.00

Cost of School Inspection Compared With Other Western Provinces

No. of pupils in attendance	Alberta	Saskatchewan	Manitoba	B.C.
1922	142,962	139,000	126,576	242,616
1923	142,962	139,000	126,576	242,616
No. of teachers employed	5,781	8,600	3,893	3,114
No. of inspectors employed	46	48	728	18
Range of annual salaries	\$2,500 to \$3,500	\$2,500 to \$3,500	\$2,500 to \$3,500	\$2,500 to \$3,500
Total cost	\$179,807.42	\$201,400	\$109,000	\$70,200
Cost per pupil	\$1.25	\$1.06	\$0.80	\$0.87

Manitoba has no Provincial inspectors in Winnipeg, which has about one-fourth of whole population.

Administration—Education Office, Victoria, B.C.

No. of employees of all grades in Education Office	Alberta	Saskatchewan	Manitoba	B.C.
1922	41	60	22	110
1923	41	60	22	110
No. of teachers employed	5,781	8,600	3,893	3,114
Total cost of Education Office	\$90,775	\$93,394	\$60,250	\$28,032
Total cost of Education Office for each classroom in operation	\$15.48	\$10.86	\$15.48	\$9.09

Anti-Dumping Laws

"We should not, however, lose sight of the fact that iron and steel billets were produced in British Columbia, at a low enough price, the demand for these products would increase both within the Province and outside."

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Specials in Gowns and Pyjamas

Women's Flannelette Pyjamas in two-piece styles, neat stripe designs. Sizes 38 to 42. Regular \$3.50. **\$1.49**

Specials in Staple Goods

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Special to The Times

Langford—The results of the 500 party held at the home of Mrs. Johnson, Langford, under the auspices of the Langford Women's Institute, were as follows: First lady, Mrs. Smith; first gentleman, Stanley Turner; consolation prizes, Madame and Madlle. Gosselen.

Card Prizes

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## ASPIRIN



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## ESQUIMALT ADVANCES BY-LAW REVISION

### Consolidation and Revision Progressing; Three New Measures Become Law

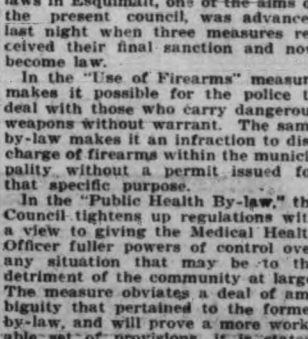
Revision and consolidation of by-laws in Esquimalt, one of the aims of the present council, was advanced last night when three measures received their final sanction and now become law.

## PURCHASE SECURITIES ON BEHALF OF CITY

The following purchases of securities for sinking fund investment were authorized by the City Council last night:

From Macnell, Graham & Company—\$5,200 City of Victoria 4% bonds, maturing January 21, 1937, at a price of 84 and accrued interest, yielding over 5.70, Victoria payment and delivery.

## SPARKLING EYES FOLLOW GOOD HEALTH



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