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Chester, Eng., May 14.—The Chester Cup Stakes of £250 and extras at two and a quarter miles was won here to-day by P. Greston's Rugeley, by Rossendale out of Roya. Lord Derby's Sierra Leone was second and Sir H. Lawson's Miwani, third.

LONGER PERIOD TO BUILD BRANCH LINE ON ISLAND

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Salisbury, Rhodesia, May 14 (Canadian Press Cable).—Sir John Chancellor, Governor of Southern Rhodesia, announces that the Prince of Wales will visit Rhodesia early in the summer of 1925 or towards the end of the year.

REPORTS TELL OF NUMBER OF FOREST FIRES IN PROVINCE, BUT HAZARD LESS THAN YESTERDAY

Vancouver, May 14.—Seven hundred acres of felled and bucked timber have been swept by fire at Stillwater. A crew of 200 men is fighting the blaze, which is now confined to slash. Compared with Tuesday, the situation to-day is greatly improved.

Fifty Killed by Earthquake in the Erzerum Region

Constantinople, May 14.—A violent earthquake is reported in the vicinity of Erzerum. Several villages were destroyed and about fifty lives lost.

NO REAL CHECK NOW TO TRAVEL

Reassurance Given on Two Vital Questions of Tourist Business

California Hotel Man Has Tested Facts For Himself

The problems of automobile travel in Southern California as a consequence of the outbreak of foot and mouth disease are now almost over, and travel the whole length of the Pacific Highway is feasible.

BRITAIN BUILDING WORLD'S GREATEST RADIO STATION

London, May 14.—Great Britain is to have what is claimed will be the largest and yet most powerful radio station in the world, according to The Daily Mail. Work is already in progress on a site of 99 acres at Hillmorton, near Rugby, where fifteen masts, 820 feet in height are being erected to carry the aerials.

SUGGESTS TERMINAL RAILWAY PROJECT

Important Scheme For Esquimalt Harbor Planned

Would Centre Round Bunkers at Constance Cove

Of vital importance to the development of Esquimalt harbor, and incidentally the trade of Victoria and district, is a movement which is now in hand to establish a terminal railway round Esquimalt harbor, from the Government dockyard to View Royal.

EXPLOREERS FOUND BLOOD CHINESE

In Kansu Region Women Keep no Account of Their Ages, Discoverers Say

Washington, May 14.—Blood Chinese with curly yellow hair and women who keep no account of their ages have been found by an expedition of the National Geographic Society sent into the uncharted Kansu region of Asia.

CHILD EMIGRATION

London, May 14 (Canadian Press Cable).—Protests against the emigration of children, apart from their relatives, to dominions, were made to-day by delegates to the National Conference of Labor Women now being held in London.

Funds at Low Rate for New Settlers on Land in Australia Now Planned

Sydney, Australia, May 14 (Canadian Press Cable via Reuters).—It is understood a new migration agreement has been proposed by the British Government and it includes a provision for the advancement of money for the development and settlement of land in Australia at a low rate of interest.

No Coalition in South Africa if Nationalists Win

Cape Town, May 14 (Canadian Press Cable via Reuters).—Herzog, Nationalist leader, has now definitely stated that if the Nationalist Party has a majority after the general election on June 17, the new Government will be formed on Nationalist principles, but if not the Nationalist and Labor parties will govern jointly—that is, if the Smuts Government is overthrown by the Nationalist-Labor combination.

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COMMUNISTS AND NATIONALISTS FIGHT IN TOWN IN SAXONY

Berlin, May 14.—Quarrels between the Communists and Nationalist organizations in Deltzsch, Saxony, assumed a grave character last night, according to a dispatch received here, and many persons were seriously injured.

TWO CONSERVATIVES MAY BE AS RESULT OF ESQUIMALT ROW

Lockley Considers Invitation to be Candidate of Independent Conservatives

Two Conventions Planned; Oliver to Open Government's Campaign To-night

Such a serious split has developed among the Conservatives of Esquimalt riding that two Conservative candidates may be nominated there. This became apparent to-day when Reeve A. Lockley announced that while he did not propose to accept nomination from the Liberal-Conservative Association he would consider an invitation to allow his name to go before an independent Conservative convention to be held in Esquimalt next Tuesday.

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Lack of funds has hampered the Government of Dr. Sun Yat Sen in recent months and except for an occasional clash between opposing forces, South China has not attracted much attention from the outside world. Many ways of raising money have been adopted by Sun's Cabinet, including the license of what are known in Canton as "anti-opium drug" divans, but with little success. Sun believed the licensing of opium smoking would bring in sufficient revenue to pay his soldiers and thus prevent mutiny, but the first "anti-opium" tupan, Yang Sai Ngam, was dismissed after a month or two, having put the bureau in debt about \$25,000 for salaries and organization expenses.

FIGHT IN MOROCCO

Madrid, May 14.—The Moroccan rebels sustained 175 casualties in the recent fight at Sidi Medaoud, it is announced.

PROPERTY TAX

Another money raising plan was the taxation of the property owners of Canton, but recently Mayor Sun Fo, son of Sun, admitted the money had been "counted in very slowly" and the land owners fearing the funds would be used for military purposes, which they opposed.

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PREPARED TO FIGHT STRIKE OF POLICE

Labor Government Would Act Vigorously if London Guards Should Cease Duty

Attitude of Leaders Made Clear by Arthur Henderson, Home Secretary

London, May 14 (Canadian Press cable)—The Morning Post's Sydney correspondent says the difference between Labor in office and out of office is exemplified by the threatened strike of the Queensland police force for higher wages, the present being regarded by the police of Queensland as a particularly propitious time for Labor to make demands.

Commenting on this, Arthur Henderson, Home Secretary, says that if a threat of a strike on the part of the police here were carried out the MacDonald Government would resist the strikers to the utmost. It is easy to start a strike, he said, but it is another thing to get out of it satisfactorily.

Considerable unrest is being manifested by the London police because of the decision of the Home Secretary, Arthur Henderson, a few days ago not to reinstate the members of the police force who went on strike in 1919 because of the order issued at the time forbidding the formation of police trade unions.

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TRADIEU RETIRES Andre Tradieu, following his defeat for re-election, has decided to retire altogether from public life and his newspaper, L'Echo National, will cease to appear this week.

161 LAWYERS ELECTED Like most legislative bodies the world over, the new Chamber has more lawyers in its membership than any other occupation. The lawyers number 151. After them come the farmers with fifty-three and the manufacturers with forty-six.

There are thirty-one doctors of medicine, four priests and three ministers of the Gospel.

BRIAND FISHES Nantes, France, May 14.—Former Premier Briand, again a political storm centre in the discussion now rife as to who shall succeed M. Poincaré in the premiership, has made himself about as inaccessible to the political world as possible without going outside the French domain. He has gone fishing off the Morbihan coast.

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Liberal nominating convention for Chilliwack, Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, is expected, will be re-nominated.

While the Premier is in Abbotsford members of his Cabinet are scattered all over the Province. Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, will start his campaign at a public meeting in Nanaimo this evening, while other Ministers are speaking in the interior.

MANY MEETINGS PLANNED The next ten days will witness rapid political activities here. Tonight Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, and Hon. F. A. Pauline, Speaker of the House, will speak at Strawberry Vale Hall, Esquimalt. Liberal-Conservative Association will meet in the Sailors' Club to elect delegates to the nominating convention.

On Thursday Saanich Conservatives will organize Wards One and Three at a meeting in St. Luke's Hall, Cedar Hill.

Hon. T. G. Coventry, Conservative candidate in Saanich, will speak in the Cloverdale School on Friday evening.

On the same evening the Labor Party will hold a convention in the Knights of Pythias Hall.

The Liberal campaign here will get under way Saturday night when Premier Oliver and the three other Liberal candidates in Victoria will speak in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

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UNITED COUNTRY The strongest man in North China at that time was Yuan Shih Kai, Governor of Chihai Province. Determined that the country should be united under one leader, Dr. Sun, after establishing what might be termed an experimental government in the South, resigned in favor of Yuan Shih Kai.

This marked the beginning of the end as far as Sun's infant republic was concerned, for while Yuan Shih Kai was strong enough to guide the ship of state, he likewise had personal ambitions centered in a new dynasty.

Sun Yat Sen visited Victoria once, when he passed through the city, on his way East in 1912.

"How high are we now?" asked the timid aeroplane passenger. "About 4,000 feet," said the pilot. "I haven't started to climb yet."

"I don't know whether or not I mentioned it before we hopped off," quavered the passenger, "but I'm not at all ambitious."

BANKING INQUIRY BY COMMITTEE OF COMMONS OPENS

Evidence on Working of Amendments Made to Bank Act

U.S. Witnesses to Give Evidence on Inspections and Other Problems

Ottawa, May 14 (Canadian Press)—John Skelton Williams, former Comptroller of Currency, and J. W. Pole, Chief National Bank Examiner, will be the first two United States witnesses to give evidence on bank inspections and other banking problems at the banking inquiry before the Commons Banking and Commerce Committee. The former is expected to appear on May 20, and the latter on May 22. E. W. Stearns of the comptroller's office at Washington and J. W. Pole, vice-president of the Chase National Bank New York, are to be heard later.

PERSONAL EXAMINATIONS These decisions were reached at the sitting of the committee this morning. George Edwards, accounting adviser of the Finance Department, resuming evidence on the working of the amendments made to the Bank Act last session, said he thought in most cases a Government auditor could get all necessary information by examining the bank auditors, but might, in some cases, have to make personal examination of the bank's business.

Had he any objections to the report of the bank auditors being given to parliament, asked Mr. Woodsworth, Mr. Edwards said that statements regarding loans by a solvent bank might be misunderstood and cause uneasiness.

He agreed that a report of some sort might be made by an auditor to Parliament.

If the Government denied the public the information necessary to form an opinion on the position of the banks, asked Mr. Woodsworth, should it not give the public a guarantee?

"The public must trust the minister," was the reply.

"If the public lose, pursued Mr. Woodsworth, 'as in the case of the Home Bank, what recourse has the public against a minister who may be out of office?'"

Mr. Edwards said the question was complex and hardly one on which his opinion would be of value.

INSPECTION METHODS Herbert Morier, Liberal, St. Laurence—St. George, inquired as to the methods of Government inspection. Government inspector to value all commercial and current loans, he said.

"It would be practically impossible without a huge organization," was the reply.

Mr. Edwards said the Government inspector could take account of the procedure, efficiency and personnel of the bank offices and auditors. He believed such supervision would be of great value.

A. R. MacMaster, Liberal, Brome, asked if recent failures had not been due to head office management and if these circumstances would not have been easily discerned at the head office.

Mr. Edwards replied the failures were due to causes easily ascertainable by a Government inspection at head office.

William Irvine, Labor, Calgary, East, asked whether in view of the public loss of confidence in the banks, Strachan would approve of Government ownership of banks.

"That would be a difficult experience," was the reply.

He did not admit that the public had lost confidence in the banks, but thought that a super-imposed Government inspection of the bank audit would be an improvement.

The committee then adjourned.

RECOMPENSING OF HOME BANK DEPOSITORS UNLIKELY

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of the bank was reported to the Government.

Objection was made by H. J. Symington, Government counsel, and Mr. Robb did not answer the question.

COMMENT BY REP "It is a singular thing that on Wednesday following the meeting of the Cabinet which took place on the morning after Mr. Stewart's meeting with the Prime Minister, Hon. James Murdock walked across a street and drew out a part of his deposit in the Home Bank," commented Mr. Reid. "And the next day he drew out the rest."

DENIAL BY MAGUIRE Toronto, May 14.—Ex-Mayor C. A. Maguire of Toronto, who is in Washington at present, according to a dispatch from that city, has emphatically denied that he used his influence while a member of the Toronto Board of Control to have deposits of city funds made in the Home Bank.

In evidence given in special examination yesterday, F. H. Richardson, who is also a former Controller, said he visited the City Hall in the late Summer of 1920 and the early part of 1921, where, in each case, he interviewed Controller Alfred Maguire, urging that a bank with headquarters in this city should receive better treatment in the matter of deposits. In each instance, Mr. Richardson stated, Controller Maguire promised to advise such an adjustment.

COMMISSION PAID Mr. Richardson received \$12,500 as a commission for his work in this case. The city's deposits amounted to half a million dollars.

Thomas Bradshaw, a former Finance Commissioner, and George H. Ross, the present Finance Commissioner, both declared they called no influence upon Mr. Maguire to secure city deposits for the bank.

The Victoria Graduate Nurses' Association will hold a home cooking sale at the Hudson's Bay store on Saturday morning, May 17.

A special general meeting of the Veterans of France, will take place on Thursday at 8 o'clock, with an executive meeting at 7:30 o'clock.

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REPORTS TELL OF NUMBER OF FOREST FIRES IN B.C.

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AT BOUNDARY A big forest fire which is sweeping across Washington State near Northport is threatening to cross the British Columbia boundary South of Roseland. Provincial forest rangers are taking precautions to check the outbreak if it crosses the line.

The forest fire which has been burning near the camp of the Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Company at Cowichan Lake is under control.

FUNDS AT LOW RATE FOR SETTLERS IN AUSTRALIA

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The new agreement particularly proposes to encourage the nomination system of immigration, by which any person residing in Australia may name one or more British subjects resident in Great Britain as a prospective settler or settlers. This system has proved very satisfactory and it has elicited the support of the churches and many other bodies interested in immigration.

Since March, 1921, Australia has absorbed 40,000 immigrants from Great Britain, and of these 33,000 were nominated.

The present monthly absorption is officially stated to be as follows: New South Wales, forty boys and fifty juvenile farm workers; Victoria, 300 farm workers; Queensland, 100 boys; Western Australia, 300 farm workers and 100 families.

Mrs. Nunn of 725 Queen's Avenue, has kindly loaned her home for a silver tea and court, whist drive in honor of Miss Mona Jewell, Queen of Benevolence, on Thursday. A silver tea will be held from 2:30 to 4 o'clock, and a whist drive from 4:30 o'clock.

DIRECT OUTLET FOR PEACE RIVER IS CONSIDERED

Subject of Interviews at Montreal To-day

Premier Greenfield, Sir Henry Thornton and Grant Hall Met

Montreal, May 14.—Premier Herbert Greenfield of Alberta is here to-day holding conference with Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railway, and Grant Hall, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

A direct outlet for the Peace River district is the subject of the interviews, the Premier stated, although he will also talk with Sir Henry Thornton with a view to securing a low freight rate for coal from Alberta to Ontario.

He refused to commit himself as favoring the proposed Government undertaking of a Grande Prairie-Brule Lake cutoff or the extension of the Edmonton, Dunvegan and British Columbia Railway southward to Prince George, which would afford an outlet to Vancouver over the Pacific Great Eastern Railway.

Premier Greenfield said he had no objection to a conference to discuss the merits of the two routes such as had been proposed by Premier Oliver of British Columbia.

RUSSIANS DISCUSS CHEMICAL WARFARE

Trotsky Tells Scientists at Convention Country Needs That Type of Defence

Moscow, May 14.—War Minister Trotsky, speaking at a convention of scientists here, emphasized the importance of chemical warfare as a means of defence.

The victorious nations in the Great War, especially the United States, he said, had made tremendous progress in this form of warfare.

"Russia should organize, because nobody knows in what dreams the American bourgeoisie is indulging," he said.

"We are in a position of fullest assurance in declaring that in case war is forced upon us, our Red Army of workmen and peasants will fight like lions in defence of the Soviet Republic."

Teacher: "We borrowed our numerals from the Arabs, our calendar from the Romans, and our banking from the Italians. Can anyone think of any other examples?"

Willie: "Our lawn-mower from the Smiths, our step-ladder from the Joneses, and our baby-carriage from the Bumps."

JAPANESE TO U.S.

Tokio, May 14.—A canvass of the steamship offices shows that at least 5,000 Japanese have booked passage and will sail to the United States before July 1, at which time the exclusion law is expected to go into effect. The Toyo Kisen Kaisha alone has booked nearly 4,000 Japanese passengers for the United States, and may send the liner Korea Maru on a special trip with 800 more.

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WARREN Y. SOPER DIED IN OTTAWA

One of Canada's Most Prominent Electrical Engineers; Seventy Years of Age

Ottawa, May 14.—Canada lost one of its most expert electrical authorities in the death here last night of Warren Young Soper, president of the Ahearn & Soper Limited, electrical engineers and contractors.

Warren Young Soper, son of the late W. A. Soper and Eleanor Young Soper, was born in Alderhot, Maine, March 9, 1854. He accompanied his parents two years later to Ottawa, where he resided practically all his life. He was educated at the Webster Institute.

Mr. Soper was for some years manager of the Dominion Telegraph Company and president of the Canada Mutual Telegraph Company. He retired from direct connection with the telegraphic work in 1912, and since that time has been president of Ahearn & Soper Limited, electrical engineers and contractors. To Mr. Soper and his associates was given the credit of introducing the electric railway system into Canada.

He was connected for many years with a large number of Canadian corporations of standing. For years he was a director of the Ottawa Car Company, vice-president of the Ottawa Street Railway Company, and at times connected as a director with the Imperial Life Insurance Company, Canadian Westinghouse Company, Frost and Wood Company, Canadian Locomotive Company, Ottawa Valley Motor Association and Central Canada Exhibition Association. He was for many years vice-president of the Ottawa Electric Company, president of the Dunlop Tire and Rubber Company, president of the Ottawa Building Company, vice-president of the Ottawa Traction Company, vice-president of the Ottawa Gas Company and president of the Gas Accumulator of Canada Limited.

In 1881 Mr. Soper married Annie, daughter of Lieut.-Col. Newson of Franktown. There are three sons, Elbert, Walter and Harold, and one daughter, Mrs. Alfred C. Bethune, all of this city.

MEMBER OF CLUBS  
Mr. Soper was a member of the Rideau Club, Royal Ottawa Golf Club, Ottawa Hunt and Motor Club, Country Club, Mount Royal Club, Montreal and York and National Clubs of Toronto. He resided at Lorne, Rockcliffe Park, where the beautiful house and grounds are one of the show places of Ottawa. In politics he was a Liberal. In 1919 The Toronto Saturday Night rated him as a millionaire, and stated of him, "A big man in finance and industry with a fondness for art and a love for literature, which together would make him a man of rare culture."

Spotted Fever Contracted From Tick Killed Man  
Klamath Falls, Oregon, May 14.—Peter J. Peterson, employed by the local reclamation bureau, died yesterday at a local hospital, apparently contracted from the bite of a spotted fever tick. Peterson was the second victim of the deadly tick bite in this country in the past three weeks. A warning was sent out by the city health officer to all lumber camps to warn the men to cauterize all tick bites promptly and thus avoid danger.

According to the health officers, there are about 750 varieties of ticks found locally and the spotted fever tick is the only one that is deadly.

Men Imprisoned Over Three Days In Mine Released  
Gilman, Colo., May 14.—Five miners, employed since Saturday afternoon in the Black Iron Mine of the Empire Zinc Mining Company near here, were rescued last night when a drift was driven through three of the mine's stopes, in which the men were confined.

Man Killed Two Fellow Workers And Ended His Own Life  
Chicago, May 14.—Angered because other employees opened a window, John C. Gardner, sixty, an inspector for the Illinois State Police, shot and killed two fellow workers and then, pursued by other employees, placed one of the three pistols with which he was armed against his temple and committed suicide.

Box Factory in Yakima Burned  
Yakima, Wash., May 14.—Fire last night destroyed the plant of the Yakima Box and Box Factory, with a loss estimated at about \$125,000.

EMPIRE CHANGE URGED BY BORDEN  
London, Ont., May 14.—Sir Robert Borden would bring the whole of the Empire into closer co-operation by a system of resident ministers in the British Isles to voice the opinion of the Dominions on the external affairs of the Empire. Such was the suggestion brought forward by him when he addressed the London Women's Canadian Club yesterday.

"One great difficulty in the way of greater unity in the Empire in the past has been the fact that the Mother Country has held a sort of trusteeship in the administration of external affairs," he said. "But now that the Dominions have begun to have a voice in external affairs, we must try to find out a means by which each of these separate parts may express its desires in the matter of external affairs."

The Imperial conferences which have been held from time to time have attended to this as best they could, but I believe there might be a still more satisfactory solution of the problem and I suggest a system of resident ministers."

COMMONS HEARD CLEVER SPEAKERS

Two Liberals, Six Progressives and Three Conservatives Shared in Debate

Ottawa, May 14.—Eleven speakers, two Liberals, six Progressives and three Conservatives, added their remarks to the budget debate in the House yesterday afternoon and last night.

Harold Putnam, Liberal, Colchester, N.S., said the chief significance of the budget was in the fact that it recognized the prosperity of the country lay in the freedom of the basic industries from high tariff. Protection was the reverse of the best national policy. It subsidized some industries at the expense of others and increased the cost of living for everyone.

MEASURE OF RELIEF  
A. L. Beaulieu, Progressive, Proulx, Man., said the tariff reductions in the budget were welcomed by the farmers as a partial measure of relief.

He advocated the establishment of a Federal farm loan system. The farmer should not be forced to sell his products when prices were low just because he could not obtain the capital to carry on. Large expenditures for bringing immigrants to Canada were of little value if the old farmers on the land could not make a success.

SUITABLE SETTLERS DESIRED  
L. W. Humphrey, Progressive, Kootenay, West, spoke of the Doukhobors and asked the Immigration Department to prevent the entry of immigrants who could not be absorbed into citizenship.

HOME BANK APPEAL  
T. C. McKillop, Conservative, West Elgin, Ont., thought the Home Bank depositors should be reimbursed in full and advocated a tariff higher than that of the United States and prohibition of the export of pulp wood.

WANTS LOWER DUTIES  
O. R. Gould, Progressive, Assiniboia, Sask., protested against what he described as the unwarranted and unjustified fine on agriculture imposed through the tariff. The average farm of 160 acres of improvements on which \$375 in tariff duties had to be paid.

McCREA'S VIEWS  
F. N. McCrea, Liberal, Sherbrooke, Que., said the only relief from the present tariff on this country would be to increase the population and attract capital. In order to get immigrants and employment, the tariff on all immigrants could not be put on the land; some must go to the industries. These industries must be protected. Speaking as a manufacturer of long experience, Mr. McCrea declared himself a moderate protectionist.

Declining his opposition to the budget proposal, Mr. McCrea said it would not be long before the "whispers of death" were justified if the present tariff reduction continued. Canada had too great resources to be ruined altogether. It could survive any tariff that the world could impose. "But we need sane government part of the time," he remarked. He did not believe with many of his fellow speakers that the budget spelled the deathknell of protection.

Mr. McCrea urged a revision of railway wages and renewal attacks he had made before on international unions and civil service hours. "International labor," he declared, "is pretty nearly the death knell of this country if we keep on."

Mr. Maclean, Conservative, South York, Ont., referred to Robert Borden's visit to the Dominion which was lowering its tariff protection at the present time.

He claimed the present Government had passed a few days of the Council than any government before it.

L. P. BANCROFT SPOKE  
L. P. Bancroft, Progressive, Selkirk, Man., made an appeal for the establishment of a system of rural credits which would enable the farmers to obtain capital. The responsibility was on the Government to bring forward a scheme. He felt that if there was some way in which farmers could borrow the necessary capital to operate their farms on reasonable terms, one of the most important methods of stopping the exodus from the farms would have been discovered.

He said it was estimated that the removal of saving clause in the dumping regulations had really the effect of giving protection to the tariff. Not even, more than neutralizing any reduction in tariffs so far made. True, the Minister of Customs had suspended the five per cent differential again "after the budget vote has been taken," without even consulting his colleagues. He was not satisfied with the Minister's announcement. The Government should give an absolute assurance that this differential would be permanently restored. "On the Government's attitude to this question," concluded Mr. Bancroft, "my vote on the budget will depend."

REDUCED INDEMNITIES  
E. N. Hopkins, Progressive, Moose Jaw, was in favor of a reduction in the seasonal indemnities, to set an example in economy to the Dominion.

Jack Evans, Progressive, Saskatoon, said implement manufacturers in Canada had apparently been charging prices for home consumption which defrayed the cost of home and export markets. He read a list of implements to implement makers and their goods more cheaply in Europe than in Canada.

Outlay For Indians of B.C. Reported  
Vancouver, May 14.—That the Federal Department of Indian Affairs has expended upon the Indian wards of the Government nearly \$9,000,000 during the 1919-1920 years of the fiscal year was stated in the course of an address made before the Methodist Indian missionary workers at the annual conference yesterday in the Mount Pleasant Methodist Church by W. E. Ditchburn, Indian Commissioner for British Columbia.

The chief items of expenditure, Mr. Ditchburn said, were \$499,000 for relief, \$142,000 aid to agriculture, \$466,000 medical aid and \$4,321,000 for education.

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RAILWAY STRIKE THREAT IN BRITAIN

London, May 14.—Another strike on the railroads in this country is threatened by reason of dissatisfaction on the part of the leaders of the railwaymen's union in connection with the final arrangement of the details of the settlement of the recent strike.

The Amalgamated Society of Engineers, which was responsible for the last strike, alleges that many details of the settlement have not been put into operation by the railway companies, and states that the men are becoming restive in consequence. A strongly worded note has been sent to the companies demanding an immediate meeting between the engineers' representatives and the directors of the railways. The note asserts that if the meeting is refused there will be no possibility of avoiding another strike.

MAN FELL FROM TRAIN IN ONTARIO AND WAS KILLED

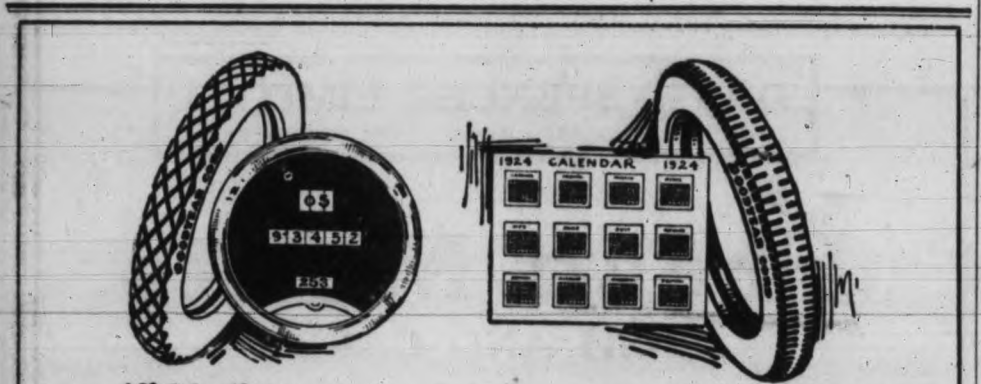
Renfrew, Ont., May 14.—James Steel, on his way from Saskatchewan to Glasgow, Scotland, was killed when he fell out of the open door of a railway coach as the train was taking a sharp curve near here yesterday.

NETO UPHELD

Washington, May 14.—President Coolidge's veto of the Bureau Pension Bill was sustained yesterday by the Senate. Like President Harding, he disapproved of the bill because of the expense involved. The measure would have granted pension increases to the veterans of several wars.

VANCOUVER APPOINTMENT

Vancouver, May 14.—The resignation of Sheriff Charles E. Macdonald as deputy marshal for Vancouver County was announced yesterday. Edgar W. Gaze, a bailiff recently from Calgary, has been appointed to the vacancy.



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U.S. CONGRESSMAN AND OTHERS JAILED

Covington, Ky., May 14.—Congressman John W. Langley, Kentucky, was sentenced yesterday to two years imprisonment in the Atlanta Penitentiary by Federal Judge A. N. J. Cochran, following his conviction on the charge of conspiracy in connection with a whiskey transaction in 1921.

Likewise Milton Lipschutz, Philadelphia, convicted with Langley, and Walter Carey of Canton, Ohio, and M. E. Huth, Alliance, Ohio, were sentenced to two years in the same prison. Carey and Huth pleaded guilty during the trial.

Judge Cochran pronounced sentence after overruling motions for a new trial. Langley and Lipschutz were released on bond pending an appeal to be filed at the October term of court.

NO GRAIN TAX

Regina, Sask., May 14.—Premier C. A. Dunning, whose Government initiated the action in the courts, expressed his entire satisfaction with the decision of the Supreme Court of Canada in declaring the Manitoba Grain Futures Tax Act ultra vires in an interview today. It was important, said Mr. Dunning, that the principle involved in this legislation should be dealt with at as early a stage as possible, as the right of one province to levy an indirect tax on the produce of another province struck at one of the fundamental principles of confederation.

COMPENSATION IN ONTARIO \$6,173,861

Toronto, May 14.—Benefits totalling \$6,173,861 were paid during the past year by the Ontario Workmen's Compensation Board, according to the annual report of the board. This total, paid in respect to 41,150 accidents, represents an increase of \$480,965 over that paid in the previous year. The number of accidents also showed a notable increase, the total during 1922 having been only 50,411.

British Labor Ministry Upheld On Vote in House

London, May 14.—The Labor Government again came out victorious in the House of Commons last night, when the Conservative motion, moved by former Premier Stanley Baldwin for retention of the McKenna duties, which Premier MacDonald had accepted as a motion of censure, was rejected by a vote of 217 to 252.

The debate on the motion was almost exclusively devoted to the automobile industry and the effect of removal of the duties would have on unemployment in that field. On the whole, the proceedings were devoid of excitement, and great stretches of benches were empty for several hours.

In the end, the vote was taken on party lines, the Conservatives hotly supporting the motion, and the Liberals linking forces with Labor to abolish them. There were 232 votes against the Government measure, just five less than the number of Conservatives in the House.

Only nine Liberals voted with the Conservatives, and not a Laborite voted against the Government. Albert Purcell, Labor member for Coventry, the centre of Great Britain's automobile industry, who had made a speech against the repeal of the duties as the self-styled spokesman for the workers of his constituency, abstained from voting.

W. Hohenzollern Remains at Doorn

Doorn, Holland, May 14.—Wilhelm Hohenzollern, former Kaiser of Germany has not left Doorn, as he asserted to-day. Reports of his departure, current yesterday, are believed to have referred to Princess Hermine, who left Saturday for Silesia to see her children, who had changed schools. She will remain at Oels with Friedrich Wilhelm Hohenzollern, former Crown Prince of Germany, for a few days.

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THE WELCOME TO THE FLEET

THAT the Dominion Government is to see that the British Fleet is suitably welcomed here when it arrives next month, is evident from the telegram which the Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, sent from Ottawa to Mayor Hayward yesterday.

Of the \$85,000 it has been planned to spend on welcoming the fleet to British Columbia, it was proposed that the Dominion Government should contribute \$50,000.

That is what Victoria must remember. Above all things, the Dominion Government will have the British Fleet fittingly received, but it properly exercises caution to make certain that the necessary money is handled in the constitutional way.

NATIONAL INCOMES

MEASURED in pre-war gold dollars, the national income in 1923 of the nations actively engaged in the Great War was \$81,700,000,000.

On a per capita basis the nations composing the British Empire, including India, have a post-war income of \$56.07 against a pre-war income of \$56.90.

The per capita income of the people of the Dominion of Canada post-war is estimated at \$266.67, comparing with a pre-war figure of \$250.

THE WAY OF THE OPPOSITION

THE Toronto Star points to the case of the Canadian National Railways as an illustration of the way in which the Opposition at Ottawa has drifted into the habit of opposing.

All seems to be changed now. The National Railways badly need certain branch lines in the West, and the Government is prepared to grant the money, but Conservative opposition to some, if not all, of these National Railway projects is strong.

THE TAX RATE

THE City Council last night in fixing the tax rate did the logical thing in raising slightly the improvement tax so that the general rate might be reduced.

The rate will be reduced from 39.72, which was the 1923 figure, to 39.4 mills. There is a decrease from last year in the total to be levied for to pay the expenses of the city, but the reduction in the general rate is accomplished chiefly by increasing the tax on improvements.

The immediate effect will be to increase the taxes to be paid by building owners. Alderman Sargent's figures show that while the owner of a lot and house assessed at \$750 and \$1,500 respectively paid \$54 in taxes last year, he will have to pay \$59.10 this year.

One alderman, critical of the change, said that owners of improvements were being asked to guard the men who have not the courage to build. Unfortunately, with the vacant lot holder it is not a question of building now, but holding on.

In the meantime, there is encouragement for all property owners in the fact that altogether they will be called on to pay a total of \$1,726,521 as compared with \$1,751,884 last year.

Sir Robert Borden has been proposed as arbitrator in the Irish boundary dispute. It is now being asked what wrong Sir Robert ever did anyone to deserve this.

John Bull, the London weekly, says that suicides among English boy immigrants to Canada have become so common that it refers to them as an epidemic.

Even insurance actuaries are beginning to show concern about the murder rate in United States. Dr. Frederick L. Hoffman of the Prudential reports that on the basis of population, murders were twenty-five times as frequent in the United States last year as in England and Wales and three times as frequent as in Italy.

FIRST AND RAREST

The first essential in training a child is to have more sense than the child.

THE BRUTE!

The meanest man in the world is the one who won't quarrel with his wife when she has a headache and needs relief.

DISARMAMENT AT HOME

The next stage in the great cause of disarmament is to get the gunman's pistol away from him and keep it away from him.

HOWARD EDWARD P. VIEWS IT

I shall be well enough to hunt before long and I don't intend to follow old women's advice to wrap myself in cotton wool just because I have had a couple of tumblers.—Prince of Wales.

UNBALANCED

At the present time, the prairie provinces are economically unbalanced. They have to go abroad for farm help, when they should be able to draw it from the mobile population of industrial centres within their own borders.

A CAT STUDY

The cat always uses precisely the necessary force; other animals roughly employ what strength they happen to possess without reference to the small occasion. One day I watched a young cat playing with a daffodil. She sat on her hind-legs and patted the flower with her paws, first with one paw and then with the other, making the light yellow bell sway from side to side, yet not injuring a petal or a stamen.

THE SIFTING OF A NATION

For, lo, I will command, and I will sift the house of Israel among all nations, like as corn is sifted in a sieve, yet shall not the least grain fall upon the earth.—Amos ix 9.

I think that I shall never see A poem lovely as a tree. A tree whose hungry mouth is prest Against the earth's sweet flowing breast; A tree that looks at God all day And lifts her leafy arms to pray; A tree that may in Summer wear A nest of robins in her hair; Upon whose bosom snow has lain; Who intimately lives with rain. Poems are made by fools like me, But only God can make a tree.—Joyce Kilmer.

Dr. Frank Crane On "Refuge From Self"

WE constantly seek refuge from our own terrifying selves. We cannot even talk naturally because our voice shames us.

The reason why the orator on class-day strikes a strange and foreign tone is because he is giving out ideas strange and foreign to him. If he became conscious for one moment of his real self and thoughts he would be swamped in embarrassment.

Words are the robes of thought. And at length, the process works reversely; the thought becomes the property of the word. Every great writer whose works become known and read by the people, actually creates thought. Thousands go about saying his phrases, and hence thinking his thought.

Notice two women meeting at tea; they converse; study their remarks; they have simply exchanged sets of bromides. For that matter, if no one spoke except to utter an original saying, there would be a vast silence.

The mind is wrapped in words, soaked in words. The hermit-crab has become absorbed by his shell.

Having finished with the whilk shells of this life, we seek housing in the next. "For," says the apostle, "this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality."

De Levis Just Missed Immortal Fame

FROM the day of the bloody battle of Ste. Foye on the Plains of Abraham, April 28, 1760, to May 15, the gallant Chevalier de Levis besieged Quebec with about 8,000 men. The battle had wiped out for the French the disgrace of Wolfe's great victory of the Autumn before and had cost each side about one thousand casualties.

Then, on May 9 came a British frigate, the Lowestoffe, bringing news to Murray that the British fleet was not far behind. De Levis continued to prosecute the siege because one British ship did not constitute a relief, and, hoping for French naval succour even yet he did not know that for half a year now the seas of the world had not seen the flag of France.

EARLY the next morning the British proved his fears correct. The Diana and the Lowestoffe ran past the citadel and attacked the little French supporting fleet near Cap Rouge. There were of these four fighting ships and a number of transports. Three of the fighting ships cut their cables and fled with the transports, but were disabled by the pursuing British.

It was a sore blow to De Levis thus to be forced to abandon the key position of New France, and to fail to regain it for his sovereign just at the moment when success had seemed within his grasp.

At home he had lost no prestige by defeat as had so many other officials of the colony. He served with distinction under the great Prince Conde in the European campaigns till the end of the war. Step by step he rose, then and afterward, until in 1783 he received the honor most coveted of French officers; he was made Marshal of France.

GROUND FOR ANOTHER INDEMNITY

The indemnity which America has been collecting from China and expending on Chinese students was for outrages committed during the Boxer uprising and not for the mah Jous invasion, as many persons suspected.

KIRK'S WELLINGTON 39

Little encouragement and they will do their duty. It's painful to me to see them coming in with returns with almost nothing. The contest closes at 6 o'clock Saturday and we now have three days left.

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Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and to the point. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the writer desires it.

GET UP EARLIER

To the Editor:—As we are not to have daylight saving this year, can we not try the other expedient that has so often been urged, and open our eyes and ears an hour earlier.

ANIMAL WELFARE

To the Editor:—Will you be good enough to insert in your paper a few lines concerning the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

HELP THE CELEBRATION

To the Editor:—At my desk last night after looking over the results of the celebration, I wondered what was wrong. First—Is it the management? Second—Have we not offered the public large enough prizes? Third—Have we not known that five of our fine young ladies are doing their utmost to win the honor of being chosen queen, an honor to be coveted?

Friday morning at 10 o'clock the High School choir will sing in front of the Parliament building and will lay flowers on the monument of the queen in whose honor we are commemorating at 11 o'clock the queen will be crowned, 12.30 luncheon in their honor and 2.30 in the afternoon the school children will enjoy their sports at the Willows, 5.30 at night, dance in the Armories, also carnival on streets.

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Temperature: Victoria, maximum yesterday, 59; minimum, 44; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.21; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles S.W.; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles S.W.; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 59; minimum, 34; rain, trace.

Victoria, maximum yesterday, 59; minimum, 44; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

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Two-piece style, Khaki Camping Suits, consisting of middie and pleated bloomers, with band at waist and elastic at knee. The middie has a sailor collar, a pocket and belt. Suitable for the ages of 7 to 14 years. Excellent value, a suit **\$3.50**—Children's, First Floor

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Children's Fine Cashmere Socks, seamless. Shades are black, brown and white. A pair, **50¢**  
Children's All-wool Cashmere Socks, three-quarter length, with turnover tops and clocked. Shades white, tan and grey **80¢**  
Boys' All-wool Heather Golf Hose, with turnover fancy tops. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. A pair **75¢**

Children's Socks in fine list. Socks with turn-down tops of sky, white, pongee, brown and black. Sizes 4 to 8. On sale, pair **35¢**  
Babies' All-wool Hose, 1 and 1 rib. Shades are black, white, sky, pink, brown and camel. Sizes 4, 4 1/2, 5, 5 1/2. On sale, a pair **45¢** and **50¢**

Boys' Heavy Cotton Hose with reinforced heels and toes; black only. Size 6 to 11. On sale at **50¢** and **60¢**  
Children's Three-quarter Length List Socks with turn-down tops and double toes and heels. Each with striped tops. A pair, **50¢**  
Children's Silk and Wool Socks with turn-down tops. Sizes 6 to 10. Shades are sand, romper, white and Jasper. On sale, a pair **95¢**

Children's Cashmere and Silk and Wool Socks. Values to 85¢ on sale for **50¢**

Girls' and Boys' Sport Hose, knitted from fine quality list thread, three-quarter length with roll tops, double spliced toes and heels. Shades are black, white, brown and romper blue. Sizes 6, 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2, 8, 8 1/2 and 9. A pair **65¢**

Boys' Black Wide Ribbed Cotton Hose of excellent wearing grade. Sizes 7 to 11. On sale, pair, **59¢**  
Girls' Fine List Thread Stockings, 1 and 1 rib, with seamless feet and double spliced heels and toes. Superior grade and of fine appearance. Sizes 5 to 10. The shades are camel, brown, white and black. Priced according to size, a pair, **50¢** and **75¢**  
All-wool Golf Hose, medium weight, three-quarter length, with seamless feet. Sizes 6 1/2 to 10. Special, pair, **75¢** and **95¢**

Boys' 4 and 1-Rib All-wool Heather Hose in light and dark brown and Lovat. They are made of superior yarn that will give an extra wearing service. Sizes 8 1/2 to 11. A pair, **95¢**  
Children's Silk Socks, with turn-down tops; sizes 4 to 8 1/2. The shades are sky, pink, sand, white, brown, buttercup and navy. A pair, **75¢**  
Children's Silk Socks, with novelty tops; white, pink and sky. Sizes 4 to 8 1/2. On sale, a pair, **1.00**  
—Hosiery, Main Floor

### Misses' Smart Tweed Suits For Summer, \$23.75 to \$25.00

No smarter Suits than these have graced our cases, and the values are very unusual. They are made of excellent grade tweeds in check effects and mixtures, featuring greys and fawns. Boyish cut styles with tailored collars, neat pockets, new style cuffs and many smart touches of the tailor's art that marks them as particularly attractive. Sizes 16 to 18. Big value, each **\$23.75**

Suits of fine navy tricotine, well tailored and featuring neat box coats; with convertible collars and flare sleeves. These are trimmed with braid and fancy stitching and shown in navy only. Very stylish and big value at **\$25.00**—Mantles, First Floor



### Jersey Cloth Sport Suits a Great Bargain, \$10.50

In offering these suits at such a low price we realize we are giving an opportunity to those who desire a smart Summer Suit to secure one at a bargain price. The Suits are designed in Cardigan style with embroidered fronts, plain backs, patch pockets and fastened with six buttons. The skirts plain with elastic tops, and the shades are grey, fawn, brown, navy, henna, white and black and contrasting color points. On sale, **\$10.50**—Mantles, First Floor

### New Dainty Neckwear—Latest Novelties, All the New Styles For Summer Wear

New Cascade Fronts, made of pretty lace and net, excellent choice, various grades—**\$3.75, \$2.75, \$1.95** and **1.75**  
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New Brushed Wool Motor Wraps for the cool evenings, remarkable values. They are in shades of brown, camel, mauve, grey; all in contrasting stripes, 27x35-inch. **\$3.95**  
All to go at, each **1.00**

New Real Cluny Laces in large selection and in great demand for blouses and wash frocks. A large variety of edgings, a yard, **75¢** to **1.00**—Laces, Main Floor

### A New Consignment of Children's Summer Hats

Values Up From \$2.00  
We have received a new consignment of Children's Hats, showing new styles for Summer. They are shown in the new fancy braids, in soft crowns and poke shapes. The shades are red, rose, brown and gold, light and dark blue, white and pink, white Milan Hats, all sizes, flat bows and streamer trimmings. Big values, up from **\$2.00**—Millinery, First Floor

### Children Like Our Crepe Rubber Sole Shoes

They are cool and comfortable, do not draw the feet and give longer wear. A most comfortable Shoe for Summer.

Brown Leather Sandals, with heavy, crepe soles—  
Child's sizes, 4 to 7. Excellent value **1.75**  
Child's sizes, 8 to 10. Excellent value **1.95**  
Child's sizes, 11 to 2. Excellent value **2.45**  
Women's sizes, 2 to 6. Excellent value **2.90**  
Red or Cream Elk Sandals, with heavy crepe soles—  
Children's sizes, 4 to 7. Excellent value **2.25**  
Children's sizes, 8 to 10. Excellent value **2.45**  
Children's sizes, 11 to 2. Excellent value **2.95**  
Women's sizes, 2 to 6. Excellent value **3.95**  
Canvas Sandals, with crepe rubber soles; brown or white—  
Sizes 4 to 10, on sale for **1.25**  
Sizes 11 to 2, on sale for **1.35**  
Canvas Sandals, with regular rubber soles; brown or white. Sizes 4 to 10, on sale for **1.00**  
Sizes 11 to 2, excellent value **1.15**  
—Children's Shoes, First Floor

### Wash Dresses For Children

Dainty for Summer wear.

Ratine, Voile, Gingham and Crepe Dresses in shades of orange, green, mauve, yellow, blue and pink. These are beautifully finished, and suitable for the ages of 12 to 15 years; **\$3.95** to **\$9.75**

White Voile Dresses for girls are shown in assorted styles; plain or fancy and trimmed with lace and ribbon. Sizes for the ages of 2 to 6 years. Exceptional values at **\$2.00** to **\$2.75**  
Larger Sizes Voile Dresses, for 8 to 14 years, for **\$2.75** to **\$4.75**—Children's, First Floor



### A SPECIAL PURCHASE OF Real Swiss Fancy Organdies

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### Summer Weight Underwear For Children

Children's Summer Weight Knit Cotton Combination, slip-on styles with draw string, tight or loose knee and lace trimmed; "Zimmerknit" brand. For the ages of 2 to 12 years—**75¢** and **85¢**  
Girls' Zimmerknit Vests, slip-over styles with draw string. For the ages of 2 to 12 years. **50¢**  
Girls' Fine Knit Cotton Vests, with or without sleeves, bias tape tops; for Summer wear. For the ages of 2 to 12 years **50¢**  
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### RICHARD HUDNUT'S FREE OFFER

In connection with the demonstration of Richard Hudnut's "Three Flowers" Toilet Articles, the demonstrator has been authorized to give away Free of Charge a neat box of "Three Flowers" Face Powder with each jar of the following creams purchased—  
Hudnut's Vanishing Cream **50¢**  
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### Boys' Furnishings For Summer Wear

Big Values for the Week-end

Boys' Khaki Shirts of high grade duck, made with open sports or ordinary turndown collar; one buttoned-down pocket. Boys' sizes, **\$1.35** and **\$1.50**  
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Boys' Khaki Duck Shirt Waists, with open sports collar and one pocket. All sizes, each **95¢**

Boys' Shirt Waists for school wear, fancy cotton stripes and plain khaki; made with turndown collar. All sizes. Exceptional value, each **50¢**

Boys' White Nainsook Athletic Combinations, with no sleeves and knee length. Excellent wearing garments. All sizes, a suit **85¢**

Boys' "Hatchway" Ne-button White Nainsook Combinations, without sleeves and knee length; all sizes, a suit **1.25**

Boys' Natural Balbriggan Combinations, with short sleeves and knee length. All sizes. Special, a suit **75¢**

Boys' Cream Elastic Rib Combinations, of light weight and with long sleeves and knee length. All sizes, special **95¢**

Boys' Cotton Bathing Suits, one-piece style, with skirt attached. Plain shades or two color combinations. All sizes, special, a suit **75¢**

Boys' All-wool Bathing Suits, one-piece style with skirt attached, two color combinations. Small or medium sizes; **\$2.00** and **\$2.25**

Boys' Cotton Jerseys, with long sleeves, plain or two color combinations. All sizes, each **50¢**

Boys' White Cotton "Shorts" for sports wear. All sizes a pair **1.25**

Boys' White Cotton Sports Jerseys, without sleeves. All sizes, on sale, each **50¢**

Boys' Fibre Silk Knitted Ties, in fancy stripes, each **35¢**

Boys' Tubular Two-way Ties, may be worn either side out. A large selection of colors. Each **65¢**

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Boys' English Flannel Suits for \$7.95

These are made from good weight material, in medium and dark shades. The pants are straight cut, the coats in a smart model suitable for Summer. Sizes range from 24 to 34. Special value **\$7.95**

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Boys' Overalls—A Complete Covering **1.00**

Boys' Overalls, made to cover the little fellow from head to foot. These are in heavy weight materials; shades khaki or blue stripe. For the ages of 2 to 8 years. Pair **1.00**

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Short Khaki Pants made of excellent weight material, with belt loops and straight bottoms. Serviceable, add pants; sizes 24 to 32. A pair **1.00**

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One Only, Bed with continuous posts, in a walnut finish. It is fitted with double woven wire spring with hand supports and an all-felt mattress, well made and guaranteed not to lump. The three pieces on sale for **\$19.50**  
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Simmons Steel Beds with continuous posts, in walnut finish. They have centre panel in cane effect. Each is fitted with good grade coil spring with (no-sway) attachment and an all-white felt mattress; all standard sizes. Three pieces complete, **\$34.75**—Furniture, Second Floor

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BEDTIME STORY
Uncle Wiggily and Bobby's Splashes
Bobby Ringtail, the little raccoon boy, hurried along the path after he came from the hollow stump school.

Colwood Ladies Are Beaten by Nanaimo
A team of lady golfers from the Colwood Club journeyed to Nanaimo on Monday and played against the ladies from the Nanaimo Golf Club yesterday.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Corder, of Kellogg, arrived in Victoria to-day. Mr. G. Stewart, of Salt Lake City, is spending a holiday in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Cooper, of Edmonton, are visiting Victoria. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wynne, of Tacoma, arrived in Victoria yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McNaughton and two daughters, formerly of Victoria, have taken up their residence on the island.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Grant, of "Terminus," Gordon Head, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter on May 8.

Miss E. Bloom, of Victoria, spent last week-end with her sister-in-law, Mrs. C. W. Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sippell has gone over to Vancouver to attend the annual meeting of the provincial branch of the Methodist W.M.S.

Miss Margaret MacNeill of Gabriola Island is visiting her sister in Victoria, Mrs. Stocks, 127 Menzies Street.

Mr. W. R. Baker who has been a visitor in Victoria for the past few days is leaving this afternoon for Vancouver on his way to his home in Montreal.

After spending the past few months in Victoria Mr. C. P. Wilson is leaving the end of this week for his home in Winnipeg.

Mr. L. C. Goodale entertained yesterday afternoon with a few tables of bridge at her home on Linden Avenue.

Messrs. Percival Bristow and Dempster of the Gorge district left on Saturday for a ten-day camping and fishing trip to be spent at Jordan Meadows.

Lady Cameron, who has been the guest of Mrs. H. E. C. Carry in Vancouver for the past three weeks in this city.

Venerable Archbishop J. H. S. Sweet has moved from the Arcy, deanery of the Diocese of Columbia, Wilmet Place, to his new home, Monterey Avenue North.

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Y.W.C.A. Camp to Open Shortly at Shawnigan Lake
One Death Causes Three Others to Die of Heart-Failure

Mrs. Harris Now Sued For Forgery
New York, May 13.—Mrs. Eleanor Elaine Lee Harris, wife of Beverly D. Harris, former vice-president of the National City Bank, was arrested last night charged with forging the name of her husband to a letter she offered as evidence in her attempt to obtain a new trial in Harris's suit for annulment of their marriage.

Armadale Tennis Club—Next Saturday the Armadale Lawn Tennis Club will commence its season. Everything points to a successful period as an energetic committee has arranged for matches. The pavilion has been enlarged and following the reopening of the club a flannel dance will be held from 8 to 12 at the K. G. Hall on Saturday.

S.P.C.A. Entertainment—Sample's orchestra, Miss M. McFadden, Miss R. Naamith, G. Ingledew and other well-known performers will assist at the S.P.C.A. entertainment to be held at Orange Hall, Courtney Street, this evening. There will be a charge for admission but a collection will be taken to defray expenses. Refreshments will be served and the prizes distributed for the S.P.C.A. competition for children.

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**CONTROL OF SCHOOL BOARDS MAY BE PUT BEFORE B.C. UNION**

**Oak Bay Preparing Draft of Resolution to be Urged at Fall Convention**

Concluding a routine meeting the Oak Bay Council in session last night made provision for a special meeting at an early date to take up several important questions. The matter of the vacancy on the council board is to be discussed shortly, and an appointment may be proposed to the next regular meeting of the council. At the special meeting the council will consider the draft of its plans to be laid before the B. C. Union of Municipalities, featuring a broad general resolution on the present position of councils in relation to the administration of school affairs. For some years now the Union has been urged to work for autonomous control of school matters or else relief by way of Provincial administration. Oak Bay will have a recommendation to bring before the Union at the September convention, it is understood.

The question of zoning, the first of a town planning measure will be up before the special meeting. The meeting is to be held towards the end of this week, or early next week, the date being left to the call of the chair. In a routine agenda last night the council decided that no funds were available for participation in a full juvenile court project at the present time.

**CHINAMAN HAS HORROR OF FINDING HIS POCKETS EMPTY**

Almost impervious to surprise through long association with the searching of prisoners before their incarceration in jail police officers at the city charge desk last night got a shock when the pockets of a Chinaman, arrested in a raid on Chinatown, were examined. The man, say the police, wore two complete suits with innumerable pockets and something in each. Several dozen notebooks, six handkerchiefs, one box of shoe polish, two fountain pens, two dozen keys, and a score of widely assorted articles were extracted from his sweaters, coats, two pairs of trousers, and two waistcoats, superimposed by the prisoner on one another. In each pocket was a handful of small change, totalling \$20 in all.

Asked the reason for this style of dress and disposal of his money the Chinaman calmly told his accusers that he had occasion to use street cars a great deal, and felt a positive horror of boarding a car without the necessary fare at hand. Under this system, he mildly pointed out, no matter what pocket he chose he would be certain to find the necessary six cents for his ride.

**HIS SECOND WORST**  
 "Do your worst!" she whispered hoarsely. His heart failed him. "Do your worst!" The fearful words rang in his ears, and he was just as anxious as his wife to get rid of the visitors who had called, but he concluded at the last moment to do only his worst but one. Accordingly, he played but did not sing.

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**CARLOW FIGHTS FOR DEVELOPMENT OF WEST COAST**

**Presses for Highway to Open Up Timber and Fisheries Wealth**

F. R. Carlow, Liberal candidate for Esquimalt, is keeping a close watch on the needs of his district. As a result of representations made by him to the Minister of Public Works, the Island Highway through Cobble Hill will receive a coat of crude oil early this season to offset the dust nuisance caused by the heavy tourist traffic during the summer months. The Station road at Langford, which will be used a lot by Government service trucks as a result of the establishing of the new public works yard at the end of the road, will also be treated to eliminate the dust nuisance in that section.

**FURTHER EXTENSIONS**  
 Mr. Carlow has also been working hard to secure the building of a West Coast Highway which would open up the vast wealth of the west coast for development and has taken up the matter of developing this area, with both the Federal and Provincial authorities. As a result Mr. Carlow received a letter from the Hon. J. H. King, Federal Minister of Public Works, on Monday morning in which the Minister stated that the extension of the C.N.R. on the west coast of Vancouver Island, as outlined in our bill now before the House, will make for development and probable settlement in the areas it is proposed to serve, and I have no doubt further extensions will be made from time to time.

**FAVORS PROJECT**  
 Upon receipt of this communication on Monday morning Mr. Carlow took the matter of the building of a highway up with the Premier, who he states was very favorable to the project and later in the day he also went into the matter very fully with the Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, and as a result of these two interviews is hopeful that the Premier will shortly announce the building of the road as part of the Government programme of future development. The plan will also open up more than 2,000 acres of the best of agricultural lands for settlement and combined with the C.N.R. service, should give to the west coast the same opportunities for the establishment of thriving communities such as exists on the east coast.

**LIBRARIANS TO CONVEIN IN CITY**

**Will Meet in Victoria at End of August For Three Days**

The Pacific Northwest Library Association will come to Victoria for its annual convention on August 25, 26, and 27. This organization, which has not held its gathering here since 1911, usually has about three hundred members at its annual sessions. The organization is composed of professional librarians in Washington, Oregon, Montana, Idaho, Utah, British Columbia and Alaska, and in recent years has held its meetings in Vancouver, Portland, Spokane, and Corvallis, Oregon. The chairman of the local committee is Miss Alma Russell. The convention, a Thursday, will be reserved for visits in the city, and the delegates will be leaving for the steamer for Vancouver, to be the guests of August 29 of the University of B. C. and the city, and on August 30 they will be the guests of Seattle.

**First-Inning Wins In County Cricket**

London, May 14. (Canadian Press Cable).—Cricket matches yesterday resulted as follows: Lancashire defeated Cambridge University by two wickets. Cambridge 121 and 119; Lancashire 115 and 110 for eight wickets. Yorkshire defeated Worcester in the first innings; Worcester 146 and 154; Clewston 228 and 232 for five wickets. Essex defeated Kent in the first innings; Kent 138 and 240 for four wickets; Essex 241 and 48 for no wickets. Woolley 117 not out. Sussex defeated Hampshire in the first innings; Hampshire 129; Sussex 172. Derby defeated Leicester in the first innings; Derby 175 and 104 for eight wickets; Leicester 127.

**High-Jump Athlete To Take French Oath**

Paris, May 14.—Georges Andros, one of France's best high jumpers, has been selected by the Olympic executive committee to take the Olympic oath at the ceremonies opening the 1924 games at the Colombes Stadium. **TURNS HIS ANKLE; LOSES**  
 Aberdeen, Wash., May 14.—Travis Davis, Everett welterweight, lost by a technical knockout in the second round to Ted Kracho of Hoquiam in the main event of a boxing card here last night when he turned his ankle. Truman Davis of Everett knocked out Tommy McCarthy, Aberdeen middleweight, in the fourth round of a scheduled six-round semi-final event.

Publicity in the classified columns reduces the anxiety as to how to secure new household help—putting the quest on a business basis!

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 The ideal cook stove for Summer use for camp or kitchen; clean, odorless cooking heat.
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 An entirely new model which by a special arrangement in the blue chimney and heating efficiency is increased at least 20 per cent.
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  - NEW PERFECTION LIVE HEAT OVENS**
  - No. 41 G Single Burner Ovens: In black enamel, with glass front drop door. Price ..... \$8.50
  - No. 21 G Single Burner Ovens: Blue enamel swing door, with glass front. Price ..... \$9.00
  - No. 22 G Two-burner Ovens: With glass swing door, in black enamel. Price ..... \$10.50
  - No. 42 G Two-burner Ovens: With blue enamel glass drop door. Price ..... \$11.50

**Two Special Values—Dinner and Tea Ware**

- 52-piece Dinner and Tea Sets: "Ashbourne" pattern, a dainty pink border design in high-grade English semi-porcelain, open stock pattern. 52 pieces. Priced at ..... \$23.75
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 For the short, stocky figure—heavier below the waist line. Semi-elastic in curve, back gives symmetrical lines to the lower back, with ease in any position; sizes 24 to 36. Price ..... \$8.00
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**Voile and Gingham Dresses**  
 Floral voile and checked Gingham Dresses, in all the newest shades, trimmed with organdie; sizes to 40. Price ..... \$2.95

**Voile Dresses**  
 Smart new models with long roll collar and cuffs trimmed with narrow knife pleating of white organdie, panels on sides, in black and white, orchid and white, tomato and white and navy and white; sizes to 40. Price ..... \$3.95

**French Ratine Dresses**  
 Long straight line models with round neck and short sleeves, in grey, lemon, mauve with dainty touches of embroidery; sizes to 40. Prices \$6.95 and \$7.95 —Second Floor

**Ratine Wash Dresses**  
 Nice cool Dresses, in stripes and checks of blue, orchid, grey, tomato, rose, flesh and others, all the newest styles shown; sizes to 40. Price ..... \$5.75

**French Wash Dresses**  
 Dainty and cool for the warm days, in voile, crepe and linen with hand drawn work, in shades of powder blue, flesh, peach, orchid, white and many others; sizes to 38. Prices \$7.95, \$10.50, \$12.50, \$15.00 to ..... \$39.50

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 In black and white and navy and white; long straight line models with knife-pleated panels on side; sizes 38 to 44. Price ..... \$12.50 —Second Floor

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**Popular Styles, Low Prices**

- Balbriggan Combinations**  
 Fine natural shade balbriggan in closed collar style with short sleeves and knee length. A very popular low priced garment for Summer wear; sizes 34 to 44. Per suit ..... \$1.25
- Hatchway No Button Combinations**  
 Fine white check nainsook in the famous Hatchway No Button Combinations; fit and comfort guaranteed; all sizes. Per suit ..... \$1.50
- White Porous Knit Combinations**  
 White cotton in porous knit, cool and comfortable to wear. Made with short sleeves and knee length; all sizes. Per suit \$1.50
- Robin Hood Underwear**  
 English made in fine cotton and wool in light grey and blue mixed shade. A comfortable Summer garment for the man who does not like cotton; sizes 34 to 44. Per garment ..... \$1.75 —Main Floor
- B. V. D. Combinations**  
 The genuine B. V. D. in white check nainsook. Perfect fitting garments with elastic shoulders and back; sizes 34 to 44. Per suit ..... \$1.95

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 32 inches wide. Per yard ..... 35c
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 In dress and lingerie designs, 35 inches wide. Per yard ..... 35c
- Japanese Crepes**  
 29 inches wide. Per yard ..... 29c
- English Shirtings**  
 For shirts and blouses, in a large range of neat stripes, 32 inches wide. Per yard ..... 35c
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 For shirts, suits, overalls, etc., 29 inches wide. Per yard ..... 39c
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 Beautiful Colonial Pumps in suede or plain leathers, Louis or Spanish heel. Price ..... \$10.50 —Main Floor
- Wedding Shoes**  
 Beautiful Silver Fabric Shoes, in one-strap or plain pump styles, baby Spanish heels. Price ..... \$10.00
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 In colors of green, pink and blue. Prices \$1.00, \$1.25 and ..... \$2.00
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 In blue and cerise, with novelty beaded design. Price ..... \$10.50 —Main Floor

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- "Durable" Silk Hair Nets**  
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- "Princess Pat" Cap and Fringe-shaped Hair Nets**  
 In double and single mesh, in blonde, auburn, grey, white, light, mid and dark brown. Single mesh, each ..... 10c 3 for ..... 25c Double mesh, each ..... 10c
- "Delong" Hair Pins**  
 In three and four compartment boxes, in bronze and black, strong and invisible in box, assorted sizes. Per box 10c and 15c
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 Strong and invisible. Per packet ..... 8c 2 for ..... 15c
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 In shell and colors of blue, green, gold and red. Priced from ..... 15c —Main Floor

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- Lithia Tablets, value 50c, for ..... 39c
- Cherry's Gintment, value 50c, for ..... 39c
- Castoria, value 25c, for ..... 27c
- Bayer's Aspirin Tablets, 100 in a bottle, value \$1.50, for ..... \$1.23
- A. B. S. and C. Pills, 100 for ..... 23c
- Lymman's Health Salts, value 25c, for ..... 19c
- Liquid Shampoo, value 50c, for ..... 39c
- Lysol, 4 ounces for ..... 19c
- Moth Balls, per lb. .... 19c
- Best Aromatic Castoria, 2 ounces for .. 19c —Main Floor

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- Certo for Jam and Jelly and Marmalade Making, per bottle ..... 35c
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- Extra Choice Quality Imported French Mushrooms, small tin ..... 35c

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- Schley Paper Shell Garden-grown Budded Pecan Nuts, 16-oz. carton ..... \$1.50
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**NEWS IN BRIEF**

There will be a meeting of the Victoria-Saanich beach and parks committee to-morrow afternoon.

It is probable urgent works committee business will be taken up after the formal council meeting, to avoid a meeting on Friday.

Five cases of speeding and one of permitting cattle to loiter on a public highway will be laid before the Saanich Police Court at Royal Oak this afternoon.

A cigarette butt carelessly thrown from an upper window occasioned an awning fire in the Surrey Block at 7:28 a.m. to-day. The engines responded and prevented the blaze from assuming serious proportions.

G. F. Durant, of 926 Caledonia Avenue, who is a collector of old Victoria newspapers, had an interesting session, chiefly of the "righties," on view for the visitors to the city during the recent Pioneers' Reunion.

Members of the City School Board who are on the committee to reduce the cost of school expenditure met this afternoon to draft their report for the trustees' meeting this evening.

In response to the requests of the many parents and friends who were unable to attend on Friday and Saturday evening last, the students of the Victoria High School will repeat their gymnastic display at the school to-morrow afternoon at 3:30.

Business before the City Council this evening includes the final passage of the tax, cluster lighting and boulevard by-laws, all of which with the expenditure measure read finally last evening, must be registered by to-morrow to be law.

The plans of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau for advertising in Oregon and Washington are previously outlined were endorsed at a meeting of the directors held yesterday. Joseph Patrick presided in the absence of the president, J. C. Penderay.

The Esquimalt police seek a member of the crew of the Barker Steamship Company's freighter Satsuma, now at Esquimalt for repairs for the theft of a gold watch and a silk kimono from his mess mates. The man was shipped at Shanghai and deserted as soon as the ship tied up here, it is alleged.

A uniformed guide stationed in a kiosk at Mount Vernon on the Pacific Highway will direct tourists to the Victoria this Summer. A big notice will be strung across the highway with an arrow indicating the direction to the Puget Sound Navigation Company's ferry to Victoria. The guide will also distribute literature of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau.

Yates Street may not be used for muscular debates. William Martin and Joseph Ward were reminded in City Police Court to-day with a fine of \$10 each to drive home the caution. Arrested by Sergeant Boulton at 12:42 a.m. the accused were facing each other, minus hat and coat, in the act of settling a dispute. The officer took them to the station. An option of ten days in jail was appended to the fine as an alternative.

Inquest on the remains of the late Mrs. Isabella Nelson, 812 Blanshard Street, was held at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1225 Quadra Street, at 2:30 o'clock when the Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., will officiate.

Service for the late Clifford Neil of Sooke, was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the chapel of the B.C. Funeral Co. by the Rev. H. Pearson. Many friends attended, and the casket was covered with beautiful floral offerings. The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs. T. Anderson, J. Becklerley, E. Irvine, T. A. MacKenzie, W. Shambrook and A. Shambrook. The remains were laid to rest at Colwood Cemetery.

**METHODISTS PRESS REQUEST FOR DR. DAVIES AS PASTOR**

With the hope of keeping Dr. Clem Davies in the position of pastor of the Centennial Methodist Church here, the authorities of that institution have sent two representatives to Vancouver, C. B. Deaville and Victor Leigh, to put before the Methodist Conference at present sitting in that city the plea of the congregation and church board to the effect that the pulpit of this church be left vacant, so that Dr. Davies may continue in the office of pastor of the church.

**CLUB PLANS PUBLIC PROTECTION MEASURE**

Victoria Branch of B.C. Automobile Club Places Danger Signals

The board of directors of the Victoria branch of the B.C. Automobile Club of British Columbia met to-day and considered certain matters which were of an important nature so far as the motorist public is concerned and the safety of both motorists and pedestrians. It was suggested by members present that warning signs should be put up on the dangerous corners in and about the city, and the matter was discussed thoroughly from every angle, the final decision being to leave the whole question in the hands of the secretary, R. R. Webb, with power to act as he saw fit. Under the auspices of the club signs will be placed at the dangerous points of the city, warning motorists and pedestrians alike of dangerous turns or crossings. In this way it is thought by the directors accidents and loss of life and damage to property may be prevented.

F. G. T. Lucas, president of the Vancouver branch of the club, was not present at the meeting to-day, although he was expected up to a short time ago. The plans for a "Safety First" week were discussed, however, although he was absent. Motor drivers will be urged to drive carefully for one week, and final arrangements for the affair, which is more or less of an experimental nature, will be announced fully in the near future by officials of the club.

The parking regulations for cars in the business districts of the city, as compiled by the Board of Police Commissioners and submitted to the City Council for consideration, are found to be in every way satisfactory by the directors of the club.

**BOARD ORDERS CUT IN FLOUR RATES**

From Ontario Points to Montreal, Quebec and Atlantic Seaboard

Ottawa, May 14 (Canadian Press)—By an order of the Board of Railway Commissioners of Canada, issued to-day, the railway companies of Canada have been directed to reduce the flour rates from Ontario points to Montreal, Quebec and Atlantic seaboard ports such as Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Portland, Boston, St. John and Halifax.

Under the order the rates from Collingwood, Port Colborne, Port Maitland, Port Colborne, Port Maitland and Tiffin, Ont., to Montreal will be 17 1/2 cents instead of the present rate of 18 cents and to St. John, West St. John, Halifax, Portland and Boston the rate will be 18 1/2 cents instead of the present rate of 19 1/2 cents.

A classified advertisement will introduce the work-seeker to the work-opportunity.

**OBITUARY**

The remains of the late Mrs. Hardy will be laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery to-morrow afternoon. Service will be held at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1225 Quadra Street, at 2:30 o'clock when the Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., will officiate.

Service for the late Clifford Neil of Sooke, was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the chapel of the B.C. Funeral Co. by the Rev. H. Pearson. Many friends attended, and the casket was covered with beautiful floral offerings. The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs. T. Anderson, J. Becklerley, E. Irvine, T. A. MacKenzie, W. Shambrook and A. Shambrook. The remains were laid to rest at Colwood Cemetery.

**KAMLOOBS IS PLEASED WITH NEW ROAD PLAN**

Kamloops, B.C., May 14.—The Government's announcement of its selection of the Fraser Canyon route for the Transprovincial Highway has created much satisfaction here. While disappointed that Kamloops will not be on the main highway, yet, because of the development the road will mean to the interior generally, Kamloops citizens are much gratified and hope that a very early start will be made on the actual construction.

Mayor J. R. Colley said: "Kamloops' anxiety is to see the link between Hope and Lytton completed immediately. This will connect Kamloops with the coast traveling through the most scenic part of the province through the Lillooet district. Kamloops is, therefore, gratified at the news."

"So you've got your old cook back," thought she, "I married and went housekeeping." "Yes, but she's given up that and come back to me." "What was the trouble?" "She couldn't get a girl."

**SALE**

of cancelled designs Bedroom and Dining-room Suites.

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**COST OF NEW EAST WING OF THE JUBILEE HOSPITAL**

The architects for the east wing of the Royal Jubilee Hospital took out the fourth permit in connection with the building to-day. The value now exceeds the \$500,000 mark.

The dates and amounts are: December 14, 1921, \$170,694; September 6, 1922, \$104,478; April 11, 1923, \$122,905; May 14, 1924, \$106,538.

Pauzitt Brothers are the general contractors for the building, and James & Spurgin the architects.

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**MAY QUEEN STANDING**

The standing of the May Queens at noon to-day was as follows:

Miss Joyce Wormald ..... 100,000  
Miss Mona Jewell ..... 58,000  
Miss Lenora Barker ..... 32,000  
Miss Marion Streeter ..... 30,000  
Miss May McAllister ..... 29,900

**NOT BEFORE TIME**

"Father," said the dutiful and blushing daughter, "what shall I say to Captain Robinson if he insists on pressing his suit?"

"Say?" said the Colonel. "Why, tell him, with my compliment, that I think it's about time he did. I never saw a soldier with such baggy trousers in my life!"

Mother and daughter were exchanging confidences.

"Tell me, mamma, how did you first get to know father?"

"Why, dear, he rescued me from drowning," was the proud reply.

Then, after a long pause, followed another question: "Mamma, is that why he won't teach me to swim?"

**Dainty Creations for Intimate Wear**

BY ANNETTE BRADSHAW



**Cream Satin Lounging Robe Em-Yellow Charmeuse Neglige With brodered in Gold Thread Becoming Chiffon Ruffles.**

By Annette Bradshaw

Boudoir gowns may be even more gorgeous than the most elaborate evening gowns, for many women will dare colors in the boudoir that they would hesitate to wear on more formal occasions.

For one is sure of one's background when choosing a garment for more formal wear.

The lovely lounging robe shown at the left above derives its inspiration from a model worn by one of the smartest French actresses. This one was designed for stage wear, but makes a lovely garment for home use.

when one feels the need of something particularly luxurious. Cream satin delicately embroidered in gold thread makes the garment, while the bright green satin lining shows at the collar and where the sleeves open. The narrow fur banding is dark sable.

The dainty little negligee at the right is more practical. Chiffon ruffles never fail to enhance the becomingness of a garment, and this one uses them lavishly. The negligee itself is of yellow charmeuse, the chiffon ruffles are a shade deeper in tone. A lack peacock peeps from the front paneling.

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**COURT RULING WILL INTEREST DRUGGISTS**

Vancouver, May 14.—Judgment was reserved by Mr. Justice Murphy yesterday upon a point of conflict between the British Columbia Pharmacy Act and the Federal Proprietary and Patent Medicine Act.

The circumstances were admitted. Watkins Headache Powders had been sold by the J. R. Watkins Company to Robert M. Sheridan, and the latter on November 17 sold some of the drugs to a customer in Vancouver.

Prosecution was launched by the Pharmacy Association of British Columbia on the charge that Mr. Sheridan acted as a pharmacist, although he was not a registered licentiate of pharmacy under the Provincial Pharmacy Act.

If your property is really worth while make that fact clear in a classified ad and you will find a buyer.

To-day's store advertisements appeal to your self-interest. Could there be a stronger appeal?

**If You Want Your Patrons to Do Their Spring Shopping Early, See That Your Store Does Its Spring Advertising Early**

Merchants, and the wisest of the readers of store advertising, realize the value to all concerned of early shopping for all seasons.

Merchants who expect to bring about this ideal state of affairs in this city must do their parts—they must **DO THEIR SPRING AND SUMMER ADVERTISING EARLY.**

Store ads in every issue of this newspaper should always contain valuable and interesting information for shoppers—in fact should be just as complete and informing one day as another.

The majority of shoppers are influenced in their buying by the buying opportunities offered to them in the store advertising.

Let all of our merchants who expect to have any share of trade start aggressive advertising campaigns **NOW!** For the people will buy **NOW** if the inducement is real and compelling.

Advertising is twice as useful to a store just now as it was a year ago—and the merchant who is going to win is going to advertise twice as much as he did a year ago!

Phone 1090 Times Advertising Dept.



BASEBALL, BOXING, SPORTS, NEWS, BASKETBALL, GOLF

Three Athletes Will Compete In Olympic Tryouts

Hay, Emery and Featherstone Going Over From Victoria On Saturday

Local Boys Have Been Working Out Hard For Past Few Weeks; in Good Shape

Three Victoria athletes are going over to Vancouver on Friday night to take part in the Olympic try-outs. Cecil Hay, former skipper of the McGill track team and one of the leading sprinters in the country...

Canadian Football Team Wins Second Game Two-to-Nil

Woonona, N.S.W., May 14 (Special to the Canadian Press)—The touring Canadian All-star soccer football team triumphed this afternoon over the local team...

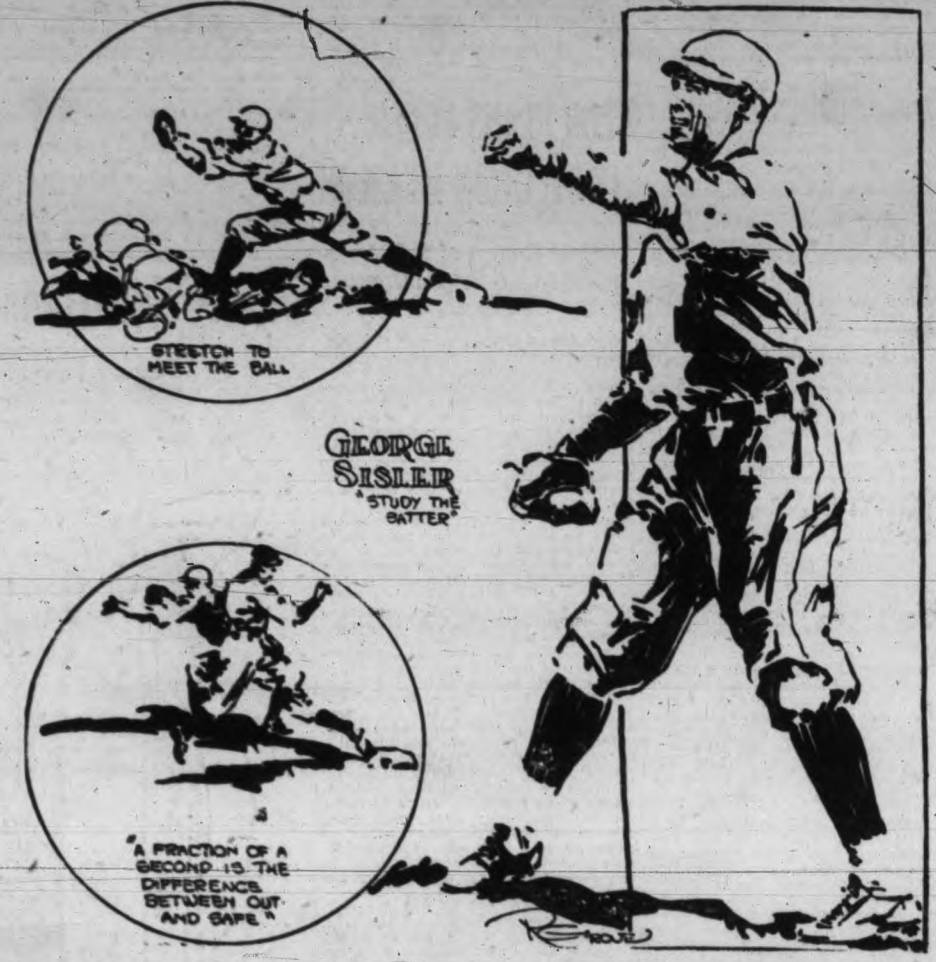
Reds Retain Lead By Fine Win Over Phillies In Ninth

Carl Mays Twirls Nice Game For Cincinnati; Cubs Win With Rookie Pitching

Both New York Teams Lose; St. Louis Making it Four Straight For Giants

NATIONAL LEAGUE Cincinnati, May 14.—Cincinnati came from behind to hold the lead in the National League race by winning the winning run in the last half of the ninth, after one man was out...

Modern First Baseman Must Learn to Stretch To Meet the Ball, States Famous George Sisler



No player can hope for success as a first baseman unless he is a sure catcher. This feature of play is far more essential at first than at any other place in the infield.

Nationals Protest Victory of Vets in Connaught Series

Vancouver, May 14.—Nationals are filing a protest against Victoria Veterans being allowed to go into the second round of the Connaught soccer cup...

McCleave Stable Will Put On Big Race Programme

Interesting Races Will be Held at Willows Track on Afternoon of May 24

Horse races, under the control and direction of Jim McCleave, popular local turfman, will be a feature of the May 24 celebration...

Keep Your Eye On Ball's Tilden's Advice in Tennis

Golf Slogan is Now By-word in Net Game; Play to Win Also Urges Champion

Put Weight into Shot and Play at Right Angles to Net; Go After All Shots

By BILL TILDEN The biggest news of the 1924 tennis season are just before you. I am, have been and always will be a great believer in the great mass of club and amateur players...

English Ruggers Are Picked For Tour of Africa

London, May 14.—The English rugby team which will tour South Africa has been announced as follows: Full backs—Drysdale (Higriotonians), Gaisford (Wales), McPherson (Newport), Henrie (Heriotians), Delvier (Harwick), Howie (Kirkcaldy), Ross (Kilmarnock), Henderson (Northern).

Vets and Sons Meet In Final Game To-night

Great Battle Expected at the Royal Athletic Park When Soccer Teams Clash

What should prove to be a very good football game is scheduled for to-night at the Royal Athletic Park when the Sons of England and the Veterans clash in the replay of the final of the Brown Cup series.

Recruit Wins For Cubs

Cards Swiper Gets

American League

Danforth Wins Fourth

Tigers Bumped Again

Indians Win Close One

Seals Win Long One

Bees Take Opener

International League

American Association

Western League

Alberta Girls to Play 'Fidelis' in Hoop Game May 22

Victoria's spectacular girls' basketball team playing under the colors of the Fidelis will get an interprovincial match opportunity...

Girls' Basketball Champs of Saanich

This picture shows the championship girls' basketball team of Saanich, which holds the Tolmie School title.

Sunday Schools to Organize Net Games

A meeting of the Sunday School Athletic Association will be held tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock in the Y.M.C.A. for the purpose of organizing a Sunday school tennis league.

How They Stand

Table with columns for National League, American League, Pacific Coast League, and International League, showing team names, wins, losses, and percentages.

Colwood Golf

Four men tied for first place in the monthly medal competition at the Colwood Golf Club.

Horse Show is Off

The Provincial Party which had engaged Jim McCleave to stage a four-day horse show at the Willows track, has decided to cancel the engagement.

Hair Stays Combed, Glossy

Millions Use It - Few Cents Buys Jar at Drugstore



Even obstinate, unruly or shampooped hair stays combed all day in any style you like. 'Hair-Groom' is a dignified combing cream which gives that natural gloss and well-groomed effect to your hair...

Runners Both Good

Both runners going over from Victoria are good men. Emery, who is regarded as one of the best prospects this Province has had in years, steps the quarter-mile in splendid fashion.

Has Beaten Johnson

Hay holds many decisions over Dave Johnson. Johnson made an impression in the Old Country in the quarter-mile, but Hay has beaten him many times over this distance.

Britain Will Meet Spain as Result of Defeating Belgium

Torquay, Eng., May 14.—Great Britain has eliminated Belgium from the 1924 Davis Cup competition, winning three out of five matches.

Welshman Picked To Referee Final Olympic Rugby Go

Paris, May 14.—Sam Freethy of Wales has been accepted as referee in the France-United States match in the final game for the Olympic rugby competition next Sunday.

Helen Wills Off to Conquer S. Lenglen

New York, May 14.—Helen Wills, eighteen-year-old girl tennis champion of the United States, sailed today on the Benicarlo for Europe where she will attempt to wrest the Olympic championship from Suzanne Lenglen of France.

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# AT THE THEATRES

## "Hunchback of Notre Dame" is Dominion Film

The audience which assembled at the Dominion Theatre last night to see the presentation here of the widely heralded Universal production "The Hunchback of Notre Dame," witnessed a picture as beautiful, as profoundly stirring, as anything ever hoped for. Universal has taken Victor Hugo's famous novel and converted it into a production that will reach a great many more people and impress them more deeply than the book ever did. It is an indisputably fine achievement.

The conversion process has not been a polite one, in that many changes were made, but they are changes that were decidedly for the better. Entertainment is for all people and it is only right to make changes in points that were offensive to a religious creed.

"The Hunchback of Notre Dame" has been produced on a magnificent scale. The settings are magnificent beyond words and stamped with authenticity and fidelity to detail that places them far above anything that has come out of Hollywood heretofore. So much for the mechanical details of the production.

The picture opens exactly as does the book, with the Festival of Fools. Of course in the book Mr. Hugo did the best he could, and he never dreamed how cold and ineffectual words could be in portraying a mob scene or in picturing a dark vision like Esmeralda.

Universal claims that \$1,500,000

AT THE THEATRES  
 Royal—"The Call of the Wild,"  
 Capitol—"Male and Female,"  
 Dominion—"The Hunchback of Notre Dame,"  
 Columbia—"Off Broadway,"  
 Playhouse—"Nothing But the Truth."

was expended on the production and after seeing the picture one wonders that all that is in it could have been obtained for this sum. Months of research work went into the production and it is evident from start to finish. Nothing more thrilling has ever been screened than the storming of the Cathedral.

## Dog Featured as Star in Royal Offering To-night

Buck, a giant Saint Bernard puppy and raised for the part, is featured in "The Call of the Wild," a picturization of Jack London's famous novel. All the former hardships endured by the hero of Jack London's story were lived over again by Roach's dog.

"The Call of the Wild" is the story which established London as one of the greatest descriptive writers of the day. It was and is his best seller. And "The Call of the Wild" will establish Buck as a star and Hal Roach as a producer of features, he having heretofore confined his production efforts entirely to comedies.

Mr. Roach was induced into the feature production field because he had the dog and facilities at his splendid studio for producing the story which other producers had shunned because of the many difficulties it presented for filming.

In the cast of the picture are Jack Mulhall, Walter Long, Roy Rosling, Frank Butler and Sydney D'Albrook. Harley M. Walker, who was a personal friend of Jack London's, wrote the titles. Fred Jackson wrote the scenario and directed. It will be at the Royal Theatre again to-day.

International Crooks Shown in Columbia Film

After a capacity run of three days, John Gilbert will terminate his engagement at the Columbia Theatre to-night where he is playing in "Just Off Broadway," a motion picture from the story by Frederick and Fanny Hatton. The picture is an exciting tale of international crooks and love and is one that will command undivided attention at every moment. Marian Nixon plays opposite the star. Others in the cast are Edith Headley, Jr., Frithy Clark and Pierre Gendron. The director was Edmund Mortimer.

## "Male and Female" Now at Capitol Screen Masterpiece

Genuineness and absolute realism are two factors in the enormous success which Cecil B. DeMille has attained as a motion picture director. These qualities are present in "Male and Female," Mr. DeMille's latest Paramount-Artcraft picture, which was adapted from Sir James M. Barrie's famous play, "The Admirable Crichton" and will be on view at the Capitol Theatre next week.

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week. It is Mr. DeMille's desire that every property or furnishing used in his productions be the best that can be bought. Properties used in his latest picture total thousands of dollars in value. One toilet set alone cost five hundred dollars, and the gorgeous gowns worn by Gloria Swanson, Lila Lee and Bebe Daniels, who are in the cast, are worth a handsome price.

The story of Crichton, the butler in the family of English nobles who was wrecked during his master's yachting party at sea and became their leader, has long delighted thousands. Under the master hand of Cecil DeMille it is a screen masterpiece. Thomas Meighan plays the leading role, and Theodore Roberts, Raymond Hatton and Guy Oliver are included in the cast.

## "Nothing But the Truth" Pleases Playhouse Patrons

Many people have read the "Boston Blackie" stories by Jack Boyle. Probably the one with the greatest dramatic interests is "The Water Cure." This adventure tale has been produced for the screen by the William Fox and is called "Boston Blackie." It is showing at the Playhouse this week, with William Russell as the star.

Russell is capable of playing the title role by reason of his rugged strength and the power that is expressed in his face. The feminine lead is given to Eva Novak, who in previous pictures, has proved an appealing screen type. The recent success of films adapted from popular stories augurs well for "Boston Blackie."

"Nothing But the Truth" is the Hitck's success this week.

## CONDITIONS AGAINST AIR MAIL SERVICE

### Federal Report Before the Chamber of Commerce

Little Prospect of Victoria Using Seattle Service

Conditions are not favorable for the Federal Postal Department to make arrangements for the use of the airmail service between Victoria and Seattle to connect up with the service to New York, the Chamber of Commerce directors were advised yesterday in a letter from L. J. Gaboury, deputy postmaster general.

The district superintendent of Vancouver had made the service a subject of inquiry, and stated the service could not be used with advantage at the present time as a regular service for the reason that trips were made only in connection with the arrival and departure from Victoria of Oriental mails. The service, he pointed out, had no connection with the San Francisco-New York relay service.

Publicity in the classified column serves the man who wants to sell his used car as effectively as it serves the man who wants to sell his used coat.

# MUSICAL FESTIVAL HAS SURPASSING ATTRACTIONS FROM CULTURAL VIEWPOINT

By GEORGE J. DYKE

The music festival is acknowledged as an artistic event worthy of a nation-wide recognition. For centuries it has been in existence, England, Wales and other European countries have had famous festivals, to which have been attracted many thousands of people. Everywhere it has its advocates. In many parts of the New World it is now very popular, and the best musicians for the land have given their "stamp" of recognition. These "feasts of song" have surpassing attractions, and peculiarly enough, such succeeding festival seems to surpass the one preceding it. The history of these musical events has been embodied, and splendid efforts. In its numerous programmes the most famous musical compositions have been included, and many distinguished and well-known artists have taken part in its proceedings.

**GROWTH OF MOVEMENT**

Its adjudicators are men of the highest standing in the music profession. Festivals from small beginnings have grown into gigantic proportions, and many towns and cities undertaking such affairs have become musically famous, and better known throughout their confines. Its influence is far-reaching, and its establishment in any centre is not only a very high factor, but should be appreciated by everyone living in that centre.

Its objects have already been set forth in previous articles, but it is very well-known among musical people that such an event must be constantly and clearly placed before people who, perhaps, particularly in the case of the daily newspaper, unintentionally pass over and are not open to music and art. Those who are readers of musical publications are naturally conversant with the music festival, and are its staunch adherents and supporters.

Canada for years past has had its festival, and a great success it has been planned, which hold out unusual attractions and promise of big successes.

**SUCCESS IN VANCOUVER**

Last year Vancouver saw such a festival, and a great success it proved, surpassing the most sanguine expectations. This year will again see the mainland city in its second festival, from May 20 to 24, which promises to be on a larger scale than that of 1923. The syllabus is of a higher standard and is of a much wider range. Musical experts generally are of the opinion that it justifies the best endeavors of all competitors. The entries, just now closed, are much larger and include many from this city, Nanaimo, Duncan, Courtenay, Cumberland, New Westminster and other points. Enthusiasm is the greater; the competition is expected to be keener; and the daily attendance too, will no doubt assume greater proportions. It is already known that there are many entries from the capital city (a description of these will be given in a further article), several local singers and instrumentalists going over hoping to bring back many of the fine trophies offered to successful competitors.

**THE JUDGES**

The adjudicators this year are Dr. James Lyon, composer of several operas, tone poems, choral ballads, and volumes of songs. He will adjudicate the vocal section, and Mr. Herbert Frye, of the staff of the Royal College of Music, London, Eng., will be the adjudicator in the instrumental section. Mr. Harold Shaw, of Vancouver, will serve in a similar capacity in the elocution classes. This festival is under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias. Its chairman is Mr. E. S. H. Wynn, K.C., and the committee consists of twenty of Vancouver's prominent citizens. The list of donors number fifty-five, including a handsome trophy from His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Walter C. Nichol.

Again is the opportunity taken here to emphasize the suggestion offered by our music columns on former occasions that this festival be made a movable one, as far as our Province is concerned, and that its activities be brought to the capital city in the Spring of another year. Already advocacy for such an arrangement has borne fruit, and many there are who, seeing its significance and importance, have signified their intention of giving it their support if the scene of the festival can be brought amidst the beautiful "settings" of this city during the early months of 1925.

## BISTO

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the blood sent to the scalp from the heart.

Suppose we compare the scalp to a garden and the hair to the crop raised in the garden. Just as the roots of every plant in a garden must be reached by the irrigating system that supplies water to the garden, so must the root of every hair have a supply of blood sufficient for its needs. If the supply of water to the garden is insufficient or fails to reach the outer edges of the flower-beds, the plants cut off from their nourishment wither and die.

In the same way, if the stream of blood sent up to the scalp from the heart is not forceful enough to reach and feed the root of every hair, the hair, like the plant, will lose its natural color, become dry and lifeless, and—perhaps actually die and fall out.

Nature has planned the scalp just as carefully as any other part of the body. She has fitted it with tiny blood-vessels that spread out like a fan and go to every part of the head. Every hair has its vessel. But to function rightly these vessels must be fed by an uninterrupted flow of blood to every part of the head.

There are various things that interfere with this free flow of blood to the scalp. If the body is not well-nourished, if it is not supplied with the elements needed by the hair, if the heart is weak in its action so that it fails to act as a forceful pump and shoot the blood stream through all the tiny vessels of the scalp—if any of these conditions exist, then the hair will lose vitality and die.

Tight, hard, heavy hats interfere with the free circulation of the blood and do their part in causing the hair to fall out. The millinery of women is more favorable to keeping the hair well and strong than the head-dress of men.

Anything that stimulates the circulation of the scalp is good treatment for falling hair. Massage and brushing are excellent. Hair tonics have their place. But the best preventive of baldness and of falling hair is a healthy, well-nourished and well-exercised body.

**STRAWBERRY COMPETITION**

The regular monthly meeting of members of the South Saanich Farmers' Institute will take place on Thursday evening next at 8.30 o'clock prompt. Superintendent E. M.

Straight of the Experimental Station, will be the speaker for the evening. Members desiring to enter in the strawberry crop competition must have their names in by Thursday evening. A prize of a \$25 cup is awarded in this competition.

## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, May 15, 1899

A plan is advanced here for the purpose of incorporating a board of harbor commissioners to manage the harbor of Victoria.

Rev. C. Stearns arrived here to-day to discuss with the Premier the proposed settlement of Nova Scotians on this coast.

At the B.C. Methodist Conference at Nanaimo Rev. W. J. Sippell, of Columbia College, delivered an address, and Rev. Dr. Sutherland lectured on "Labor in its Relation to Capital and Christianity."

## TO-NIGHT PLAYHOUSE

STAGE  
 Reg. Hincks Presents  
 Comedy Success  
 "Nothing But the Truth"

SCREEN  
 William Fox Presents  
 WILLIAM RUSSELL  
 —in—  
 "Boston Blackie"

## Columbia TO-DAY JOHN GILBERT

in  
 "Just Off Broadway"

In the whirlpool of New York and Paris night life. You remember Gilbert in "St. Elmo"—this one is even better.

—ALSO—  
 "The Leather Pushers"

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The Sensation of the Year

## The Hunchback of Notre Dame

It's Vast! Epochal! Brilliant! Glorious! Lavish!

You must see Victor Hugo's immortal story, for until you do, you will never realize the magnificent heights a motion picture can attain.

See it from the beginning—It starts at 2.20, 4.35, 6.50 and 9.00

Pathepicture **ROYAL** TO-DAY

## "The Call of the Wild"

From the Famous Story by Jack London

Great as a Story!—Great as a Film!

If You Loved the Book, You'll Love This Photoplay

THIS WEEK **CAPITOL** USUAL PRICES

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Bedspreads, in pink or blue designs. Regular price \$2.50 ..... **\$1.49**

Genuine "Rupert" Camping Blankets, in dark grey; size 52x72. Remember our price is for the pair, which is wholesale price. Per pair ..... **\$2.98**

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Men's Genuine "Art Silk" Socks, in black, white or tan, at less than wholesale price. Regular price \$1.00 ..... **50c**



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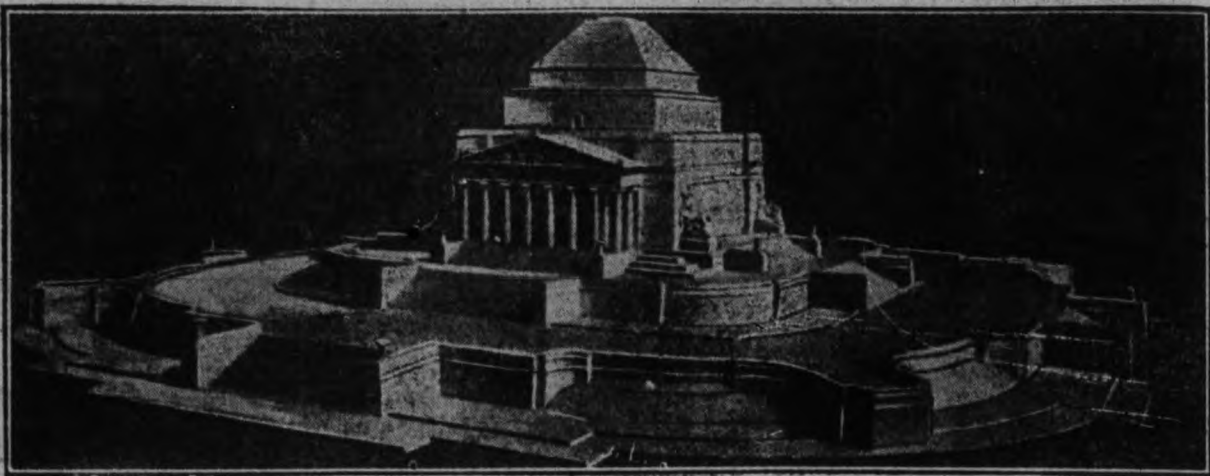
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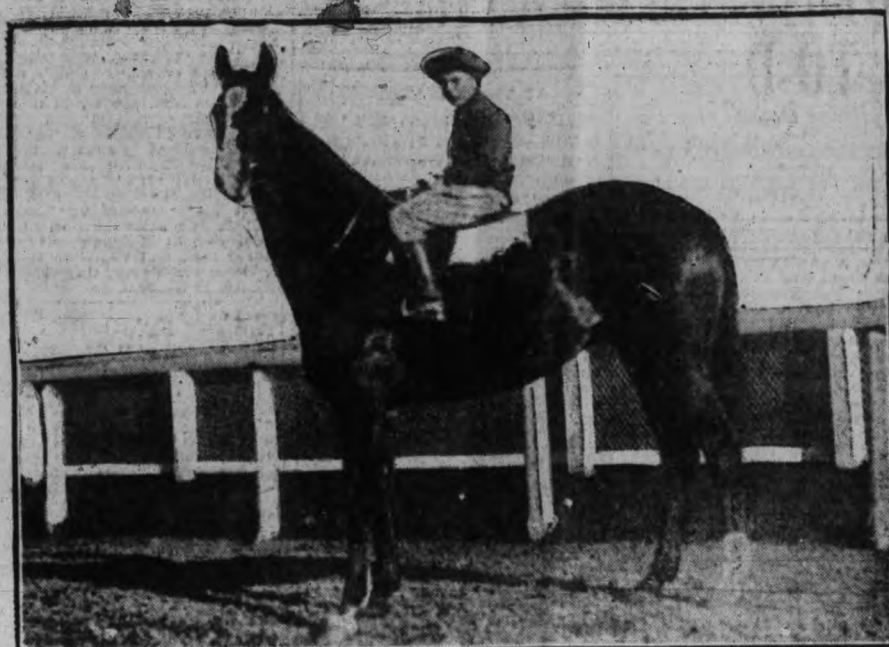
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MEMORIAL TO SOLDIERS.—Model of Australia's shrine of remembrance to fallen war heroes, to cost £250,000.



HEADS S.A. DRIVE.—Colonel John Noble, financial secretary of the Salvation Army, who is this year directing the annual self-denial appeal.



KING'S PLATE CANDIDATE.—Honey's Jewel, four-year-old bay gelding by Hearts of Oak—My Honey. Owned by Harry Giddings of Oakville.



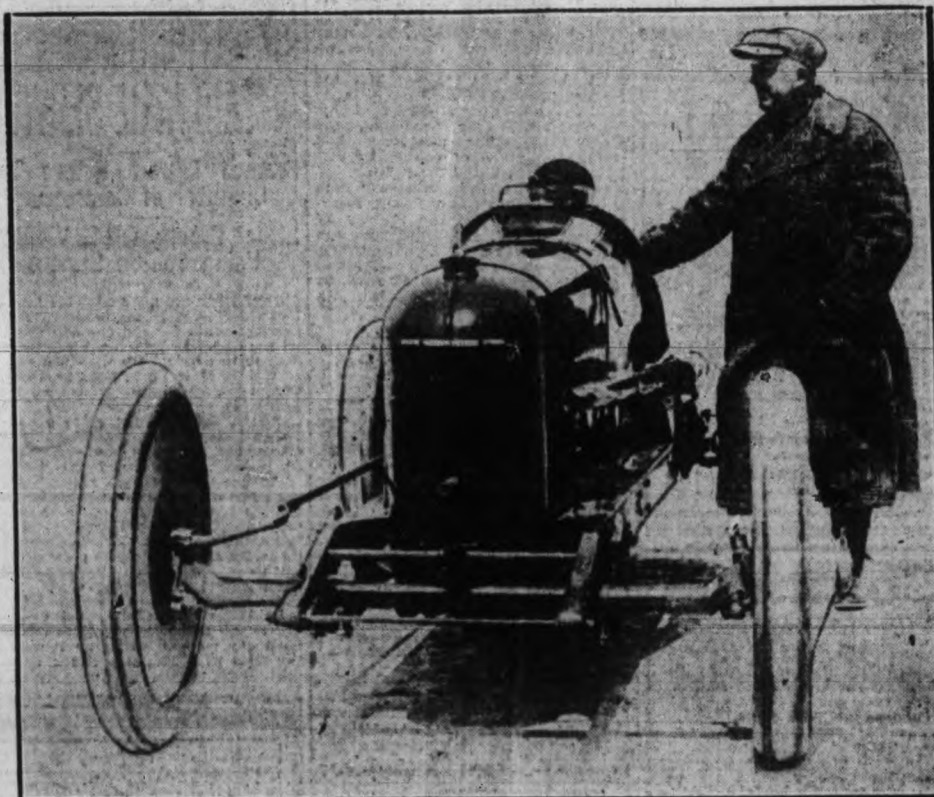
LATEST BOB STYLE.—Here, girls, is the latest way for bobbing the hair, according to Paris experts. Three new styles of combs are also shown.



TO BE RULER.—King Faisal of Iraq, upon whom the British Government intends to place full responsibility for governing the three former Turkish vilayets surrounding Bagdad as soon as the situation permits.



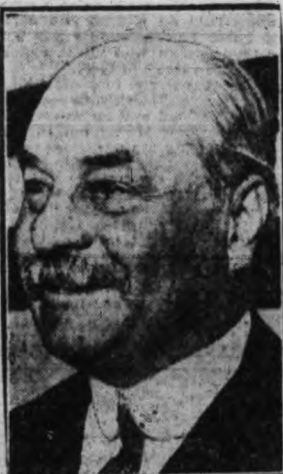
PLEADS FOR WOMEN.—Rev. Stuart Parker of Toronto, who made a plea against church union at Ottawa on behalf of "a large number of women, heart and soul opposed" to it.



MAKES MOTOR RECORD.—Photo shows Harry Miller, designer and builder, with Tommy Milton and the 153 cubic-inch motor cars with which he broke the racing record.



GOVERNOR'S DAUGHTERS.—The two charming daughters of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, Miss Margaret Cockshutt (left) and Miss Isabel Cockshutt (right) now in England, will be presented at Court on May 21.



WET.—Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, whose right to attack the Volstead Act has been upheld by the trustees of that institution.



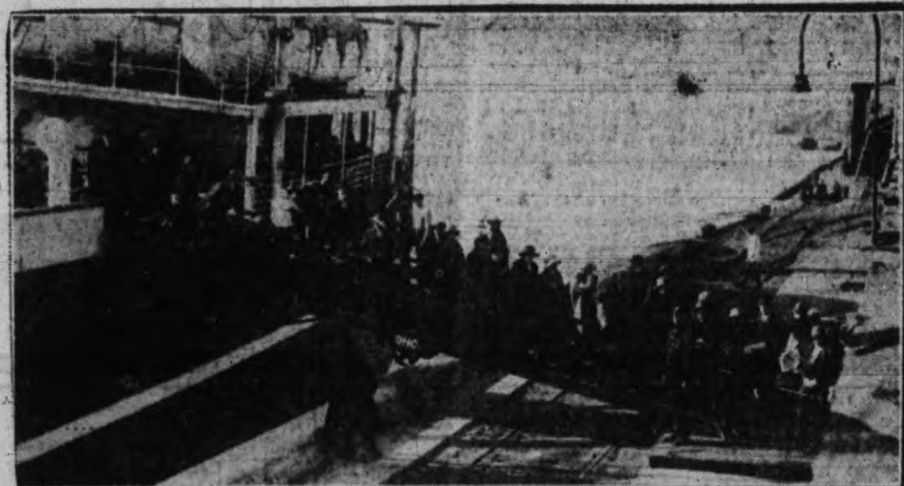
HALF-CENTURY AS PRIEST.—Rev. R. McBrady of St. Michael's College staff, nationally noted educationalist and divine, who has just completed fifty years in the priesthood.



NOW D.D.—Dr. Bruce Taylor, principal of Queen's University, upon whom Glasgow University has conferred the degree of doctor of divinity.



ESTIMATES BANK PADDING.—George Edwards, Toronto auditor, who estimated the total "padding" of Home Bank profits at \$2,747,000 in his testimony before the Royal Commission at Ottawa.



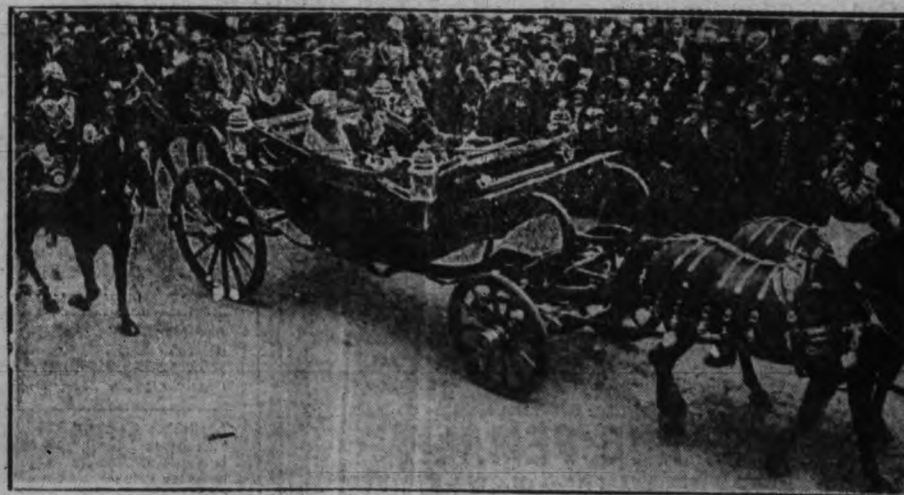
NEWCOMERS START UP.—The recent arrival in Quebec of the largest liner on the Canadian trans-Atlantic route, marked the commencement of the usual Spring influx of passengers to Canada from the Old Country. The photo shows the passengers getting their "land legs."



POSTIES MUST NOT BET.—Vernon Harcourt, British Postmaster-General, who has announced that postal employees in the United Kingdom must not indulge in betting or lotteries, except at Christmas, when charitable sweepstakes will be tolerated.



MAY REPRESENT IRISH.—Professor Timothy Smiddy, of Cork University, who is unofficially designated as the nominee of the Irish Free State for the proposed post of Ambassador to the United States.



KING OPENS EXHIBITION.—Huge crowds cheered lustily as the King and Queen arrived at the Wembley Stadium to open the British Empire Exhibition. Their Majesties appeared in full state, drawn in the Royal coach and four.

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Walla Street NEW YORK STOCKS

New York Stock Exchange, May 14, 1934

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

STOCKS DISPLAY WEAK TENDENCY New York, May 14 (By R. F. Clark & Co., Ltd.)—The stock market today was again chiefly of a professional character with a continuance of scattering liquidation and pressure in individual issues, such as the rubbers, which were affected adversely by a recession in the price of crude rubber.

Some of the late selling in the market was influenced by the Iron Age statement of the steel industry as a whole was operating at about sixty-five per cent of capacity, as compared with a considerable higher figure a few months ago.

The action of the market speaks for itself. Scattered liquidation continues, and there does not seem to be any signs of important support coming into the market. The general opinion seems to be that the market needs constructive news from Washington, and until something of a constructive sort makes its appearance the market may continue to sag.

NEW LOWS ESTABLISHED IN NEW YORK STOCKS New York, May 14 (By H. A. Bond) —New lows were established in some of the market leaders to-day as well as in a few specialties. There was nothing of special interest in the raws. The bears continued to hammer the market and seem to be well equipped with ammunition. Weakness breaks out in unexpected places and about the only place where any strength is shown is in the railroad group. Atlantic Coast Line, Chesapeake & Ohio, Atchafalaya and New York Central were all comparatively strong. There were a few weak features in the rails, too. Some of those who have been short of the market for quite a while are inclined to look for a place to cover, believing that the cream is off the short side of the market for the time being. Congress will adjourn June 7 and this will afford a measure of relief to the long suffering holder of securities who has had to keep one eye on the ticker and another on Washington. Last sales to-day were around the low points of the day and there was not the slightest indication that the market had reached bottom. Those who anticipate a turn for the better in the market simply feel that the decline has discounted entirely the decline in business of the past few months.

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

Table showing Canadian sterling, Japanese yen, and other exchange rates. Includes entries like 'Canadian sterling - Buying 44 1/2; selling 44.6' and 'Japan - Demand 4 1/2 cents.'

VICTORIA BONDS

Table listing various bonds with their respective prices and yields. Includes entries like 'Victoria Loan, 5 1/2% - Par Price 105.00' and '1931 1st May and November 104.15 105.10'.

ADDITIONAL GAINS IN CHICAGO GRAINS

Chicago, May 14 (By R. F. Clark & Co., Ltd.)—Wheat—New in a general way, again favored buyers to-day with a decrease in the world's available supply, of 16,000,000 bushels, steady, cash markets, and further reports suggesting a small soft wheat crop east of the Mississippi. The foreign political conditions are regarded as more favorable with the new French administration favoring a conciliatory attitude towards Germany. Europe is using up the world's wheat, and judging from recent developments the Canadian and Argentine surplus stocks will find a market and leave room for a liberal portion of our hard winter wheat. Moreover, it is likely that Spring wheat mills will be good buyers of hard winter wheat during the early part of the season. Minneapolis wheat stocks, even with a reported slow demand, decreased 500,000 bushels. Canadian seedling will be finished this week and will not great apprehension exists as to the late sowing of wheat. It will leave the crop more suitable to hot weather damage later. In our opinion the market is shaping for an irregularly advancing price trend which may be accentuated by legislative developments. Corn—Trade fairly active at times and extremely dull at other inter-

Retail Market

Table of retail market prices for various goods. Includes items like 'Garlic lb. 38-40', 'Parsley, bunch 25-30', 'California Head Lettuce, each 15-20'.

Winnipeg Grain

Table of Winnipeg grain prices for May 14. Includes entries like 'Winnipeg, May 14.—The wheat market was fairly active to-day and showing a decidedly stronger undertone for the old crop futures. May showing a gain of 1 cent and July 1/2 at the close. October was not so much in demand and weakened 1/2 cent.'

Montreal Stocks

Table of Montreal stock prices for May 14. Includes entries like 'Abitibi 34.50', 'Bell Telephone 129.00', 'Brompton Paper 35.00'.

Church Service Is Set For June 22

The Army and Navy Veterans Association here, which usually holds a religious service in June, has offered the British Special Service Squadron to conduct its service on June 22, when the fleet is in the city. Letters have been sent to the western provinces asking for a grant to build provincial arches here as part of the street decorations, at a sum not to exceed \$500.

Courtenay Murder Charge Proceeding

Nanaimo, May 14.—The grand jury brought in true bills in connection with the double murder charge against Alfred Corbett of Courtenay and the charges will be proceeded with this afternoon. The perjury charges against Eccles and Fernandez will probably be held over until Monday next.

Raw Sugar Close

Table of raw sugar prices for May 14. Includes entries like 'Raw Sugar Close (By R. F. Clark & Co., Ltd.)', 'May 1934 23.00', 'July 1934 23.50'.

NEW YORK COTTON

Table of New York cotton prices for May 14. Includes entries like 'New York Cotton (By R. F. Clark & Co., Ltd.)', 'May 1934 23.00', 'July 1934 23.50'.

GAINS FROM ESTABLISHMENT OF HARBOUR BOARD FOR PORT

Victoria Has Many Advantages For Sharing in Western Grain Movement; Inbound Freight Opportunities; Needs of Cold Storage For Fish

Victoria is in a position to offer prompt economic connection to ship-owners bringing freight to Canada. We must develop the bulk cargo, which requires facilities. These can best be attained by the appointment of a Harbour Board. The proper development of Victoria and Esquimalt harbors will cause more railway activities, stimulate coast shipping and a greater variety of occupations on Vancouver Island. I make these statements in presenting an argument for the creation of a Victoria Harbor Board.

Victoria, situated on the southern part of Vancouver Island, an island which faces the coast of British Columbia for a distance of two hundred and eighty-five miles, holds a strategic position as a shipping port, because every boat passing to and from Victoria must pass through the Panama Canal, British and Australian, must pass here.

Victoria has splendid harbors, good wharfs, easy access and great depths. A splendid anchorage at Royal Roads, a quarantine station, low port charges, low insurance rates, and a fine pier for ship repairs and building, salvage, and so on, are other advantages. It has splendid facilities for ship repairs and building, salvage, and so on, are other advantages. It has splendid facilities for ship repairs and building, salvage, and so on, are other advantages.

NATURAL RESOURCES It is rich in minerals, including coal, copper, iron, gold and silver. Besides these there are large quantities of marble, granite, limestone and other minerals. The output of coal is well known to be of large tonnage and has for years supplied the bulk of the coal used on this coast. Its fisheries are known all over the world. The consist of salmon, cod, halibut, herring, flounder, plichard and sole, while the output of oysters is also considerable. Industry shows big opportunities. It has a number of splendid opportunities for a greater expansion of its industries. It has a number of splendid opportunities for a greater expansion of its industries.

VICTORIA STOCKS

Table of Victoria stock prices for May 14. Includes entries like 'Mining - Bid Asked', 'Wool 1 1/4 1.30', 'Wool 2 1/4 2.30'.

Pooling of Freight Scales Cotted

Eighty-Three Per Cent of Okanagan Tonnage Signed Up Vancouver, May 14.—Pooling of fruit sales under the Associated Growers' Union of British Columbia will continue, and eighty-three per cent of the tonnage in the Okanagan Valley has actually been signed up, according to a statement by directors to-day. With this, it is stated, the association will be in a much better position to control the market during the coming season.

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MANY CHINESE TAKEN IN RAID

Thirty-Eight Inmates Arrested by City Police in Chinatown. Thirty-eight Chinese were arrested in a raid by city police on premises at No. 1 and No. 3 West Fan Tan Alley last night. A quantity of apparatus alleged to be implements of a gaming house, was confiscated by the officers, who led by Sergeant Heatley, surrounded the premises and battered their way in from several directions at once. The accused were admitted to bail in small amounts, aggregating \$2,900 as a warrant for their appearance for trial.

Arraigned before Magistrate Jay in the City Police Court this morning all pleaded not guilty through H. W. R. Moore, their counsel, and were remanded until Monday for hearing. Acting Sergeant Harcup, Constables Foster, Jarvis, Arceman, Driver Street, and Detective Calwell composed the raiding party. The accused are charged with being inmates of a gaming house.

GALLIHER REPORT TO BE DISTRIBUTED ALL OVER PROVINCE

M. Justice Galligher's report on the affairs of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, exonerating the Government from all charges of corruption and inefficiency, will be distributed broadcast over the Province during the next few weeks. Thousands of copies of the report have been printed by the King's Printer for general distribution. First copies already have been turned off the presses of the Government Printing Bureau.

POUND NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, May 20, at the City Pound, Bridge Street, at the hour of 2 p.m., I shall sell by public auction the following animals, namely, one black horse, which was taken down from the said animal in redemption and the Pound charges paid at or before the time of the sale.

IMPERIAL VETERANS IN CANADA

A special meeting will be held at the Club Gardens, 733 Yates Street, on WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1934, for the purpose of the election of officers for the year. All Imperial and Ex-Imperial members and prospective members are requested to attend. The meeting will be followed by a social and smoker.

NOTICE

The Malahat will be open for traffic on Friday, 16th, at 5 p.m. Public Works Engineer, Victoria, B.C., May 13, 1934.

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Clay Porter came down from the Porter-Idaho property and reports to the Portland Canal. News that sacking progress is being made in the tunnel being driven on the high-grade vein discovered last summer. He expects that by the time a pack train can reach the mine there will be one hundred tons of ore for them to take out. The tunnel is following one wall of the vein, on which the high-grade shoot occurs, and this is being sacked as it is broken down, the lower grade material being saved for future treatment.

**TRAIL SHIPMENTS**

Trail smelter tonnage passed the 150,000-ton mark for 1924 during the last nine days of April, just reported. For this period the receipts were 880 tons, bringing the total for the year to date to 157,025 tons.

At the same date last year the total was 163,324 tons.

The Eagle property at Myncaster, Wash., appeared on the list with a trial shipment of a ton of ore.

Shipments for the period were: Quilch, 112; Republic, 32; Spokane, 17; Silversmith (lead), 181; Silversmith (zinc), 100; Standard, 487; company mines, 4042; Eagle, 1; Knob Hill, 53; Lone Pine-Surprise-Last Chance, 112.

**GOOD ORE OPENED**

A fine showing of silver-lead ore has been opened up in the shaft on the King Tut group of claims staked last year by the Milligan brothers, and plans are now being made by the owners to carry out considerable work on this promising property during the next few weeks.

The King Tut group has ideal location for mining, the claims, which are close to the Duthie property, near Smithers, running right across the new road below the switchbacks.

Last year a shaft was started on the vein and was sunk about nine feet before work was closed down. In resuming the work about two weeks ago Charles Milligan and H. Winfield continued sinking the shaft, and in less than three feet, they opened up the showing of ore, which is about eight inches wide in a five-foot vein well shot with stringers of ore.

**UNITED MINE**

Work will be started immediately at Ainsworth on the de-watering of the United mine, according to E. J. Edwards, mining engineer of Spokane who has passed through Nelson in his way to the Ainsworth property.

The property will be operated by the United Mining Company of Spokane, and American capital will be used to develop the property.

A crew of several men will be put to work immediately on development of the property and at present there is from 4,000 to 5,000 tons of ore in sight ready for shipment at any time. The United mine is a high-grade silver property. Mr. Edwards was in the city last fall in company with

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C. E. Marsh, of Spokane, who has been instrumental in the renewed activity of the property.

**TALPAIN MINING COMPANY**

A. Wood, general manager of the Talpain Mining Company, who has just returned from the company's property at Burns Lake, where a number of promising properties are under development, reports highly successful results from diamond drilling exploration, says the Vancouver Sun.

The high-grade lead was proved to a depth of 202 feet. He said, "and the diamond drill cut five assays of 77 ounces of silver. Other assays run as high as 81.452 to the ton. The high-grade lead is 4 feet 6 inches at the surface and apparently about the same width where it was cut by the drill. We ran through several other veins which have not yet been assayed."

Mr. Wood stated that the Talpain, which is about twenty-three miles from Burns Lake, is a silver-lead property with good showings. At a meeting of the shareholders held since his return, he stated it had been decided to sink a shaft and ship ore as quickly as possible.

The company has spent about \$10,000 in development, has its buildings and road constructed and about 100 feet of tunnelling done.

George Westman of Marpole is president of the company and W. C. Stearnman, secretary-treasurer.

Other properties near the Talpain are also being developed extensively and good showings are reported on the Silver Island mine and the Duthie mine in the Highland Basin group. High assays of gold and silver have been made on the latter quite recently.

**Vancouver Island News**

**LADYSMITH KEEPS HOSPITAL DAY**

**Many Visitors Attend Gathering; Fifty-Five Entries in Baby Competition**

Special to The Times

Ladysmith, May 13.—The Ladysmith Hospital was "at home" to the citizens of Ladysmith and the surrounding district on Saturday last, the occasion being the hospital day. The attending physician was indeed gratified by the work continued during the next school vacation.

The president of the association, R. I. Van der Byl, expressed the thanks of the committee to the Stanich Health Centre for the generous loan of the dental chair during the clinic. Without the co-operation of the Stanich committee, the clinic would not have been possible.

**TENNIS MATCH**

Special to The Times

Chemainus, May 14.—An interesting tennis match was played on Sunday afternoon at the Chemainus Community Tennis Courts when a team from Ladysmith was entertained. The visiting team won the day by the final score of 9-5-7. Much enthusiasm was displayed by both sides, and the games were very hotly contested. A delightful supper was afterwards served at the Chemainus Hotel, when covers were laid for twenty-six. The Ladysmith team included Mr. and Mrs. Morrison, Miss D. Brazeal, Miss Hill and Messrs. Clarke, Rogers, Forward, both Barrett, Thomas and Watt; while Chemainus was represented by Miss Jarrett, Mr. and Mrs. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. B. Ross and Messrs. Craig, E. English, Howe and H. Brown.

A return match will be played at Ladysmith on Sunday, May 18.

**JAMES ISLAND DRAMATIC CLUB HAS MAIDEN EFFORT**

Special to The Times

James Island, May 13.—Last Saturday evening the James Island Dramatic Club presented two very attractive and amusing sketches. There was a record crowd in attendance, which was loud in its praise of the performance. This is the maiden effort of the club, and the residents are looking forward with great hopes to another entertainment in the future. During the interval Mr. A. J. Dakin favored the audience with a song, "The Road to Mandalay." This was followed by an encore, "The Bells of St. Mary's." Also a part song, "Summer Is Coming," by E. Rowbottom, E. Lake, V. and M. Luff and B. Peirce, was very well received. The full cast was: The laughter Bureau, Madame Tourneite, Mrs. Richards; Hydegardrard Hardcase, Mrs. Holland; Ermystrude Strongly, Mrs. Allen; Miss Knottgrave, (secretary), Miss Thomas; Miss Everjoy, (planist), Miss Bowker.

Acted On: Paris Francais, Mrs. Spriggins, Mrs. Schilling, Mr. Spriggins, Mr. Lyons; Angelina, Miss Eyre; Mrs. Raitan, Miss Ford; Anna Marie, Mrs. Biller; Major Raitan, Mr. Eyre; Monsieur Victor, Mr. Richards.

Mrs. Schilling was excellent as Mrs. Spriggins, also Mr. Lyons as Holland; Ermystrude Strongly, the near Miss Richards deserve special praise for their clever acting, the other part all being portrayed in an efficient manner. The proceeds are to go towards buying a stage curtain and other equipment for the Assembly Hall.

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Some of the messages for you to-day reached you in letters, telegrams, by phone and through personal interviews. Some of them may be awaiting your attention in the pages of this paper. It is, conceivably, of more importance to you than any others that have come to you in the day's routine.

**NEW SERIAL STORY**

## The Black Gang

**By CYRIL McNEILE, "Sapper"**

Author of "Bull-dog Drummond," "No Man's Land," etc.

"Not from Eve, old son. Don't fix up anything in the near future. We shall be busy. I've joined the police and shall require help."

"With a cheery nod he stroled off, and after a moment's hesitation Algy Longworth followed the girl into the Carlton."

"Mad, isn't he—your friend?" she remarked as he came up.

"Absolutely," he answered. "Let's masticate an éclair."

A quarter of an hour later Hugh let himself into his house in Brook Street. On the hall table were three telegrams which he opened and read. Then, having torn them into tiny fragments, he went on into his study and rang the bell.

"Beer, Denny," he remarked, as his servant came in. "Beer in a mug. I am prostrate. And then bring me one of those confounded books which people have their names put in followed by the usual lies."

"Who's 'Who,' sir," said Denny. "You've got it," said his master. "Though who is who these days, Denny, is a very dark matter. I am rapidly losing my faith in my brother Denny—rapidly. And then after that we have to write a letter to Julia—no, Dorothy. Manton—erstwhile Denny's daughter with whom I propose to dally for a few days."

"I don't seem to know the name, sir."

"Nor did I, Denny, until about an hour ago. But I have it on reliable authority that she exists."

"But how, sir..." began the bewildered Denny.

"At the moment the way is dark," admitted Drummond. "The fog of war envelops me. Beer, fool, beer."

Accustomed to the little vagaries of his master, Denny left the room, return shortly with a large jug of beer which he placed on a small table beside Drummond's chair. His chair by my charming hostess as befitted a man with such exalted friends. Now run away and get me a taxi."

"Will you be in to dinner, sir?"

"Perhaps—perhaps not. In case I'm not, I shall go up to Sheffield in the toils to morning. See that everything is packed."

"Will you want me to come with you, sir?"

"No, Denny—not this time. I have a sort of premonition that I'm going to enjoy myself at Drayton House, and you're too young for that sort of thing."

With a resigned look on his face, Denny left the room, closing the door gently behind him. But Drummond, left to himself, did not at once dismiss his letter to Lady Manton, which he held loosely in his hand. He sat at his desk, staring thoughtfully at the wall opposite. Gone completely was his customary inane look of good humor; in its place was a stern, almost grim, determination. He had the air of a man faced with big decisions, and to whom, moreover, such an experience was a novelty. For some five minutes he sat at there motionless; then with a short laugh he came out of his reverie.

"We're getting near the motto, my son," he muttered—"Gueded near. If we don't draw the badger in a few weeks, I'll eat my hat."

"Not to worry! My hat, my hat! And more to the point, a letter. And a minute or two later, having stamped and addressed the envelope, he slipped it into his pocket and rose. He crossed the room and unlocked a small safe which stood in the corner. From it he took a small automatic revolver which he dropped into his bag. He also took a tiny bundle of what looked like fine black silk. Then, having unlocked the safe he picked up his hat and stick and went into the hall, and out, even though Denny, he called, passing by the front door.

"Sir," answered that worthy, appearing from the back passage.

"If Mr. Darrell or any of them ring up I shall be tearing a devilish one to-night at the Savoy grill at 11 o'clock."

Number 5 Green Street, Hoxton, was not a prepossessing abode. A notice on the dingy downstairs windows announced that William Atkinson was prepared to advance money on suitable security; a visit during usual hours revealed that this was no more than the truth, even if the appearance of Mr. Atkinson's minion caused the prospective borrower to wonder how he had acquired such an agreeably English name.

The second and third floors were apparently occupied by his staff, which seemed unduly large considering the locality and quality of his business. Hoxton is hardly in that part of London where large sums of money might be expected to change hands, and yet there was no doubt that Mr. William Atkinson's staff

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## ELK LAKE VOTE ANNOYS ALDERMAN

### Alderman Todd Offers His Resignation as Chairman of Committee

Lively Discussion on His Suggestion

Not satisfied with the action of the council in curtailing the vote for Elk Lake farm and park Alderman Todd offered his resignation as committee chairman to the City Council last evening.

This, however, was not accepted. After a lengthy discussion, in which a sharp exchange took place between Alderman Todd and Sargent, the council accepted a recommendation by a majority of one to transfer its work affecting Elk Lake to the Victoria-Saanich beaches and parks committee, which includes the following members: Alderman Todd, Ker and Sangster.

Alderman Todd wrote as follows: "I am of the opinion that the sum of \$5,878 in the amended estimates is not sufficient to bring the Elk Lake project to a proper state of advancement this year."

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year," he said. It therefore seems advisable for the council to appoint as chairman of the committee some individual who thinks the funds sufficient. As the council wishes, I will either carry on, or make way for someone else to carry on.

"In view, too, of the limited finances now available it seems an absurdity that the whole council should continue as the committee, and authority be given to invite the Saanich members of the said joint committee to participate in Elk Lake matters."

"Not only as a member of the council, but as a heavy taxpayer I keenly regret that what I consider the shortsighted policy of this year's city council is likely to postpone the assistance in releasing taxation burdens which would be brought about by more reasonable productive expenditure at Elk Lake."

### THE DISCUSSION

Alderman Todd said he was very much disappointed with the council's action. The work at Elk Lake had been delayed too much already, he asserted, at a valuable period of the year. Nothing had been done for people wishing to swim at Elk and Beaver Lakes, and steps should be taken at once.

Alderman Sargent contended that the little known by the aldermen about the matter.

Alderman Todd refuted the charge, pointing out that if they spent \$20,000 matters would be different.

Alderman Andros facetiously alluded to the scheme, which appeared to be still going on if they could judge by a man whom he had twice seen that day ploughing in the line of the roadway to the site of the mysterious hotel to be built by the mysterious company.

Alderman Todd said there was a caretaker who was at work, but no one else. It was not true that the council was kept in the dark last year, as all expenditures were reported, he asserted.

Alderman Sangster supported the plan of transferring the control to the joint committee. Every dollar spent on Elk Lake park had been spent economically and was realizable.

Alderman Sargent said the letter was as law to the council, to ask the City Council majority to exclude itself from managing its properties, and invite outside councillors to administer city property.

### A BREEZE

At this stage a clash occurred between Alderman Sargent and Todd. The former had expressed the opinion that the motion to restrict the personnel of the committee was an insult to those excluded. The only trouble with Saanich, Alderman Sargent said he remembered, was that stated by Alderman Todd.

Alderman Todd retorted: "The trouble with you, Alderman Sargent, is that you are not content to mind your own business, but wish also to interfere with other people."

The aldermen denied the imputation.

Alderman Todd went on to assert that Alderman Woodward had on Monday night told Alderman Sargent some home truths.

The two speakers then got into an argument about what took place at the Chamber of Commerce meeting about Elk Lake recently when Alderman Sargent said he had been put in false light before certain citizens by observations of Alderman Todd.

Todd proposed to reduce the personnel of the committee it was: For, Mayor Hayward and Aldermen Todd, Sangster, Ker, Dewar, and Harvey; against, Aldermen Marchant, Sargent, Christie and Andros.

The council then appointed Alderman Todd as chairman.

### MENTIONED IN DISPATCHES

Visitor—Have you won any prizes at school, Bobby?

Bobbie—Not quite; but I got a horrible mention last term.

## IMPOSE TAX ON FIFTY PER CENT OF IMPROVEMENTS

### Council Adopts Change of Policy on Assessment For Taxation

#### Proposal to Advance Date of Payment Fails

The City Council went on record last evening by a majority of one in favor of assessing the improvements at fifty per cent. of their value, an increase of sixteen and two-thirds per cent. on the present assessment. Land value assessment remains unchanged.

This action was taken after a discussion on the principle, the opposition being headed by Alderman Marchant.

The tax rate for 1924, as fixed by the by-law will now be:

Debt ..... 17.87 mills  
Schools ..... 9.47 mills  
General ..... 12.06 mills  
Total ..... 39.40 mills

This compares with \$8.72 mills last year, or one-third of the assessed value of improvements.

Mayor Hayward stated that the total amount of the budget in 1924 was \$2,465,558 as against \$2,022,282 this year, the levy last year being for \$1,751,000, as compared with \$1,726,000 in the current year.

He made this statement in showing that the council had exercised every economy, and in spite of every difficulty had actually saved money. The increase, he showed, was entirely in the uncontrollable factors.

### OPPOSES SCHEME

Opposing the motion Alderman Marchant said in part:

"I protest against the raising of the taxation percentage of improvements. It is not so long ago since we did not tax improvements at all. Each time we have taken the opinion of the ratepayers they have voted against taxation of improvements, and by that opinion we should be guided. Against the opinion of some of the council of 1923 the majority of the council agreed to establish a basis for taxation of 33 1/3 per cent. They did that because of the city's pressing taxation problems."

He believed it would be the same if a vote were taken to-day on the principle, against taxing improvements.

### THE DISTRICT MUNICIPALITIES

Having gone to the utmost in the way of economy he had great doubts of the wisdom of imposing an extra tax on owners of improvements.

What was the experience in the district municipalities? Neither Esquimalt nor Saanich taxed improvements, and in fact they were in a better position than we were in. In Oak Bay that a tax would be imposed of twenty-five per cent.

In each occasion where improvements were taxed, it resulted in discouraging newcomers to build outside the city limits, Alderman Marchant declared.

A practical man had told him it would be better to build outside the city, because it was cheaper in taxation. Quoting a particular location, he contrasted paying \$150 taxes in the city as compared with \$25 on Quadra Street, in Saanich. The argument applied with greater force to Esquimalt where the tax rate was lower. Alderman Marchant stated the speaker said he did not approve, but would have consented to a 33 1/3 per cent. assessment on buildings, and in this proposal he protested.

New conditions of transportation had changed, and created new conditions, he pointed out.

### RETARDING PROGRESS

Alderman Marchant referred to what he termed the argument of wisdom of increasing the taxation on improvements. If the district municipalities did not tax improvements, why should the city tax them? It was injudicial, and unwise to raise the taxation of improvements, he asserted. To arrest and retard the progress of this city would be the result of their act, Alderman Marchant thought. He continued:

"Higher rates of taxation will force reversions. They will come in sooner or later, and whatever we do, just as certain as the sun will continue to shine," he asserted.

### DEFENDS PLAN

Alderman Ker opposed the amendment, as one who had given the city's finances a sharp check. He had declared against a 44-mill rate, as injudicious. Fifty per cent on improvements would keep the rate down to a reasonable figure. Some remedy was essential. "I do not say this fifty per cent will stop reversions, but I believe it will bring about an improved condition in the future," he added.

An improved financial situation would raise their credit, said the aldermen. He was opposed to accept the principle that they should be guided by the situation in the district municipalities. Without improvement taxes there would be a 47-mill rate, which no one would accept.

Alderman Dewar endorsed the stand of Alderman Marchant. "I think it is a wrong practice, and the issue should be submitted to the electors for their opinion. He feared it would drive people outside the city to build."

Alderman Andros said he should stand by his platform of non-taxation of improvements.

The speaker then smiled, remarking: "That was three years ago."

Alderman Andros replied that the men who had enterprise and built homes in the interests of the city were the ones who were non-improvers. If they got fifty per cent this year they would ask for legislation next session to remove the barrier against taxation of fifty per cent only. Therefore he would vote for the 33 1/3 per cent.

Alderman Harvey did not think the plan would check reversions on vacant land, and he doubted if the change would attain the result they expected. While lands had been improved, assessments, improvements had not, he pointed out.

### HAD LONG SUPPORTED PLAN

Alderman Sargent, chairman of the finance committee, commended Alderman Andros' constituency. Five years ago four of the aldermen, including

himself had voted for taxation of improvements, and if it had been adopted then less reversal would have taken place. If reversions continued, eventually improved property would have to pay the whole burden. Examining the taxation of improvements discouraged investment he declared:

"I don't think there is any city in Canada, other than any improvement, are not taxed, and where they are not taxed up to fifty per cent. Therefore those who visited here, came with a knowledge of improvement taxation," he said.

### EFFECT OF PLAN

If land were booming the remedy of Dr. Shortt's report might be accepted, but not at this time, when city lots should be retained as revenue producers. In asking the Government for taxation relief Alderman Sargent said they would place themselves in a better position by using the money as provided by law. He did not agree with the argument about driving citizens into the neighboring districts, as being the actual experience.

Taking an illustration of a lot assessed at \$750, and with a \$1,500 house, he said the present basis of thirty per cent would entail a tax of \$225, while at fifty per cent on a \$5,19, only \$4.22, a small sum compared with the \$225. The tax on its various activities, which he reviewed.

### REVISOR ARGUMENT

Alderman Marchant, reviewing the decision, said it was a doubtful thing if the plan would check reversions, and there was a class of house on the border line where it might be no longer worth retaining by the owner. What difference in principle between taxing of houses, and taxation of commercial production existed? The aldermen should have accepted the principle of the personal property tax when it was offered them.

### THE DIVISION

On the division there voted for the amendment to limit to thirty-three and one-third per cent—Aldermen Marchant, Dewar, Andros and Harvey.

Against them voted: Aldermen Sangster, Ker, Sargent, Todd and Christie.

Alderman Marchant wanted the Mayor's opinion, as he had not voted, and His Worship explained he did not have to do so, but his opinion on the matter was well known.

### DATE OF PAYMENT

Alderman Marchant advocated advancing the date of payment of taxes from November 1 to October 1, and thereby save a considerable sum in interest on the annual loan. He argued the sum so saved could be used for emergency purposes.

Alderman Todd opposed the plan, as the citizens were finding it hard enough to pay their taxes now. The change was desirable but inexpedient.

Alderman Marchant believed every retrenchment effort should be made, and the scheme would be beneficial to the city.

Alderman Andros contended that the scheme, however desirable in theory, would not work out in practice. The motion was lost.

## VICTORIA MAN AT BERKLEY GAINED FURTHER HONORS

### L. J. O'Brien, at University of California, Wins Another Scholarship

Further honors have been bestowed upon Louis J. O'Brien, one of the Victoria men attending the University of California at Berkeley, following the writing for the Master of Arts degree, which he took on Saturday, besides receiving this distinction he captured his third scholarship during his attendance at the university. This was endowed by the faculty of the institution about a month ago, in honor of Dean Gayler. In this connection, it is noted that Mr. O'Brien is the first holder of the award.

Mr. O'Brien was born and educated in Victoria, being the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. O'Brien, 1079 Richmond Avenue, and attended the Victoria Central School here, graduating into High School at an early age. He was for three years at the Victoria High School, and was one of the foremost students there, his ability as a speaker then being realized by his fellow students in their appointment of him to the presidential chair of the Debating Society. In his matriculation finals, before entering university life, Mr. O'Brien achieved marked success, and won high honors and standing with his marks.

Throughout his university career he has displayed great talent, perseverance and ability at all times. On two occasions previous to this he has captured scholarships, amounting to a considerable sum. One of these scholarships carried with it \$500 and the other \$250.

He is returning to Victoria for his summer vacation when he will spend some months before returning to California, there to continue his academic career.

## Rotarians to Entertain at Big Function

### Members From Many Towns and Cities Will Meet in Victoria

The members of the Victoria Rotary Club will be hosts at the inter-city meeting on Friday, May 23, to visiting delegates from Bellingham, Anacortes, Mount Vernon, Sedro-Wooley, Port Angeles, Nanaimo, and other points, when the international president, Miles Higley and President-elect E. A. Booth will be present. The Victoria Rotarians are urged to keep this date open. Wives and friends of the members will be invited to attend, and dancing will follow the evening meeting. The Australian and New Zealand delegates to the International Convention at Toronto will reach Victoria on the S.S. Niagara, Friday, May 26. An invitation is being sent by cable from the Victoria Rotary Club inviting the visiting delegates to Canada to spend the day in Victoria, and be the guests of the Rotarians here.

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At the regular weekly luncheon tomorrow Arthur Malliet, Lloyd Mutrie and Jack Kellam will each give short speeches during the programme's progress.

## INCREASE IN BEER PRICES GRAVEED BY B.C. BREWERIES

### Scale Raised \$1.50 a Barrel; Brewers Demand Still Higher Rate

The Provincial Government has decided to increase the price paid to breweries for beer to the extent of \$1.50 per barrel, it was announced officially last night. The increase is retroactive as from March 15.

Explanation for the increase is contained in a statement given out by Hon. A. M. Manson, Attorney-General, as follows:

"We are to-day paying \$16.50 a barrel for beer; Ontario is paying \$17.15; Manitoba is paying approximately \$21; Alberta is paying approximately \$19.55. Our experience with the increase has been a continuous fight since the inception of the board's operations in 1921. There are eleven breweries in this Province, and in my opinion, there are about eight too many for the consumption of this Province. It is impossible to carry on satisfactorily. This fact has probably been the single factor in the bootlegging of beer, because, outside of two breweries, I am satisfied they have been running either at a loss or on so narrow a margin of profit as to render the situation entirely unsatisfactory to them.

"The first act of the brewers on the inception of the board was to form a combine and attempt to fix the price. After considerable worry the board succeeded in breaking the combine through the instrumentality of one of the breweries. After this the brewers complained bitterly that the price was inadequate, and that they were paying the sales tax."

### RECONSIDER PRICE

"At that time the matter of the sales tax, as well as the duty, was in litigation, and we were on our way to the Privy Council. Mr. Farris, at that time, advised the Privy Council to decide that the sales tax did not apply to the Provincial Crown. The Privy Council, however, in its decision, confined itself to the question of duty, and I know that we were faced with a reconsideration of the price.

"At that time the decision was given last July, the brewers formed another combine, which they thought was airtight. I absolutely refused to accept their price, and what amounted to almost an ultimatum. Finally, after a month or two of dickering, I compromised slightly and was able to break the combine through one of the breweries. Peace did not yet prevail, and the situation was so unsatisfactory that I seriously considered taking over the operation of one of the breweries. Peace and drafted agreements to that effect.

### AGREEMENT DELAYED

"The brewers then got together and formed the Amalgamated Brewery, which seemed to give promise of better conditions, except that the matter of price was still in contention. As the session drew to a close I told the brewers that I could not possibly go into the question of price until after the session closed. In the spare moments of the past session and Royal Commission work I had various discussions with them, mostly through a purchasing agent. The brewers were very cooperative, and we agreed on the price of \$16.50 as from March 1. This was a dollar less than the brewers demanded. I am not sure how long it will take to be realized, as they are very reticent under the condition that the other provinces are paying so much higher a price, and after the election is over it is quite possible that the whole situation may have to be gone into again, as I am still convinced that the volume of beer consumed in this Province is not sufficient for eleven breweries to operate on a satisfactory basis.

### NO POLITICS

"That the price had nothing to do with the election I think will be easily seen. At the time the price was finally settled upon, after months of negotiations, it was not certain whether the election would be in June or in the Fall; in fact, the possibility of another election prior to an election was at that time discussed. It is difficult to prevent sinister rumors, and one gets so many of them in public life that one gets heartily sick of public service, but in the face of the fact, it is difficult to see on what anyone would have any suggestion of improper relations. One cannot help but conclude that the brewers have not been altogether satisfied with their treatment at my hands, although I have done what I considered fair and reasonable under all the circumstances."

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