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SHIPS WILL BE BUILT BY FEDERAL A

EFFORT BEING MADE TO HAVE TREATY IN **FORCE CHRISTMAS DAY**

Allies' Reply on Scapa Flow Issue May Be Handed to Germans This Evening and Ratification Exchanges May Follow

Paris, Dec. 22.—The Supreme Council, it became known to-day, is making every effort to reach an agreement with Germany on the question of reparation for the sinking of the German fleet at Scapa Flow so that the protocol may be signed and ratifications of the Treaty of Versailles exchanged before Christmas.

The terms of the note replying to the last communication of the German representatives were discussed by the Supreme Council this morning. It was planned to hold another session this afternoon in remier Clemenceau's office, the belief being that the note, if then completed, would be handed during the evening to the completed, would be handed during the evening to the orders-in-council which will ease to be operative on January 1 include those on racetrack betting and importation, manuacture and inter-provincial trade in alcoholic liquors.

The orders-in-council which will Baron von Lersner, head of the German mission, in the hope of editing whatever consideration the German delegation may find necessary to give to it.

ARMY OFFENDERS

Very few details now remain to be disposed of by the Council to clean up all the work of the Peace Conference, with the exception of the Hungarian and Turkish treaties and the Russian situation. It was thought to-day that all else might be disposed of in time, to permit the celebration of Christmas in a state of effective peace with Germany, unless that nation should maintain certain of her objections to the final terms after dections to the final terms after ceiving the Council's note.

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gone to London, will discuss this LADY RAMSAY IS

NEW LIGHT VERY LIKE DAYLIGHT

Londoner Perfects Style of Lighting With Electric Bulbs

London, Dec. 22.—A light which far surpasses any existing arrangement of artificial light, and is the closest approximation to actual daylight ever accomplished is understood by the American Chamber of Commerce in London to have been perfected

Jellicoe and Borden Discuss Points of New Naval Policy

Rumor Tells of British-Dutch Pact to Protect Holland

Belge to-day prints a rumor that a g at a conference between Lord Great Britain and Holland, by which in a Hospital Near afternoon, Lord Jellicoe is to meet the the integrity of Dutch territory is guaranteed.

PREPARING LISTS

Allied Leaders Conferring in

Rome, Dec. 22.-After a debate and

the Chamber of Deputies on Satur-

LIQUOR ORDER-IN-COUNCIL **NOT EFFECTIVE AFTER JAN. 1**

Ottawa, Dec. 22.-With the coming of 1920 Canada will return actically to a basis of peace. War-time restrictions imposed by Order-in-Council under the War Measures Act will, with some exceptions; be removed. In the case of the exceptions, the Orders-in-

The Orders-in-Council which will remain in force include those on pulp and paper control, coal and sugar control, silver coinage, trading with the enemy, exportation of gold, inment operations, greater produc-on Indian reserves and censor-

ed by Order-in-Council on the liquor trade ends a phase of Federal action which opened nearly two years ago. Within a few weeks of the Union Military Act Prisoners Freed by Ottawa Order-inCouncil

Within a few weeks of the Union Government coming into power, the use of grain for distillation of liquors was forbidden. From the last day of December, 1917, importation of liquors containing more than 2% per cent. proof spirit was fqrbidden. Three months later there was a further Order-in-Council passed prohibiting manufacture and inter-provincial trade. These Orders-in-Council are to terminate with the close of the present year.

Serbia's demand for priority to the amount of 25,00,000 france in reparations, on the same footing as that accorded Belgium, was discussed by the Council, but no decision was reached. It appeared to be the feeling that this was a question for the Reparations Commission to dispose of after the treaties had been put into effect.

Rolling Stock

All the powers interested except Roumania having concurred in the allotment for distribution of the rolling atock of the rullivays of the olding at

Abrogation of the Federal Orders-in-Council does not, of course, affect restrictions on sale imposed by the various Provincial Legislatures. In (Concluded on page 21.)

BELA KUN FOILED ONLY PARLIAMENT PLOT TO KIDNAP

y. Princess Patricia was married Commander Ramsay, of the Royal wy, in February of this year. to Commander Ramsay, of the Royal Navy, in February of this year.

SUBSIDIES FOR FAMILIES

Sydney, N.S.W., Dec. 21.—The New South Wales State Nationalist Party has approved the Government's proposal to subsidize children exceeding the number of two in any family.

Wienna, Dec. 22.—A plot to kidnap Bela Kun, former Communist Dictator of Hungary, and hand him over to the Hungarian, authorities, has been frustrated by the Austrian police, who arrested two brothers, Ladislyus and Andreas Novath, at Karlson, where Bela Kun is interned. The brothers, who are Hungarians, made a confession, it was said,

D'ANNUNZIO NOW OPPOSES **DECISION OF FIUME VOTERS**

A MOTHER NOW

London, Dec. 22.—Lady Ramsay, formerly Princess Patricia of Connaught, gave birth to a son yester-

Trieste, Dec. 21. Via London, Dec. 22. Notwithstanding effects the super-shaped poaque reflector, the silvered inner side of which reflects the light argainst a parasol-shaped serves placed above the light. The colors arranged according to a formula worked out by Mr. Sheringham, the investor, and carefully cated and perfected in the imperial College of Belience and Technology. The light is said to show colors almost as well as daylight.

LONG FLIGHT PLANNED.

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BOLSHEVIKI SAY 700 MEN FROZEN

Japan Wishes to Send Troops to the Irkutsk Region

London, Dec. 22.—A Bolshevik wireless message received here from Moscow says 700 soldiers of the army commanded by Admiral Kolchak in Siberia were frozen to death in a hos-

OF GUILTY GERMANS do so without having reached an un-derstanding with the United States and the various Allied Governments. It is understood the Washington Cab-inet is not particularly favorable to this suggessian.

SANTA ARRIVES

/ Victoria

MAY DECLARE WAR

the Chamber of Deputies on Saturtay evening adjourned until Janmary 28.

Premier Nitti, in a stirring speech

Archive the state to receive their presents, while L. D.

McLean with a squad of Rotarians marshalled them in line to see that each once received the parcel that was intended for him.

UP SEATTLE; OVER 170 PERSONS ARRESTED

Seattle, Dec. 22.—Over 170 persons had been taken by noon to-day in a recently-haunched police campaign to "clean up" the city. Most of the prisoners were arrested in "cider joints." Some of them carried I. W. W. cards. Sixty men were taken Saturday, over 100 yesterday and more during the night.

INTO THIS COUNTRY

Some May Find Way Across Border During "Wet" Period

Winnipeg, Dec. 22.—The Free Press carries the following from its Ottawa

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"That there will be a heavy importation of liquor for the replenishment of cellars gone dry in Canada owing to the long afrought is to be expected. It is expected, however, that the Provincial Legislatures will, as soon as possible, take advantage of the legislation placed on the statute books last session to petition for a plebiscite on the question of importation and manufacture. In the meantime, however, there will be an interregnum which will be fully taken edvantage of by the thirsty ones and by those who have had big stocks on hand against the day when the barrière go down.

In States.

FOR ROTARY TREE

"It is stated that there are 400,000,000 gailons of intoxicating liquors in
the United States which must be exported before January 1 if it is to be
got rid of at all. It is suggested in
some quarters that much of this will
find its way into Canada, and there
are some who even hint at a connection between the Canadian and
American dealers.

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COUNCIL TO MEET

Montreal, Dec. 22.—The annual assisted Santa in carrying on his work.

As the old fellow made his appearance on the stage beside the big decorated Christmas tree, the theatre was set in an uproor with cheers and noisy demonstrations of welcome, He lost no time, but got to work at once because he had 606 names on the list that the Rotary Club handed him, and besides these there were nearly 100 more which came in too late.

Clown Assists With Candy.

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GOVERNMENT DECIDES FINANCIALLY TO AID

Cholberg Company to Build Four Wooden Schooners With Federal Assistance; Foundation Company Has Similar Proposal

The financing of a shipbuilding scheme by the Federal Govern ment to the extent of seventy per cent, approximately seventy-five per cent. of the cost per ship, it is understood, is the decision arrived at by the Dominion Cabinet following a conference with the Victoria shipbuilding delegation at Ottawa. The Government does not intend to build wooden vessels on its own account, but it is prepared to assist shipbuilding in the shape of a loan to private interests along the lines of the proposals placed before Sir Henry Drayton when the Minister of Finance was in Victoria early in November.

Company will build four wooden schooners of a similar type to the

IRISH SETTLEMENT

Lloyd George Says Parliament Must Decide What Is Fair /

addressed the Commons this evening on the Irish question. (The Premier tion headed by Mayor Porter left of the Commons on this purpose of presenting to the Commons on this pected to reach Victoria on Wednessoccasion the details of the Government's Irish Home Rule Bill.)
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The shipbuilding delegation consisted of the following: Mayor Porter, Edward E. Jenkins and George
H. Wayland, for the Foundation

DUBLIN NEWSPAPER PLANT

SHIPBUILDING SCHEME

Well authenticated reports reaching the city indicate that un-der the scheme sanctioned by the Government, the Cholberg Ship vessels constructed here for Norwe-

> ship on the understanding that the building organization furnish \$75,000, each vessel to cost in the neighbor-hood of \$250,000. Same Proposition Open

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Same Proposition Open.

The same proposition, it is understood, was offered to the representatives of the Foundation Company of British Columbia, Ltd., and Edward E. Jenkins, manager of the Victoria plants, and George H. Wayland, superintendent of the Ogden Point outfitting plant, have left Ottawa for New York, to place the proposals as outlined at the Ottawa conference before the head officials of the company.

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The other members of the delega-

DUBLIN NEWSPAPER PLANT

New York, Dec. 22.—Led by a woman who declared her husband had been deported to Russia yesterday on the "Soviet ark," the steamship Buford, a map of 150 "Reds" to-day at the machines of the newspaper with crowbars. The raiders are said to have been Sinn Feiners.

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Broke Glass

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MACKENZIE KING PREPARES FOR TOUR

Will Come West Before the Session at Ottawa Opens

Ottawa, Dec. 22-Arrangements are almost complete for the tour which Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King plans to make after the New Year nection with the proposed plan of organization and education as outlined at the recent meetings here of the National Liberal Organization

If time permits before the opening of the House, he will make a brief tour of the Western Provinces, probably in Montreal and Quebec on his return from the West.

It is expected that Mr. King will be accompanied on his tour by Andrew Hayden, general secretary of the National Organization Committee, and by one or two other Liberal speakers

Ottawa, Dec. 22.—Hon. T. A. Crerar, formerly Minister of Agriculture in the Union Government, spent part of Sunday in the city on his way through the Maritime Province to Winniper He left for the West on Sunday even

Toronto. Dec. 22.—"The United Farmers of Ontario are drunk with sight of power," declared J. R. Machicol, president of the South York Liberal-Conservative-Unionist Association, at the meeting of the Association-here Saturday, "Before we go to the country again," he added, "we must have representation according to population."

tion according to population."

Twelve members of the Association and five reporters attended the

Calgary, Dec. 22.—Premier Stewart stated Saturday in response to a story that he would form a Coalition Gov-ernment, that he had never had and never would have any intention of forming such a Government.



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15,000 MAJORITY IN NEWFOUNDLAND FOR PROHIBITION

St. Johns, Nfd., Dec. 21.-The firs

In rejoinder the Government news-

POLITICAL CONTEST

CONTROL OF SUGAR IN UNITED STATES

Washington, Dec. 22.-By a vote ifity to twelve the Senate has adopted the compromise on the bill to continue Government Control of the design of the continue Government Control of the continue of the continue of the control of the continue of the continue of the control of the continue of the control of th amendments increasing the author ity of the United States Equalizatio Board by limiting its licensing pow-ers to next June 10.

SAYS STATE MUST **LEND TO EUROPE**

San Francisco, Dec. 22.—Germany again will dominate Europe in fifty years unless adequate loans are made by the United States to other European countries to enable them to buy raw materials and begin exporting, T. T. C. Gregory, head of the American Mission to Austria-Hungary after the armistice, declared in an address here.

TO HELP EX-SOLDIERS.

Winnipeg, Dec. 22.—After a dis-ussion between the secretary of th-itizens' League and the civic Fin-



IN NEW ZEALAND

London, Dec. 22,-Advices to Th Daily Mail from Christchurch, N. Z., say the final figures will show a ma-jority of about 5,000 for prohibition in New Zealand.

FOR FUTURE WARS

sible.
"This has been a war waged largely on oil. The next one will be nearly wholly so and Bismarck's dictum
of "blood and iron" brought up to
date will read 'blood and oil."

HAY VERY DEAR IN NOVA SCOTIA

Sydney, N. S., Dec. 22.-That has prices this winter may go higher ev than the \$50 a ton, which caused su an outcry last spring, is the state ment of local dealers. The whole salers say that there are not large supplies of hay in sight for this dis-trict and prices are bound to jump above all former levels.

SLEEPING SICKNESS **DEATH IN TORONTO**

Toronto, Dec. 22.—What is said to have been the second death in this city from sleeping sickness occurred Saturday when Max Friedman, nine teen years old, who had fallen into a sound sleep on Tuesday, died,

A TOWN'S RECORD.

Visalia, Cal., Dec. 22.-Visalia ha broken civic improvement organiza-tion records in the United States in establishing a per capita contribution to its Board of Trade of \$3.35 an-nually, according to James O. Steven-son, of the American City Bureau of San Francisco and New York.

A reorganization campaign which just closed here shows a total of 1,075 active members enrolled in a city of 7,000 population and a monthly service fund of \$1,405. The Board of Trade's total revenue will now be more than \$23,150. J. D. "Parson Jake" Allen, formerly divisional chaplain of the 40th Sunshing Allen.



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ATTEMPT TO KILL

Calgary, Dec. 22.—Constable Fraser, of the city police, was shot at five times, one of the shots taking effect in his left thigh, early Sunday morning in an alley in the heart of the city by men who, it is supposed, were trying to burglarize the S. Haberman premises. The men got away and there is no trace of them yet. Consable Fraser will recover, though in a serious condition.

WHISKY ON CAR.

London, Ont., Dec. 22.—Police here on Saturday night arrested eleven colored men and confiscated thirty-three bottles of Whisky on a Grand Trunk dining car.

Ottawa, Dec. 22.—"Experiences" of all kinds are reaching the Department of Immigration and Colonization by every mail, as a result. of the interest being shown in the settlers' letter competition, which the publicity branch of the Department has interest being shown in the settlers' letter competition, which the publicity branch of the Department has interest being shown in the settlers' letter competition, which the publicity branch of the Department has interest being shown in the settlers' letter competition, which the publicity branch of the Department of Immigration and Colonization by every mail, as a result. of the interest being shown in the settlers' letter competition, which the publicity branch of the Department of Immigration and Colonization by every mail, as a result. of the interest being shown in the settlers' letter competition, which the publicity branch of the Department of Immigration and Colonization by every mail, as a result. of the interest being shown in the settlers' letter competition, which the publicity branch of the Department of Immigration and Colonization and Colonization by every mail, as a result. of the interest being shown in the settlers' letters competition, which the publicity branch of the Department of Immigration and Colonization by every mail, as a result. of the interest being shown in the settlers' letter competition, which the publicity branch of the Department of Immigration and Colonization by every mail, as a result. Calgary, Dec. 22.—Constable Frase

CALGARY CONSTABLE

A PARIS SCANDAL.

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Nelson. Dec. 22.—James McPhee, C.P.R. electrician for the Kootenay division, died at the hospital here being victimized by cab drivers, hotelmen, dealers in coffins and gravediggers, according to Linforrmation. The newspaper says this "odious exploitation of grief is such that it cannot be passed over in silence."

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Norwegian Engineer Works Out Plan; Expedition Will Investigate

Christiania, Dec. 21.-Via London Dec. 22.-A Norwegian engineer has devised a plan to provide water an itial cost of \$40,000,000, Albert Hjorth,

that the estimated cost involved in this plan does not compare unfavorably with the irrigation works constructed in Asia and America during the past desade.

An Expedition

Mr. Hjorth's plans have met with great sympathy among leading scientific authorities and practical engineers in Norway. It is proposed to send out a Norway. It is proposed to send out a Norway. It is proposed to send out a Norway in the condition and the conditions relative to the realization of this project—topographical, hydrological, technical, geological, hygienic, etc.

without ever waking up once, and I always get up in the morning feeling time and ready for a hard day's work. I am not troubled with constipation any more, and haven't had a head-ache or dizzy spell since I started taking Taniac. After having received so much benefit from Taniac I feel it my duty to tell every one about it."

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MAKE EFFORT TO

hat the realization of this great prothe resources of Norway will not suf-fice alone, but the aid of international capital will be invited.

ITALIAN CABINET

Rome, Dec. 22.—The small majority

A NELSON DEATH.

BEING WELL AGAIN

Believed Nothing Could Do His Stomach Any Good, But Tanlac Succeeded

electric power for Palestine at an initial cost of \$49,000,000, Albert Hjorth, of this city, proposes to utilize the variation of the level between the Mediterranean and Dead Sea and, by means of a tunnel for water, to provide electric power to be used for pumping stations, irrigation and general purposes.

Mr. Hjorth proposes to dig a tunnel thirty-seven miles long, from the Mediterranean to the Dead Sea, passing under Jerusalem. This tunnel would carry water from the Mediterranean to the western slopes of the lower end of the Jordan Valley. Thence the water would pass through pipes down to the Dead Sea, where a power plant would transform the water power into electricity, to be distributed as light and power throughout the country. This power would be used to drive a pumping station at the southern end of the Sea of Galliee (Lake Gennesaret).

Below Sea Level

The surface of the Dead Sea is about 1,300 feet below sea level.

Preliminary estimates, Mr. Hjorth states, show that tens of thousands of horsepower might be developed in this way by means of a tunnel carrying twenty tons of water per decond. He estimates the rise of the Dead Sea caused by this at not more than part of a yard per year. The surface of the sea, which is now about 4,000 square miles, would be allowed to increase to about 4,500 square miles.

Two Canals would be built running parallel with the River Jordan and become so dizzy at times I had to become so dizzy at times I had to worst sort of headaches, and would become so dizzy at times I had to be care to the solution of the sol

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Two canals would be built running parallel with the River Jordan and from these canals water would be distributed among the fields sloping toward the Jordan, sufficient, it is claimed, for the irrigation of many hundreds of thousands of acres.

Mr. Hjorth claims it would be no more difficult to build this tunnel than the proposed railway tunnel under the English Channel, and estimates the cost of a Dead Sea tunnel (double) with a minimum area of 135 square feet, at \$40,000,000, to which must be added the cost of the power plants, factories, canals and irrigation works. It is pointed out that the estimated cost involved in this plan does not compare unfavorably with the irrigation works constructed in Asia and America during the past desade.

German Authorities Have Discovered Fake "Wounded" Soldiers Begging

Rome, Dec. 22.—The small majority obtained by the Government in the Chamber of Deputies Saturday, when the order of the day expressing condidence in the ministry was carried by a vote of 242 to 216 will not, it is experiences of all kinds are reaching the Department has in a large cities, and has established the fact that hardly five per cent of the late Arching his how one of the West, of Bromley, Kent, Engand, it is experience of contents and in the settlers in the cross being shown in the settlers in the competition, which the publicity branch of the Department has in a sugurated. Thus far Saskatchewan leads in the number of contestants, with the older Province of Ontaries, with the colder Province of Ontaries, with the older Province of Ontaries of the Cabinet o Berlin, Dec. 21.-Via London, Dec.

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December

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SPEAKER OF BRITISH

form, first to the House of Commons. For some years past Mr. Lowthe has not enjoyed good health, and the duties of his office have every year become more arduous. His resignation will be received with sincere fegreat by every Parliamentarian, for in the long line of those who have filled the famous chair, none have carried themselves with more dignity and ability.

AT SEVENTY YEARS

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 22—Luke imprisonment but was preturned to his home her build enter the University of Pennsylvania next year as a freshman. Mr. Only Ons "BROMO QU Dillon recently earned a scholarship offered by The Irish Press; a weekly paper published in this city in the Cures a Cold in One Day."

for dynamiting the Welland in 1990. He was sentenced imprisonment but was parole returned to his home here in

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LIQUOR IMPORTATION.

manufacture of liquor and racetrack betting, imposed by Order-in-Council under the War Measures Act, will disappear at the end of the present year. Other restrictions, enforced under the same Act, however, are retained until the end of the next Parliamentary Session, possibly until erally. its labors until then at the earliest. These restrictions have to do with the control of pulp and paper, coal and sugar, trading with the enemy, portation of gold and other subjects which called for special action during the war.

The removal of the restrictions upon the importation and manufacture of liquor means that after January 1 it will be lawful for anybody to Home Rule statement commences. Unable to rested as the ringleader. import liquor into a Province for personal use until the people of that Province by plebiscite ciable extent in single harness, the Nationalists held under the Dominion Legislation enacted last will find illimitable opportunities for parliamentsession decide that the traffic shall stop. In the case of British Columbia, for example, it will be sible to import liquor for at least three or our months. The Legislature will not meet until the end of January. A resolution requesting the Dominion Government cannot be introduced until interest that has been displayed in the activities as to whether to send their familie the next month, and it may be debated at con of the Public Welfare Commission. Its sittings with them. No anarchist of whos siderable length before it has been passed. It throughout the southeastern section of the Provfor a plebiseite which would not likely be held week, were marked by a popular desire to render

to get quicker action for the holding of a pleb- is as it should be. It would be impossible either the Legislature of British Columbia, but in every ernment to adopt any plan of state health incase the compromise Act adopted at Ottawa last surance, widows' pensions, or public nursing Session lets down the bars to the importation of without possessing the fullest information. The plebiscite, ultimately puts an end to it.

should be removed now, and those in numerou instances retained until after the end of the next Parliamentary Session, no doubt; will be explained from Ottawa. It might be pointed out burning alive as regular means of Bolshevik perthat if the restrictions in these two cases were suasion. And yet there are those in Canada who retained until the end of the Parliamentary Ses. approve the Lenine and Trotzky regime. ion like the others it would be too late for the Legislatures to act in regard to the plebiscite be-cause their Sessions, for the most part, are concluded long before the Dominion Parliament finishes its business. But there is nothing to preseven Irish, forty-nine Belgian and forty-six vent the Federal Government removing these re-Scotch. This is another blow to the Senate's bestrictions any time, so that explanation hardly fits lief in a policy of national detachment. The suspicious mind, no doubt, will uggest that the distinction is due to pressure from the distillers and the existence of big stocks to be disposed of. In any case interprovincial lifor traffic will have a new lease of very husky life for some months after January 1.

South American states which joined the League of Nations would look to Article 10 of the covenant for what protection of their territorial and political integrity they require. The Monroe Doctrine, therefore, would be a dead letter as far as they were concerned, for not only would the covenant of the League afford them greater security, but it would be something in the determinant of the League afford them greater security, but it would be something in the determinant of the league afford them greater security, but it would be something in the determinant of the league afford them greater security, but it would be something in the determinant of the league afford them greater security, but it would be something in the determinant of the league afford them greater security, but it would be something in the determinant of the league afford them greater security, but it would be something in the determinant of the league afford them greater security of the week. mination of which they had some say and in the operation of which they assumed dignified responsibility, while the Monroe Doctrine was promultaxes! One way to relieve this most deserving ted without th time may not be far away when some of the taxes, do so. principal South American countries will repudiate the Monroe Doctrine as something to which they were not parties, preferring to stand upon their own feet as members of the League of Nations. Perhaps this phase of the situation did not strike the Anti-Treaty Senators.

THE LIQUOR PRESCRIPTION.

There is nothing particularly novel in one of the reasons why a large number of medical men in this Province find themselves unable to avoid the liquor prescription altogether. In his state-ment published on Saturday Mr. Farris presum-ably speaks with first-hand information when he declares that some doctors belonging to the general family business unless they did so.

The explanation is a reasonable one under the circumstances, and the figures supporting it in-dicate two results. In the one case it is shown dicate two results. In the one case it is shown that when the official prescription form came into use it was possible to check obvious abuses of the medical privilege. In the second place it may be taken for granted that the increase in the number of medicos writing prescriptions for liquor in excess of one hundred and not more than two hundred per month has been brought about to a very large extent by special considerations.

eral finds himself with insufficient statutory pow.

ers to compel any medical man to limit his prescription issue to a given amount, or if he should choose to set the monthly number, say, at one hundred and to take action against all doctors exceeding that amount, no court in the land would uphold him. Only by a complete revision of the Act is a change in present conditions possible.

Old London is said to be speculating over the comment of a Montreal paper which recently described the resolution of the Canadian House of Commons deprecating the conferring of titles upon Canadians as "the work of professional democrats". They are wondering in Britain—so says the cable—whether Canada is thinking of changing her mind.

Canada is not. The vast majority of her citisens are well pleased with the decision of their Parliament on this matter. The only people who do not seem to be "professional democrats" are the few—who would like to become

THE 16TH SHOULD COME HERE.

ermanent military forces no doubt will be un dertaken with appropriate regard for the claims of each province, it ought to be reasonable to expect the headquarters of the 16th Battalion as a certainty for Victoria. Vancouver already has succeeded in netting for herself similar consideration in respect of the 70th, 29th and 72nd Battalions, and report has it that she is hot-foot after the 16th. When the final decision comes to be made by General Currie, however, we shall be sur-prised and disappointed if orders are given con-trary to the desires of the people of this city. Vancouver Island's magnificent military record should be the pride of the country; its permanent identification with at least one famous fighting The restrictions upon the importation and unit is certainly called for.

LABOR-NATIONALIST PACT.

Three well-informed members of the British fathers of us all." Labor Party will go to Ireland for the purpose of gaining first-hand information on conditions gennext Parliamentary Session, possibly until mer, since Parliament is not likely to finish abors until then at the earliest. These retions have to do with the control of pulp and the conjunction with the newly-formed recommendation of containing graining instrument and information of containing graining graining instrument. Taken in conjunction with the newly-formed habor Nationalist Alliance the visit of the delegation may have an important and quickening intion may have an important and quickening intion may have an important and quickening influence upon the solution of the Irish problem. In
any event parliamentary proceedings will find
considerable influence from the pact just concluded and some interesting developments may be
expected when the debate upon the Premier's

Home Rule statement commences. Unable to sway the House of Commons to any very appre-

PUBLIC HELPING COMMISSION.

It is satisfactory to note the widespread would take some weeks for Ottawa to arrange ince, which were concluded at the end of last in this Province until, perhaps, April or May.

Some of the Western Provinces will be able upon the subject into which it is inquiring. This , as their Legislatures are called earlier than for the Commission to recommend or the Gov. quor for a considerable period, even if the publinauguration of this programme, or any part of it, by an act of the Legislature at its next session Why the restrictions upon the importation and would mark an important step of progress in manufacture of liquor and racetrack betting social legislation.

•Refugees who have recently escaped from Bol. shevik Russia mention boiling oil, crucifixion, and

American soldiers have brought back from Europe no fewer than 2,289 brides. Fifteen hundred and five are French, 426 English, forty-

It is learned that there is no truth in the report that certain influential citizens in Canada have made representations to the Dominion Government for the postponement of Christmas for one month, in order that advantage might be

peration of which they assumed dignified respon- but what about relief for those who pay their class is to make delinquents, who can pay their

> Oak Bay ratepayers "started" the municipal golf course project on Saturday by approving the by-law fixing the assessment of the proposed terday. course at \$74,700 for a period of fifteen years, in consideration of the proposal going through before the end of 1920 and the extension of the privilege of the course to Oak Bay residents. Well done Oak Bay! Victorians please note!

At a meeting of the South York Liberal-Con-servative-Unionist Association on Saturday the Farmers of Ontario are drunk with sight of power. Before we go to the country again we must have representation according to population." Twelve members and five reporter. no alcohol" school have been more or less com-elled to adjust their method of treating "minor is" under the mild threat of a withdrawal of

THE OLD STORY.

After all, it is another case of the vicious circle wh the price of feed forces up the price of eggs by induci-the sale of hens to save the cost of feed and secure to cost of meat, thus depleting the number of layers at causing continued scarcity of eggs and further of price.

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Unable to quiet the mob. Ass Mitchell, superintendent of the Mitchell, superintendent of the barges, located at Tip of Manhattan turned in a call for police reserves.

Became Docile.

Twenty-two anarchists remained at Ellis Island to-day awaiting deportation. They will be sent to Rusaia with others from Detroit and Chicago whom the Department of Labor was unable to have transported to New York in time to sail on the Bu-

Another Shipload

New York, Dec. 22.—The "Soviet ark," the steamship Buford, which sailed for an unnamed Russian port yesterday with 249 radical deportees on board, will be followed before she

epartment of Justice has 60,000 rad icals listed. How many of these will followed their "Red" leaders has not been made known.

"Brains" Gone

The Buford, which crept out of ew York harbor with a heavy guard the darkness yesterday morning, prices Alexander Berkman and Emma Goldman, together with 247 other radicals of various degrees of redness." Department of Justice agents said the the steamship's pas-senger list comprised virtually the brains" of the radical movement in the United States

IRISH SETTLEMENT PLAN PRESENTED

By Consent.

clues to their identity have been obtained. A Dublin dispatch, to The

"A manhunt for Sinn Feiners
be made in Dublin this week."
A pastoral letter from Archbishop
Walsh, deprecating violence and advising obedience to British authority
read in all Roman Catholic Churches of the Dublin diocese yes-

Cardinal Logue, Primate of Ireland, has telegraphed Viscount French con-gratulations upon his escape from

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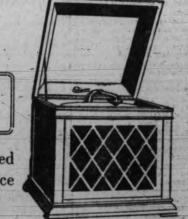
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ood Avenue, an active worker in fraternal organizations, prominent in ctivities in veterans' auxiliaries, is the second woman candidate an-nounced for the Victoria City Council at the municipal elections in

Mrs. Powers' name was brought forward by the special committee of the Local Council of Women, which reported to the central body at the last meeting.

Mrs. H. W. Graves, whose name

has already been announced, was associated in the resolution of approval by the Local Council.

The names of Mrs. Graves and Mrs. Powers will go to the public also with the endorsation of the Women's independent political Association, whose

WELCOMED TO CITY

Lieut, H. G. Mullin, V.C., M.M., Returned Yesterday After Five Years' Service

With five years of active service to his credit and a record for bravery field equal to that of any other soldier in the Allied forces, Lieut, C. H. Mullin, V.C., M.M., returned to Victoria yesterday afternoon, accompan-ied by his wife. The famous soldier crossed the Atlantic on the steams ship Matagama and received his discharge in Regina. He arrived here in civies.

In civies.

Lieut. Mullin was given a very warm welcome on his arrival. It was expected that he would arrive in uniform, but as soon as he received his "licket" he decided to jump into civilian clothes. As a result he was almost missed in the crowd streaming off the steamer. A deputation from the British Campaigners' Association met the hero and accorded him a very hearty reception.

A Happy Mother.

The happiest woman in the throng which met Lieut Mullin, was Mrs. H. Muflin, mother of the hero. Immediately after receiving the congratuations of the crowd Lieut. Mullin and his wife proceeded to the mother's home at 2506 Work Street. To-morrow the famous fighter, accompanied by his wife and brother, are proceeding to Seattle and will return early in the year.

ing to Seattle and will return early in the year.

Liet. Mullin was awarded the V. C. for an act of bravery which the official records state was the finest deed of the war. Single-handed he captured a commanding pill-box at Passchendaele which had withstood a heavy bombardment and was causing heavy casualities among the Canadian forces. He rushed the snipers post in front and destroyed the garrison with bombs, and crawling on the fop of the pill-box he shot two machine-gunners with his revolver. Sergt. Mullin (as he was then) rushed nachine-gunners with his revolver. lergt. Mullin (as he was then) rushed Sergt. Mullin (as he was then) rushed to another entrance and compelled the garrison of ten to surrender. This gallantry and fearlessness were witnessed by many, and although rapid fire was directed on him and his clothes riddled with bullets he never faltered in his purpose; and not only saved the situation but indirectly aved many lives.

saved many lives.

An "Original."

When war broke out Lieut. Mullin was in Winnipeg and enlisted in a draft for the Princess Pats on September 14, 1914, In January of the following year he proceeded overseas and was .in the trenches the next month. On June 2, 1978, he was slightly wounded in the severe fighting in the Ypres Salient. After convalescing in England he was sent back slightly wounded in the severe fighting in the Ypres Salient. After convalescing in England he was sent back to France and became a sergeant at the school of the snipers and scouts of the Pats. He won the Military Medal in December 1914, when he was again wounded. At Passchendaele in November, 1917, he won the V. C. In April, 1918, he was recommended for a commission and took his course at Bexhill. On returning to France he joined the Canadian Corps School at Sniping. Shortly afterwards he rejoined his unit in the line.

Lieut. Mullin had the reputation of being one of the best shots and snipgrs in the Canadian Corps.

A LAUGH AND CRY.

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Linen Handkerchiefs—Embroidered, at, each, 15¢, 25¢, 35¢, 50¢, 75¢ and
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Children's Handkerchiefs—At, a box, 35¢, \$1.00 and
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In colors of blue, cardinal, grey, green and brown. Special this evening at, each, 50¢

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Socks that are most suitable for Christmas gifts; in colors of black, grey, brown and white. Special this

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Georgette, Valenciennes Lace and Crepe de Chine Collars, Vestees and Cuffs-Values to \$5.75 at \$2.50 Women's Satin Collars-Special at \$1.50 Women's Collars-In pink organdie and lawn, and a few

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Forty inches wide; in colors of Nile, sky, reseda, apricot, old rose, coral, white, black, navy, purple and maize. Special value at, a yard \$2.50

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Forty inches wide; in shades of Alice blue, Pekin, pink, maize, sky, old rose, saxe, navy, plum, apricot, taupe, myrtle, reseda, Nile, purple, medium and nigger brown, white and black. Yard, \$3.00

DUCHESSE SATIN

Thirty-six inches wide; in shades of myrtle, plum, navy, nigger brown, Burgundy, reseda and black. At, a yard \$2.50

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Thirty-six inches wide; in lavender, sky, Nile, pink, maize and cream. At, a yard \$1.25 -Silks, Main Floor

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Table Cloths, Runners and Squares Hemstitched, Embroidered and Scalloped — Beautifully Finished in the Well-Known Irish Manner

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The scene was a bedroom in substitute of the early more, with his first-form in his arms. Many vain and been made: but the little one and and the early more, with his first-form in his arms. Many vain ended waking up and that the ground only. Size 3 ft. 1 in. by 7 ft. 1 in. b Rugs, in sizes suitable for hall, den or hearth.

-Staples, Main Floor

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IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

Miss Sarah Spencer will leave of ecember 26 en route for Toronto

かななない。 かななな Mrs. Margaret Jenkins left on Fri-day for Seattle, where she will spend the Christmas holidays with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J

H. Fox.

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Dr. R. P. Christie and his bride, nee Mabel Michell, of Cumberland, are spending the Christians holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Christie, of Sandalplum, 1739 Fort Street, Victoria.

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Mrs. Wynne Heath has returned from Coquitiam, where she has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Douglas Wright, for the past six weeks. Her husband arrived yesterday from Tete Jaune Cache to spend the holidays in Victoria.

Miss Marjorie Brewster, daughter of the late Premier Brewster, arrived home on Saturday from Vancouver, where she has been attending school, and is the guest for the Christmas.

and is the guest for the Christman holidays of Mrs. B. H. Robinson Ailsa Mansions.

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patients in the local hospitals.

Members of the Lady Alderson Chapter, I. O. D. E., in particular, and Victorians in general, will be interested to learn that Lady Alderson, wife of General Sir Edwin Alderson, who commanded a Canadian corps in the war, has been decorated with the Order of the British Empire for her work during and since the war. Lady Alderson was in charge of a Canadian inspital in London, England, during the war, and since its close has been devoting her time and attention to work among the families of soldiers killed in the war.

Of the Victoria artistes appearing

say. "Mrs. seldon Humphreys, of Victoria, sang "Give Me a Little Cosy Corner," making a charming picture in a pink crinoline, with poke bonnet and carrying a posey of pink carnations. In her second number,

Miss Dunsmuir and Miss Brownie Bodwell, of Victoria."

A change will be made in the Mis

will show 22-58-79, thus enabling the

A nourishing and digestible diet. Contains rich milk and malted grainextract. A powdersoluble inwater.

Useful Christmas Presents

New Shipment of Fancy Neck-wear, Collar and Cuff Sets, New Long Collars, etc., also many styles in Georgette, Crepe and Lace.

MANY NEW STYLES IN

Shipment of Colored Underskirts, plain and shaded colorings, in silk and moire, hello, black, navy, grey, pink. 32.95 us English Cashmere Sweaters, also, pullover and coat styles, in all new colorings. Also Boys' and Girls' Cashmere Jerseys. a secretary of the colorings of the colorings. Also Boys' and Cirls' Cashmere Jerseys. In Silk, Serge, Poplin, Crepe de Chine. and Rubberized Tweeds, appecially priced, ranking big bargains for Christmas. Our Millinery Clearing Gives you excellent opportunities

MANY PRETTY GARMENTS

Seabrook Young

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umbers to be more early read.

the Coronation Chapter's cabaret the Vancouver Hotel on Friday ening, the Vancouver Province v. "Mrs. Seldon Humphreys, of



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Purses, with strap, from Leather "Canteen" Purses from \$10.80 Bead Bags from .. \$11.50

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PRESENT BURSARY

Miss Esther Naden Received Gift at Delightful Christmas Gathering Saturday

tanding in the senior matriculation year at the Victoria High School, provided her standing is a good one, the other proviso at the present time being that the girl receiving it must attend the University.

The evening concluded with the serving of delicious refreshments by

serving of delicious refreshments by the hostess, Mrs. H. E. Young and Mrs. F. C. Green presiding at the charmingly decorated table from which the supper was served, buffet

COMPOSITE PHOTO OF **RED CROSS WORKERS**

Madonnahood," which will be pre-sented by the war department to Red Cross headquarters in Washington as a tribute to the great ministering organization from the belligerent forces, was placed on exhibition to-Portraits of more than 1,000 wo

Portraits of more than 1,000 wo-men. Red. Cross workers who rend-ered most conspicuous service in the war, were carefully selected by Red Cross headquarters and divisional and chapter officials throughout the United States and scientifically fused or blended into one remarkable face by Major Kitchell and incorporated in a large allegarie composition by in a large allegoric composition by F. Luis More. Among the portrait selected were those of Mrs. Marshall wife of the vice-president, Mrs. W H. Vanderbilt, Mrs. August Belmon and those of many shop and factory

streets on Saturday, the Dr. O. M Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E. realized the Miss Daphne Brougham and Miss Ruth MacLean. It was an effectively costumed number, well sung and danced. Miss Daphne Brougham was a striking figure in "Apache Rag." her solo being followed by an apache dance in which others taking part were Miss Jean Macdonald, Miss Eileen Grayely and Miss Sybil Street, Miss Dunsmuir and Miss Brownie Can give special price on 25, cord loads.

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CHARMING FUNCTION

MUSICAL CLUB HELD

From the musical es well as the social standpoint the delightful "the musicale' 'given under the auspic home of Mrs. Duncan E. Campbell Linden Avenue, on Saturday after

vaded the gathering of members of the Women's University Club, held at the home of Mrs. J. W. de B. Farris, Foul Bay Road, on Saturday afternoon, forming a happy climax to a year of successful achievement by the organization. Forty-two members and their friends were in attendance, and Mrs. Farris proved a delightful hosteas, the thanks of the Club being accorded to her at the close of the evening in a happily-worded little tribute by Mrs. Hyndman.

Under the able convenership of Miss L de W. Moore, an especially attractive programme was given to which songs were contributed by Mrs. Bick, with violin obligato by Miss Irene Bick, Mrs. Hamlet, Mme. Meakin-Mahoney and Mr. Waddington, Mme. Sanderson-Mongin entertained the gathering with her personal reminiscences of Christmas Eve in Paris, and Mrs. E. Young gave a reading from Locke's "Christmas Mystery."

A feature of special interest was the presentation by the President, Miss Winn, to Miss Esther Naden, of the bursary, given annually by the Club to the girl attaining the highest standing in the senior matriculation year at the Victoria High School, provided her standing is a good one, the other proviso at the present time being that the girl receiving it must attend the University.

A CADILITATION AND THE MISS AND ALL TO THE MISS Margaret Sanson and Miss Katie Coill-stated the University.

LORD LEVERHULME GAVE SITE FOR HOSPITAL

Lord Leverhulme, who is now vis iting in Victoria en route for California, has placed at Queen Mary's ospital which Her Majesty has signified her intention of erecting. The funds sent to her as a silver wedding

djoining Hampstead Heath.

There will be accommodation for xteen to twenty mothers and the of the wives and children of me

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—Fancy Chocolate Baskets,
Fancy Work Baskets, Silk
Goods, Cotton Crepe, Silverware, Chinaware, Brassware,
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A Real Balmacaan Overcoat

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Absolutely correct in style. Beautiful in finish. And reliable in quality.

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Made in a nice warm fleecy cloth. Buttoned close to neek with turn-over collar. Has slash pockets, belt and buckle and neat little turned-over cuffs. Shades are mixed browns and greens.

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The underwear prices quoted below are but a fraction of what one would expect to pay for such dainty garments. The reason for this is that we are now clearing our entire stock.

Two Splendid Gift Suggestions

Rare daintiness and right good value are two attributes of the blouse display at this store, that women gift purchasers will notice. Some of the prices are:

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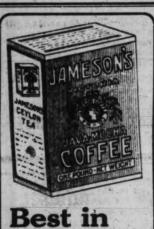


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ESTEEMED RESIDENT

Mrs. Leonard Tait Succumbed to Paralytic Stroke Yesterday

the city, including many old-timers, will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Agnes Tait, wife of Leonard Tait, principal of the Esquimalt School, who passed away at her home 831 Ellery Street, at 11.30 a. m. on Sunday, December 21. Mrs. Tait had been alling for the past two years as the result of slight paralytic strokes, and a third yesterday led to her death. Born in Nicol Township, near the same of training her said the same protected to the office of "Troop Leader." Before the war he served from A. B. to C. P. O. In the London of the It's too late!

Drive colds and catarrh right out of your system while you have the chance.

Easily done by inhaling Catarrh. Salem, Co. Welling. been ailing for the past two years as the result of slight paralytic strokes, and a third yesterday led to her death. Born in Nicol Township, near Salem, Co. Wellington, sixty-four years ago, the late Mrs. Tait had been a highly-respected resident of this city for the past thirty-two years. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, six sons, J. L. Tait, business manager of The Colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist; Capt. E. S. Tait, of the law from the colonist capt. The chief executive officer. Colonet to colonist capt. The chief executive officer, Colonet to colonist capt. The chief executi

son Coffee Co., of Victoria. P. O. catalogue showing prizes that users of this good coffee can

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Send for it to-day.

ESQUIMALT LOSES

Legion-Captain J. W. Taylor resigned command of the Squadron on account of moving to Salt Spring Island. He hopes to form a Sub-Unit there shortly. Captain Taylor is a veteran of two wars, South Africa 1900, and was in France during the Great Wer.

LOCAL FRONTIERSMEN

Frank Nason, of Cowiehan Lake. The funeral will be held from the family residence on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Robert Connell officiating. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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Housing Loans.—Three more touched. It is sanich police at the present time price \$1, and guaranteed. Small size, the City Council by the Housing are making an investigation. Boys are suspected. to the City Council by the Housing Committee, which sat this morning.

COUNCIL WILL SEEK SIXTEENTH

Famous Battalion's Future to Be Subject Matter of Wire to Ottawa

headquarters of the Sixteenth Battalion, Canadian Scottish, will be taken by the City council today, Acting Mayor Cameron intimated this morning. The matter will be discussed when the members meet in Finance Committee this afternoon, and a resolution on the matter will probably be submitted to-night to the City Council.

City Council.

Mayor Porter has urged the civic authorities to hold a public meeting to consider the matter, but the aldermen appear to think that a flood of telegrams to Ottawa will be sufficient for the present. The Council in all probability will instruct the Acting Mayor to send a telegram to the capital to-night. It is planned also to get the public bodies of the cities to send smilar messeages. Acting Mayor Cameron is co-operating on the matter with J. F. Scott, President of the Rotary Club, and also is consulting with military men.

PRESENTS ON FIRE

Nagano's Store on Government Street Scene of Bad Fire.

Japanese fancy goods store of J. Na-gano and Company, on Government Street. The dameg amounted to

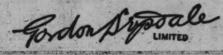
The blaze started in the main store, and when the fire engines arrived smoke was pouring out of the windows and doors. The fire looked serious. After a short fight the firefighters subdued the blaze.

A large amount of goods, on sale as Christmas presents, was destroyed.

Daughters of the Nile Raffles .-At the monthly general meeting of the City Squadron it was decided to reorganize, as most of the members had guessing competition, Miss A. Brown, returned from active service in many parts of the world.

Legion Captain J. W. Taylor resigned butterfly painting, Mrs. Niblock, 1000 pages 24 venue; appears of the Nie bazar on Satruday, with the following results: Dressing jacket, Mrs. J. H. Mehl, Garbally Read, ticket No. §71; bean guessing competition, Miss A. Brown, 1040 Princess Avenue; taploca, Miss Annie Niblock, 1132 Queen's Avenue; butterfly painting, Mrs. Niblock, 1000 pages 24 venue.

Prince George; D. S. Tait, barrister and solicitor, of this city; E. L. Tait, of the law firm of Earnard, Heisterman, Robertson & Tait; Frank L. Tait, Fishery Inspector, and Harold J. Tait, of Victoria, also three daughters, Mrs. (Capt.) Cunningham and Miss' Hazel Tait, of this city, and Mrs. Frank Nason, of Cowichan Lake. The funeral will be held from the family residence on Wednesday afternoon at Hawking and spitting cease, be-cause the discharge is cured. The nostrils are cleared, headache is re-lieved breath is purified. Every trace of catarrh, bronchial and throat novelties offer many sugges-tions for gifts for both ladies and gentlemen. Included are writing companions, tele phone records, needlework baskets, jewel boxes, clothes brushes, bill folds, coin



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20% Discount Off All Furs Priced from \$29.50 to \$200.00.



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Offered in many fragrant odors; very popular to burn at Incense from 10¢ to \$2.50; Burners, 45¢ to \$7.50 Sets from 75¢ to \$1.25.

Silk Petticoats Make Useful

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We will enclose all purchases in neat gift boxes if desired. The selection is large and

Jersey Silk Petticoats, in a wide collection of styles, are priced from \$5.95 to \$12.50. Taffeta Silk Petticoats, in self and shot effects, featured in all fashionable colors--\$8.75 to \$10.00.

Ladies' Umbrellas

Black Gloria Covered Um-

brellas, short and medium

Black Silk Mixed Umbrellas,

in a variety of smart handles, short style with cords or rings. Special \$5.00.

Black Fine Grade Silk Mixed

and novelty handles, \$7.50. Black Silk and Silk Mixed

Umbrellas, with silk cords

or Bakelite ring handles, \$10.00.

Colored Silk Umbrellas, in

shades of taupe, green, navy and brown, \$10.00 to

"Mark Cross"

Leather Goods

These high-grade leather

purses, card cases, tobacco

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cases, photo frames, etc.

25¢ to 50¢ a box.

Ombrellas, in sterling m

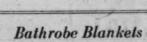
handles. Special, \$3.50.

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McLintock's Down Filled Comforters

genuine Down Comforter could hardly be desired. These are of English make and are covered with the finest downproof coverings in pleasing designs and colorings. Sizes 70 x 60 inches

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A splendid assortment of Wool Sweaters in newest pullover and coat styles. Shown in the newest colors. Prices, from \$8.50 to \$29.50.

Children's White Party Dresses

net and georgette crepe, white and pale pink. Sizes for girls of 3 to 14 years. \$5.00 to \$29.50.

Extra fine quality Cashmere Sweaters, in unusually smart. styles. Some feature the tuxedo front, others have a vest effect in contrasting color. These are offered in a selection of splendid colors, \$16.50 to \$23.50

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Purses

Handbags and

Handbags of Velvet, in black and fashionable colors. A splendid assortment at \$10.00 to \$22.50.

Leather Handbags. A large selection, \$5.50 to \$25.00. Strap Purses, in black and colors, \$2.50 to \$7.50.

Canteen Boxes, in the newest and smartest of shapes, fitted with mirror and various toilet articles, \$12.50 to

Italian Silk Underwear

(For Gifts)

Vests, in flesh shade, plain, with French band tops, at 84.75.

Directoire Knickers to match, plain, \$5.25 and \$7.50. Also, embroidered, \$8.00.

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Better Grade, \$6.00. Also with embroidered 86.75.

Children's Books

The assortment includes Bib Ballads, Bobby in Search of a Birthday, Wild Flower Children, Mother Goose Rhymes, A Year With the Fairles, Peep, Little Babs, Tales of Little Cats, Let's Pretend, Little Sunny Stories and Winkle Twinkle and Lolly-

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Collars of Net, pin-tucked and lace trimmed, \$1.25 to

Collars of Georgette Crepe in trimmed with pretty laces \$1.75 to \$3.50. Collar and Cuff Sets of Net

and Lace, \$2.25 to \$5.25. Collar and Cuff Sets of Georgette Orepe, \$1.75 to



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Blouses of Georgette Crepe and Crepe de Chine are featured in a wide assortment of desirable styles.

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Thirty-four Were Injured in C.P.R. Wreck in Maine Lists

St. John, N. B., Dec. 22.-The total St. John, N. B., Dec. 22.—The total Lawrence, William W., aged thirty, Grindred, B. C., slight injuries to between a CPR freight train and a head and knee. special train carrying immigrants from the C.P.O.S. liner Empress of France are given as twenty-three killed and thirty-four injured. The occurred near Onawa,

The list of killed is as follows:

Passengers.

Anderson, Carl, Golden, B. C.
Anderson, Andrew, Edmonton, Alta.
Bingham, Mrs. J., Isabelle, Man.
Baby, two months, belonging to Mrs.
J. Bingham.

J. Bingham.
Girl, three years old, belonging t
Mrs. J. Bingham.
Borthwick, James, Tisdale, Sask.
Boynthorn, J., Vancouver, B. C.
Bissett, Mrs. A., Saskatoon, Sask.
Cartwright, J. R., Vancouver, B. C.
Evans, M., Vancouver, B. C.
Nilsson, Einar, Rainton, Sask.
Pentley, John, aged five years, Elm
wood, Minnipeg.

wood, Minnipeg.

Pentley, Elleen, infant, Elmwood,
Winnipeg.

old; initials K. B. Unidentified man about twenty-

seven years old. Unidentified woman about forty years old.

five years old. identified boy about eight year

Bagley, W. G., engineer. Hatcher, C. F., fireman. Henniger, A. E., fireman.

Anthony, Juda, Miss, aged -twentythree, address care of Mrs. Pearson, Delta, Alta.; shock and cut
about head.
Austin, B. F., aged twenty-three, care
Estella Austin, Brewer, Maine, injured leg and back, (trainman).
Brewley, Ellinabeth, Mrs., aged sixtynine, care of E. M. Falkard, Grindrod, B. C., injured.
Brennan, Mrs. Mary, aged sixtynine, care of E. M. Falkard, Grindrod, B. C., injured.
Brennan, Mrs. Mary, aged sixtywing care of E. M. Falkard, Grindrod, B. C., injured.
Brennan, Mrs. Mary, aged sixtysize of the following fracture.

Avenue F., North Saskatoon,
Sask., legs crushed and abdominal fracture.

Winnipeg, right leg broken, head hurt, teeth out. nthorn, J. M., aged forty-nine, 533 Glénville Street, Vancouver,

assidy, Mrs. A., aged thirty-six Pembroke, Ont., limbs bruised. ross, Miss Emma, aged thirty-eight.
Port Arthur, both legs compound
fracture, internal hemorrhages.

Driver, Mrs. Mary, aged thirty-seven,
Winnipeg, left leg and right arm
bruised, traveling with son John,
aged four, uninjured. Driver, Martin, aged three, Winnipeg legs bruised.

Driver, E. Frank, aged ten, Winnipeg Falkard, Mrs. E., aged thirty-two, Grindrod, B. C., bruised and shocked.

head and knee.

Lawrence, Kitty, aged ninė, Grindrod, B. C., legs hurt.

Hooley, Mrs. R., aged fifty-four, care Mrs. Cyril Law, 3824 Jefferson Street, lags crushed.

Hawkins, Mrs. E., aged thirty-one, Browniee, Sask., right leg broken, head hurt and shock.

Hawkins, John aged eleven, Browniee, Sask., fractured jaw and thigh.

Hawkins, John aged eleven, Brownlee, Sask., fractured jaw and
thigh.
Evelyn, James, aged twenty-seven,
Duncan, Vancouver Island, compound fracture right leg, back
sprained.
Kefft, Mrz., Winnipeg, both legs
crushed, arm sprained.
Kent, Cyrile, aged two, Winnipeg,
right leg crushed.
Frizzle, Robert, aged thirty-two, Nanaimo, B. C., ankle bruised,
traveling with wife and son
Joseph.

Joseph.

Monroe, Mrs. E., aged seventy-two,
care of E. D. Foster, 4482 Jchn
Street, Vancouver, legs slightly
bruised.

Muir, Mrs. Agnes, aged twenty-seven, Winnipeg, slightly bruised. Midbe, Tom., aged thirty-four, Bay's Landing, Alta., left foot and back injured.

Marshall, W. R., care Mrs. Lorry, Whitewood, Sask, compound fractures right arm and head in-jured.

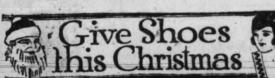
jured.
Livingston, Mrs. L., aged thirtyeight, care A. Ball, Hotel Alcaster, Vancouver, cut around head
and sprains.
Nilson, Niles, aged nineteen, care G.
Goldberg, Rayton, Sask., left leg broken.

Phillips, Mrs. D., aged thirty-nine

Reeve, William, aged fifty-six, Na-naimo, B. C., legs and feet cut and bruised; traveling with niece,



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Shearer, Mrs. Jane, aged forty, Moose Jaw, left foot crushed; traveling with husband, uninjured.

Siddail, William A. aged forty-two, Roche Ferce, Sask., sprains and shock.

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Leg Broken.—During the dense fog on Saturday night at 9.30 o'clock, Mra. Beaucamp, of Gorge Road, was knocked down by a motor car criven by George Savary, at the corner of Gorge Road and Rock Bay Avenue. She was taken in the police patrol to the St. Joseph's Hospital and attended by Dr. Pottinger It was found that she had sustained a broken leg.

Notice of appeal in the Rock Bay Bridge case has been filed by Alexis Martin, counsel for the Store Street Court of the Store Street Court of Property holders who charge that the city is violating the law in failing to maintain a proper bridge.

I. Whether or not the trial should as ye proceeded and a verdict on the Issue of facts have been found by a Jury of twelve jurymen.

2. Whether or not the indictment

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that the trial judge erred in holding that proceedings for the unlawful way of mandamus; (b) that the trial judge should have proceeded to call twelve jurymen and hear and deter-mine the matter in the said indict-

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"Ah, I see!" smiled the barber.

"The barber of the barber of the issue of notes largely in hair-producer for furniture-polish!" of currency And you want another bottle?"

a weapon of defence, and to reto precipitately to a position of
ty behind the counter.

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interrupted the barber. "Why, it "Patience!" broke in the irate one.
There and the enough patience in the result in the extension of what been aptly called the vicious s

expansion is based on self-liquidating securities. If used to cover discrepancies in revenue it is then a form of inflation wholly unjustifiable, bringing with it, as it does, the well-known evil effect of a depreciated currency at home, besides greatly damaging our credit in the eyes of the financial world." Those who share Sir Vincent's views on the desirability of the more elastic reserve can quite justifiably point out the ample security offered by Canada in its vast natural resources, its stabilized economic, political and industrial conditions and its climatic advantages, which are a guarantee of a certain and maintained bulk of production.

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Dr. Pringle Says Trouble Is omented by Few: Majority Loyal

PROHIBITION HAS PENEFITTED COUNTRY

byterian Church, to The Times

Qualified to Speak. n with the Forward Movement the church. His appointments in all parts of the Dominion, and is, therefore, in a position to judge the whole situation, as affected by the

ne whole situation, as affected by the vents of the last few years.

"When I state a generation will be the matter," stated the Doctor, i mean that the present generation immigrants will have ceased to fluence, the communities in which mean that the present generation immigrants will have ceased to fluence the communities in which ley dwell, and their children—Candianized in the schools—will have rought a new strain into the blood, is a mistake to term all aliens as menace to Canada. The majority, articularly in the country districts, re-people of fine physique and injustry, and our Canadian citizens are only superior in that respect. Owing, owever, to ignorance the foreign opulation is subject to ready injunction in the towns who cause means to the foreign opulation is subject to ready injunction in the towns who cause means to the foreign opulation in the towns who cause means to the foreign opulation in the towns who cause means to the foreign opulation on the matrix would be to stop immigration on the parts of Europe where the essantry lack education, and to project to assimilate what we have here.

Social Unrest.

"The spirit of unrest is not connect to, these foreigners, yet on the hole there are not a large number centres in Canada where real unset exists. The small towns, particurity the manufacturing and rural latries of Ontario, are hardly touched y discontent, and the only places where it is serious are in the large owns.

"Unrest in itself is not, in my pinion, a proof of evil prospect, because, irrespective of the world movement is seeking new conditions, we take the character of the world movement is seeking new conditions, we take larger attendances in the hurches, more business people taking part in its management than ever efore, and yet the character of hurch life is changing. That might is termed unrest from the consertative standpoint of the past, but it beneficial, just as the awakened hought in the nation is beneficial to large number."

Prohibition.

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Asked about prohibition Dr.
ingle made this statement: "Irspective of the great value which
ohibition has had on the civilian
munity as a whole, there is no
ubt that the soldiers have beneted materially from coming back to
country where liquor sales had
opped. Whatever may be said to
e contrary, there were great oprunities for drinking overseas, and
influence of coming back to surundings where it i illegal have

open liquor sales. Apart from the moral question, there is the material one, and that factor I think will have a greater influence on British policy in this regard that any propaganda that we can do in Britain. The British are faced with American competition, and America is becoming an increasingly sober country except for the beer drinking descendants of German ancestors. That competition will have to be faced, and I leok for John Bull, who has a habit of understanding what is best for himself, taking steps to deal with the liquor traffic from a material standpoint alone."

His Tour.

Dr. Pringle has averaged two meetings a day since he commenced his tour for the Forward Movement in August. He has spoken right across the continent, and yesterday addressed congregations at St. Andrews, St. Columba and St. Paul's. He left on the evening boat for Vancouver, and will spend Christmas with relatives in the neighboring state.

When young Brushleigh, the strug-ing artist, met his friend and patron forton the other moralng, he was truck with the peculiar look with which the latter surveyed him.

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moter in France to pay such per-centage and he figures that a \$1,000,

before there would be any profit. a French promoter. First, including the war tax on amusements which ounts to ten per cent.

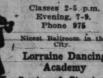
MAINLAND FOOTBALL.

Firemen 12, Knights of Columbus Centrals 3, Rowing Club 0.

I. L. A. 2, Coquitlam 2.
Thistles 2, Sapperton 1.
Wallace 2, St. Andrews 0.
Kitsilano Rangers 1, Westminster
United 1.

inster Presbyterian Junio

DANCE WITH LORRAINE





Victoria Soccer Loses Two Star Players





L. C. FILLMORE

Soccer ranks have been depleted of two of its star performers in L. C. Fillmore, at one time league high score, and Bill Frankish, both of the Army and Navy Veterans team who have left Victoria for the old country.

Frankish, playing outside left, captained the Navy team in 1914. He previously played for the \$8th Battalion, the Thisties, Sir John Jackson's, Wests, and the Garrison Last season he figured on the Garrison being absent from the starters in the league race season, the Army and Navy Veterans secured his signature. Center half or outside left are his favorite positions, but when the necessity has arisen he has filled in in every position except goal. He has been playing a great game at centre half for the A and N, and it is with regret that they part with

Y.M.C.A. BASKETBALL

tween Hi-Y 2 and Centennial at the

Y. M. C. A. Saturday went to the

former with the score of 17-9. In the

second Tuxis League game the First

Presbyterians won from the Hustlers

In the House League B series the

The A series game Huskies vs.

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Huskies-T. Peden, R. White, T.

(Addition sport on Page 13)

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score of 72-30.

'VARSITY SPORTS DAY TABLE OF RESULTS

Senior Rugby-University 12, V. A. A. 0. Intermediate Rugby—University 12, Victoria and Oak Bay High

Ice hockey-University 9, V. I. Grass hockey—University 1, Vic-toria Ladies 0.

Soccer—University 1, Fireman 0. Senior basketball—University 44, V. I. A. A. 20. Crusadiers was a runaway for the Huskles, the game finishing, with a Ladies' basketball — University 20, V. I. A. A. 8.
Intermediate basketball — Unithe House League, which was won by

versity 66, V. I. A. A. 6,

Toronto, Dec. 22.—Dentals won from the famous Kitchener team, former holders of the Alex Control of the Al holders of the Allan Cup, 4 to 3, in the nor O. H. A. game here Saturday High School 6
the in the race for the Sportsmen's Crusaders 3
triotic Association Cup, but overnight in the race for the Sportsmen's Patriotic Association Cup, but over me was required to do it.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

Aston Villa 3, Oldham Athletics Blackburn Rovers 2, Bolton Wad-

Bradford City 3, Notts County 4. Derby City 0, West Bromwich Al-

bion 4.
Everton 0, Liverpool 0.Manchester United 2, Newcastle
United 1.
Middlesbourgh 1, Bradford 2.
Preston North End 0, Burnley 1.
Sheffield United 3, Chelsea 1.
Sunderland 2, Manchester City 1. Second Division

Barnsley 3, Tottenham Hotspur Bristol City 0, Blackpool 0. Bury 3, Lincoln City 0. Coventry City 0, Clapton 0. Grimsby 0, Birmingham 3. Huddersfield Town 2, West Ha

Stockport City 1, South Shields 0 Wolverhampton 4, Hull City 2: Leicester Fosse 3, Stoke 1. Southern League. Swindon 2, Crystal Palace 2.

Dolls' Buggies Scottish League. Scottish League.
Aberdeen 1, Hibernians 1.
Albion Rovers 2, Falkirk 1.
Clyde 6, Airdrieonians 2.
Dumbarton 6, Celtic 6.
Hearts 0, St. Mirren 2.
Kilmarnock 2, Patrick Thistie
Morton 5, Third Lanark 1.
Motherwell 3, Clydebank 2.
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VARSITY TEAMS

Triumphed in Ice Hockey, Grass Hockey, Soccer, Rugby and Basketball _

The visiting University of British In sight Saturday in the annual battle for athletic superiority with the Victoria and Island Athletic Club on various kinds of battlefields. Not even a little old basketball game was left for the Island Club, and the only event in which honors were even was at the carbaret at Burleith in the evening, a crowning feature of a highly successful day. Nearly the whole party of two hundred and fifty students availed themselves of the invitation extended, and were loud in their praises of the manner the Capital City hosts had extended themselves on their behalf.

A String of Scalps.

Grass Hockey.

The ladies' grass hockey nearly proved the outshining feature in a series of defeat. Neither side could score until towards the end of the game, and the greater attractions of the main event of the day, the big rugby game which started when the ladies had about ten minutes left to play drew the crowd to the adjoining struggle. Within a few minutes, however, a feminine cheer announced the fact that the ladies from nounced the fact that the ladies from land star, who has been in Winnipeg in their praises of the manner the Capital City hosts had extended themselves on their behalf.

A String of Scalps. olumbia students took everything

side, and the ground was in a heavy condition, but there was lots of enthusiasm, and each side was out to secure the honors. A goal recorded by the visitors early in the first half proved to be the deciding counter. For the rest of the game play was pretty even, although in the last few midnight at the dansant at Burleith, minutes the Firefighters placed a lot

SATURDAY'S SOCCER

Senior League. Victoria Wests 6, Four

Army and Navy Veterans 3, comrades 1. Knights of Columbus Hut win from Yarrows by default, Harbor Marin win from Great War Veterans' Association by de-

Intermediate League. Victoria Wests 0, Postal Ser-Metropolis 3, Saanich Rovers 2

Army and Navy Veterans 6, Yarrows 3, of shots in the direction of the university goal.

Grass Hockey.

As mentioned in Saturday's Times the first two games of the varsity teams. Three more field events were added to the list later in the day.

The University yell leaders organized their vocalists into one hugh circle of howling humanity before the afternoon games started, and let off steam with a college cry announcing that the U. B. C. "could eat 'em all up raw,"

They then proceeded to take the first battle from the Firemen's societ eleven. The local firefighters and the varsity eleven staged the closest game of any fixture for the day.

Swamped.

As in the intermediate game a dezen points proved to be the deciding margin in the main feature of the city. The varsity team repeated the city. The varsity team the visitors only got over the line once in the first dattle from the Firemen's societ eleven. The local firefighters and the varsity eleven staged the closest game of any fixture for the day.

There was only ten men on either side, and the ground was in a heavy side was a side and th

joyed by all present. The De Luxe Quintette rose to the occasion with Jazz music galore.

Supper was an excellently managed department, the arrangements being in the hands of Percy Payns, and the dancers being comfortably accommodated through a system of "relays." The decorative effects in the sittingout and supper rooms were as attractive as elsewhere, the committee in charge of this being Mr. Al. Davies, Mrs. Davies, W. H. Davies, Harry Boyd, W. H. Davies, Harry Boyd, W. Huxtable, D. Grubb, W. H. Davies and Al Davies were responsible for the decorations. The much-admired electrical effects were the work of Al. Davies. Mrs. Davies and other decorations. The much-admired electrical effects were the work of Al. Davies. Mrs. Davies did considerable work in making flowers and other decorations. Davies did considerable work in making flowers and other decor-

London, Dec. 22.-Northern rugby Barrow 12, Helens Recreation 0. Battley-23, Bramley 0. Bradford 4, Dewsbury 6. Broughton Rangers 0, Huddersfiel

Leeds 4, Hull 13. Hull Kingston 6, Keighley 2. St. Helens 5, Halifax 0. Leigh 13, Hunslet 5. Oldham 7, Wigan 4. York 6, Salford 11. Swinton 3, Warrington 0. Widnes 13, Wakefield Trinitq 2.



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Wests Are Leaders in Soccer Race, North Wards Stand Third

But Former Champions Have a Couple of Games in Hand-Wests and Army and Navy Took Saturday

By the defeat of the Foundation eleven, six to nothing, the Wests took premier position on the league chart Saturday, a posi-tion for which the doughty warriors from the suburbs feel very much at home, and for which they have been vigorously fighting. The Wests and Wards have fought many times for the league adership with the Wards since they have taken part in the socces ompetitions, and the old rivalry is again to the fore.

Only Two Games.

The Hutmen share the honors on points with the Westerners securing a brace easily through Yar-rows being unable to field a team. The G. W. V. A. also had to forfeit the points to the Harbor Marine for the same reason. The only other tilt went in favor of the Army and Navy ENTRIES FOR THE **FIVE-MILE ROAD RACE**

Veterans, who defeated the Com-rades of the Great War. The Army

The Foundation then broke away, but fumbled right in front of Shand-ley. Away came the West, Sherratt centred to James to head through

ing, West 4, Foundation 0.

Bridges in goal had no chance with
After half time the shipbuiders five of the goals. Chester, while he
started out desperately, and Attwell
was forging in several times, but
West forwards, Whyte and Copas

wards in hand. Sid Sherratt at tre half was all there, but the

the whole defence, and scored the st goal of the match, putting one bill out of Bridge's reach.

Like Machinery.

The game was not as onesided as a score would suggest, but the set forward worked like machinery, d were always dangerous, especify James, who seemed to have a ver ending power of steam, and peared to have the defence guessfall the time.

A Busy Gealee.

The Intermediates.

At Jubilee Hospital on Saturday, the Army and Navy Vets. continued their improved play, and defeated Yarrows by the score of six goals to score through Thompson. Dowds equalized and subsequently placed the Army and Navy ahead. Half time Army and Navy 2, Yarrows, 1. Immediately on resuming, the Army and Navy broke away and Christian placed them further ahead. Some placed them further ahead in the placed them further ahead. Some placed them further ahead in the placed them fu

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underway.

The hockey fans who saw the openers last week promise to be on hand in full force and also the brand of hockey dished up has created so much talk in the city that there is every indication that the bleachers will be seed that

indication that the bleachers will be well lined.

The popular War Veterans are without the services of Gatin, who injured his arm last week. They, however, are hoping to play Guy Patrick, a war veteran who may join the G. W. V. A. squad. The Veterans are the lightest aggregation in the race and last Monday sprang into popularity through their speed and aggressiveness. The team contains more native sons than any other selection, and although they have not the years of hockey experience of the men wearing the Elks colors they have stamina and speed to offset this deficiency. A similar state of affairs will exist when the Two Jacks and the Senators face one another. Mike McDonald has been fortunate in securing the services of the yeteran goalle, Percy Watson, to guard the hemp, and the hard-shooting Senators, will have to show their best efforts to put them past the league secretary.

KILLED BY ELEVATOR.

Winnipeg. Dec. 22.—Philip Hamde, elevator operator in the general
post office here, was caught between
the doors of the cage on Saturday
night and crushed to death. He had
been employed in the offe for about
eight years but formerly farmed at
Grenfell, Sask. He was sixty-five
rears old.

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country has scribbled his John Hancock to a contract and will be at the
leam fried in the first match at Victoria
next Friday night when the Seattle
Mets exhibit their wares before the
lisland folk.

VAMES T. GORDON

KILLED BY STREET CAR.

Saskatoon, Dec. 22.—Charles Smith an employee of the local post office who was struck by a street car while lecting mail Friday night, sumbed to his injuries last night.



TO HANDLE WHISTLE



MICKEY ION

Vancouver, Dec. 22,-Mickey Ion referee extraordinary, will be on the job again when Pacific Coast hockey

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CHICAGO HEADQUARTRS.

CHICAGO HEADQUARTES.

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Much has been achieved by at-

SNIPERS SECURE ANOTHER VICTORY

Have Played Seven Games Without Tasting Defeat

The Snipers upheld their claim to title of king of the unattached clubs by defeating the Wards at the have twice beaten the Wards and twice played them to a tie, and beat-en the Thistles and the Rovers.

en the Thistles and the Rovers.

In Saturday's game, helped considerably by the excellent work of Geiger between the posts, they trounced the wardens six to one. The Wards frequently had the puck saling in the direction of the Snipers' tender, but he proved to be in splendid form. Boy Pinchback scored the lone counter for the Wards. Johnny Wright, the victors' pivot man, hung up three; Prescott Moody, James Adams and R. Goodacre also broke into the scoring column.

The teams took the ice as follows:
Snipers North Ward

North Ward Snipers Snipers North Ward
Geiger ... Goal ... Coleman
R. Goodacre R. Defence ... Prior
Adams ... L. Defence J. Pinchback
F. Sutton ... Rover ... J. Noble
J. Wright ... Centre ... J. Brenton
E. Goodacre Right Wing ... D. Holt
P. Moody ... Left Wing R. Pinchback

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of the comedy.

Buster Keaton is back in the cast—with Al St. John, Mollie Maione and others to add to the hilarity. A theatre was erected for the principal setting—with a stage door and everything. To tell the stunts that have been prepared would be to spoil some of the amusement, so let it suffice to say, according to the producer, that it is to me whirlyind, gale, tornado one whirlwind, gale, tornac

her new Paramount-Artora e, "The Third Kiss," which i howing at the Dominion the Vivian Martin, universal

mired little star, shows now and ease had to atone for a great wrong which had been perpertrated when a factory owned by her deceased uncle, was destroyed by fire and many girls burned to death. The catastrophe was due to her uncle's criminal negitigence in allowing the exits of the building to become congested.

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But Rupert secretly comes to love Missy, as the little heiress is called by her friends, although he is married to a faithful and unsuspecting wife. How she finally brings about the regeneration of Rupert and finds happiness is said to form one of the most beautiful stories ever vizualized on the screen. Robert G. Vignola directed and an excellent cast supports the star,

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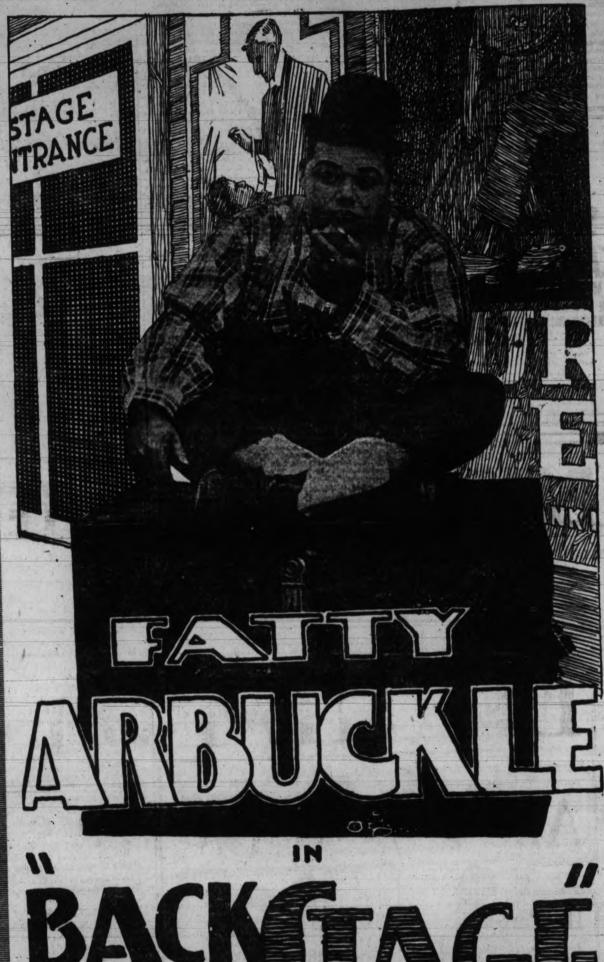
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TWO FEATURES ON ROMANO PROGRAMME

"The Man of Might" and "Miss Ambition" Are Shown

"Sensation," "thrill," punch," "action" and about every other definition of that which jolts men out of states of complacency and upsets the emotional equilibrium of woman might be applied to "The Man of Might" the new Vietgraph "such a Coording to episodes already announced, there are among the 'feats to be performed such starting stunts as an airplane rescue at sea, a fight with a lion on a lonely mountain pass (to rescue the heroine, of course,) and the dynamiting of a bridge-in the very path of an automobile containing Duncan and Edith Johnson, his leading woman, with Duncan forth-with increasing speed and leaping the chasm as the only means of escaping destruction. Starty two feet were spanned in this desperate (and actual) chance.

Miss Griffith has a role of special

might be applied to "The Man of Might," the new Viatgraph "superserial," which, together with "Miss Ambition," featuring Corinne Griffiths, will form the double bill at the Romano to-day.

With Williams Duncan in the title role, "The Man of Might" is no titular exaggeration. Duncan's record as an athlete, his classic encounters with Sandow, the wrestler; his famous health farm—all tend to engender anticipation in such feats of physical prowess as one does not ordinarily see in photoplays. These stunts are

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"Look here, people, this isn't a free show. It's standing-room, only, but back totaled \$25. She announced the

EDDIE FOY IS BIG PANTAGES LEADER

Elaborate Programme of Vaudeville Will Be Popular Fare For the Week

With a whole bundle of chips from the old block, Eddie Foy, popular comedian of the comic opera and vaudeville stages for the past forty or fifty years, together with his family of seven lesser Foys, dropped into the Pantages programme of vaudeville this afternoon to make a headline attraction extraordinary. Eddie is proud of his flock and well might he be, since every one of them shows that some fetching knack of giving entertainment that made him a prime favorite in years gone by. He is content to rest on his laurels won and only does an "aside" in the clever little presentation of the "family." He sings a song or two, makes a laugh or six and shows the "bunch" off to the best alvantage.

or six and shows the "bunch" off to the best alvantage.

The bigger of the "lesser Foys" does a song of his father's which Eddie characherizes as a "very good imitation of a great actor," and the audience is agreeable to the statement. The rest of the group sing and dance in a series of specialties which are tucked into the plot of the opening scene of their number on the bill. This is laid in an alleyway of New York city and deals with the little This is laid in an alleyway of New York city and deals with the little squabbles among the urchins of the neighborhood. The act is very nicely staged and interesting throughout. Artistic posing, exceptional balancing and other gymnastic feats, a little Eastern dancing and a dazzling stage setting of glittering tinsel and scarlet make the offering of the Patrowas a distant and attractive novelty. Three men and two women

ences. Miss Blanche Beiford is his partner in the turn they call "The New Janitor." Bozo finally coaxes a little eccentric music from a clarinet and Blanche sings a solo.

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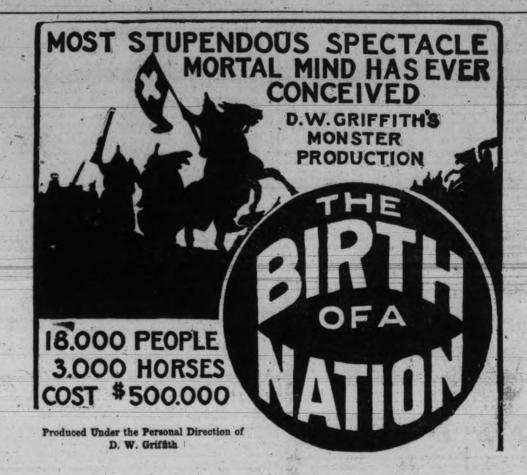
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the civic authorities, and met with no objection from the Provincial Government. As a result the C. P. R. has been notified that the changes have been made.

It is thought that the Rallway

ripany will ratify the agreement nediately, as there appears to be further object in the way of a final settlement. The next step will be the ratification of an agreement on the matter with the Provincial Government. This, it is expected, will require only a short time as the terms made with the C. P. R. are in ord with Premier Oliver's pro-sals. When these matters have an concluded a by-law will be sub-tted to the Victoria ratepayers.

Oak Bay Electors Also Settle Assessment of Uplands Property

Oak Bay voters declared themselves in favor of the privileges of a settled assessment, preliminary to the establishment of a municipal golf course, when voting on the question took place on Saturday. As a result, the submission of a by-law on the same subject to Victoria ratepayers is assured and the success of the project becomes a probability. The property owners also ratified the arrangements with the Uplands. Atd.

The voters of Oak Bay were asked to decide whether a fixed assessment for a term of fifteen years should be made on property in the Cadboro Bay municipality which, it is intended, will be used for the links. Expression of opinion on the matter was quirt decisive, 285 ballots being cast in favor of the fixed assessment and Sa against the proposal.

Gordon Jameson, the energetic chairman of the committee of the Rotary Club which is fostering the plan, conferred with Acting Mayor Cameron and City Solicitor Pringle on the matter to-day, and discussed the bylaw which the city will submit to the electors in January. The electors will be asked to authorize the City Council to borrow \$20,000 to spend on the establishment of the links.

The only question remaining to be settled is that of the management of the links when it has become a reality. The city and Oak Bay desire to exercise control over the project and at a recent conference the sponsors of the plan promised that their wish would be granted. At present the scheme is in the hands of an Association which, the civic authorities understand, will be re-organized entire the scheme is in the hands of an Association which, the civic authorities understand, will be re-organized entire the city council to bornow \$20,000 to spend on the property, and contemplates a further expenditure of \$350,000 in completed to give the children a good time. Membrane the complete to give the children a good time Membrane the complete to give the children a good time Membrane the complete to give the children a good time the complete to give the children a good time the c

A Great Christmas Sale





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representatives as are required

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Natural Russian Fitch Set-Regular



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THORE OF DELEGATES

tions Have Almost Concluded Selection

Ward three Makes

at a largely attended meeting Sat-urday night in the Gordon Head men of the city.

TAXES COLLECTED

Hall.

W. J. Williamson, Robert Scott and Geoffrey Vantreight were chosen delegates to the Central Ratepayers' Association and instructed to support Councillor Watson at the meeting of that body. The meeting was not able to take any action regarding the nominations for councillor and school trustees.

Approximately ten per cent-more taxes were collected in the city this year up to November 30, than in 1918, it was learned at the City Hall today. This is due; it is stated, to the fifteen per cent, penalty which was to have been imposed after November 30 but which, owing to special circumstances, has been extended until the end of the month.

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Five of the Wards have now made their choice of delegates to the meeting of the Central Saanich Ratepayers association, three having instructed their delegates to support the nomination of Councillor Watson for the Reeveship, Some of the Ward associations are sending their delegates unpledged.

To-night Ward V. Association will hold its meeting at Royal Oak to make a choice of three delegates.

The date of the general meeting will be set in the immediate future.

W. J. Williamson, Robert Scott and Geoffrey Vantreight were chosen delegates to the meeting and pruits, Nuts and Fruits, Nuts and Fruits,

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Saanich Ratepayers' Associa- Knights of Columbus Welcome Ex-service Men; Only Requisite Free Ticket

Councillor G. F. Watson's candi-lature for Reeve of Saanich, was en-forsed by ratepayers of Ward III. It a largely attended meeting Sat-

The following is the menu:

Crean Tomato Soup

Crean Tomato Soup
Turkey
Mashed Potatoes Green Peas
Cranberry Sauce
Plum Pudding and Mince Pie
Fruits, Nuts and Candy
Tea or Coffee
The dinner will take place between
the hours of twelve noon and two
o'clock and all wishing to take ad-

FOR ROTARY TREE

(Continued from page 1.)

To prepare for Santa's arrival and

Many Yet to Be Cared For.

Need \$500 More.

But because of the fifty extra families that have been discovered over the week-end. Santa, through the Rotarians, is now appealing to generous Victoria to let him have another \$500 so that there will be n

Because of the lard who will the advent of the Christmas holidays meet Santa only through the Rotary by the pupils of the Nanaimo High on non-essentials. See the control of that for a small supply of candy distributed in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and food. Santa bequired in the theatre has been put into clothing and the theatre has been put into clothing an s that the children will be bette pleased with warm clothing, good boots and shoes, and full stomachs, than with expensive toys that last

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\$15.00 and\$18.00
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Brown, lovat, heather shades,
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\$6.00 and\$7.00 colorings. Plain and fancy stripes, \$2.75, \$4.00, \$5.00 to \$7.50 Initialed Linen Handkerchiefs— Something New-White Hand-kerchiefs, with colored initials. 3 in box for\$1.50



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AFTER JAN. 1.

all the Provinces except Quebec prohibitory legislation is in force and in Quebec the legislation permits merely the sale of light wines and beer. There is a further Federal statute in existence which prohibits importation for sale of liquor into Provinces where sale in such Province is prohibited, but, with the close of the present year, there apparently will be no restrictions on importation for personal use. Under enabling legislation passed by the Dominion Parliament last wession, however, it will be within the competence of a Province to have all importations into its territory prohibited. The Act of last session provides that on the request of any Provincial Legislature, the Dominion Government can hold a provincial referendum on the question-of whether or not importations are to be prohibited so far as that particular Province is converned. If the referendum should go in the affirmative, the Dominion Government would then issue a proclamation forbidding importation into the Province in question.

Setting.

staff and pupils past and present, a mirthful interchange of some very interesting Christmas gifts and a dance, were the features of an exceptionally successful celebration of Public and a sent a se School at Young's Hall Friday even-



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Japanese Land Owners.

cess, says The Comox Argus.

Japanese, the cancellation of the clause in the act making it illegal for a real estate agent to take a commission for the sale of land from a returned soldier, the appointment of a new secretary, the request that Mayor Duncan should stand again as Mayor and other important business.

F. R. F. Biscoe brought up the Mayor and other important business.

F. R. F. Biscoe brought up the question of the ownership of land by the Japanese. He asked the meeting their opinion on the question of selling farm land to the Japanese as he had many requests from Japanese for land which he thought he should the handle Quite discussion follows:

for land which he thought he should not handle. Quite a discussion followed. Noteworthy was the statement of Mr. Edwards, assistant manager of the Courtenay Lumber Company against such sale. He said that along the main trunk road for miles in the Maple Ridge section there was not a white settler; they were all Japs and he said that the Japs coming into the Comox Valley was a distinct menace and everything should be done to prevent them acquiring land. They worked a farm for two or three years, got everything out of it and left it barren.

Finally a resolution was passed

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Finally a resolution was passed that "This Board of Trade is not in sympathy with the sale of farm lands in this district to Japanese." The Dominion and Provincial Governments were to be communicated with on 'the subject and boards of trades, in all other parts of the province asked for their support.

Arrangements have now been com-pleted for the Christmas Night Dance and Whist Drive, for which Mrs. Ben-son is convener, and which will be held next Thursday evening in the

with a share capital of \$25,009. This that everything is arranged for the purpose of taking over the Piercy mill near Royston. Fletcher & Richard are now in possession of the property and have already begun to property and have already begun to be make many improvements necessary in to bring it up to date and to indicate the dance, which promises to be one of the most brilliant of the season. Estimated annual the war:

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Interesting figures are given in a report of the Munitions Ministry's Commission which has visited the Lorraine steel districts and the Sarre

It seems that France's great ac-quisition of further supplies of ore quisition of further supplies of ore Among the important business done will enable her to develop her trade at the expense of Germany. She against the ownership of land by should produce about 11,000,000 tons. Japanese, the cancellation of the clause in the act making it illegal for equivalent in steel) to dispose of in asked a wily canvasser of William

The relative positions of iron ore resources after the war are approxi-

Germany 27,000,000 France 21,000,000
Estimated annual production after the war:—

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KASHIMA IS DRIVING AHEAD THIS VOYAGE

N.Y.K. Liner Reports Arrival at Quarantine Station Tomorrow Night

has been credited to her since entered the trans-Pacific trade.

Kashima Maru, of the Nippon caine sailed from Adelaide. South Australia, December 11, for Puget Sound.

signed to the B. C. Sugar Vancouver. The Northland at San Francisco to-mor charge port cargo hefore covoyage to British Columbia.

The Kashima Maru sailed from fokohama on the evening of Decem-er 11. Three hundred passengers are aboard the Kashima Maru and By developing an extra burst of speet the Japanese liner will be enabled to reach Seattle by Christmas Eve. The inbound steamship is expected to come alongside her berth at the Out Docks about 9 o'clock Wednesd

BOUND FROM APELAIDE.

RESUME JANUARY 2

Steamship President Will Be First of Fleet to Make Return Calls Here

oor, by R. P. Rithet & Co., agents man, which foundered 400 miles off

Four months have elapsed since their steward and twelve seamen.

The captain and all others of the traveling in the steerage.

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The Africa Mary brought in 195 crew of fifty-two perished.

the steamships President and Governor were least at this port, both silport, both silp

VESSELS' MOVEMENTS

NORTHLAND BRINGING

The steamship Northland operated Albers Bros., of San Francisco, is her way up the Coast from Salaver Peru, with a shipment of sugar cosigned to the B. C. Sugar Refinery Vancouver. The Northland is expect at San Francisco to-morrow to decharge port cargo hefore continuing the state of the s

The Africa Maru was fifteen days crossing the Pacific from Yokohama. She reached William Head about six o'clock last night, having been delayed outside the Straits by fog.

After discharging her local cargo the line cleared this afternoon for deaused the list which finally sent her to the bottom.

Steamer arrivais. America, at New York from Brest; Powhattan, at New York from Brest; Baronia, at New York from London; Canada, at New York from Marseilles: Imperator, at South-ampton from New York; Regina, at Philadelphia from Liverpoot; Columbia, at Glasgow from New York. FOUR SHIPS FLOATED AT SEATTLE PLANTS

Four steel freighters, aggregating 37,500 deadweight tons, were launched on Saturday from Seattle yards. The vessels were: West Jessup, 8,900 tons, Ames Shipbuilding Compginy: Maquan, 5,600 tons, Seattle North Pacific Company: West Ivan, 8,800 tons, J. F. Duthie & Company: Robin Gray, 10,400 tons, Skinner & Eddy Corporation. SUGAR TO VANCOUVER

IMPERATOR FOUR DAYS LATE AT SOUTHAMPTON

mperator, on her first trip as a Cunard liner since recently she was turned over to the British Government by the United States Shipping Board, arrived yesterday four days behind her scheduled time. The delay was due to dirty boilgrs and bad coal. The passage was uneventful.

Necessary to Amputate.-The many accidentally shot while on a hunting trip in, the vicinity of the Lagoon, Nanaimo, will learn with regret that putate his right leg below the knee He came through the operation splendidly, and is getting along as well as can be expected.

If Strength Declines As Age Advances Follow This Suggestion

So many women grow old before their time, perhaps your wife or sister. A little while ago, buoyant, full of vigor and activity—she enjoyed life and imparted pleasure to the whole family; but now in a few short years she has faded and lost color and strength. She is just ready to develop some disease that will further weaken and defilitate. You remember how it began, failure of appetite, tired in the morning, found housework burdensome, always nershousework b was she has fadeu and strength. She is just ready to develop some disease that will further weaken and defilitate. You remember how it began, failure of appetite, tired in the morning, found housework burdensome, always nervous and a little irritable. It's a shame to let her go down hill further when you can build her up so quickly with Ferrozone. The change this nourishing tonic makes in a weak woman is surprising. It gives great zest for food, increases appetite and dispetion enromusly. The samarina, which registers 2.78 to one shot at him through the window, but could not find where the missile had lodged.

Shot Through Window.—Last even ling while A. Kirkpatrick, of 218 Cross Street, was in his front room sone shot at him through the window, but could not find where the missile had lodged.

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Table d'Hote Luncheons and Dinners. Afternoon Teas

A full descriptive pamphlet and photographs will be sent on

ATTORNEY-GENERAL ISSUES FIGURES OF COMPARATIVE COST Nineteen Men Were Picked Up New Arrival Ushered into

Mr. Farris Relies on Statistics to Show Improvement in Registry Office Costs With an additional passenger to

man, which foundered 400 miles off the Nora Scotia coast on December the N MORE WORK IS DONE

During the whole of the year 1916,

Relies Upon Figures

The foregoing comparisons are included in a statement just issued by the Hon. J. W. de B. Farris, Attorney-General and Minister of Labor, dealing with the administrative costs involved in the maintenance of Land-Registry Offices throughout the province. The Attorney-General relies upon his official figures to display the benefits which have attended the general pruning out and re-organiz-DESTROYED BY FIRE

Conditions as they obtained during Freighter Well-known on This
Coast Burned While Off

Coast Burned While Off statement is especially concerned with the number of applications for registration of deeds and other legal documents. The table also embraces New York, Dec. 22.—The American steamship Firwood, owned by the Pacific American Fisheries Company, was burned while off the coast of Peru and her crew rescued by the Holland-America Line steamship Gorredyk, according to wireless advices received here to-day by agents of the vessel.

The table also embraces the size of staff employed in each office during the period covered by the comparison, and the monthly return of applications disposed of by each member of the respective staffs.

Taking the six Land Registry Offices and their business one by one, the A.orney-General's tabulated statement discloses the comparison, and the monthly return of applications of the respective staffs.

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The latest report of the Firwood shows her arrival at Callao, Peru. from San Pedro December 2.

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Bellingham. Wash. Dec. 22.—The wooden steamship Firwood left Puget Sound under charter to W. R. Grace & Company, of Seattle, about the middle of November with a cargo of lumber for Callao.

She was in command of Captain M. McGregor and the crew was made up largely of local men. The Firwood was built in Bellingham in 1917 by the Pacific-American Fisheries, the present owners. She was 235 feet in length and had an estimated tonnage of 1,800 tons.

SHIP IN DISTRESS

ISTRESS

NEAR CAPE RACE

NESON—Applications in 1916, 1,865;
Nelson—Applications in 1916, 1,865;
Nelson

Prince Rupert — Applications in 1916, 940; for ten months of 1919, 874; staff in 1916, four; in 1919, two; average per man per month in 1916, nineteen; in 1919, thirty-seven.

Dora Marguerite, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Mercer, of 2516 Government Street, died yesterday at the age of seven years. The little girl had but recently been attending the King's Road school, and her death will come as a great shock to her little schoolmates. She is survived by her parents and one sister. The funeral will be held to-morrow at Tolock, Dr. J. L. Batty officiating. The funeral arrangements are in the hands of the B. C. Funeral Company.

The death occurred suddenly yesterday of Harrington Harris, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harris, of 457 Niagara Street. The funeral will be held from the B. C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday at 2 p.m. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

B. C. COAST SERVICE

Christmas and New Year Holidays FARE AND ONE-THIRD FOR ROUND TRIP

Christmas Going Dates, December 23 and 24 Return Limit, December 26, 1919 New Year Going Dates, December 30 and 31 Return Limit, January 2, 1920 Full Information From Any C.P.R. Agent

B. C. COAST SERVICE

VANCOUVER—At 2.30 p.m. daily, at 11.45 p.m. daily except Sunday.
SEATTLE—At 4.30 p.m. daily
OCEAN FALLS.PRINCE RUPERT ROUTE—Calling at Powell River.
Beaver Cove, Alert Bay, Hardy Bay and Swanson Bay—From
Vancouver 11.00 p.m. every Wednesday.

POWELL RIVER-UNION BAY-COMOX ROUTE—From Vancouver
Saturday at 11.45 p.m.
UNION BAY AND COMOX ROUTE—From Vancouver every Wednesday
and Friday at 2.00 a.m.
WEST COAST VANCOUVER ISLAND ROUTE—From Victoria, 1st,
19th and 20th each month at 11.00 p.m.
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Johnson Street. 67 aration of one calendar month from first publication hereof to issue to said Cameron Lumber Company, ited, a fresh Certificate of Indefeas-Title in lieu of such lost Certificate, ny person having any information i reference to such lost Certificate. Title is requested to communicate the undersigned 188 E. EXHAM. public stenographer, 203 Central Building. Phone 2632. 47 British Columbia, this columbia, thi HRS. L. J. SEYMOUR, public stenograph er, 902 B. C. Permanent Lean Mids Phone 5465.



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Provincial Collector of Taxes. Victoria, B. C., December 18, 1919. No. 6135.



Notice is hereby given that the time united by the Rule of the House for resenting petitions for Private Bills ill expire on Monday, the 8th of February, 1920.

Private Bills

Bills must be presented on or hursday, the 19th day of Febru-

a or before Thursday, the uary, 1920. Dated this 18th day of December, 1919. THORNTON FELL, Clerk, Legislative Assembly. No. 6134. THE TYRE SHOP-Vulcanizing and repairs. 1915 Blanshard Street. WATCHMAKERS & REPAIRERS

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Section 24.

the Matter of Lot 12, Subdivision of Lots 2 and 3, in Block "J," Victoria City, Plan 1215.

Proof having been filed in my office the loss of Certificate of Indefeasible the numbered 3563-1 to the above ientioned lot, in the name of James erguson Armstrong, and bearing the let day office of my intention at expiration of one calendar month om the first publication hereof to issue the standard James Ferguson Armstrong to the certificate of Indefeasible Title is lieu of such lost certificate.

Any person having any information, the reference to such lost certificate of title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

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LAND REGISTRY ACT.

DANCING LESSONS Make an appointment with Blanche Boyd. Phone 2467R. Section 24. PRENCH, ITALIAN, SPANISH—By a re-turned soldier. Address A. Blondi, \$16 Hibben-Bone Ridg. indersigned, indersigned, led at the Land Registry Office, ria, British Columbia, this twenty-a day of November, 1919. FRANK J. STACPOOLE, Registrar-General of Titles. No. 7946

NOTICE

Pursuant to Saturday Early Closing By-laws passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, all Hardware Shops, Meat and Fish Shops and Bicycle and Sporting Goods Shops within the city are required to be closed for business not later than 6 o'clock in the afternoon on every Saturday, except the Saturday before Christmas, the same to become effective on and after the 22nd day of December, 1919.

E. W. BRADLEY

E. W. BRADLEY, Clerk of the Municipal Council. City Hall, Victoria, B.C., Dec. 19th, 1919.

TENDERS WANTED. the Matter of the Estate of Edward Tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon of the 3th December, 1919, for the purchase of the 22-foot Motor Launch "Admiral F," now lying at the Boat House of the J. B. A. A. The highest or any tender not necessarily accorded.

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Budapest, Dec. 13.—Delayed—Dr. Eugene Laszlo and four associates have been sentenced to death. They were convicted of murdering several counter-revolutionaries, rebbery and Nine other men implicated with

TWO KILLED IN SMASH IN STATES

CARDINAL CONDEININS ATTACK ON FRENCH

Logue and Dublin Archbishop Denounce Attempt to Murder Viceroy

uncing the attempt on the life of Field Marshal Viscount French, Car-

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Like Children

"We have been treated like children, our nurses dangling toys and

"We have been treated like children, our nurses dangling toys and taxing their ingenuity to keep us quiet by devising some shadowy distraction. But our people should be patient, knowing that such an unnatural and violent state of things cannot last. Above all, there should be no reprisals. That way lies ruin. "Holy Ireland, the land of St. Patrick, will never be regenerated by deeds of bloodshed or the raising of

A letter from Archbishop Wal

of Viscount French, was read in all Roman Catholic Churches in the Dub-lin diocese yesterday. In his letter the Archbishop said:

the Viceroy, which startled and shocked the city yesterday, calls for the melaneholy protest of every Irishman who loves his country and who hopes to see the present rule of cive government in Ireland ight to an end. Is there any ra-al man capable of deluding himself into the belief that such a factor of of seeking redress for the misgovernment of this country is likely to help the efforts of the righteous men who are working earnestly with the single purpose of re-establishing in our country a reign of liberty and

under a system of coercive govern-ment the like of which we must all hope and pray she will never be con-demned to again."

That Is Estimate of Amount Coming to Canadian Soldiers

Kamloops, Dec. 22.-Two milli dollars is likely to be the amount which will come to Canada from the canteen fund surplus, says G. R. unds Board, who is at his home ere. Etter was quartermaster-ser-eant of the Regimental Funds oard in the department of the Gen-ral Auditor, which handled this matter exclusively. He was in that Department for two and a half rears, and was one of its senior in-

years, and was one of its senior inspecting men.

"I was much surprised to read press dispatches concerning supposed large canteen profits brought back by Lieut.-Colonel H. M. Cherry, of the Regimental Funds Board, as I know the sum mentioned to be fictitious," he said. "Moreover, I regretted the manner in which the information had been published, for very few individuals have personal knowledge of these matters and a lax or wide statement would do undeniable harm."

Rough Estimate.

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Roughly speaking, when everything has been settled a reasonable estimate of moneys in trust for the Canadian soldiers should be around \$2,000,000. Until opportunities have been given for the publication of definite figures I can not see that we soldiers can do much other than settle with the Militia Department the legal ownership of this money. Personally I feel that the Department will be only too glad to relieve itself of responsibility for the money, but naturally would retain an indirect control, say in the representation of the Board for its treatment."

U. S. PROHIBITION FIGHT.

SMASH IN STATES

Washington, Dec. 22.—The Supreme Court of the United States ordered to-day the Government to show cause on January 5 why original proceedings should not be induced by the states of Rhode Island and New Oklahoma City, Okla., to St. Louis. Jersey to have determined the control of the states of Rhode Island and New Oklahoma City, Okla., to St. Louis.

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NEW YORK TO HAVE INDOOR CURB MARKET

New York, Dec. 22.—Seats on the proposed indoor curb market here have been bought by ninety-eight brokers for \$5,000 each, E. R. Mc-Cormack, chairman of the New York Curb Market Association, announced to-day. The initiation fee is \$250. Mr. McCormack said there will be associate and regular memberships leach a really of the property of the property

New York, Dec. 22.—The All-America Cable Company announced to-day restoration of normal service over its lines to all points in South America. Communication had been interrupted lately because of a break in one of the cables off the west coast of South America.

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the speaker continued, pursuing his
discussion of the relationship between employer and employee."
"Any attempt to cut down wages

pension as part of his salary, and to offer him less wage on that account was severely criticized and letters were read from men who had experienced this. It was decided to forward the letters to the Board of Pensions Commissioners, Ottawa, with a request that steps may be taken to have this practice stopped. Land for the permanently disabled soldier was also discussed, and an attempt is being made on the part of the Club to obtain if possible small the Club to obtain if possible small the Soldiers Land Settlement Board, on which a man who had suffered a less of limb could work and manage small stock. Other business, generally assisting the disabled soldier after his discharge, was discussed.

Thrift.

culcated among employees, the speaker emphasized. The habit of saving and investing has never been taught, the worker has had no opportunity of acquiring it. You have proved in Canada what Aristotle said, that, while public bodies and roads should be owned by the state, private ownership, produced the finest type of men and women. Canada's strength lies in the fact that 'Canadians have a real interest in the nation. We must reproduce this condition in industry.

The Employers' Task.

Lord Leverhulme

Asserting that while there must be no delegation of industrial control to workmen's committees, human beings must not be treated as machines, but he british philanthropist, speaking at the Canadian Club luncheon to-day, advocated a system of profit sharing as the cure for prevailing industrial unrest.

A Good Sign.

"Industrial unrest is a good sign," Lord Leverhulme declared in commencement. "It is inherent in human nature to desire to raise ourselves, and the lot of our wives and children. What else could be expected from the men who colonized and built up our Great Empire?"

The necessity of giving as careful care to employees as to machines was one of the most emphasized of the speaker's points. "You can neglect a machine with impunity," he remarked, "but not a man or woman. If the bonds of sympathy are not maintained between employer is becoming heavier all the time, is taking out of life than physical suffer. Will give us far more out of life than we get under the present system. Profits can be justly regulated between the owner and the worker. The worker is not a machine to be oiled by wages, to be speeded up by increases. Wage increases necessary. Profit sharing is the only solution to this problem. Management, however, must always continue. There must be no delegation of management to workmen's committee. But acting along these lines we shall make the progress of our achievements, we shall secure

Addressed Shipyarders Addressed Shipyarders.
Immediately following his address before the Canadian Club. Lord Leverhulme proceeded to the steel shipbuilding yard of the Harbor Marine Company, Ltd., where he addressed the assembled employees in the upper plate shed.

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