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### PLOT TO DEFAUD JAPAN UNEARTHED

Alleged False Values Given for Shipments From States and Canada

Pittsburg, Nov. 12.—A plot to defraud the Japanese government out of vast sums in duties on shipments to that country has been uncovered in the United States, according to S. Oyama, secretary of the department of agriculture and commerce of the Imperial Japanese government, who has come to Pittsburg. It was but recently that the scheme was discovered and Mr. Oyama hurried to this country to make an investigation.

Activities of several suspects in Pittsburg are being closely looked into, the secretary said, and he already has found enough evidence here to warrant further investigation and the matter may be laid before United States officials. It is said shipments from this country, particularly from industrial centres, have been greatly under-valued, and he is convinced some high officials in Japan are implicated in the tariff frauds as well as Americans.

Secretary Oyama expects to go to Canada, where there are said to be ramifications of the alleged frauds.

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### SAYS RUSSIA STANDS BEHIND ROUMANIA

Will Parry Enemy's Thrusts, States Brusiloff, Brilliant Russian Leader

London, Nov. 12.—Russia will save Roumania from the Teuton menace this autumn and winter, and next spring will have the strongest army she has had since the war began, General Brusiloff told Stanley Washburn, a correspondent of the London Times, at Russian headquarters on the Carpathian front on Thursday. General Brusiloff commands all the Russian armies that make the great sweep in Galicia in the summer.

"The Roumanians must feel faith in the great heart of the Russian people," said the general. "They must know that in the efforts we are making to save them this sentiment in Russia—that Roumania should be protected, helped and supported in every possible way—is a dominant factor, not merely a question of our self-interest to protect our left flank."

"Roumania now is feeling for the first time the pressure of war and the bitterness of defeat, but Roumania must realize that defeats are but incidents of a greater campaign. Behind her stands great Russia, who will see that her brave little ally, who came into the war for a just cause, does not ultimately suffer for daring to espouse the cause for which we are all fighting."

### RUSSIA'S MIGHT GROWS AS ENEMY'S WANES

Czar's Armies Will Approach Full Power Next Year, Says Brusiloff

London, Nov. 12.—"Personally, never since the beginning have I believed that the enemy had a chance of winning," said Gen. Brusiloff, the brilliant commander of the Russian forces in Galicia, to Stanley Washburn, a correspondent of the London Times, last Thursday at Russian headquarters on the Carpathian front.

"While the enemy was able to continue successful offensives it was difficult for him to realize that he was not approaching a successful peace. This summer's operations mark a definite period of defeat. That period dates from the time when the allies, co-ordinating their programme, seized from the enemy the capacity for continuing the offensive and dictating his strategy to us."

Lost Control.

"From the beginning of the operations this summer on the Russian southwestern front the enemy lost control of the situation. In spite of his super-human efforts to regain the initiative, he has utterly failed to do so. Again and again on this front the enemy's design to block our plans and throw us back on the defensive has been ruined by the valor and fortitude of our heroic troops."

"Simultaneously our brave allies on the west were beginning a summer's campaign which must by now have demonstrated to the German high command that with all its material it can construct no defences which the French and British cannot surely, if slowly, destroy. Italy, too, has had successes."

Still Growing.

"If there remain any Germans who still are hopeful of their cause let them realize that to-day, when the central powers already have lost the initiative and are finding difficulty in refilling their ranks, Russia has not yet reached the zenith of her power."

"Russia's full power will be approached only next year, when we shall have the best and largest army since the beginning of the war. Even this year we have been obliged to conduct our offensive with an inferiority of material and heavy guns. Next year we shall have material in equality with the enemy and a superiority in human resources, which will steadily increase as long as the war endures."

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### CALIFORNIANS NOW EXPERIENCING FROST

Los Angeles, Nov. 12.—Freezing temperatures were reported at a number of points in the citrus belt early to-day but there was no damage, according to the weather bureau.

Sun Francisco, Nov. 12.—Frost throughout the state in the exposed places was forecasted for to-night by the United States weather bureau here. Temperatures dropped lower early to-day and last night throughout California than they have touched during 1916. Paso Robles registered 18 degrees above zero, the coldest weather in the state, while reports of overcast weather came from nearly all other points.

"Aren't you ashamed to hit such a little fellow as that?" "Naw. We're playin' war, and he's Belgium. He's supposed not to want me to go through his backyard, and I'm goin' through."

### COLD WEATHER IS FEARED ON PRAIRIES

Winter Has Arrived Early and Much Grain Still in Stook

Calgary, Nov. 12.—The early advent of winter has caused a very great disappointment in this and other western districts where the lateness of the crop delayed threshing, and with a considerable proportion of the crop not stacked a continuance of cold weather from now on probably would mean a serious loss to the farming community.

In southern Alberta a very considerable proportion of the grain not threshed has been stacked, and where this is the case it can be threshed at any time the weather is favorable, even next spring. But where the grain has been left in the stook there is serious danger of total loss. In northern Alberta and in central Saskatchewan there is stated to be a very great deal of grain in the stook and elevator men are somewhat apprehensive in this connection.

While there have been several light snowfalls since the beginning of October the weather has been mild in every case up till last week. Early last week there was a fall of several inches in the Calgary district, but the precipitation was greater in the country districts. This was followed by weather and the mercury on Saturday night dipped to 15 below.

Gas Failed.

This situation, as far as Calgary, Lethbridge and other towns in southern Alberta are concerned, was greatly aggravated by the failure of the natural gas supply. Owing to the sudden cold snap the main pipeline of the Canadian West Natural Gas Company between Bow Island and Calgary became several at Chin Coulee, east of Lethbridge. It is here that the pipeline crosses the spillway of the C. P. R.'s southern irrigation system and the joint action of the cold water and an increased pressure of gas caused by the greater consumption was responsible for the break. By 8 o'clock on Saturday night every gas service in Calgary had been cut off, and as there are thousands of householders as well as many industries that use gas instead of coal for heating and steam-raising purposes, the situation was a serious one for them. Coal dealers were forced to open their yards late Saturday night and on Sunday and all the plumbers of the city were working overtime converting gas installations so that coal could be burned.

Many of the restaurants were forced to close or serve only cold viands, while those hotels which burned coal or were able to get their furnaces converted were taxed to their capacity. The Palliser hotel, of the C. P. R., catered during Sunday to several thousand hungry citizens who had no means of preparing food in their homes.

Lethbridge, High River, Macleod, Nanton and many other towns and villages along the gas company's systems were similarly affected.

The gas company dispatched a special train to the scene of the break on Saturday night with pipes, material and a large gang of men, who they set to work repairing the damage at an early hour on Sunday morning.

### URGES BRITISH TO INCREASE EFFORT

French Critic Thinks Haig Should Take Over More of Front

London, Nov. 12.—The Express features an article in its issue to-day by a French military writer, Captain Philippe Millet, calling on Great Britain to take over more of the western front and relieve the French. Captain Millet says it is necessary to speak plainly, that the alliance of Great Britain and France can not be based on a mere exchange of compliments and that all Frenchmen are wondering whether the British fully realize what is happening in France. He says the French recognize gratefully what Great Britain already has done, but feel that the time has come for the British army to relieve the French more efficiently.

The writer cites utterances of French deputies to support his claim and remarks that the British are holding only 150 kilometres of the front compared with 580 kilometres held by the French. He adds: "There is not one village

### AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR IN CONVENTION

Baltimore, Nov. 12.—The 36th annual convention of the American Federation of Labor opened a two-weeks' session to-day. Cardinal Gibbons delivered the invocation, and President Samuel Gompers, head of the national organization, responded to the addresses of welcome.

The reading of the report of the executive council was expected to take up all the afternoon session. It was contained in a closely-printed pamphlet of 162 pages and dealt with practically every question affecting the federation.

### ADAMSON 8-HOUR LAW IN THE UNITED STATES

New York, Nov. 12.—Representatives of the railroads and their trainmen who will benefit under the Adamson eight-hour law, gathered here to-day for the first of a series of conferences to discuss ways and means for the application of the statute.

The meeting was described by representatives of roads as one for informal discussion only, with the purpose of determining whether both sides view the law in the same light.

### POPE PLANS TO SEND PROTEST TO BERLIN

Cannot Remain Silent Regarding Wholesale Deportation of Belgian Men

Paris, Nov. 12.—Dispatches from Rome say that the pope is about to send a note to Germany protesting strongly against the reported wholesale deportation of Belgians to Germany. The dispatches say that this decision of the pontiff has become known semi-officially in vatican circles.

The deportation of Belgian men by the Germans has been going on since the beginning of October. It took some time for the news of the outrages to reach the outside world, but gradually the facts are becoming known. A dispatch to the London Times last Friday from a special correspondent stated that in the districts affected practically all the able-bodied men of military age were being seized and removed to unknown destinations, only the cripples being left. Another dispatch to London on the same date said that no fewer than 21,000 men had been deported from the Antwerp district alone. The men are being forced to work in Germany in order to release Germans for the dwindling enemy army.


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### VERNON COMMANDANT ON WAY TO ONTARIO

Winnipeg, Nov. 13.—Lieut.-Col. R. N. Gregory, commandant of the military camp at Vernon, was in this city on Sunday on his way to Toronto. He will visit his old home at St. Catharines.

He states that 6,000 troops under his command last summer had gone overseas or into winter quarters at Vancouver. He is proud of the camp's record as regards liquor drinking. No hotel was allowed to serve anything stronger than beer to soldiers and as a result an average of only five soldiers each week were apprehended for drunkenness.

### SHRINERS' LOSS.

St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 12.—Alvan Price Clayton, former imperial potentate of the Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, died here on Saturday night after a short illness. He was born in Ashley, Ohio, in 1869. He was twice mayor of St. Joseph.

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## CANADA'S TRADE AT NEW HIGH RECORD

Total During Second Year of War \$1,668,880,000; Some of the Details

Ottawa, Nov. 12.—During the second year of the War Canada's total trade, exclusive of coin and bullion, reached the new high record of \$1,668,880,000.

The balance of trade in Canada's favor grew to \$359,880,000, as compared with \$89,988,000 for the year ended with August, 1915. The aggregate favorable trade balance for the two years was \$1,438,900 and the export of manufactured articles for the two years aggregated \$453,867,000, or more than four times the total value of manufactured exports for the two years preceding the war.

These are some of the illuminative facts to be deduced from a study of the trade statistics just published by the trade and commerce department of comparative trade for the 12 months ended with last August and for the four preceding 12-month periods.

Other facts shown by the figures throw light on the cost of living problem and indicate the comparative development of trade with Great Britain and with the United States.

During the 12 months ended with last August the imports of dutiable goods totalled \$365,978,000 and the duty collected amounted to \$125,572,000. The average rate of duty charged therefore was 34.3 per cent. Included in the imports were foodstuffs valued at \$75,754,000, including \$17,000,000 worth of provisions, \$10,000,000 worth of breadstuffs, \$16,000,000 worth of fruits and \$29,000,000 worth of sugar, molasses, etc.

The imports of provisions during the 12 months were more than three times the imports of the preceding year. In connection with this it also is to be noted that exports of provisions to Great Britain increased to \$56,456,000 as compared with \$2,450,000 for the preceding 12 months. The exports of these increased from \$21,961,000 to \$29,725,000; of meats from \$18,154,000 to \$32,223,000; of butter from \$51,000 to \$2,158,000, and of animals from \$14,619,000 to \$16,668,000. The exports of breadstuffs, wheat and flour increased from \$116,774,000 to \$360,720,000.

There also was a considerable increase in the imports of "luxuries." The total value of precious stones imported during the year was \$1,298,000; silks and manufactures of silk, \$11,145,000; spirits and wines, \$3,961,000; tobacco, \$6,233,000, and watches \$1,482,000. The aggregate value of these articles imported during the second year of the war was \$24,117,000, and during the first year \$13,059,000, making a total of \$42,167,000 for the two years.

Britain and States.

With regard to the relative growth of trade with Great Britain and with the United States, the figures show an increase of \$26,461,000 in imports from Great Britain and of \$208,090,000 in imports from the United States. Exports to Great Britain increased by \$292,483,000 and exports to the United States by \$61,126,000.

From the mother country Canada bought last year goods worth \$111,584,000 and sold \$616,504,000. From the United States Canada imported goods worth \$492,483,000 and exported to the United States a total of \$247,984,000. Canada's favorable balance on trade with Britain for the year was \$54,929,000. On trade with the United States the adverse balance was \$244,499,000.

## CHARGE OF PERJURY LAID AT DUNCAN

James Lithy Charged With Offence in Making Application for Voters' List

Duncan, Nov. 12.—James Lithy, a well-known citizen of Duncan, appeared in Judge Greene's court here on Saturday to answer to a charge of perjury. On the application of the accused an adjournment of one week was granted in order that he might be represented by counsel at the preliminary hearing.

It is alleged that in March, 1913, the accused committed perjury by making application to be placed on the provincial voters' list, and in doing so swore that he was a British subject, when in fact he was a subject of Germany. Mr. Lithy, it is stated, is a native of Alsace, and in court here the services of a French interpreter were required.

Mr. Lithy applied recently for naturalization papers, which were refused by the county court judge, and it was at this time that it was discovered that Mr. Lithy's name appeared upon the provincial voters' list for Cowichan, and that he had voted at the recent general election. Bail was granted in the sum of \$500. The offence of which the accused is charged is a very serious one, and at the bottom of the application forms for voters is printed a warning that any one making a false declaration is liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 14 years.

The application is alleged to have been sworn to before Alderman James Campbell, of this city.

Judge Greene appeared in court for the first time in the king's uniform. He is undergoing an officer's training course at Work Point.

## ADMITTED BY SOFIA SALIENT WAS MADE

Serbian Held Heights in Bend of Cerna, According to Announcement

Sofia, Nov. 12.—An advance by Serbian forces in the Cerna river bend was admitted in an official statement issued here last evening. The text of which follows:

"West of the Monastir-Florina railway there was lively artillery action. Eastward and in the Cerna bend there was a desperate battle throughout yesterday and part of last night. All enemy attacks were broken, but the enemy succeeded in holding the heights and making a salient before our positions north of Polog."

"In the Moglenica valley there was a west artillery fire. West of the Vardar vicious cannonading took place. It was calm on the other front, except in Dobrudja, where fighting occurred at our advanced position without important results."

### FOUGHT FIRE.

Puerto, Mexico, Nov. 30.—Sixty men from the United States gunboat Wheeling were sent ashore yesterday to fight a fire caused by lightning which struck two tanks of crude oil with a capacity of 55,000 barrels each. Five adjoining oil tanks were threatened, but eventually the fire was checked.

## CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Nov. 13.—The following casualties have been announced:

**Infantry.**  
Killed in action—Walter Gilholm, 224 Twenty-sixth avenue, Vancouver. Missing—Pte. G. C. Copping, 2444, Twenty-first avenue, East Vancouver.

**Artillery.**  
Wounded—Gnr. J. Edwards, Gnr. F. E. Grossman, Gnr. Wm. E. Roberts, Gnr. Wm. Infantry.

Previously reported missing; now officially reported missing and believed killed—Major George Bothnie, Kamloops, B. C.

Unofficially reported prisoner of war—Sgt. C. A. Procnier, Revelstoke.

Wounded—Pte. A. G. Zeeteregreen, Mara, B. C.; Pte. A. J. Duggan, Victoria, B. C.; Pte. J. R. Fleming, B. C. Telephone Company, Vancouver; Pte. C. Brown, Vancouver Heights; Pte. D. R. Honeyman, New Westminster; Pte. W. Langhans, Nelson, B. C.; Pte. J. Mitten, Vernon, B. C.; Pte. W. Boyd, 2585 Triumph street, Vancouver; Lieut. I. W. Davies, Vancouver; Pte. R. J. Wheatley, 25 Fifth Avenue west, Vancouver; Pte. C. Frampton, South Vancouver; Pte. S. Hane, Vancouver.

**Engineers.**  
Killed in action—Pte. G. Lavoty, Missing—Sapper Wm. Eastment, Wounded—Sapper E. Erickson, Sapper J. Haddock.

**Cavalry.**  
Killed in action—Troop Mungall.

**Infantry.**  
Killed in action—Pte. A. Kane, Pte. H. Ireland, Pte. A. E. Lamb.

Died of wounds—Pte. R. H. Hannaford, Pte. Wm. Miller, Pte. A. Waugh.

Missing—Pte. G. Dore, Pte. W. R. Gilmore, Pte. T. Harrison, Pte. C. H. Payne, Pte. R. J. Perring, Pte. T. J. Reeves.

Wounded—Pte. F. C. Burberry, Pte. L. Clippendale.

Previously reported missing; now killed in action—Pte. H. A. Pullinger.

Previously reported killed in action; now died of wounds—Pte. Wm. Christholm.

Previously reported missing; now for official purposes presumed to have died—Pte. J. M. Arthurs.

Previously reported wounded; now missing—Pte. B. Lerougetel.

Previously reported missing; now unofficially reported prisoner of war—Pte. H. S. Penceley.

Previously reported missing; now wounded—Pte. J. Smith.

Admitted to hospital—Pte. A. Morrison.

Wounded—Pte. S. Archer, Pte. F. W. Bailey, Pte. J. Broadboat Bray, Pte. Max Brown, Pte. Oscar Finbogason, Pte. A. Galbraith, Pte. W. Goffin, Pte. A. Gunn, Pte. J. Harrison, Pte. C. Leslie, Pte. J. M. Low, Pte. R. Owen, Pte. C. B. Hartidge, Pte. J. Patterson, Pte. W. Powell, Pte. H. A. Simon, Pte. H. Henson, Pte. S. Sorenson, Pte. F. W. Veale.

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IS IT A TRAP?

Has Dobruja become a trap for von Mackensen's Teuton-Bulgarian-Turkish army? Was the enemy lured into that barren country more than a hundred miles from a railroad in order that Russia might deal him a fatal blow?

An unofficial report to-day announces the crossing of the Danube by Russian forces south of the Czernavoda bridge-head. If this is true—and it is a move which we pointed out a few days ago might be expected—Russia has planted herself in the enemy's rear.

At the same time the Russian fleet has been bombarding Constantza, the Black Sea terminus of the enemy's line. This is the second bombardment in a few days. Is it designed to cover the landing of another Russian army on the coast, to strike at the enemy's right rear in co-ordination with the Russian force which crossed the Danube, operating in von Mackensen's left rear?

says von Mackensen is urgently in need of reinforcements which so far have not been forthcoming. There are only two fields from which these can be drawn. One is Turkey, whose supplies of men are limited by the exigencies of the campaigns in Mesopotamia and Asia Minor; the other is the Transylvanian front, which could not furnish more than several divisions in any case.

Scarcely less promising is the situation on the Macedonian front in the light of the latest official advances. The Serbs and French have made another important advance beyond the bend of the Cerna river, which evidently has been crossed at several points, capturing 3,000 prisoners and important positions in the mountains flanking Monastir on the east.

AN EXTRAORDINARY SITUATION.

Nearly a year ago Mr. C. E. Tisdall, a member of the provincial legislature, was appointed to the position of Minister of Works in the Bowser cabinet. By accepting a post in the service of the Crown to which remuneration was attached, Mr. Tisdall forfeited his seat in the legislature.

WHEN IT WAS MAILED?

Mr. Bowser is reported by the Colonist of yesterday to have stated that he had not yet received definite word of the date on which the certificate of the soldiers' vote in Europe was mailed by Sir Richard McBride.

On November 9, Mr. Brewster received the following cablegram from Sir Richard McBride in answer to one sent by him the day before:

"London, November 8. 'Certificate soldiers' vote' posted sixth. 'McBride.' Is it not remarkable that Mr. Brewster should have no difficulty in learning from Sir Richard McBride when the certificate was mailed while Mr. Bowser, still acting as first minister and Sir Richard's immediate superior, should be entirely in the dark on the matter?"

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The outbreak of war found German interests in control of the metal industry of Australia and dominating its export. The government took swift, drastic action. With one stroke it extinguished the enemy interest and adopted measures preventing any Australian product finding its way into German hands.

What would the Australian government have done if it had been in the place of the Canadian authorities in regard to the nickel question? The answer is easy. It would have blotted out the German interest in the Ontario mines and taken immediate steps for the establishment of refineries in Canada.

Why did the British government institute its trade blacklist? It was to prevent British goods finding their way into the hands of the enemy to his advantage in this grim struggle. There is no product so vitally essential to the conduct of a war as nickel is. It is more important than oil or rubber.

The majority of the recruiting speeches in Quebec have been delivered by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux. Curiously enough, Sir Robert Borden, leader of the government in this crisis, has made none there. Henri Bourassa is permitted to spout sedition with impunity while people in other provinces are prosecuted and jailed for making remarks much less harmful to the country's cause.

Since the review of the war news which appears in another column was written we have received dispatches recording the capture of Beaumont Hamel with two thousand prisoners by the British north of the Ancre, a tributary of the Somme. This might have been expected, for two infallible signs pointed to it.

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There is a probability that very soon peace will become a mania with the German people. And perhaps the All-Highest has an idea that it may develop by rapid stages into homicidal mania.

THE GAS HOG.

To the raucous honk of a ribald hero, And the clatter of rusty chains, And a roar from under a battered hood Streaked grey with the suns and rains, With a load of grub for man or beast, In a cloud of dust I pass.

The aeroplanes is a pretty thing As it spins in the distant blue, And the racing car is a brother o' mine, And a wonderful traveller, too; But I am the King of the long, long road, And lord of the motor class.

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Y. Numano Arrived on Inaba Maru To-day En Route to Ottawa

The new Japanese Consul General for Japan at Ottawa, Yasutaro Numano, arrived from the Orient this morning on board the Inaba Maru.

Mr. Numano is unusually tall for his race, slender, and of intellectual appearance and was received on the deck of the steamer by Kahachi Abe, Japanese consul at Vancouver, G. K. Uchiyama, secretary of the Canadian Japanese Association in Vancouver, Mr. Sujuki, editor of the Canadian News, the Japanese daily, and on behalf of the Victoria colony by J. M. Nagano and K. Ishii. Other British Columbia residents of Japanese nationality were waiting on the wharf.

Mr. Numano, who has held appointments in the diplomatic and in the consular service, the sharp line of separation not being set up in Japan as prevails in other parts of the world between the two services, has 12 years experience for his new post, having been stationed in the principal cities of Europe and America. Among the positions he has held in the United States have been at New York and San Francisco. More recently he has been engaged in work for the foreign office at home.

"It is, however," he said to the Times, "my first visit to Canada, and although I have read a great deal about the country, and have often wished to take up residence, this is the first opportunity which has been afforded to understand the country at first hand. My predecessor, Mr. Yada, is going to New York, and will leave immediately I take over the department from him at Ottawa."

"While we are very anxious to build up trade with the Dominion, and to maintain the happiest of relations that have prevailed for some years, it would be presumption and unwise on my part, if I have yet to learn the details of Canadian administration at first hand, to express any opinion on those subjects in which countries facing one another across the Pacific have in common."

Mr. Numano departed here, and while his baggage was being transferred to the ferry steamer for the mainland, his hosts took him for a drive round the city.

Mr. Numano will be welcomed there on his arrival. He will leave for the east in a few days.

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Mr. B. W. Colvin, of the Clyde Shipyard, Rock Bay, intends to build a substantial boat landing there this winter, to be ready for the spring trade. He will devote himself to pleasure craft.

Arrangements for the annual show of the Poultry and Dog Association will be made this evening. It is hoped by the directorate that every member having the interests of the society at heart will be present.

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Police Court Charge.—Yet another case of drunkenness in charge of an automobile was before the police magistrate to-day. In this case a fine of \$20 was imposed.

**A BIRD CHICKEN THIEF**  
Monster Owl is Laid Low in Broad Daylight Yesterday After Police Chase.

A diverting story of how an owl was killed in broad daylight is going the rounds in James Bay to-day. Before the nocturnal bird of prey capitulated to the aim of Constable Shawyer it had led the police a merry chase to the waterfront.

The round-up started soon after one o'clock yesterday, when a telephone message from T. C. Hubbard, Clarence street, announced that an owl was showing predatory interest in his chickens. On arrival Constables Wood and Shawyer, with Patrol Driver Davis, set out to the chase. The owl was located soon, but the first shot of the rifle did not disturb his philosophic calm. However, he flew away eventually in the direction of Rithet street, where he settled down on a roof. The crows, in keeping with the famous Indian legend, there assembled to do battle with the bird of night. Next he was found on a house on the Dallas road waterfront. Here Constable Shawyer got in a shot which terminated his career.

The bird measured 63 inches across from wing to wing tips, and was in good condition. On account of the time of day many people gathered outside their houses to watch the punitive expedition in its labors.

The body will be stuffed, as it deserves to be after such a heroic ending.

**English Mail In.**—A large consignment of English mail, which left London on October 23, arrived yesterday. The shipment included 15 bags of letters, 100 bags of papers and magazines and 47 bags of parcel post.

**Shelburne Street Construction.**—A few days of fine weather will see the completion of the laying of the top dressing for Shelburne street, near North Dairy road. After that is done, it will be possible to open the road to traffic throughout, when the full benefit of the connection, which is already open from Pear street to the park, will be appreciated.

**Outing for Soldiers.**—The Native Sons of British Columbia, Post No. 1, have made arrangements with Major Harvey, the officer in charge of the Esquimalt hospital, to take all the returned soldiers now convalescent, under his care, for an outing by automobiles next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. It is requested that all Native Sons who have automobiles, and who would kindly please same at the disposal of the committee will notify W. N. Kennedy, C. P. R. Co.'s Telegraph, who will be pleased to furnish full particulars. It is hoped that as many Native Sons as possible will send in their names to the committee to take part in the outing.

**Fifth Regiment Band.**—The largest audience to which the Fifth Regiment band have played in the present series of concerts was that which attended the Royal Victoria theatre last evening. The programmes are increasingly popular, and the duets by Miss Watson and Mr. Swain were very well received, both singers being possessed of good voices which will undoubtedly make them very popular as duettists. Their numbers were "The Sailor's Song," by Balfe and "The Battle Hymn," both of which were much liked. The favorite numbers by the band were "Semiramis" (Rossini), which was very heartily applauded; the sacred air, Eventide (Rimmer); and the Hunting Scene by Bucalossi, all of which had enthusiastic applause. The conspicuous feature of the evening was the monster bass solo, "Asleep in the Deep," played by Gunner Haggard, who acquitted himself in the style and was very heartily encored. Miss A. Muriest acted as accompanist to the singers, performing her part faultlessly and artistically.

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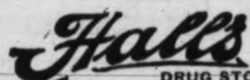
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### "ALADDIN" WILL BE HERE FOR WEEK

F. Stuart Whyte's Pantomime to Be Presented at Princess Theatre

An attraction unique in the annals of the Canadian stage, will be F. Stuart Whyte's production of the famous pantomime, "Aladdin and His Wonderful Lamp," which comes to the Princess for one week—starting tonight. As most everyone knows, an English pantomime is closely allied with the American musical revue, or extravaganza; in fact such productions as are staged at the New York Winter Garden and similar places of amusement, are based entirely upon the old-time pantomimes.

Mr. Whyte has built a production and assembled a cast for his "Aladdin" that would be hard to excel, even in the Old Country.

All of the leading artists have had previous experience in this line of entertainment, and the scenic investiture was designed and painted by Edgar MacKie, formerly master artist of the Drury Lane theatre, London, which as every one knows is the home of the pantomime. The costumes are by Madame Celestine, the book and lyrics by F. Stuart Whyte and the songs and musical score is the collaboration of Pierre Bayard, Clive Hamilton and Sydney Blythe, the three composers responsible for more English musical successes than any other trio of song writers in the world.

A recent review of the production in the Calgary Herald was in part as follows:

In the cast are several performers who are known to local theatre goers, and it is very pleasing to see that they are improving each time they come over the circuit. Zara Chinton makes a most fetching Aladdin, and in the part she has not to rely on her singing voice to carry the piece along; but her clever stage work is most effectively used in this, the most effective part in which she has been seen in Calgary. Harry Hayland, who has specialized in "nut" parts previously, is cast as the Widow Twankey, Aladdin's mother. He has a good comedy role, and gets everything out of it. Billy Oswald is general and sometimes only half full, but always full of that particular brand of Scottish humor which he gets over more effectively in this role than he has in any other in which he has entertained us. The emperor, Donald Grey, whose singing has given theatre-goers such a lot of pleasure, has a couple of songs and duets that certainly made a hit with

me. Beatrice Carmen makes a dainty little Princess So-Shi, who takes the part very nicely, and whose sweet, though not powerful voice is heard in several songs. Abanazar, the bad, mad magician, whose efforts to get hold of the lamp and rule the world, are given a present-day application by the turn of his moustache. Some of the faintly "Slave girls have solos too, and the violin playing of Ethel Hendon was appreciated, and especially effective in the cave scene.

### METRO WONDERPLAY DOMINION THEATRE

Francis X. Bushman and Beverly Bayne in "A Million a Minute"

Francis X. Bushman and Beverly Bayne, recognized as the foremost starring combination in the silent drama, will be seen on the screen here at the Dominion to-day, to-morrow and Wednesday in "A Million a Minute," a distinctive Metro wonder-play in five parts. The production is brimful of interest and presents a story of intrigue, romance, adventure and mystery, together with a comedy relief, which makes for the most satisfactory entertainment. These stars are supported by a strong cast.

In this production Miss Bayne has one of the best parts she has had since she came to motion pictures, about five years ago. She is seen in scores of big dramatic situations, and then there are lighter scenes where she is given an opportunity to display her versatile charms to the full. Mr. Bushman, too, has a strong role, and is seen to good advantage. He has many thrilling adventures and scenes which call forth the fullest range of his dramatic powers and, as always, he meets the demand upon his art in a manner that pleases.

There are many interesting scenes taken in and around New York, on shipboard and along Broadway, and the cafe life and underworld of Paris are faithfully reproduced. Metro has spared no expense or effort to make "A Million a Minute" one of the big features of the year. John W. Noble, who produced "Man and His Soul" and "The Wall Between," both starring Mr. Bushman and Miss Bayne, has also made an artistic and finished production of "A Million a Minute."

"I ordered some flowers sent to Miss Redmond, and I'll be hanged if the florist didn't send them C. O. D." "Phew! Did she pay for them?" "She did, and now deuce take it, I've got to pay her."



BEVERLY BAYNE

Star in "A Million a Minute," at the Dominion to-day, to-morrow and Wednesday.

### "PUSS IN BOOTS"

French and Canadian Red Cross Societies Combining Forces for Pantomime.

The French Red Cross Society are acting in concert with the Canadian Red Cross Society in the production of the Christmas pantomime, "Puss in Boots," which will open at the Royal Victoria theatre on Christmas night.

There will be a matinee on this Thursday of Christmas week. On this day the French Red Cross Society have taken over the responsibility of acting as hostesses to the children in the audience. There are reports of a Christmas tree and a little party after the show is over, but nothing definite has been arranged.

Anyhow, Thursday matinee will be known as the French Red Cross day, and the theatre will be crowded for

certain. Every seat in the house can be booked, children's seats 25 and 50 cents, but it is advisable to book at once. Seats can be booked at the Superfluites shop, Belmont house, or a telephone message, 4123, will reserve seats.

It is obvious that all the seats in the house will be sold long before Christmas, so to prevent disappointment seats should be booked at once. This applies more especially where parties are being made up, and it is important that all the seats should be together. Anyone wishing a group of seats should communicate with Mrs. Holden, president of the French Red Cross Society, or go to the Superfluites shop and see the plan of the theatre.

Uncle: "Bobby, I hear you are learning to swim." Bobby: "Yes, so are you, ain't you, uncle?" Uncle: "No, my boy, why?" Bobby: "Oh, I heard father say yesterday that you had a hard job to keep your head above water."

### MUSIC AND COMEDY

#### PANTAGES FEATURES

Pretty Girls and Raul Pereira's Wonderful Sextette Offers Varied Programme

The Pantages is offering this week, beginning with the matinee this afternoon, a most entertaining and amusing aggregation of vaudeville talent. The programme presents everything which contributes to a successful offering, both in entertaining as well as artistic value.

Comedy, song and dainty dancing, together with delightful dresses worn to perfection by a beauty chorus with sweet voices, are found in O'Neal and Wamsley's headline act, "The Two Fingers," a racy, farcical, nonsensical which is full of brightness and go. The two comedians who are well known and well liked on the circuit, never fail to make a hit. Miss Hazel Kirk, who is the leading lady of the comedy, is winsome and sweet and her singing and dancing captivates everyone. The chorus is everything that might be desired and gives great support to the principals.

Raul Pereira, late a musician in the court of the deposed king of Portugal, and his stringed sextette, offers a musical number which is an artistic treat. Each of the players in the sextette is a noted performer on his chosen instrument. The repertoire offered is made up of lighter classical selections and many of the popular "classics." As a popular rendition of classic music the offering of Raul Pereira's aggregation of instrumentalists has no peer. This company of players are known to vaudeville audiences in this city and will make all the better attraction for that reason.

A Vancouver reviewer writes: "When Harry Hines was given a real title, for he is the 'Nut' par excellence. Whimsical and witty, with a brand of humor which is calculated to reach all grades of society, Harry has the art of provoking laughter at his tongue's end. He puts over some real stinging jokes and they are received with the same readiness with which he dispatches them. Funny stories, conundrums and comic songs all come alike to this versatile artist, who can also trip the light fantastic toe in no mean manner."

The Valerie Sisters are two charming young ladies with abounding personality, good voices and a show of real cleverness, and "Adonis," in "A Study in Lavender," is an acrobat with one of the most pleasing acts of the kind. A little dog which has been trained

to a wonderful degree, helps his offering.

The last of the Charlie Chaplin series will be shown this week previous to the opening installment of "The Shielding Shadow" series which will be shown next week. It has been noted that "The Shielding Shadow" is the greatest thrilling serial ever filmed, and the keenest interest is being taken in the opening episode.

### NURSE GIRL MAKES ROMANTIC MARRIAGE

Meets Physician While Ministering to Wealthy Patient

The luck of some nurse girls is filling the papers with news. Every few days newspapers record Red Cross romances from foreign battle fields, and at home many a girl is a rich man's wife because she was detailed to nurse the invalid through more or less physical stress and pain. There will be no end to it, and long ago newspaper readers have come to accept these stories as matters of fact, to be expected.

Now it's Mina Rogers who has added another tally to the nurse girls' record of sick-room conquests. Mina, however, varied the general run of affairs and instead of marrying helpless patient, prone upon his back, helpless and defenceless from Cupid's arrows, Mina married the doctor. And the fact that the doctor was in good health and able to defend himself against everything but Mina's manifold charms proves that the girl won a victory without taking any of the customary nurse-girl advantages.

Mina encountered Dr. Prine while the two were ministering to the wealthy old Harvey Gorman who was suffering from bodily injury and worrying about nothing but the necessity of staying within doors. Recalling the liability of rich invalids falling in love with their ministering "angels" Mr. Gorman held out against Dr. Prine's decree that a girl must be introduced to the sick room as an assistant to the male nurse.

Finally Dr. Prine was compelled to resort to strategy. He telephoned for a nurse and before old Gorman knew anything about it, Mina Rogers, a girl Dr. Prine had never set eyes upon, landed on Gorman's front porch and entered the sick-room unannounced. When Gorman saw her beautiful blond hair, her deep blue eyes, noted her soft white skin and heard her speak in the dulcet tones of a harpsichord—but there's no use going on any further. If

### COLUMBIA THEATRE

TO-DAY, TO-MORROW AND WEDNESDAY

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### "HIS GREAT TRIUMPH" IS NOVEL FEATURE

Marguerite Snow, the charming and gifted Metro star, and William Nigh, the versatile actor-director, will be seen on the screen here at the Dominion theatre on Thursday, Friday and Saturday in "His Great Triumph," one of the most novel five-part features ever produced for the Metro programme. The story is a distinct novelty and is treated in a masterly manner under the direction of Mr. Nigh. There is an unusually strong cast, which included Ruy Applegate, Julius D. Cowles, Robert Elliott, Martin J. Fausy, R. A. Breece, David Thompson, Frank Montgomery, Victor de Linsky, Cecelia Griffiths and Florence Vincent.

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### H. B. WARNER APPEARS

#### COLUMBIA THEATRE

Plays Part of Doctor in Drama, "The Beggar of Cawnpore"

"The Beggar of Cawnpore," to be shown at the Columbia for the first three days of this week, will prove to be a very strong play, a play of stirring action, replete with the drama of India and mindful of the Arabian nights. It is the story of a British doctor, a member of the army medical corps, who, striving with all his might and main, and with all his science and skill at the bedside of a friend, nevertheless loses his patient to the Great Reaper. With the passing of the friend the natives flee in every direction. They leave the lone white man to his fate. They fear the dread cholera. Dr. Lowndes has only a brave Brahmin sergeant, Mulhar Rao, to stand by him; and the doctor needs a messenger and must send him away. The Brahmin goes to Delhi, but it is days and weeks before he returns. And meantime, in that blazing heat of an Indian summer, the doctor contracts the drug habit. The developments follow rapidly then. The doctor loves a girl. He confesses to her his dread habit and at her pleas he abandons it. He is persuaded into temptation by a rival of the girl's affections, falls from grace, is cast out and drifts through the wilderness. Then comes the great mutiny, and the doctor, degraded and disgraced though he was, shows his true British spirit and, in the face of death, and horrible death at that, he goes to the rescue of the girl whom he still loves. What follows constitutes thrilling sequence of scenes and a decided histrionic triumph for H. B. Warner, who enacts the role of the doctor in "The Beggar of Cawnpore."

Mr. Meekins—"Each time baby looks in to my face he smiles. How intelligent!" His Young Wife (slyly)—"Well, it may not be exactly polite, but it shows he has a sense of humor."

### "THE SALAMANDER"

#### AT VARIETY THEATRE

Will Be Presented for First Three Days of This Week

"The Salamander," from the famous novel of the same name by Owen Johnson will be presented at the Variety theatre to-day, to-morrow and Wednesday. This gripping story shows the temptations of a country girl in a big city, and carries one of the strongest morals ever produced on the screen. Dore Baxter is a wonderful nymph. One day Dore asks about her parents, and the grandmother tells how they were killed by Sassoon. "The Wolf." During this conversation, grandmother attempts to bring forth the deed to her property, and, lo! it is gone. Shortly afterwards Dore is evicted by Sassoon, who claims to have bought the land from the grandmother. Dore determines to visit the city—and find Sassoon. She falls in with a group of traveling players. The angel of the company, one Garry Lindaberry, wealthy and handsome, falls in love with this simple little maid. Now begins Dore's game with Sassoon, in which she tempts him on, only to foil him—in which she enters the flames without being burned. Finally, Sassoon steps into the clutches of his fellow conspirators, which leads on to a rapid climax that restores her property to Dore and Dore to Garry Lindaberry.

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Tim was a protege of Mr. Blank, a well-known Boston lawyer. He was often in trouble, but by personal influence with the courts Mr. Blank managed to have him let down easy, so it became a matter of talk that he did not suffer greatly in being arrested. "How is it, Tim," some one asked one day, "that you are arrested very often, but never go to jail nor pay any fines?" "It's just this way," Tim replied. "I have Mr. Blank for my lawyer, and what he doesn't know about the law I tell him."

A certain careless student in a small college suffered from obesity, and it appears that even college professors do not love a fat man. One day, after a particularly unsuccessful recitation in mathematics, the instructor said scornfully: "Well, Mr. Blank, you are better fed than taught." "That's right, professor," said the youth, subsiding heavily into his chair, "you teach me—I feed myself." Nov. 13.

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#### COST OF LIVING.

To the Editor.—Like many others, no doubt I was much interested in the figures on the above subject published in your Saturday issue. Though, like the editor of the Colonist, I think with 20 years' housekeeping experience the figures are excessive for people living in a \$10 house. But it has often occurred to me when all are worrying to make ends meet, and will continue to worry for many years to come, that a great deal of good could be accomplished if the good ladies would cut their bridge parties in half and give an hour to exchange of views on the cost of living and how best to handle it. There are no doubt many good ladies who would give almost anything to know how Mrs. A with a husband and two small children of 8 and 12, manages to live and always looks smart on \$100 a month, but naturally does not like to ask.

Cannot some of our elderly housewives have housekeeping teas where a short address followed by a discussion could take place? I fancy it would be found in the first place that all necessary provisions, including milk, need not cost over 25c. to 25c. per head per day even at present prices for healthy people. And that the imaginary Mrs. A works out her \$100 a month (without a Chinaman) something like this: Rent, \$20; provisions, \$30; light, \$2; washing, \$2.50; water, \$1.50; fuel, \$8; trams, \$5; clothing, \$25; occasional help, \$6. Of course the majority will say this is impossible, so let us hear how those who have to do it manage to get along fairly comfortably. ENQUIRER. Nov. 13.

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DUE FROM FAR EAST TO-MORROW WAS IN ICEFIELD



Barquentine Hawaii Had Chilly Experience Off Cape Horn; Called at Pitcairn Island

Capt. C. Wikander, master of the American barquentine Hawaii, which passed out from Victoria on May 3 with a cargo of lumber loaded at Chemainus, writing of his experiences en route to South Africa, says the trip, especially the latter part, was anything but pleasant.

INABA MARU LANDS EXTRA O.S.K. SHIPS FOR NORTH PACIFIC

Simultaneously with the arrival of the liner Hawaii Maru on this coast the announcement was made that the Osaka Shosen Kaisha plans to increase its North Pacific fleet by the addition of two other steamships.

N. Y. K. Liner Reached Port From Orient To-day With 777 Tons for Local Delivery

Bringing in the largest cargo consigned to Victoria in many months the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Inaba Maru, Capt. K. Higo, berthed at the outer docks at 10 a. m. today, completing her eighteenth voyage from the Orient.

Shipping Intelligence

San Francisco, Nov. 12.—Arrived: Strs Dramatic, from Tacoma; Kyo Maru, from Valparaiso; Thiverton and Northern Pacific, from Astoria; Vancouver, from Victoria; W. F. Porter, from Everett; Santa Alicia, from Mexico; Hardy, from Coos Bay; Breakwater, from Portland; Svea, from Gray's Harbor; Avalon, from Seappa Harbor; Atlas, from Seattle.

Wireless Report

November 12, 8 a. m. Point Grey—Clear; calm; 30.55; 30; sea smooth. Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 30.50; 30; sea smooth. Spoke str Admiral Watson, 7.10 a. m., off Cape Mudge, northbound.

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With the arrival of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Hawaii Maru yesterday came the initial Japanese orange shipment of the season for the Christmas trade.

The Hawaii Maru reached the outer docks about 10 a. m. yesterday after a 14-day passage from Yokohama. In her six hatches she carried 10,000 tons of general orient cargo.

While at William Head yesterday morning the Hawaii Maru disengaged 16 Japanese and 3 Chinese stowaway passengers.

After discharging 37 tons of cargo here the Hawaii Maru sailed about 4 p. m. yesterday for Seattle.

SURVIVORS OF WRECK SAIL TOGETHER AGAIN

Capt. J. Winther and Mate H. Lemke, of Inca, Were Commanded on Lost Endeavor

Port Townsend, Nov. 13.—When the five-masted schooner Inca sails this week for Delagoa Bay, South Africa, she will have as master Capt. James Winther, while H. Lemke will be first officer.

After Winther and Lemke came safely out of this shipwreck, they joined different vessels, and the present voyage of the Inca for the first time has brought them again together as officers of the same vessel.

Adding further hardship to their dangerous position was the pitchy blackness of the night, and just after the crew reached shore, the last of the Borealis went up in flames.

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LEONOR DISCHARGING CARGO.

The auxiliary schooner Leonor, which has just completed overhauling at Esquimalt, is now discharging her cargo at the outer docks.

SPORTING NEWS

WESTS VICTORIOUS AFTER GOOD GAME

Civilians Finish Fast and Defeat the Garrison at Beacon Hill

The Wests defeated the Garrison in a fast, close game at Beacon Hill on Saturday afternoon, scoring two goals in the dying moments of the contest, making the score read 5 to 4.

In the second period the Garrison started off fast and scored two goals shortly after the resumption of play.

The Wests' regular goal tender did not show up, and Manager Youson had to pick up a man from among the spectators.

Garrison—Bromley, Thompson, Lynn, Parker, Vincent, Hooper, Unwin, Pocock, Wells, Frankish and Buxom.

AMERICAN FOOTBALL

- At Cambridge—Harvard, 5; Princeton, 0. At Seattle—Washington, 35; Oregon Angles, 0.

NAVY SOCCER TEAM BEATS HIGHLANDERS

Sailors Score Three Goals in the First Period and Are Never Headed

The soccer team of the navy defeated the 50th Gordon Highlanders after a keenly contested game on Saturday afternoon on the Canteen grounds by a score of 3 to 1.

Naval barracks team—Long; Rutger and Snijth; Cronin, Bridgewater and MacLure; Jasper, Johnson, Davies, Asst. Pavy, Lifton and Hillier.

CENTRALS WIN FROM RETAILERS WITH EASE

Score Eight Goals in Game With Clerks at North Ward Park

The Centrals defeated the Retailers in an intermediate soccer fixture at the North Ward Park on Saturday afternoon by the overwhelming score of 8 to 1.

P.C.H.A. SCHEDULE HAS BEEN RELEASED

- Opening Dates Remain Same as Was Announced Some Time Ago
- Pacific Coast Hockey League teams will compete in a twelve-game series this season, according to a decision of the executive committee at the sixth annual meeting of the western organization held at Vancouver ice palace.

V.I.A.A. RUGBY TEAM DEFEATS OTRANTO

Sailors Not Heavy Enough for the Locals; Who Score 23 Points

The V. I. A. A. fifteen defeated the team of the Otranto by a score of 23 to 0, after a good game of rugby at Oak Bay athletic park on Saturday afternoon.

The game started with the visitors playing with the wind in their favor, but with the sun in their eyes. The local team worked the ball steadily up the field and after five minutes of play Harvard crossed the line for the first try, which was converted by Nason.

Jimmie Dime, manager of American, Says Darcy is Too Strong for Gibbons

AMERICAN GRIDIRON HEROES OF SEASON

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AUSTRALIAN SHOWS FORM AGAINST CHIP

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ENGLISH FOOTBALL

London, Nov. 12.—The following are the results in the English football games played Saturday on the grounds of the first-named clubs:

SCOTTISH LEAGUE RESULTS

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WESTS VICTORIOUS

Civilians Finish Fast and Defeat the Garrison at Beacon Hill

The Wests defeated the Garrison in a fast, close game at Beacon Hill on Saturday afternoon, scoring two goals in the dying moments of the contest.

In the second period the Garrison started off fast and scored two goals shortly after the resumption of play.

The Wests' regular goal tender did not show up, and Manager Youson had to pick up a man from among the spectators.

AMERICAN FOOTBALL

- At Cambridge—Harvard, 5; Princeton, 0. At Seattle—Washington, 35; Oregon Angles, 0.

P.C.H.A. SCHEDULE

Opening Dates Remain Same as Was Announced Some Time Ago

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NEW CAR for rent, clean car, careful driver. Dandridge, Phone 4651. JITNEY CARS—People wishing to hire jitney cars by the hour or for short trips should telephone Jitney Association Garage, number 391.

ANCIENT FORESTERS' ANNUAL BANQUET

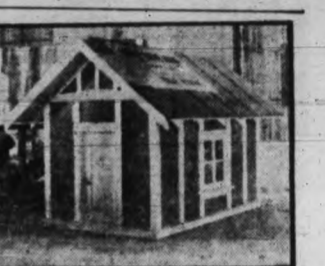
Large and Enthusiastic Gathering and Interesting Speeches. About two hundred people sat down to the annual banquet of the Court Victoria, Ancient Order of Foresters, on Saturday evening.

Teachers for Alberta

Teachers with requisite qualifications are still in strong demand for Alberta schools. British Columbia trained teachers submitting Academic, First or Second-Class certificates receive regular standing, while those submitting Third-Class certificates who have taken both preliminary and advanced training receive Third-Class standing for two years.

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RAFFLE. House, 3x4, presented to Red Cross by SIDNEY RUBBER ROOFING COMPANY, and to be raffled by Oak Bay Committee. Suitable for doll house. Tickets 10 cents, at Oak Bay rooms and Lange & Co., 747 Yates St.



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WANTED—A salesman or saleswoman for Vancouver Island, to start in a few weeks taking orders for 1918 calendar. Salary, expenses paid, and commission; or straight commission. Send full particulars and four letters of recommendation with application. News Pub. Co., Ltd., Truro, N. S.

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ROOMS and BOARD, 250 Government street, 137L. TO LET—One double and one single bed room, well furnished, for gentlemen, suitable for friendly, full or part-time board; centrally located. Phone 3071.

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