

# WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Saturday:  
Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong westerly winds, generally fair, stationary or higher temperature.  
Lower Mainland—Fresh to strong westerly winds, generally fair, stationary or higher temperature.

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# Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT  
Royal—Mickey.  
Pantages—Vaudeville.  
Dominion—Extravaganza.  
Variety—From Headquarters.  
Columbia—A Gentleman's Agreement.  
Romano—Hitting the Trail.

## ARREST OF AGITATORS IN WINNIPEG INTIMATED

### FIVE-DAY LIMIT FOR GERMANS TO ACCEPT OR REJECT THE TERMS

Expectation in Paris Is That When Allies Reply to Counter-Proposals They Will Tell Teuton Representatives the Discussion Is Closed

Paris, June 6.—(Associated Press).—When the German peace delegates are handed the Allies' reply to their counter-proposals they will be informed, according to French circles, that the discussion has finally closed and will be given three, or perhaps five days in which to accept or reject the conditions.

Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau is expected to leave immediately for Berlin to confer with the German Chancellor. If it is decided that Germany shall sign the treaty the Count will return to Versailles. If Germany refuses to sign, notification of her refusal will be sent from Berlin, it is said.

Paris, June 6.—(Havas).—"I am convinced that our treaty projects violate none of my principles," President Wilson is quoted by The Matin as having said when he was made acquainted with the German counter-proposals to the peace treaty. "If I held a contrary opinion I would not hesitate to correct the error. The treaty as drawn up, however, entirely conforms with my fourteen points."

A German Scheme.  
Paris, June 6.—It is understood here that the Berlin Government is sending photographic reproductions of the peace terms to every United States Senator and Representative.

Adriatic Problem.  
Paris, June 6.—The Council of Four met this morning. Premier Orlando of Italy was absent. This led to the belief that the Adriatic question was again under consideration. It is understood that no further progress has been made by the various elements working on the solution of this problem.

Turkey.  
Paris, June 6.—The Council of Four has informed the Grand Vizier of Turkey, in answer to his request, that it is ready to hear him, not as a Turkish plenipotentiary, but in the character of a witness in the case of Turkey.

Hefferich's Attack.  
Berlin, June 5.—Via London, June 6.—Reports that Dr. Karl Hefferich, former Vice-Chancellor, has made a severe attack on Dr. Bernhard Dernburg, Minister of Finance, in connection with the German counter-proposals are denied by The Vossische Zeitung. The newspaper says that the person who was assailed by Dr. Hefferich was a Hamburg citizen, who was a member of a sub-committee of the peace delegation at Versailles and who is said to have been responsible for persuading the Cabinet and the peace delegation to offer an indemnity of 100,000,000,000 marks.

### GERMAN DELEGATES IN "JUMPY" STATE

Berlin Correspondent Alleges Teutons at Versailles Have Many Ailments

Berlin, June 3.—Delayed.—(Associated Press).—Fearful nervousness and depression which manifest themselves in toothache, rheumatism, various other ailments and in sleeplessness are afflicting the German delegates at Versailles, according to the correspondent there of The Berlin Gazette. "I whimsically term the trouble 'tropical madness.' That is an ailment known to French Foreign Legionaries as 'cafard.'"

The first to be affected was a surgeon, who fell ill with a raging toothache and intense nervousness. Then a counsellor attached to the delegation caught the strange malady, and insisted on having a gramophone play during conferences he attended.

Sleeplessness.  
Many members of the delegation began to suffer pains in the back and joints, others from colic and the majority from headaches and sleeplessness. "The food," the correspondent says, "is getting on every one's nerves. They all feel like geese in a cage before being slaughtered."

Prices Advanced.  
Versailles, June 6.—Because the servants employed at the Hotel des Reservoirs here, where the German peace delegation is quartered, have refused to accept tips from the members of the delegation, the hotel management has announced that it has been compelled to advance prices ten per cent. in order to increase the employees' wages.

### A Girl and Three Policemen Wounded in Clash in Dublin

Dublin, June 6.—One girl and three policemen were wounded last evening by shots when police dispersed a crowd gathered in front of the Mansion House to celebrate the birthday of James Connolly, "Commandant-General of the Irish Republican Army," who was executed on May 3, 1916, following the Irish revolt. The gathering had been forbidden by the city authorities.

### PUBLIC SERVICES MUST BE OPERATED FOR THE PEOPLE, SAYS MAYOR OF VANCOUVER

Vancouver, June 6.—The third day of the sympathetic strike here sees practically no change in the situation.

At a late hour last night Mayor Gale issued a statement insisting that the public utilities must continue and declaring that law and order will be maintained at all costs. After reviewing briefly the causes leading up to the present trouble and pointing out that it is impossible under the present circumstances for the civic authorities to remedy the grievances of organized labor with the Federal authorities, regardless of the merits of the contentions of the striking unions, the Mayor announced that it is the duty of the City Council to insure the continuance of these operations essential to the general welfare of the community, in which are included water, garbage collection, gas, light, preservation and delivery of food-stuffs and all essential transportation.

"It is my duty as Mayor to maintain law and order at all times, and this I am resolved to do without fear or favor," declared His Worship, and he stated it as his belief that it is the desire of the great majority of citizens, including the ranks of labor, to proceed to desired reforms by constitutional methods.

Jitneys.  
Jitneys were more numerous on the streets this morning, and a few workers were compelled to walk to business than on Thursday morning. The telephone girls have voted to walk out if called upon to do so. There was no interruption in the service this morning.

No Disorders.  
No disorders of any kind have been reported.

The situation on the waterfront remains unchanged, sailings reported being the boat for Victoria and the boat for Nanaimo.

Committee of 10,000.

Vancouver, June 6.—Organization here of a committee which will include in its membership representatives of all classes of the citizens who are not in sympathy with the general strike now proceeding, and who will co-operate with the established authorities in carrying on as far as possible the normal life and services of the city is proceeding to-day. This committee is planned to have a total membership of 10,000, it is stated, and to embrace representatives of three great sections of the population. There will be one section limited to 1,000 members, business men; there will be another section of 4,000 members composed of returned war veterans, and there will be a third section composed of 5,000 members made up of representatives of the wage and salary earning classes who are opposed to the present action by organized labor.

Vancouver, June 6.—"How many unions are on strike?" was a question frequently heard about the city yesterday. This question may be more easily answered by pointing out that some thirty-three unions are not on strike, or only part of their membership is out. This information was secured yesterday by The Sun. The list of unions not on strike as compiled last night was as follows: Gasworkers, steamfitters, electricians, telegraphers, tailors, shoe workers, upholsterers, stereotypers, bookbinders, photo engravers, fishermen, electrical workers (inside staffs), barbers, musicians, theatrical stage employees, moving picture operators, machinists (part), railway carmen, blacksmiths in railway shops, boilermakers in railway shops, policemen, firemen, cooks and waiters, milk wagon drivers, oil workers, janitors, retail clerks, mail clerks, typographical men, postal employees and pressmen. Some machinists, some boilermakers and some blacksmiths are on strike and electrical linemen are out. In some cases it is the One Big Union adherents who have gone out, leaving the men who are remaining.

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### Kolchak Has Sent Reply to Proposals Made by the Allies

Paris, June 6.—An answer from Admiral Kolchak, head of the All-Russian Government at Omsk to the proposals of the Allies has been received by the French foreign office. It is understood that while the answer is in the main a satisfactory acceptance of the proposals, Admiral Kolchak makes reservations concerning a Constituent Assembly and also in respect to dealing with new states formed out of old Russia.

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### COMMUNIST LEADERS ARE PUT TO DEATH IN BAVARIAN CAPITAL

Berlin, June 5.—Via London, June 6.—Levine, editor of The Red Flag, of Munich, and one of the leaders of the Communist uprising in Bavaria, was executed at midnight last night, according to The Abend Zeitung, of Augsburg.

Nissen, another of the Communist leaders, also has been executed, according to the Munich state.

### GEN. KETCHEN STATES OTTAWA IS MOVING AGAINST UNDESIRABLES IN WINNIPEG AND OTHER CITIES

### MR. CRERAR LEAVES OTTAWA CABINET

Resignation Accepted; Differed With Government on the Tariff Question

Ottawa, June 6.—The resignation of Hon. T. A. Crerar as Minister of Agriculture has been accepted.

In the House this afternoon Sir Robert Borden will read the correspondence which passed between himself and Mr. Crerar in regard to the latter's resignation.

Although the correspondence has not yet been made public, it is understood Mr. Crerar stated definitely that there was an issue with the Government on the budget and on that issue tendered his resignation.

It is expected that during the course of the budget debate Mr. Crerar will further outline his position.

### AMERICAN SOLDIERS GET LUSITANIA MEDALS

Coblenz, June 5.—Via London, June 6.—Some of the Lusitania Medals which were issued, it was said, with the consent of the German Government, are in the hands of American soldiers and can be brought out of the unoccupied sections of Germany by American officers.

Official photographs of the medal are to be sent to Washington.

### AGITATORS BUSY WITH GERMAN MONEY

Paris Papers Say Teuton Funds Used to Promote Strikes in France

Paris, June 6.—The strike situation here was stationary this morning. Transport workers at meeting held yesterday pledged themselves to remain out until their demands were fully satisfied.

The Echo de Paris predicts that the transportation strike will be settled within forty-eight hours.

The newspapers generally are of the opinion that attempts are being made by a small crowd of agitators, and that a total of \$8,000,000 francs has been brought into France from Germany by way of Switzerland in the last fortnight for use in provoking strikes.

### Treaty May State Approximate Sum to Be Paid by Germany

Paris, June 6.—(Havas).—It is probable that the Allied and Associated Powers will comply with the German demand to state approximately the maximum sum which Germany must pay in reparation under the peace treaty, according to The Matin. This sum, it states, will be from 200,000,000 to 250,000,000 francs. (The larger sum named, on a gold valuation, would be not far from \$50,000,000,000.)

### American Soldiers and Antwerp Police Engaged in Tussle

Brussels, June 6.—American soldiers and police of Antwerp clashed Wednesday night. Three policemen and two civilians were wounded by shots fired during the melee. Three American soldiers, one of whom was wounded, were arrested.

### LIST OF SAILINGS AND SOLDIER PARTIES ARRIVING

Revised to Noon, June 6.

The hospital special from the S. S. "Meganitic," with 73 other ranks for M. D. No. 11, left Winnipeg 3 a. m. on June 5.

The C. P. R. special 1223, with 16 officers, 252 other ranks 47th Battalion and 13th Field Ambulance, from the "Empress of Britain," left 8.25 a. m. June 5 for this district. This train reported at Smith's Falls, Ontario, 7.55 p. m. June 6.

The S. S. Lapland is due at Halifax June 10 with 4 officers and 35 other ranks for Victoria.

### Military Commander Tells Returned Soldiers Action Being Taken Against Bolshevism; Mayor of Winnipeg Forbids Parades and Assemblies

Winnipeg, June 6.—Brigadier-General H. D. B. Ketchen, General Officer Commanding Military District No. 10, in his first public address since the beginning of the Winnipeg general strike, told a mass meeting of several thousand returned soldiers to-day that "steps are being taken to deal fully with revolutionaries and undesirables in Winnipeg and other places in Canada."

"When the Government does act in connection with the Winnipeg upheaval, I am sure that you soldiers will all agree that when I intimated to-day that action was impending to deal with revolution and Bolshevism I did not tell you all," said General Ketchen. He received a tremendous ovation.

The meeting was brief. Mayor Gray also spoke. No parade or public demonstration followed but a number of the soldiers went to the City Hall to be sworn in as constables.

One of the developments during the morning was the issuance of a proclamation by Mayor Gray forbidding parades and the congregation of crowds on the city streets. The text of the proclamation follows:

"By virtue of the authority vested in me, I do hereby order that all persons do refrain from forming or taking part in any parade, or congregating in crowds in or upon any of the streets of the city of Winnipeg, and do hereby request of all law-abiding citizens full compliance with this proclamation."

"CHARLES F. GRAY, Mayor."

"God Save the King."

Parade Dispersed.

Shortly after the soldiers' mass meeting, addressed by Brig.-Gen. Ketchen, had adjourned, strikers and strike sympathizers began a parade in the business district, in defiance of the proclamation of Mayor Gray. Strike leaders declared his proclamation was "illegal." The parade started in the direction of the City Hall, where scores of returned soldiers were registering as special constables. The marchers proceeded to within a block of the City Hall. There policemen formed a line across the street and halted the demonstrators. The strikers then sent a delegation to the City Hall to ask Mayor Gray if their parade might not continue. Mayor Gray said "No." The marchers then disbanded. There was no trouble.

3,000 Constables.

Winnipeg, June 6.—Acting upon reports that the radical element involved in the Winnipeg general strike was threatening to launch a campaign of terrorism, the Winnipeg City Council to-day decided to increase its special constable force to 3,000 men, mostly returned soldiers.

City officials have construed the appeal for national assistance which local strike leaders announced they had sent out as an invitation for all classes of radicals to come to Winnipeg.

Report False.

A printed declaration in the strike bulletin that "gunmen imported from the United States" were on their way to Winnipeg to oppose the striking forces and precipitate trouble, was branded as false at the City Hall. It was said that the purpose of the article probably was "intended to incite union men."

Mayor Gray said that in forbidding parades he had acted in the interest of law and order, and with the hope of preventing bloodshed.

City officials and executives of the Winnipeg Citizens' Committee commented upon the action of local strike leaders in sending a national call for men prominently identified with the One Big Union movement to come to Winnipeg immediately.

Beginning of the End.

The Citizens' Committee of 1,000 declared:

"The national call for help by the local labor leaders seems to be the beginning of the end. Following the collapse of various general strikes in different Provinces and the failure to precipitate strikes in a number of cities, it seems quite plain that the Winnipeg agitators realize that the fate of their One Big Union movement is hanging in the balance."

"Winnipeg merchants and manufacturers (concluded on page 4.)"

### McFall Wants Cost of Bread in Halifax Attacked by Ottawa

Ottawa, June 6.—Action against the master bakers and retail merchants of Halifax with regard to the high cost of bread has been recommended by Dr. R. J. McFall, the Cost-of-Living Commissioner, but has not yet been acted upon by the Department of Justice, according to evidence given to the Cost-of-Living Committee of the Commons this morning.

E. B. Devlin and H. H. Stevens moved that the Deputy Minister of Justice and the Deputy Minister of Labor be summoned before the Committee to explain why no action had been taken to enforce recommendation made by Dr. McFall that the price of bread should not be allowed to be increased.



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### TRIAL OF GERMAN AGENTS AT ZURICH

Zurich, June 5.—Via London, June 6.—Testimony was adduced at the trial of the pro-German agents and anarchists here to-day that Lenin and Trotsky, the Russian Bolshevik leaders, aided the plotters financially through their agents. Madame Ballova, one of the accused Italian anarchists, to-day remarked to the examining judge: "Our comrades already are at work in America as the newspaper dispatches show."

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### BOLSHEVIKI LOSE TOWN OF URALSK

Stockholm, June 5.—Via London, June 6.—The Bolsheviks acknowledge defeat by the Siberians and Cossacks on the Ural River, according to a Helsinki dispatch. The Bolsheviks have been forced to evacuate the town of Uralsk, capital of the territory of Uralsk.

Copenhagen, June 5.—Via London, June 6.—The Swedish Socialist newspaper Folkets Dagblad, which is said to be in close communication with the Russian Bolshevik Government, has received a telegram from Petrograd reporting that the forces of Admiral Kolchak, of the Omsk Government, have been defeated in the south and centre, while the northern front is shaking. The Soviet troops are said to have captured 40,000 prisoners, 100 guns and much war material.

The Estonian offensive against Petrograd, the telegram adds, has been stopped, and the anti-Bolshevik forces are retreating in the direction of Jamburg. The telegram continues: "The British navy attempted to force the Finnish Gulf, but retired. The revolutionary movement against the Soviet has broken, and the Soviet is stronger than ever."

## FARMER SAYS HE FELT DISCOURAGED OVER HIS TROUBLE

Everything He Tried Failed to Help Him; Tanlac Made Him Well and Strong

"I am on my way North for a fishing trip, and I have come by for three more bottles of Tanlac, for since it has done for me what it has, I don't intend to be without it," said Hugo L. Hjorthoy, while in the Owl Drug Store, in Vancouver recently. Mr. Hjorthoy lives at Gambier Island, B. C., and is one of the most successful young farmers in his community.

"About five years ago," he continued, "my stomach went back on me, and I not only lost my appetite, but I could hardly retain anything I would eat. What I did manage to keep in my stomach, just seemed to lie there in a fermented condition, and the gas that would form from this sour food, would blast me up until I would have to loosen my clothes to see a minute's peace, and at times, would get up in my chest, almost cutting off my breath. My liver was in bad condition most of the time, and I would have severe headaches and backaches, and I was so nervous, that the least bit of excitement would upset me. I was so weak and run-down, that I was hardly able to drag around my farm, and many a night, I would lie awake until time for the chickens to crow for day before closing my eyes to sleep."

"Every medicine that I had tried, failed to relieve me, and about the time I was most discouraged, a friend of mine told me that Tanlac had benefited him so much, that he wanted me to try it, and I got a bottle. By the time I had finished this first bottle, I was so much improved in every way, that I ordered two more by mail, and while I have only taken a few bottles, I am here to tell you, that I feel better than I have in years. I have now got a good appetite, and I eat what I want, without being bothered with indigestion or any other trouble. My stomach and liver are both in good shape now, and I haven't had a headache or backache in a long time. Since I have gotten in good shape in every other way, my nerves are as steady as a clock, and I sleep like a log every night, then get up in the morning feeling like I can do as much work as any man on the farm. Well, to make a long story short, Tanlac just took hold of my troubles right from the start, and I have not only gotten back my lost vitality, but I have gained several pounds in weight, and while I feel as well as I ever did in my life, I intend to keep some Tanlac on hand all the time."

Tanlac is sold in Victoria by D. E. Campbell, corner Fort and Douglas Avenues.

### IN GEN. TURNER'S HONOR.

London, June 6.—There is a Canadian movement afoot here for a general holiday in honor of Lieut.-General Turner.

## TARIFF AND TAX PLANS EXPLAINED

White Says Government Proposes Some Duty Reductions and an Inquiry

### INCREASED INCOME.

### TAXES ARE PLANNED

Ottawa, June 6.—The principal interest in Sir Thomas White's budget speech in the Commons yesterday afternoon centred in that part dealing with the Government's tariff proposals and the income tax and business tax proposals.

Dealing with the tariff, the Minister of Finance referred to the fact that under the Customs Tariff War Revenue Act, 1915, a British preferential tariff rate of five per cent, and an intermediate and general tariff rate of seven and one-half per cent, had been imposed with certain exceptions.

"We propose," he said, "wholly to repeal this British tariff rate of five per cent. Further, we propose partially to repeal the intermediate and general tariff rate of seven and one-half per cent, by making it no longer applicable to the following classes of articles:

"Foodstuffs, linen and cotton clothing, woolen clothing, boots and shoes, fur caps and fur clothing, hats, caps, hoods and bonnets, gloves and mitts, collars, and cuffs, ties, shirts and leather, harness and saddlery, agricultural implements, petroleum, oils, mining machinery and bituminous coal."

### Coffee

Sir Thomas announced that provision would be made for a reduction of five cents per pound in the British preferential intermediate and general tariff rates on roasted or ground coffee, and three cents per pound under the British preferential tariff on British teas.

Provision would be made for the free importation into Canada of wheat, wheat flour and potatoes from countries which do not impose a customs duty on such articles grown or produced in Canada.

He announced an alteration in the rates on soda ash from five per cent, under the British preferential tariff and seven and one-half per cent, under the general tariff to one-fifth of a cent a pound under the British preferential tariff and three-tenths of a cent per pound under the general tariff.

There would be provision for specific instead of ad valorem rates of duty upon pig lead, zinc, spelter and copper ingots.

### Implements

With regard to agricultural implements, Sir Thomas said that but for the present agreement, which had been made for the reduction of Canadian freight rates, it would not have been practicable to make any reductions in the ordinary schedule covering these articles. At the request of the Government, he said, the railway companies would give the Chicago rates on agricultural implements from producing centres in the east, west of Montreal and east of the Great Lakes, to prairie points and ports of movement, a minimum of 24,000 pounds. This reduction was a substantial concession. For example, to Regina the Canadian haul of 1,590 miles would equalize the haul from American territory of 1,065 miles, while to Medicine Hat the Canadian movement was 520 miles longer than the American movement, although the rate would become the same.

### Reductions.

Including the seven and one-half per cent, duty reduction, Sir Thomas said the proposal provided for a total reduction under the general tariff from 27½ per cent, to 15 per cent, on cultivators, harrows, horse rakes, seed drills, manure spreaders, weedeaters, and from 27½ per cent, to 17½ per cent, on ploughs, windmills, portable engines, traction engines for farm purposes, and threshing machine separators. All parts and appliances would be included.

Provision would be made for a total reduction from 32½ per cent, to 20 per cent, on hay loads, potato diggers, fodder or food cutters, grain crushers, fanning mills, hay tedders, farm, road or field rollers, posthole diggers, snaths and farm wagons.

In the case of cement the war customs duty would be repealed and the general tariff rate reduced to eight per cent, or 100 pounds, or a reduction of three cents from the general tariff rate.

### Income Taxes.

The total estimated loss in revenue Sir Thomas placed at \$17,000,000, and owing to estimated reduction in the total volume of imports due to diminishing purchasing power during the current year, and probable decline in prices as well, he said, the expectation was that there would be a total loss in the customs revenue for the present fiscal year of at least \$25,000,000.

Partially to offset this loss and close the gaps of the deficit of \$15,000,000 between revenue and current expenditure a heavy increase in income taxation was proposed.

Sir Thomas announced that in the future all corporations would pay 10 per cent, on their net incomes in excess of \$2,000.

In the case of individuals it was proposed that the normal rate of 4 per cent should be levied upon all incomes exceeding \$1,000 but not exceeding \$6,000 in the case of unmarried persons and widowers and widows without dependent children, and upon all incomes exceeding \$2,000 but not exceeding \$6,000 in the case of all other persons.

A normal tax of eight per cent, would be imposed upon all incomes exceeding \$6,000. The surtax, which would commence from \$5,000 instead of from \$2,000, with special increases by gradation, applying firstly to incomes between \$6,000 and \$10,000, and to every \$2,000 between \$10,000 and \$15,000, upon incomes in excess of \$100,000.

Business Profits Taxes.

The business profits war tax would be renewed for the current calendar year so as to make it applicable to accounting periods ending on or before December 31, 1919.

The rates of the business profits war tax would be as follows:

Businesses having a capital of \$25,000 and over, but less than \$50,000, profits in excess of 10 per cent, to be taxable at the rate of 25 per cent, thereon. Businesses with a capital of \$50,000 and over. Exemption for incorporated companies, 7 per cent; other than incorporated companies, 10 per cent; profits in excess of exemption, but not exceeding the 15 per cent, rate of taxation, 25 per cent; profits from 15 per cent, to 20 per cent, inclusive, rate of taxation 50 per cent; profits in excess of 20 per cent, rate of taxation 75 per cent.

Inquiry.

Sir Thomas announced that within a year he expected conditions would have become so stabilized as to permit of a general revision of the tariff, which was long due, owing to the war, unavoidably due. Preceding such a revision there would be a thorough inquiry conducted by the Minister of Finance and two or more of his colleagues representing the different geographical sections of Canada.

Details.

Ottawa, June 6.—The resolution relating to income taxes tabled by the Minister of Finance in the Commons yesterday afternoon contains some interesting particulars not mentioned in his speech.

The date of assessment will be changed from April 30 to October 31. Incomes liable to taxation include the salaries, indemnities or other remuneration of members of the Senate and Commons, as well as members of Provincial, legislative bodies, municipal councils, commissions and boards of management, or of any judge of any Dominion or Provincial court appointed after the passing of the Act.

The allowance of \$200 for each child under 16 years of age is allowed for the purpose of the normal tax deduction shall be allowed for personal and living expenses, and in cases in which the personal and living expenses form part of the profits the same shall be assessed as income.

Amounts paid to Great Britain or any of the Dominions or self-governing colonies or dependencies shall be allowed.

The undivided or undistributed gains and profits of a corporation shall not be deemed to be taxable unless the Minister is of the opinion that the accumulation of such undivided and undistributed gains and profits is made for the purpose of evading the tax, and is in excess of what is reasonably required for the purpose of the business.

Displaced.

Regina, June 6.—Premier Martin, Hon. C. A. Dunning and Hon. S. J. Lafia last evening expressed great dissatisfaction with the budget proposals tabled by Sir Thomas White in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon. Mr. Martin declared that Western members in the House should vote against the Government. "The reductions mean particularly nothing at all to the West, and they will certainly not be satisfactory to the people of this country," he said.

POLISH FRONTIER WAS CONSIDERED BY COUNCIL OF FOUR

Paris, June 6.—M. Paderewski, the Polish Premier, attended the session of the Council of Four yesterday. The Polish frontier in Germany, particularly Silesia, was considered, as were vigorous protests of Roumania and other Balkan states against giving the League of Nations supervision over the protection of racial minorities.

M. Paderewski strongly opposed any modification in the political status of Silesia as fixed by the treaty. This led to a proposal to grant the Germans economic advantages in Silesian coal, iron and steel, sufficient to carry on industries and aid in paying the indemnities.

The experts presented tables showing that the cession of Silesia and the Saar region had resulted in reducing Germany's coal by 31 per cent, iron 74 per cent, and zinc 80 per cent, and it is to offset these reductions that it is proposed to establish an economic exchange without modifying Polish political control.

AFGHAN TROOPS REQUIRED BY BRITISH TO RETIRE DISTANCE

London, June 6.—The British commander in Afghanistan, replying to the Amir's request for an armistice, has given the following terms:

"The Afghans to move back twenty miles. The British to maintain their present lines. British aeroplanes to be allowed to patrol the Afghan lines and the activities of warlike tribes to be discouraged."

London, June 6.—The War Office believes that the report of an uprising in Kurdistan is exaggerated through Turkish propaganda. Some trouble has occurred, but the situation is considered well in hand. The report that a contingent was surrounded has not been confirmed.

A serious uprising was reported on May 29 in Southern Kurdistan. It was feared that British troops there were in a serious position. A London dispatch said that British forces in Mesopotamia were taking steps to check the tribesmen.



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Athens, June 5.—Via London, June 6.—King Alexander to-day conferred the Medal of Military Merit on a number of Red Cross nurses for their work in fighting the typhus epidemic in Macedonia. Among them is Miss Isabel Martin, of San Francisco.

### INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC IN SOUTHWEST ALASKA

Seattle, June 6.—One hundred and sixty natives of Bristol Bay and Unalakleet, Southwest Alaska, have succumbed to influenza during the last ten days, according to a cablegram received by W. T. Lopp, chief of the Alaska Division of the Bureau of Education. The advice from Dr. L. H. French, in charge of hospitals for natives on Nushagak Bay, stated that all nurses and physicians in the districts were waging a hard fight to prevent spread of the epidemic. Government naval wireless operators at Unalakleet were reported among those ill.



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St. Catharines, Ont., June 6.—The local G. W. V. A. yesterday rescinded its action of a week ago, and unanimously declared against the Calgary resolution, which favored an increase in the war gratuity to \$2,000, and decided instead to endeavor to secure adequate pensions for the disabled men, the widows and children.

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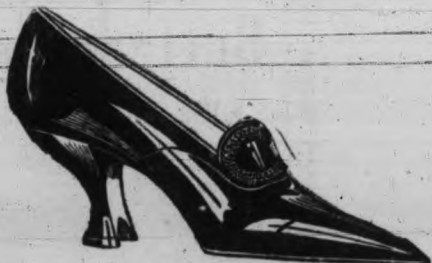
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## C. P. R. PRESIDENT VISITED SASKATOON

### Beatty Made Statement About Branch Line Construction on Prairies

Saskatoon, June 6.—"Perhaps the most interesting message I can give to the people of Western Canada is to tell them of some of the plans the Canadian Pacific Railway has for early construction of branch lines," said E. W. Beatty, K.C., president of the C. P. R., while passing through here on his way East from the Pacific Coast.

"The war necessarily stopped this class of work. Apart from the financial side of the situation, it was hardly possible to get labor for the required work of maintenance, and quite impossible to proceed with construction work even if we had been free to go on with it. The conditions are somewhat easier now, and we are anxious to build many miles of road to serve sections in which there has long been actual need of railroad accommodation."

"In this part of Saskatchewan we shall proceed with construction of a line from Laidlaw through Wapiti and Melfort to Township Fifty-seven, range seventeen, north of the Carrot River. Construction of this branch will be pressed forward this season from the Laidlaw end."

"Construction also will begin shortly on a line from Milden to Empress, and on one from Rosetown south to the Saskatchewan River, then easterly."

"The company promised to consider the building of a line from Hawarden to Saskatoon. This is being investigated with a view to early action."

**Spoke of Situation.**  
Mr. Beatty referred to an important development in connection with applications for charters for branch lines. During the present session of Parliament members of the House had asked if the Government had a settled policy regarding construction of branches in territories where the C. P. R. might each apply for extensions.

"All we ask of Parliament," declared Mr. Beatty, "is fair play both for the Canadian Pacific and the public. Territories requiring the service of a railroad should not be held up if we are prepared to build the lines necessary. If a wrong policy were put into effect competition would be stifled and development retarded."

"The West especially needs many branch lines. We intend to build some of them. The Government road undoubtedly will build some. There is plenty of opportunity for both. We expect to be treated fairly in this respect by the Government, and I believe we shall be."

### Changes.

Mr. Beatty mentioned that the cares of railroad management had changed as so many things had changed as the result of the war. Formerly it was chiefly management dealing with internal problems. Today, many grave external developments over which the company has no control but which had to be met, entered into railroad management.

"This is true not only of conditions in Canada," he observed, "but of the United States and Europe as well." "However," he added, "I believe we are going to have magnificent crops on the whole continent, in this country and the States. This will guarantee the prosperity of the country and the prosperity will help us back to a more normal way of living and thinking. I am satisfied conditions will right themselves in all of Canada—in fact, I am very sanguine about the future."

President Beatty's party included D. C. Coleman, vice-president; Col. Dennis, director of natural resources; A. C. McKenzie, engineer maintenance of way, and W. A. Mather, general superintendent, who met here; Mayor MacMillan, Superintendent J. M. McKay, W. E. Kirkpatrick, president of the Board of Trade; Gerald Gilman, secretary of the Board of Trade; J. O. Hettie, J. W. Millar, C. D. Fisher and Peter McKenzie, while Dr. Murray and Deane Rutherford represented the University.

After a lengthy drive through the city, the party visited the University and the Forestry Station. President Beatty spoke optimistically of crop conditions generally throughout the prairies and said he thought Eastern people should come West often and stay longer, in order to become more familiar with what a country Canada really is.

### A NEW YORK DEATH.

New York, June 6.—Frederick Thompson, a theatrical manager and known throughout the country as the creator of Luna Park, Coney Island and Tivoli, died here today. Mr. Thompson accumulated a fortune in various amusement ventures, including the Hippodrome in this city. He lost heavily in promoting the Toyland concession at the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

### FOUND GUILTY.

Toronto, June 6.—Ernest Currell, the deathwatch on duty at the cell of Frank McCullough, the condemned murderer, on the night McCullough escaped from the Toronto jail, was found guilty by a jury yesterday on a charge of aiding McCullough to escape. A strong recommendation for mercy was made by the jury on Currell's behalf.

Currell was allowed to be at liberty on bail to appear before Judge Contea next Wednesday for sentence.

### RELAXATION URGED.

Montreal, June 6.—A motion asking the Dominion Government to discontinue the prosecution of conscripts who failed to report for military service in view of the cessation of hostilities in Europe, was adopted by the City Council yesterday without discussion.

### BISHOP-BARKER AVIATION CO.

London, June 6.—Lieut.-Col. Bishop, V. C., and Lieut.-Col. Barker, V. C., have registered the Bishop-Barker Aviation Co., to carry on business as aviation consultants for business chiefly in Canada and the United States.

Subbubs—"I heard that your last servant was a regular thief."

Hubbubs—"Well, I wouldn't use so harsh a word, but I will say that the only thing we could leave around her with any safety was a bath."

Binks—"Say, old man, do you know of any cure for insomnia?"

Jinks—"Counting one thousand is said to be a remedy."

Binks—"Confound it, that's what everybody tells me; but the baby's too young to count."

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### Embroidery Silks

to Clear at  
**5c Skein**

50 Dozen Skeins of Crystal Rope Embroidery Silk in all the wanted shades to clear Saturday at the reduced price of, per skein, **5¢**

## Fifteen Only Stylish Navy

### Serge Capes to Clear

Saturday

Regular up to **\$49.00** } At **\$35.00**

Fifteen Only Smart Navy Serge Capes have been specially reduced and priced at **\$35.00** for a quick clearance Saturday. Some are lined with fancy foulness silk. Buttons and braids adorn many of the various models on display. Regular to **\$49.00**; Saturday **\$35.00**

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### Underskirts

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Women's White Cotton Underskirts, with deep tucked lawn flounce, lace and embroidery trimmed. Reg. **\$1.50**. For **.95¢**

### Corset Covers

Reg. 90c for **.65¢**  
Reg. **\$1.25** for **.85¢**  
Corset Covers of fine nainsook, lace and embroidery trimmed, with lace yokes. Reg. 90c for **.65¢**, Reg. **\$1.25** for **.85¢**

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## THE DOMINION DEBT.

In his budget speech yesterday Sir Thomas White predicted a Dominion debt of \$1,950,000,000 when all expenses directly connected with the war and demobilization have been met. Judging from experience it will be safe to reckon on a burden of \$2,000,000,000. This is a heavy load for a country of about nine million inhabitants; it amounts to \$225 for every man, woman and child in Canada. It will involve an annual interest charge of \$115,000,000, which alone is equal to the entire revenue of the Dominion Government of nine years ago.

The national debt in 1914 was \$335,996,850, so by the end of the present fiscal year this figure will have been magnified almost six-fold during the intervening half decade. But this liability with its annual charge of \$115,000,000, formidable though it is, is but a part of the total burden which must be borne by the Canadian people. The debts of the provinces and municipalities, which are outside the purview of the Canadian Minister of Finance, run into many millions, some of them having had a decided upward trend during the last five years. Hence, the people must raise considerably more than \$115,000,000 per annum on account of public debt. We are facing the reckoning.

This is one side of the shield. The other side shows a total national wealth of more than \$19,000,000,000 with an income of nearly \$2,000,000,000 per year. This is not Government wealth and income and cannot figure in the Government budget. It is the combined wealth and income of the Canadian people, from which the Government must obtain the financial resources to discharge the nation's obligations and meet its other expenditures. If this source of supply is properly utilized, if it is equitably taxed, if the burden is fairly proportioned against that wealth and income, Canada will have no trouble in carrying her load. But she must work and save, for only by industry and economy can the nation's assets be kept alive. Our national wealth total of \$19,000,000,000 would decline to half that value in a very short time if production languished. Dormant resources are dead resources. They yield no income and pay no bills. Canada must pay her bills.

## TARIFF CHANGES.

The tariff changes announced by the Dominion Finance Minister are the product of a compromise and it will be interesting to see what kind of a bridge they will make between the extremists of both sides in Parliament. They provide for the repeal of the 5 per cent. increase in the British tariff, adopted in 1915, and the repeal of the 7½ per cent. war tariff on food, clothing, agricultural implements, bituminous coal, mining machinery, petroleum oils, leather goods, together with other concessions on farming machinery running from 5 to 2½ per cent., while the war duty has been removed from cement and the general rate reduced by two cents a hundred pounds.

An important plank of the reciprocity agreement of 1911 is adopted in the provision for the free importation of wheat, wheat flour and potatoes from countries which permit similar Canadian products to enter free of duty. If Congress does not repeal the reciprocity measure this provision of the Canadian Government will go into force, and we shall have the rather suggestive and ironical spectacle of Sir Thomas White putting into force an essential provision of the agreement in opposition to which he was elected in 1911.

But, after all, the Finance Minister has dealt very tenderly with the tariff. The repeal of the 5 per cent. increase against British imports and the partial repeal of the 7½ per cent. war duty on other imports is not a very material concession, for surely nobody imagined that these taxes, imposed during the war, would be tolerated by the public in time of peace. Under the circumstances Mr. Cregar's resignation is not surprising. It is true the changes altogether involve a loss of \$17,000,000 in revenue, but the practice by the Government of some of the economy it is constantly urging upon the public, and an equitable income tax, would more than meet that loss.

Furthermore, it is not sufficient for the Government to remove merely the war tax of 7½ per cent. from food-stuffs imported into Canada. The general tariff still applies, and this should be removed altogether from the necessities of life. The retention of any tax upon food is either crazy or criminal or both. However, this and other aspects of the Finance Minister's speech can be more intelligently considered after a Hansard report of yesterday's proceedings has been received.

## THE DOCK AGAIN.

For some months numerous Mainland influences have striven energetically to convince the Dominion Government that Vancouver is the logical spot for a drydock. At the outset of the campaign enthusiasm began to dominate better judgment and more than delicate hints were dropped derogatory to the Lang's Cove site. But failure to elicit any definite pronouncement from Ottawa or to change the settled policy with regard to Esquimalt, Vancouver has renewed its efforts with an alleged suggestion, attributed to the Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, forecasting the removal of the Prince Rupert plant to the Terminal City.

Naturally, somewhat alarmed at this turn of events and assuming that the Federal Minister had been correctly quoted in the Vancouver dispatch, the Prince Rupert Board of Trade sought the offices of the Hon. T. D. Pattullo, who promptly directed inquiries to Ottawa. Mr. Ballantyne wired

immediately that the Government did not contemplate the removal of the floating dock at Prince Rupert to Vancouver. He likewise pointed out that drydocks came within the jurisdiction of the Minister of Public Works, from whom he had heard no such suggestion. We should imagine, too, that Colonel Cy. Peck, V. C., D. S. O., would have something to say about a perfunctory disposal of any utility in his constituency.

Nobody, of course, will contest Vancouver's right to advance its own interests; but it should be remembered also that there is no reason why one city should grow fat at the expense of another, particularly when British Columbia's population is not more than half a million. As far as the Government drydock for the Pacific Coast is concerned, the policy was definitely laid down years ago, while if Vancouver is able to induce private enterprise to take advantage of the Subsidies Act, Victoria and Prince Rupert will say good luck to her.

## WHAT IT SHOWED.

On Wednesday we reminded Mr. R. E. Gosnell at long range—for he is in Ottawa—that the investigation of the charges made by W. F. O'Connor against the Davies Company, of Toronto, showed much more than that the company made only two-fifths of a cent per pound on its bacon.

On glancing at the report of the Henderson Commission we find that it declared the profits of this company on its investment to have jumped from 6.89 per cent. in 1914 to 43.32 per cent. in 1915 and 80.02 per cent. in 1916. Meanwhile, the investment was growing, because the company was spending large sums, also out of profits for plant extensions, and buying subsidiary organizations. The original capital was \$250,000 but this has been expanded more than twelve-fold. It was in consequence of the Henderson report that the Government brought in its radical amendments to the business profits tax under which one company, as Mr. Gosnell says, "turned in \$1,100,000 to the Treasury for war purposes."

May we point out, also, that had it not been for the "constant tirade" against profiteering, to which Mr. Gosnell objects, there would have been no investigation of the packers' profits and the revenue of the country would not have been enriched by the \$1,100,000 "turned into" the Treasury or the millions "turned in" by other firms which have made returns on their investments beyond their wildest anticipations of a very short time ago. The real test of profiteering is not in food prices alone; food prices always are high in war time. It may be found in parallel columns comparing war-time profits with those of peace time.

## THIS YEAR'S EXPENDITURE.

The Dominion Government is confronted with a deficit of \$340,000,000 for the current fiscal year. The total expenditure will be \$620,000,000 and the revenue \$280,000,000. Thus another domestic loan must be issued to cover the difference.

Of the \$620,000,000 of expenditure, \$300,000,000 will be devoted to demobilization. The sum of \$115,000,000, more or less, will be required for interest, and sinking fund on the debt and from \$35,000,000 to \$40,000,000 will be needed for pensions. What is known as ordinary expenditure, which usually runs from \$150,000,000 to \$175,000,000, will absorb the rest.

Parliament should examine this expenditure programme very closely. Very few other countries are spending more in the first year of peace than they spent in an average year of war. According to the Finance Minister, the total cost of the war up to March 31 was \$1,327,273,848, an average of less than \$300,000,000 per year. Demobilization alone is costing as much as Canada's part in the war cost, say, two years ago, when war supplies were being purchased on a vast scale.

The Government should practise what it preaches in regard to economy. It cannot continue to operate at a loss and borrow to meet its deficits. The lending market is not boundless; indeed its limit is not very far distant.

## INSTIGATORS OF VIOLENCE.

(New York Evening World)

Why should anti-American forces menacingly hostile to the Government of the United States and to the fundamental ideals of its people go on gathering strength and daring, thanks to the protection afforded them by a high principle of the very Americanism they are ready to attack? Would any genuine American feel himself "muzzled" because he knew that inciting others to disloyalty and lawlessness would with certainty land him in jail, and that the benefit of any doubt as to the precise meaning or effect of his public utterances would go, not to him, but to loyal, law-respecting Americans entitled to protection? Then why so much latitude and consideration for avowed instigators of violence who are not Americans at all? In the light of public safety and order as well as of its principles it is time the country seriously asked itself these questions.

## WHO OWNS PARLIAMENT?

(Ottawa Citizen)

The people of Canada are entitled to know who are the owners of the press. They are also entitled to know too, who are the owners of Parliament. Publicity of campaign funds should include publicity of all commissions and briefs given to political lawyers by private corporations within a few months of election time, or, indeed, throughout their Parliamentary term. When members accuse the press of Canada of being bought, the public should have the opportunity of judging whether political leaders are ever bought, and of removing the element of doubt by publicity. A little light would show up more clearly just precisely what Parliament does reflect.

## DEATH'S REGISTRY FOR COOKS.

(London Telegraph)

The lady of the house lacked a cook and said she would have a look at the advertisements. Her husband noticed that she was searching through the notices of deaths. "I thought you were going to search the 'want places' he said. "You are looking at the deaths columns." "I know," she replied. "I wish to see what cooks have lost their employers."

## HARD FARE IN KINGSTON.

(Kingston Whig)

The New York World Magazine discusses at some length the science and art of sleeping on a hotel billiard table. In view of what visitors to Kingston have to put up with, in the absence of sufficient and adequate hotel accommodation, the article ought to be locally very interesting.

## QUEER.

(The London Free Press)

With 100,000,000 surplus tons of coal in the United States awaiting a market it is no wonder we question why this \$14.50 a ton for next year's bin supply?

## ESTHONIANS ASK ALLIES TO SEND TROOPS TO AID IN PETROGRAD REGION

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### Grain Supply

London, June 6.—A dispatch received here, which was filed in Omak on May 27, says that if the Omak Government succeeds in clearing Russia of the Bolsheviks this year it will be barely able to meet the demands for grain to supply the people, according to M. Petrov, Minister of Agriculture. It is said that quite a proportion of the wheat crop of the past three years is still to be threshed in outlying districts, due to inadequate transportation facilities.

### Bolshevik Claim

London, June 6.—A Bolshevik wireless message received here claims that Bolshevik troops have captured Samapul, on the Kama River southwest of Perm, which was one of the important towns taken by Admiral Kolchak's forces in their spring advance. The dispatch asserts that the Bolsheviks are continuing to advance in this region.

## GEN. KETCHEN STATES OTTAWA IS MOVING AGAINST UNDESIRABLES IN WINNIPEG AND OTHER CITIES

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turers know that thousands of union workers are ready to return to their jobs. Fear of violence has halted them."

### Soldiers on Duty.

Returned soldier constables were on duty this forenoon. For the first time since the strike began on May 15 squads of street cleaners were in action. Newspapers again were sold in the business district. Deliveries of bread were sold in the business districts. Deliveries of bread were made with protection of constables, and milk was sold at municipal stations in the city schools.

### Express Employees.

Ottawa, June 6.—Sir Robert Borden yesterday afternoon received a telegram from Allan Patton, Grand President of the Brotherhood of Dominion Express Employees, in which Mr. Patton declared that members of this brotherhood who are on strike in the West are acting contrary to the orders of the Grand Lodge. Referring to a resolution regarding relations between the Government and certain of its employees on strike in the West in which the Western Express employees condemn the attitude of the Government, Mr. Patton said:

"They do not represent the attitude of this brotherhood, and are without authority to speak for this brotherhood. They are only representing their western councils."

Mr. Patton suggested that his statement be given prompt publicity.

## PUBLIC SERVICES MUST BE OPERATED FOR THE PEOPLE, SAYS MAYOR OF VANCOUVER

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ing in affiliation with the American Federation of Labor still at work.

### Ottawa's Information.

Ottawa, June 6.—Advises received at the Labor Department indicate that the strike situation at Vancouver is not improving. The Department has been advised the street railwaymen are now out on strike.

The Mayor of Vancouver communicated with Sir Robert Borden yesterday in an effort to prevent the street car men from joining the strikers and the Finance Minister telegraphed to him the Government's attitude with regard to collective bargaining.

The Department has no word as to the situation in Winnipeg.

### Denial by Robertson.

Ottawa, June 6.—Senator Robertson, Minister of Labor, denies the current report that he is about to resign from the Government in order to resume his duties as vice-president of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers. "The position," Senator Robertson said, "is that I resigned my position as vice-president of the railroad telegraphers, but although I had sent in my resignation, I was re-elected vice-president. I have, however, been given

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leave of absence by the Order of Railroad Telegraphers so long as I hold office in the Government. My resignation to the vice-presidency does not therefore affect my position in Ottawa."

### At Montreal.

Montreal, June 6.—The local strike situation remains unchanged, with only one dispute that of the barbers, showing any active signs of a settlement. The Canadian Vickers situation is tightening up, and the men seem to be preparing for an offensive fight. No new strikes have yet been projected, but an effort is being made to bring out all metal trades on the question of the forty-four-hour week.

### Montreal Settlement

Montreal, June 6.—A change in the settlement of the Montreal Trades and Labor Council with regard to the labor situation in the west was noticeable last night when that body, after hearing the reading of a communication from the Winnipeg Trades and Labor Council, and another from the Vancouver Trades and Labor Council, passed a sympathetic resolution, the text of which follows:

"Be it resolved that the Montreal Trades and Labor Council tenders its moral support to all organized workers fighting for the principles of the forty-four-hour week and collective bargaining."

"Be it further resolved that the Council request the Federal Government to reinstate the postal workers who have been on strike."

This resolution was passed unanimously and showed a complete change from the sentiment of a few weeks ago, when the same body went on record with only three dissenting votes in condemnation of the one Big Union.

## LABOR AWAITS LEADER'S RETURN

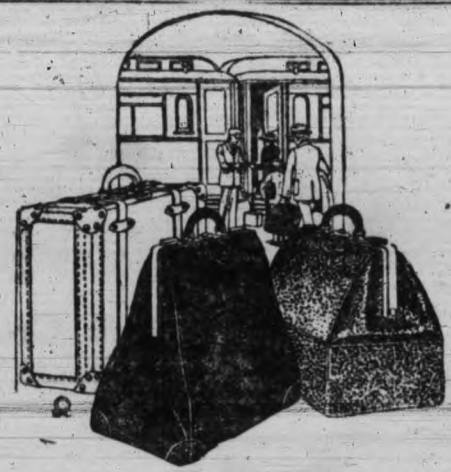
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have not decided their stand on the strike issue would have to meet again before walking out.

J. Dakers, Chairman of the Strike Committee, declined this morning to make a statement on the probable action of the Strike Committee on Saturday, but he threw out the remark that it was only a question of hours before something was determined. It was, in fact, impossible to say what would happen, he explained.

The delegates of the street railwaymen who returned this morning from the Terminal City explained the attitude of their union men in Vancouver who, by going on strike, completely reversed their previous stand. The delegates state that the Vancouver men were influenced by events at Winnipeg, where they thought the situation had changed much in two days. The announcement of Premier Borden that the striking postal employees would not be reinstated, it is declared, had a great effect upon the car men when they reconsidered their decision not to walk out.

The report of their delegates, it is thought, will have a lot to do with any further decision the local street railwaymen will make on the sympathetic strike issue. They were at first opposed to a strike, but whether the de-



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cision of their conferees in Vancouver will alter their ideas remains to be seen.

### Warning Against Strike.

A warning against precipitate action on the part of Victoria labor has been received by E. S. Woodward, President of the Trades and Labor Council, from J. C. McIntosh, Federal Member for Nanaimo. Mr. McIntosh's telegram is as follows:

"I would like you to carefully consider the results before resorting to extreme strike measures. The sympathetic strike under present conditions of unrest is unwise and will prove unsuccessful and barren of good results to Vancouver Island, and Labor for whose best interests I am always striving."

"When Government employees strike for sympathetic reasons without grievances of their own they strike at and against the people at large and not against either capital or private employers. The Government's secret service and utterances of some leaders show conclusively that those behind the movement in Winnipeg had for their ultimate object the overthrow of the present system of constitutional government responsible to the people, which if furthered and developed can

only mean civil war in Canada and is unjustifiable and unthinkable.

"Good results can only be obtained by using your energies towards the election of Labor representatives and I am personally willing to open my seat for that purpose by resigning, believing, as I do, that Labor is entitled to a just and proper representation in Parliament. My personal opinion is that behind our present troubles and without the knowledge of Canadian Labor is German influence and intrigue to gain better terms at the Peace Conference and to delay trade readjustments and expansion until they have recovered sufficiently to again compete in world markets. I pray as your friend and well wisher that you may be justly guided in all your actions."

## SOUTH SLAVS HAND NOTE TO MR. WILSON

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SECOND FLOOR—Carpets and Draperies. Phone 1246.

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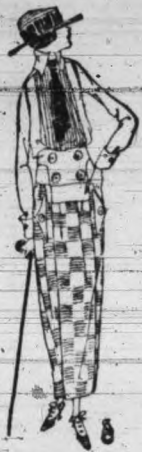
FIRST FLOOR—Cloaks, Suits, Dresses, Underskirts, Long Kimonos, Porch and Beach Dresses, Muslin Dresses, White Outing Skirts, Corsets.

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—First Floor, Douglas

## An Approved Corset for Summer Wear—For Campers or Sports, \$1.75

A Corset made in strong porous net, with a reinforcement of batiste in front. It has low bust, long hips and is fitted with four hose supporters. In sizes 19 to 26. This is an ideal Corset for camping wear or for sports of any kind and is extra value at the price \$1.75

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## Drill Camping Suits for Girls at \$5.75

Camping Suits, made from heavy quality drill, in khaki. The suit consists of bloomers and a three-quarter length middie. They have been especially designed for camping and such outdoor wear. Sizes to fit girls 10, 12 and 14 years, and a very economical purchase at the price \$5.75

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## Something Unusual in Candy for To-morrow

You have always experienced satisfaction in our candy specials, but you will be more than pleased with the offering to-morrow. Our candy is always pure and good and priced very reasonably. Call and get some of these extra specials for Sunday.

Crystal Fruit Drops—Reg. 50c, for, lb. 40c

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—Boys' Clothing, Main Floor, Broad

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—Hardware Dept., Basement, New Store, Douglas

## Men's Panama Hats, \$3.50

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## A BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggly and the Washing Machine

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One day when Uncle Wiggly Longears had taken Baby Bunty to the five and ten cent store to buy the little rabbit girl a new doll, they saw a crowd of animal ladies at one end of a counter.

"Oh, Uncle Wiggly!" called Baby Bunty. "Let's go see what they're selling there!"

"Oh, it's very likely nine-cent diamond dish pans for eight cents or four-cent side combs for three pennies," said Uncle Wiggly, sort of disapprovingly like and skeptical.

"Well, I want to see, anyhow!" said Baby Bunty, and she skipped along the store aisle pulling Uncle Wiggly with her. And when they reached the counter where the crowd was gathered they saw a little rat gentleman selling washing machines.

"Buy one for your wife or housekeeper," said the rat gentleman clerk. "They make washing day almost as nice as Sunday when you go out in your auto. All you have to do is to put the clothes, with the soap and water, in this tub, shut down the cover and then turn the handle and your clothes come out as white as snow."

"Ha! hum!" exclaimed Uncle Wiggly, sort of thoughtful like. "I wonder how Nurse Jane would like one of those, Baby Bunty?"

"They would be fine for her," said the little rabbit girl.

"I'll buy it," said Uncle Wiggly and he did.

When the washing machine was sent to the hollow stump bungalow Nurse Jane didn't know what it was.

"It is a churn to make butter," she asked.

Then Uncle Wiggly showed the muskrat lady housekeeper how to put the clothes in the tub with the soap and water, close down the lid and twist the handle.

"Every time you turn the handle," said the bunny, "it makes a thing like a three-legged stool skiddle and sciddle around on the clothes, twisting them again, and so joshing out the dirt."

"We'll wash the clothes to-morrow," said Nurse Jane. "I'll wash them early the next morning, as soon as Uncle Wiggly had eaten his breakfast and had started off to find an adventure in the woods. Nurse Jane and Baby Bunty picked up the soiled clothes and got ready to wash them."

Baby Bunty cut up a cake of soap and Nurse Jane filled the tub with warm water.

"Now," said the muskrat lady, "you may help me bring down the basket of linen from the bed."

Nurse Jane did this, but just as Nurse Jane was going to turn the clothes into the washing machine, the telephone rang in the hollow stump bungalow.

"I'll see who it is!" cried little Baby Bunty, hopping into the dining room. "It's for you, Nurse Jane," said she. "You talk and I'll go upstairs and get some of my doll's clothes. They need washing, too."

Now, while Nurse Jane was at the telephone, talking to Mrs. Stubtail, the bear lady wanted to know how to make a strawberry shortcake longer, so there would be enough for company, and while Baby Bunty was getting out her doll's clothes, the bad old Skeezicks came sneaking around the hollow stump bungalow. He saw the basket of clothes in the kitchen, near the new machine, and the Skeezicks said:

"Ha! This is just my chance! I'll hide in that basket, down under the clothes, and when Uncle Wiggly comes along he won't see me. Then I can jump out and bite some sense off his ears before he knows it. Oh, I'm a lot smarter than the Pipsawah or the Skuddlemagoon. They wouldn't think of this way of catching some sense out of Uncle Wiggly's ears!"

So the bad old Skeezicks hid himself away down in the bottom of the basket of clothes while Baby Bunty was upstairs and while Nurse Jane was at the telephone.

And then who should come along but Uncle Wiggly. He hadn't found an adventure, so he said to himself:

"I'll go back to my bungalow and see how the new washing machine is working."

And when Uncle Wiggly reached the kitchen and saw the basket of clothes that were not yet washed, and when

## Social Personal

John Wilson, of Seattle, is an arrival at the Empress Hotel.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, K.C., was in the city yesterday.

Captain C. C. A. Lange, of Halifax, N. S., is registered at the Empress Hotel.

Miss Roxie Bunt, of this city, is visiting Mrs. Barrington, Nelson Street, for a week.

Dr. Joseph G. S. Hudson, Engineer of Mines for the Federal Department of Mines, left the city yesterday after a short visit to Victoria.

The Misses Peggy and Mary McBride have returned home from a visit to friends on the mainland.

From the Vancouver World: "Mrs. Allister Forbes and her two children, who have been staying for some time with Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar Taylor, left yesterday for the country home Mr. and Mrs. Forbes have recently purchased at Mill Bay, Saanich Arm. Mr. Forbes, who accompanied his family from India, has returned there on business."

Mrs. J. H. Macfarlane, 2216 Moss Street, has as her guest for a few months her daughter, George Williams, of Chile. Mrs. Williams is chief engineer for the Guggenheims, representing the Chile Exploration Company, and is on his way to Chuquibambilla, Chile. Local members of the I.O.D.E. will remember that Mrs. Williams was instrumental in raising considerable sums of money for the Chilean Red Cross, sending the proceeds to the Victoria I.O.D.E. for distribution to various patriotic causes.

Pte. H. E. Gillingham, M.M., son of Mrs. E. Gillingham, 2703 Douglas Street, returned to Victoria this morning after three and a half years overseas service. Leaving Victoria with a draft for the Ambulance Corps in 1915, Pte. Gillingham saw much service in France and was twice wounded, receiving injuries to his leg at the Somme in 1916 and to his arm at Amiens in 1918. He was awarded the Military Medal for devotion to duty under hazardous circumstances.

A wedding of much interest in local military circles took place in Ottawa on Wednesday, May 28, when Major Frank Arthur Robertson, D.S.O., was married to Edith Gertrude, daughter of Mrs. Florence Wright. Major and Mrs. Robertson will make their home at 1611 Stanley Avenue. Major Robertson is chairman of the B.C. Returned Soldiers' Commission and saw considerable service during the war. He was with the 5th Regiment before the war, and in 1915 joined the 4th Battalion of New Westminster on the Western Front. Pte. Winby, being given his majority before going overseas. In October, 1916, he was wounded at the Somme, losing his right eye, but returned to France in command of No. 12 Canadian Siege Battery, and again last August, was wounded.

About four hundred attended the third annual dance of the Miriam Temple. Daughters of the Nile, held at the Alexandra Club last night, and the affair proved an enjoyable success. The ballroom was beautifully decorated, yellow broom, green and white reflecting the colors of the organization. Professor Heaton's orchestra furnished a splendid programme of music and dancing was kept up till an early hour. Devotees of cards found tables arranged for five hundred in the ballroom. The function was arranged by Mrs. Isabel Spence, Queen of the Daughters, with the assistance of an energetic committee, and no pains were spared to contribute to the pleasure of patrons. The proceeds will be devoted to the purchase of comforts for returned soldiers.

Miss Campbell, of Winnipeg, a missionary of the Zenana Bible and Medical Mission arrived in the city on this morning's boat, and is the guest of Mrs. E. M. Love, 1041 Craigdarroch Road, for the week-end. To-morrow afternoon at 2:45, Miss Campbell will address members of the Daisy Chain Chapter and their friends at the residence of Mrs. Love, who is regent of the Chapter.

The Metropolitan Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock, when Miss Hazel Elma Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Graham, 245 Hillside Avenue, was married to Herbert Stanley Foreman, who has only recently returned from service overseas with the C.G.A. The bride wore a lovely wedding gown of ivory satin with tulle draperies and silver lace trimming and veil of silk embroidered net caught with orange blossoms. Her bouquet was of bridal roses and carnations. She was attended by her sister, Miss Iva Graham as bridesmaid, wearing a becoming frock of white crepe de chine, encrusted with large black transparent hat trimmed with ostrich tips and carrying a bouquet of pink and white carnations, and two tiny tots, nieces of the bride, Elma and Rita Keeler, who wore dainty little frocks of pink silk mull edged with satin ribbon, their baskets containing white carnations and fern. Harry Cleaton, who also served overseas in the artillery, supported the groom. The bride's mother wore a smart dress of blue silk with black hat. After the ceremony the bridal party and guests returned to the home of the bride's parents, where a reception was held, attended by a large number of friends of the young couple. The groom's gift of a ring, while the bridesmaid gave a lavalliere and to the best man a pair of gold cuff links, as souvenirs of the occasion. Among the many beautiful gifts testified to their popularity was a handsome case of community silver, the gift of the employees of Terry's Drug Stores, with whom the bride has been connected for several years. Mr. and Mrs. Foreman will make their home in Courtenay.

he saw the washing machine he said: "Well, I guess Baby Bunty and Nurse Jane haven't had time to wash the clothes. I'll put them in the machine and give it a few twists and turns myself."

And before the bad Skeezicks could flap out from under the clothes and get Uncle Wiggly's sense, the rabbit gentleman tipped the clothes, Skeezicks and all into the tub of soap and water, slammed down the lid and began to turn the handle, which skidded the three-legged stool.

And just as Nurse Jane and Baby Bunty came into the kitchen, there sounded from the washing machine such distressful cries as:

"Oh, woe! Oh, let me out! Oh, I'm being washed—so clean I'll never look like myself again. Oh, splutter!"

"My goodness, what's that?" cried Nurse Jane. "I didn't know the clothes nor the washing machine could talk!"

"Uncle Wiggly opened the cover. Out popped the Skeezicks, all wet and covered with soap suds, and he looked like a cat that had fallen into the bathtub."

"This is too much for me!" cried the Skeezicks and away he ran. Then the machine washed all the clothes very clean, and Nurse Jane liked it very much. And if the molasses candy doesn't stay so long at the moving pictures that it can't get up out of the seat, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggly and the red tulip.

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ure of patrons. The proceeds will be devoted to the purchase of comforts for returned soldiers.

Miss Campbell, of Winnipeg, a missionary of the Zenana Bible and Medical Mission arrived in the city on this morning's boat, and is the guest of Mrs. E. M. Love, 1041 Craigdarroch Road, for the week-end. To-morrow afternoon at 2:45, Miss Campbell will address members of the Daisy Chain Chapter and their friends at the residence of Mrs. Love, who is regent of the Chapter.

The Metropolitan Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock, when Miss Hazel Elma Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Graham, 245 Hillside Avenue, was married to Herbert Stanley Foreman, who has only recently returned from service overseas with the C.G.A. The bride wore a lovely wedding gown of ivory satin with tulle draperies and silver lace trimming and veil of silk embroidered net caught with orange blossoms. Her bouquet was of bridal roses and carnations. She was attended by her sister, Miss Iva Graham as bridesmaid, wearing a becoming frock of white crepe de chine, encrusted with large black transparent hat trimmed with ostrich tips and carrying a bouquet of pink and white carnations, and two tiny tots, nieces of the bride, Elma and Rita Keeler, who wore dainty little frocks of pink silk mull edged with satin ribbon, their baskets containing white carnations and fern. Harry Cleaton, who also served overseas in the artillery, supported the groom. The bride's mother wore a smart dress of blue silk with black hat. After the ceremony the bridal party and guests returned to the home of the bride's parents, where a reception was held, attended by a large number of friends of the young couple. The groom's gift of a ring, while the bridesmaid gave a lavalliere and to the best man a pair of gold cuff links, as souvenirs of the occasion. Among the many beautiful gifts testified to their popularity was a handsome case of community silver, the gift of the employees of Terry's Drug Stores, with whom the bride has been connected for several years. Mr. and Mrs. Foreman will make their home in Courtenay.

he saw the washing machine he said: "Well, I guess Baby Bunty and Nurse Jane haven't had time to wash the clothes. I'll put them in the machine and give it a few twists and turns myself."

And before the bad Skeezicks could flap out from under the clothes and get Uncle Wiggly's sense, the rabbit gentleman tipped the clothes, Skeezicks and all into the tub of soap and water, slammed down the lid and began to turn the handle, which skidded the three-legged stool.

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## Dickens Survives

From The New York Times.

It is ninety-two years ago since Mr. Samuel Pickwick, bursting like another sun from his slumbers, opened his chamber window, looked into the world of Goswell Street, shaved, dressed, had his coffee and started with his portmanteau, his telescope in his great-coat and his note-book in his waistcoat, for the coach stand in St. Martin's-le-Grand. "Golden Cross," said Mr. Pickwick. "Only a bob's worth, Tommy," cried the driver sulkily for the information of his friend the waterman, as the cab drove off. "How old is that horse, my friend?" Their sociology, so far as that consists in an intelligent interest in the affairs of the world in general and of other people in particular was born. At any rate, the ingenious and thirsty sociology of the Pickwickians will always be honored by old-fashioned persons, by the humorist-sentimentalists, the simple and the solid. Even in this "advanced" and happy time, when one should be subtle and complex, a dispenser of the bourgeoisie, a moulder of free verse, dotting on decadence and celebrating his own indestructibility, it is possible to suspect that secretly many soften or favor return to the good old ordinary, the old free-and-easy, the bagman's roof of the world. Mr. Chesterton sits at the head of the table. Probably that friend of the "pub," one of the last defenders of the social thirst which wiser America has abolished, "laid his wreath" in Goswell Street, May 13, Shakespeare, and Mr. Pickwick on his sociological tour, appeared to the world in the same merry month. Our old friend The Dickensian, a "quarterly magazine for Dickens lovers and the official record of the Dickens Fellowship," tells us that on February 7, the 107th anniversary of Dickens's birth, "many admirers visited his grave in Westminster Abbey and placed floral tributes on it." Even in the Hub there is an "All-Around Dickens Club." Boston sent its wreath, brought its wreath. "American and Colonial sailors and soldiers, also did homage." On May 30 the "Annual conference of the Dickens Fellowship" begins again. On June 1 the delegates will go to Westminster Abbey, "where it is hoped a special sermon will be preached on Dickens."

A gentleman who would have been in Dickens, if Dickens had been alive now wrote a book the other day to manifest a sort of Malebranchian theory of his god or hero. The workman of all novelists since Dickens, or contemporary with Dickens, were due to Charles. Even Nathaniel Hawthorne, the original, the solitary, was of the Carolines. This is as it should be. One looks to The Dickensian for Dickensiana. There is something in the good old simple Dickens for everybody; and what about him doesn't interest us humble inferior persons?—and how many millions there are of us! For example, the printer folk:

A former compositor who helped to set "Edwin Drood" in type has been recalling that the manuscript was most difficult and almost unreadable. So bad was it, we are told, that it was obvious that Dickens could not read it himself, "for the changes that he made were nothing like the original. So that

## WELL-KNOWN SPORTSMAN

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the work when it did appear was not a complete copy of the original manuscript. What nonsense is this? How many of Dickens's (for anybody else's) books as published are complete copies of the original manuscript? What about the bull in the china shop, altered in proof to King Charles's head, in "David Copperfield"? Was that because Dickens could not read his own writing? As a matter of fact, Dickens's manuscript was not copperplate, but we will venture to say that any compositor of decent intelligence would get on very well with a decent "take," and the "takes" could not be very small, because the manuscript of "Drood" exists, clearly showing that it was not cut into small "takes" by the overseer.

Beautiful enthusiasm! "The Pickwick Papers" is just the thing to read to children. What parts of it? "Pickwick in the Nursery" The London Times was writing an editorial article about the other day. Yet even in the immortality of Pickwickianism one must remember certain changes. Mr. Pott of The Eastonville Gazette could not escape the House of Lords. Mr. Alfred Jingle would be a leader of the British Labor Party. Mr. Job Trotter would be a Fabian, probably Mr. Snodgrass and Mrs. Leo Hunter would be writing free verse. Mr. Sam Weller died at Wipers or somewhere else in the noble bravery and illimitable chaff of the Cockneys. To Mr. Chesterton, pontificating and parading over his pipe and beer, "Sam Weller is the great symbol in English literature of the populace peculiar to England. His incessant stream of sane nonsense is a wonderful achievement of Dickens; but it is no great falsification of the incessant stream of sane nonsense as it

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really exists among the English poor. The English poor live in an atmosphere of humor; they think in humor. Irony is the very air they breathe. A joke comes suddenly from time to time into the head of a policeman or a gentleman

and then as a rule he makes the most of it; but when a serious word comes into the mind of a coterie it is almost as startling as a joke. The phrase that leaps to their lips is the ironical phrase.

Sam was killed among the Con-  
temptibles, killed a million times. If the dialect of 1827 has gone, the humor, the cheerfulness, the irresistible desire for dialogue and drama, so nobly evident in the bus drivers of Paris and London, in the old race of Broadway stage drivers and car drivers, surviving still among the truckmen—the cheerfulness, the disguise of deep feeling and high patriotism in jokes, the sound sense, the wit, the humor, the simplicity under urban, worldly wisdom of the Sam Wellers of New York, of Chicago, of many cities, have been sanctified by suffering, by gay endurance, by the most vivid and encyclopaedic profanity in the world, by death. Sam Weller is a much greater Sam Weller than he was nearly a hundred years ago. He is a type of all Cockneys, Jews and Gentiles, boys of a hundred races, living at random in the fierce and careless life of great cities. He was a gamin of Paris. He stood on the street corners of New York. He saw the procession of life, he accepted the poignant of death, with ironic eyes and mind.

## VICARIOUS ATONEMENT.

"Ah, me," signed the successful man who was revisiting the old village school, "how time does fly. Thirty years ago I sat in this very front seat, and it seems to be as if it were but yesterday. I am not very much mistaken, you'll find my initials carved on the desk."

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## A NATIONAL HIGHWAY.

To the Editor.—In the issue of your journal of the 10th of last month, it contained, under the caption of "Favors Highway Across Canada As National Monument," an article for those who have given up their lives for the cause of freedom, and is to my mind a most worthy expression of feeling and opinion from the pen of the editor of the Canadian Municipal Journal. I may state that I read it over several times, and have been waiting to see if some one would take up this important subject. It does, with, in a very interesting and comprehensive manner, the desirability of building a first-class highway from ocean to ocean, estimated distance

3,500 miles, and to my mind this is a most desirable proposition, both from a national and useful standpoint. By the way, this is an old proposition revived. Fifty years ago, after these colonies had become the colony of British Columbia, the members of the Council (British Columbia being then a Crown Colony) came to the conclusion that it would be desirable in the public interest to become a portion of the Dominion. Accordingly, three gentlemen were selected to proceed to Ottawa to present to the Federal Government the desires of the colony. Those gentlemen were clothed with authority to make the best arrangements they could. The trio were our highly-respected townsmen, Doctor J. S. Helmcken, now fortunately still with us; Sir Joseph Trutch, then plain Joseph Trutch, and Doctor Carroll. The latter have joined the great majority.

Among the things that our delegates asked for was that the Federal Government should cause to be built a good wagon road to connect this Province with the Eastern Provinces. Sir John A. Macdonald, sometimes called the "Nation-maker," said: "Put, put! Gentlemen. We will build you a railroad." That was the first intimation the people of this Province had of being connected by rail with the East, which at the time was beyond their expectations. After some delay beyond the time agreed upon for the construction of the road, it was built, the Fed-

eral Government ultimately paying this Province \$750,000 for the delay.

The editor of the Municipal Journal estimated the cost of construction of the road suggested far too high. His estimate is \$20,000 per mile, or \$70,000,000 for the 3,500 miles from ocean to ocean. I was connected with the building of hundreds of miles of wagon roads in this Province, the cost of construction having passed through my hands from the 9th of April, 1862, up to the end of the summer 1874, with but little intermission during those years. I served in the capacity of accountant, commissary, superintendent and contractor. The wagon road from Ladysmith to Fort Alexander, a distance of 197½ miles, was constructed in 1862-3, according to specifications, eighteen feet wide, with a grade of not to exceed one in twelve, and ditches where the Government's superintendents thought necessary.

To give an idea of the character of the road, I have sent teams of eight animals hauling three wagons, one behind the other, and laden with over 25,000 pounds, over that excellent road. The building of the road cost \$326,600, or a trifle over \$1,633 per mile. The most expensive piece of wagon road that we built in 1864 was from Cottonwood River, a distance of twenty-two miles, where there was timber cleared to a width of sixty-six feet, the roadway being eighteen feet. The reason for the width, where there were trees, was to allow the sun to dry the road in the spring when the snow had disappeared. The

contract price for its construction, including a bridge across the Cottonwood River was \$54,000, out of which a profit of about \$20,000 was made. We had at one time 750 men at work on its construction. Graders' wages were \$45 per month, rock men and choppers, \$60 per month, of course with board. As all food, except beef, had to be transported from this part of the Province the cost of feeding the workmen was more than it would be to-day, notwithstanding the high prices obtaining in nearly all articles of food, as the cost of carrying anything to that part of the Province was from \$16 to \$18 per pound at that date.

Transportation of goods to the interior is not more than a quarter to one-third of what it was in those days. Even in crossing the Rocky Mountains, supplies for the building of the road in question would not be required to be hauled any great distance from a railroad. I mention these phases of the question to show that the cost of supplies would not be so great as it would have been some years ago.

As an old road builder I am of the opinion that such a road could be built inside of \$10,000 per mile, which would make the cost for the whole distance not more than \$35,000,000 all told. While that is a large sum, it could easily be borne by the Provinces through which it would pass, according to the cost in each one. It would be a great benefit to the rural people besides giving employment to many of our gallant returned heroes in more capacities than one—in these days of changed means of travelling, what a host it would be to motorists, who have been most persistent in advocating the construction of such roads!

I quite agree with them, as even those who do not own an automobile could have the pleasure of riding in one. In these days there are so many being manufactured that a man or woman is nobody unless one can jump in his or her car and be anywhere in the time that it takes to hitch up the old friend of man, the obedient horse.

The editor of The Municipal Journal says: "At the end of the long Peninsular and Napoleonic wars the British army, instead of being disbanded and so thrust on an already impoverished country, was employed in building many of England's famous roads. By the time that the roads were complete, national and local conditions had become normal and the army had been able to assimilate the soldiers to civilian life," and he adds, "and the same procedure should take place in Canada."

Any one who takes an interest in the best of roads for the country, will find in the Victoria Daily Times of the 16th of last month, an excellent well-written article on the subject. The carrying out of the suggestion which is set forth would go considerably toward filling a present gap.

JOHN GRANT.  
Dominion Hotel, Victoria, June 4.

## ESQUIMAULT IN ARMS.

To the Editor.—According to a wild-eyed Esquimault backwoodsman, he is raising a force of brave men in the municipality to march on Vancouver and massacre it. He claims to have solved the mystery of the Esquimault in building the drydock. He says he has it on the highest authority that a dastardly Vancouver drydockist took a "snapshot" of the Esquimault \$500 Municipal. It is not a secret. The Ministers at Ottawa, and that it was moved, seconded and unanimously agreed among them that: "A community with a Municipal Hall like that wanted, not a drydock, but a receiver."

## ESQUIMAULT.

## HIGH COST OF LIVING.

To the Editor.—"Godfrey" makes the assertion in your issue of Tuesday, June 3, to the effect: "As it chanced to produce only eight hours a day it must pay the pipe" meaning Labor. I should like to refresh his memory a little, as in addition to his other defects, he is evidently suffering from mental derangement.

During the past few years, I think I am correct in saying, Canada had somewhere about half a million producers overseas. During that period Canada produced surplus for her own needs and kept that half million in the field (producing nothing), filled our cold storage and incidentally produced twenty-three new millionaires—all this was done without the majority of that half-million are returned and are again producers, I should like "Godfrey" to explain why the work ten hours per day to reduce the high cost of living.

Mr. Editor, after being overseas for three and a half years and to return to read such articles as we are favored with from "Godfrey's" pen makes me sometimes wonder "if it was worth while."

## LEADERS NOT PAID.

To the Editor.—Replying to the letter appearing in your columns under the title of "The Leaders," I may say that the writer displays wonderful ignorance of the Trades Union movement when he asserts that the labor leaders are avaricious and impudent, that they would sacrifice a principle for mere wages.

In the first place the imputation is an insult, and in the second place the judging of others is a delicate matter and gives a clear indication of one's own mental make-up.

As a matter of fact Mr. Woodward does not receive any remuneration for his services as President of the Trades and Labor Council.

The leaders, or, in other words, the Central Strike Committee, are a body composed of one representative from each Local Union. They are elected by ballot and instructed to carry out the wishes of the majority of that particular craft. In most cases these men are following their regular occupation and are not receiving pay for their services on the Committee.

There is an erroneous impression prevalent that the labor leader is an agitator and an extremist of the worst type, whereas, the true facts are, that his line of action is dictated to him by the majority of that particular craft. In most cases these men are following their regular occupation and are not receiving pay for their services on the Committee.

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## WASHINGTON GRANGE MEN VISIT TO-MORROW

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The Master of the Grange is William Bouck, of Sedro-Woolley, and Fred Nelson, of Orillia, is Overseas. The Grange has decided to hold its next session in Aberdeen.

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Cinderella Dance, under the auspices of West Saanich Women's Institute, in Saanich Agricultural Hall, June 6.

Mrs. P. R. Webb will hold her post-nuptial reception at the home of her mother, Mrs. D. R. Pottinger, 413 Vancouver Street, on Friday, June 6, from 3-5 and 8-10.

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Provincial Branch, Canadian Patriotic Fund.—The arrears of contributions received for the month of May, 1919, exclusive of Vancouver city, were \$10,127.26, which amount came from provincial points only. The following is a list of the points contributing: Atlin, \$158.65; Banker, May 31, \$1,272.15; Kelowna, \$300; Mission City, \$111.23; Maple Ridge, \$450; Nanaimo, \$1,500; Prince Rupert, \$3,500; Princeton, \$579.35; Sorrento, \$38.50; Surrey Branch, Campbell River Lbr. Co., Employees White Rock, B.C., Terrace, \$15; total, \$10,127.26.

W.C.T.U. Gold Medal Contest—Miss Dyson was adjudged winner of the W.C.T.U. gold medal for education in the competition held at the Metropolitan Methodist Church on Thursday evening. The four competitors were Miss Ella Pottinger, Miss Gaudy, Miss Dyson and Mrs. Flight. In addition to the recitations, vocal solos were pleasingly rendered by Mesdames Morrison, Locke, Frisk, Wilder, and Messrs. Dunford, Locke and Johns. Mrs. C. C. Spofford presented the medal to the fortunate winner on behalf of the W.C.T.U.

Anti-Tuberculosis Society.—The regular meeting of the Victoria branch of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society was held at Alexandra House on Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. A. F. Griffiths in the chair. Mrs. Wilkinson was appointed delegate to represent the society in the Federated Service Council. Plans were made for a big rummage sale to be held on June 21 in aid of the society's funds for local work. Miss Thorpe, city visitor, read her report, which showed that \$33.50 had been expended for milk for indigenous patients, \$23.34 for eggs and \$2.50 for extras, making a total for the month of May of \$41.34, and leaving a balance in the treasury of \$8.70. A donation of \$18.25 from the Monday Bridge Club was gratefully received.

British-Israel.—Bishop Allen will speak on "The League of Nations in Prophecy" to-night in First Presbyterian Church, Hall 8 o'clock. Bring your friends. Admission free.

St. Saviour's Sale of Work.—The Ladies' Work Society of St. Saviour's, under the presidency of Mrs. J. N. Harper, held the most successful sale of work in the history of the parish yesterday afternoon, which is saying a good deal for this active organization. There was a steady stream of visitors at the stalls and tea tables. The following ladies were responsible for the various departments: Plain work, Mrs. Andrews and Mrs. Nicholson; fancy, Mrs. Ford and Mrs. Temple; candy, Mrs. Lucas and Mrs. Rogers; home cookery, Mrs. Abbey, Mrs. Leggo and Mrs. Johnson; "Veterans", Mrs. Hardie, Mrs. Colquhoun and Mrs. Saunders; "Generous" goods, Miss Tye and Miss N. Anderson; ice cream, Mrs. Barclough and Mrs. Holmes; refreshments, Mrs. Connell, Mrs. Gard, Mrs. Mansell, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Draper. In addition, the Girls' W. A. had a stall in charge of Miss Atkins and the Junior W. A. under Miss Cody-Johnson. Miss Hazel Anderson and Miss Dulcie Jenkins. The stalls were very tastefully decorated. The supper in the evening has been a great success. The receipts for the day amounted to \$410.00.

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**IRONICAL SITUATION DEVELOPS AT FERNIE**

Strikers Appeal to Government Because Coal Mine Co. Hints at Suspension

In a wire to Premier Oliver this morning S. Whitehouse, President of the local Miners' Union at Fernie, states that a newspaper article published in a Fernie Journal intimated that the Crow's Nest Coal Company intended to close its mine on account of the strike. As such a course would mean the forced idleness of many men in the neighborhood, Premier Oliver is asked by Mr. Whitehouse whether the Government would take action to avert such a contingency.

Mr. Oliver has discovered, however, that the paper making the announcement complained of is controlled entirely by union officials of District 18, upon whose instruction the present strike of coal miners has been called. Further, Mr. Oliver is informed that the company is taking such measures as it deems necessary under the circumstances for the proper protection of its property. Mr. Whitehouse has been advised of these facts.

**COURT OF APPEAL PROCEEDS TO-DAY**

Judgment Reserved in Lumber Case; Bank Fights Wage Earners' Claim

The Court of Appeal has reserved judgment in the case of the Dominion Lumber Company vs. Hodgson, which concerned a dispute over some of the lumber furnished for the building of the Dominion Government wharf at Vancouver. Today the case of Standard Bank vs. Elliott is being heard. The bank is appealing from an order adding the wage earners as parties. It appears that the Rainy River Pulp & Paper Company shipped a consignment of pulp to a concern in the United States in connection with which the Standard Bank had discounted a draft for some \$5,000 drawn on the consignee. The consignee refused to accept the draft from the bank, and sent the money direct to the Rainy River concern. In the meantime the latter company had made an assignment, and John Elliott was made assignee. The wage earners claimed a lien on the money, while the bank lays claim to the amount as its personal property, and is appealing against the order making the wage earners party to the action.

E. A. Lucas is appearing for the bank (appeal) and T. B. Shogobotham and E. J. Grant are appearing for the respondents.

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**LOYALTY LEAGUE EXPLAINS OBJECTS**

Holds No Brief For or Against Unions, and Not Opposed to Strikes

With Captain A. D. Crease as Chairman of the Committee, an educational campaign to clear up any misunderstanding that may exist as to the objects of the Loyalty League will be commenced. At a meeting held this afternoon in the Pemberton Building, Colonel the Hon. E. G. Prior in the chair, the objects of the league were pointed out. The opinion was expressed that the membership would be considerably swelled if the general public were more conversant with the league. It was also thought that the labor men, who at present seemed suspicious of the league, if instead of feeling antagonistic would join forces with the present members.

Objects of League.  
Joshua Kingham remarked that the organization was for the express purpose of maintaining law and order. "We have no objections to labor men or labor unions. We are in favor of unions. I think organization among labor men is just as much a necessity as organization among men of capital. We have banded ourselves together to maintain law and order, and if this is properly understood we shall get more support, and support from the labor men."

"Loyalty to law and order is what we stand for," said another speaker. "The finest thing I have seen for a long time I saw in the paper this morning," said Capt. Crease. "The returned soldiers at Winnipeg stated that there was one union which they stood for—the Union Jack."

Ten-Dollar Subscriptions  
Talking on the finances, the chairman mentioned that there were firms in the city who would promise \$10 a month while the strike lasted, but they were chary of promising a subscription for a year.

Mr. Llewellyn asked that as it was the object of the league to maintain law and order would they not also do something in regard to Bolshevism. "Books are being printed and circulated in Victoria upholding Bolshevism and defying properly constituted authority," he claimed.

Would Change Opinions  
Mr. Denker said if the people got a clear-cut statement on the Loyalty League they would obtain many members who were opposed to it. It must be thoroughly understood that they held no brief for or against labor unions.

"We are not opposed to labor unions and not antagonistic to strikes," said Judge A. A. Ferguson, "the only purpose of the league is to prevent disorder, lawlessness and disgraceful actions."

J. O. Cameron remarked that the labor organizations seem to believe that there is antipathy between the Canadian Manufacturers' Association and the labor unions. They do not seem to recognize the right of anyone to organize but themselves. As a matter of fact, the association does not devote itself to questions of labor. Its members devote themselves to the matter of extending the commerce of the country and providing remunerative employment for men who want to work. Any feelings the association might have on labor, he believed, would be in favor of upholding properly organized labor.

The league is not to break strikes or interfere with the rights of any citizen," said Mr. Flumerfelt. He read the membership pledge, which is as follows: "We hereby join the Loyalty League of Victoria, and we solemnly pledge ourselves to do all in our power to uphold all constituted authority, to maintain law and order and to suppress lawlessness in Victoria, and the surrounding districts."

Seattle's Example.  
Judge Freeman remarked that there were not enough people wearing the badge, and there were members who did not display the badge of membership. "Sometimes a man immortalizes himself by expression of his convictions," he stated. "Mayor Ole Hanson, of Seattle, did on two occasions, once when he said that the seat of government was at the City Hall, and not at the Labor Hall, and the other occasion when he tore off the labels which stated that provisions were being shipped to the hospitals during the Seattle strike by permission of the Labor Council, and said they were being shipped by permission of the City Council."

Other Matters.  
Reporting on the seamen's strike situation J. O. Cameron stated that the C. P. R. would not accept freight for Vancouver. It could be sent by the E. & N. Railway to Ladysmith, and thence by barge to the Mainland. In the event of the bargemen going out, he suggested the Federal Government should be asked to put on the Canora. In the case of the Cameron Lumber Mills they had been advised not to export for next week for loading. The lumber they were shipping was for Eastern Canada and the United States, and they would be able to continue if the barge ran. It was decided that the matter of the Canora was one for the Board of Trade to take up.

A deputation was appointed to wait on the Trades and Labor Council, with a view of extending an invitation which had previously been conveyed in a letter asking the members to attend a meeting of the Loyalty League, and become acquainted with the objects of the League.

**J. M. SHALES JOINS DEPARTMENT STAFF TO TEACH AGRICULTURE**

A new District Supervisor of Agricultural Instruction under the Department of Education has just been appointed for the Municipality of Langley, in the person of J. M. Shales, B.A., B.S.A. Mr. Shales has had a brilliant career as a student, having spent four years in Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario, and four years in the Ontario Agricultural College, where he obtained the highest standing given during the course. In addition to the teaching of agriculture in the Langley High School, Mr. Shales will assist the teachers in the public schools of the municipality in organizing and conducting courses in elementary agriculture, including school and home gardening. This branch of the work of the Education Department has already made substantial progress. Seven District Supervisors in all are now at work in different parts of the Province.

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**FREER HERE THAN IN "LAND OF THE FREE"**

Reporting that Canadian labor enjoys considerable latitude as compared with the situation in California, in its expression of opinion, John L. Martin, business representative of the Shipyards and Metal Trades Laborers' Union, Oakland, California, is now on a visit to Victoria. Mr. Martin lived in Victoria for a number of years until three years ago, when he moved to California, taking an active interest in civic affairs here as well as in organized labor. He states that the revolutionary element in the unions around the bay at San Francisco is not strong, nor is there any marked element of this character in the union with which he is associated, which has a membership of 2,500 and which is largely employed in the shipyards around the bay. However, the advanced thinkers have had to check their expressions of opinion with the passage of the anti-syndicalist law. After an experience under both flags, he expresses the view that a man has much more freedom of opinion here than under the Stars and Stripes. Mr. Martin is renewing acquaintances here. He expects to leave for the south to-morrow.

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Toledo, Ohio, June 6.—Sparring partners capable of handing out punishment instead of absorbing it is the paramount need in Jess Willard's training camp if the champion is to get into a hardened condition for his championship contest with Jack Dempsey here July 4, boxing experts declared to-day. Willard can stand with his hands at his sides if he so desires and allow the present sparring partners in camp to drive blows at his jaw and stomach without effect, but sport-ing experts said that was no indication that he could expose his vulnerable parts when Dempsey begins shooting his gloved fists at him. The challenger is a fighter of the Fitzsimmons type with powerful forearms and terrific hitting power, and capable of stopping a foe with either hand.

Dempsey is spending the last day of his "vacation" to-day and will resume his conditioning grind to-morrow.

### KID CARSON WOULD WEAR MIDDLEWEIGHT CROWN

Kid Carson, who before migrating to the great Canadian West many months ago, was one of Brockton's best known fighters, is after the Canadian middleweight championship. Carson, who has taken up his residence with his family in Vancouver, announced that he is ready to meet Barribeau over any route and that he is ready to sign articles at once. Carson, while a resident of Edmonton, met Al Ross, former Canadian titleholder, on several occasions and defeated him decisively in their last bout at Lethbridge, Alta. Carson says he will weigh around the 150-pound mark and that he is confident he can take the national title away from the Vancouver lad.

### LONG ODDS OFFERED ON WINNER OF DERBY

London, June 5.—Grand Parade, winner of the Derby yesterday, was a 32-to-1 shot, 7-to-1 was offered on Buchanan, which finished second, and the same odds were quoted on Paper Money, which got the show money. The Panther was the favorite, odds of 6-to-5 being quoted, 100-to-1 on All Alone, 25-to-1 on Tangiers, 40-to-1 on Milton, 20-to-1 on Whiteheat, 100-to-1 on Sir Douglas, Coriolanus and Romer Bay, and on Naples 50-to-1.

### SECOND MINTO CUP GAME OFF THROUGH STRIKE

Vancouver, June 6.—On account of the strike and the generally unsettled state of affairs, with the possibility of a tie-up occurring in New Westminster as well as other places, the second and lacrosse game of the Minto Cup series between the New Westminster champions and the Vancouver Terminus, scheduled for Westminster to-morrow afternoon, was postponed till an open date in August. P. C. Muldoon, business manager of the Terminus, announced last night after a conference with Manager A. E. Kellington, of New Westminster.

### CONVALESCENTS LOSE TO NANAIMO ELEVEN

Nanaimo.  
N. Wright, c and b Beck ..... 15  
A. Baker, c Gemmel, b Beck ..... 14  
A. Paul, c Farr, b Beck ..... 4  
Gardner, b Beck ..... 2  
Carmen, b Beck ..... 2  
F. Jepson, c and b Gemmel ..... 2  
R. R. Hindmarsh, c Lader, b Beck ..... 1  
A. Leighton (capt.), b Hayward ..... 12  
Scott, b Beck ..... 4  
Ross, not out ..... 4  
Armstrong, c Hayward, b Beck ..... 4  
Byes ..... 1  
Leg byes ..... 4  
Total ..... 74

### Qualicum Military Hospital.

Sergt. Bennett, c Paul, b Leighton ..... 7  
Sergt. Gemmel, c Hindmarsh, b Armstrong ..... 2  
Sergt. Tipple, c Gemmel, b Hindmarsh, 14  
Pte. Sandland, b Leighton ..... 0  
Pte. Hayward (capt.), c Wright, b Scott ..... 13  
Lieut. Laddie, c Baker, b Hindmarsh, 14  
H. Farr, c Armstrong, b Baker ..... 2  
Pte. Beck, not out ..... 5  
Pte. Hayward, run out ..... 0  
Pte. Honeyman, b Armstrong ..... 0  
Lieut. Legge Willis, c Leighton, b Baker ..... 2  
Byes ..... 2  
Leg byes ..... 3  
Total ..... 53

## BASEBALL

### STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Coast.			National.		
	W.	L. Pct.		W.	L. Pct.
Los Angeles	40	19 67	New York	25	18 71
Oakland	30	25 54	Cincinnati	20	16 55
San Francisco	32	28 53	Brooklyn	20	16 55
Salt Lake	27	25 51	Chicago	18	17 51
Vernon	27	25 51	Philadelphia	15	17 46
Sacramento	24	29 45	Pittsburg	17	20 45
Portland	20	32 38	Boston	12	21 36
Seattle	19	34 35	St. Louis	12	22 35

### American.

Chicago	29	11	69
Cleveland	21	13	61
New York	18	13	58
Detroit	17	17	50
St. Louis	16	17	48
Boston	15	16	48
Washington	11	21	34
Philadelphia	8	23	25

Willis—"Did the doctor do anything to hasten your recovery?"  
"Well, yes," he told me he was going to charge me a guinea a visit."

## SATURDAY'S CRICKET IN THE CITY LEAGUE

President Asks that All Players Make Appearance on Time

With the eleven in the city cricket league settling down to their regular cricket form four interesting games are on the schedule for Saturday, the games down for decision with the umpires being as follows:  
Albions-Congos, at Beacon Hill—Wilkinson sr. and T. Hole.  
Foundation Ramblers - Foundation Wanderers, at Willows—Dr. Houghton and G. Cross.  
Five C's-Victoria, at Jubilee Hospital—R. S. Radbourne and R. H. Barker.  
Reserves—J. Field and H. Moulton.  
Congos-Christ Church, at Oak Bay—S. Campton and Dods.  
President Payne calls attention to the fact that some players report late and states it is essential to be on hand for the games to commence at 2.15 o'clock. The Congos have an opportunity of lowering the colors of the victorious Albions this season for the first time. The Congos have a strong eleven, though they have not so far been successful in securing the points, and there is enough doubt as to the outcome of the game to make the encounter one of the most interesting on the cards for the day.

### Congos v. Albions.

At Beacon Hill—  
Congos—Austin (capt.) H. T. Lock, T. Howland, R. J. Ferris, W. Erickson, H. Gardier, D. E. Oliver, L. Wyles, W. Davenport, W. Partridge and E. W. Sweetland.  
Reserves—J. Field and H. Moulton.  
Albions—C. C. E. Parsons (captain), D. Fletcher, H. A. Ismay, N. F. Pite, F. Bosson, G. H. Walton, V. C. Martin, F. Jordan, T. A. Darke, P. N. Welch and E. D. Freeman.  
Foundation Ramblers v. Foundation Wanderers.

The two shipyard teams meet at the Willows, and unless the Ramblers show a considerable improvement in form, the game should be a replica of the Five C's and Christ Church game of last Saturday. The Wanderers look like making a strong bid for the league trophy, and have carried off two of their three games to date. Teams:  
Wanderers—Collett, Merrall, Houghton, Speck, Gregson, Davis, Wells, Barton, Foulds, Lines and Chipper.  
Ramblers—Sherman, Chappell, McGhie, Weeks, Penderay, Cowan, Greenblade, Flinton, Ralston, Goode and Hanson.

### Five C's vs. Victoria.

The most exciting tussle of the day is anticipated between the Five C's and Victoria at the Jubilee. The Five C's have been twice beaten, once by the Albions and once by the Foundation Wanderers, but the Victoria Club has carried off the honors in every game they have played this season. The Five C's this week will have the assistance of Westwood, who will contribute to their batting strength. With Wilkinson, who helped the Willows run through to the championship last season, and Westwood, the Five C's have a pair of bowlers capable of holding down the scores.

### The Teams

Victoria—H. A. Goward (captain), J. W. D. York, L. S. V. York, J. H. Gillespie, D. L. Gillespie, S. M. Gillespie, G. C. Grant, A. V. Mitchell, J. R. Watson, F. Wright and H. Chahart.  
Five C's—Payne (captain), Edwards, Watson, Taylor, Harrington, May, Lea, Tucker, Davis, Westwood, Muncey and Wilkinson.

### Incegs vs. Christ Church

The Incegs expect little difficulty in defeating Christ Church at Oak Bay. Christ Church—Shipway (captain), Dean, Quanten, E. Quanten, Booth, Oughton, Foster, Marshall, Kinsbottom, Oughton, Gilhan, Leeming; reserves, Oliver and Beeston.

### TEAM FOR BALL GAME COLLIERS V. YARROWS

Manager Dave Macfarlane requests that the following players to be on hand at the Royal Athletic Park at 2 o'clock sharp on Saturday afternoon to participate in the Colliers vs. Yarrows' ball game: H. Carne, H. Copas, R. Copas, J. Cummins, J. Clemence, J. Stevens, J. Williams, Babe Steele, C. Baker, B. Livingston, E. George, T. Fakes, B. Milne, Angie McInnis and C. Kinlock.

### VANCOUVER GOLFERS IN CHAMPIONSHIP TILT

Vancouver, June 6.—Twenty-six of the leading golfers of Greater Vancouver have entered for the city championship competition which will be held at the links of the Jericho Country Club to-morrow. Barquentine (Vancouver Golf and Country Club) leads in the entries, eleven members of that club going in for the competition. The other two local clubs, Jericho and Shaughnessy, have seven

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members each entered, and there is one unconnected devotee, Captain Grant, who is in military service at Hastings Park.

This will be an open competition for the 1919 golf championship of Vancouver, open to all golfers who entered prior to Wednesday evening last. It will be thirty-six holes and will start at 10 a. m. Last year Robert Bone, of Barquentine won, and he is entering again. The Jericho links to-morrow will be given up to this competition.

Nunston, England is to celebrate, in befitting style, the centenary of "George Eliot" (Mary Ann Evans), who was born there on November 22, 1819. A suggestion is that the celebrations should extend over three days and include a pageant, and it is hoped to raise a permanent memorial. Those who do not know much about George Eliot's novels and other writings are impressed by the fact that she received as much as £7,500 for a single work.

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## INTERMEDIATE BALL LEAGUE GOES STRONG

Beavers Take Another Game at Beacon Hill After Hard Fight

Interesting games in the Intermediate Baseball League were played last night. The Beavers and Reliabilities met at Beacon Hill and another victory was hung-up by the Beavers. Jack Cooksey, who has just returned

from overseas, pitched a good game and showed he has lost none of his old speed. Hubbard for the Reliabilities pitched well. The next game will be at Beacon Hill with the Crusaders Tuesday night. The batteries will be Stewart and Prescott.

Eleven Innings Game.  
Victoria West and the Crusaders battled through eleven innings before a decision could be come to, and then the Wests hit them up in one inning and ran out winners by seventeen runs to fourteen. The score was tied twice after the ninth innings.

Oak Bay team took a game from the Gorge Nine, the Beavers have beaten the Victoria West nine by ten to four, the Beacon Hill took a game from the Centrals twenty-nine to one, and the North Ward from the Reliabilities nineteen to . . .

### LEAGUE BASEBALL

Coast League.			R. H. E.		
At Seattle	.....	8	15	0	7
Salt Lake	.....	0	7	1	1
Seattle	.....	0	7	1	1
Batteries—Leverenz and Spencer; Regan and Cook.					
At Portland	.....	4	10	3	3
Sacramento	.....	4	10	3	3
Portland	.....	4	10	3	3
Batteries—Gardner and Fisher; Pennington and Baker, Ten innings.					
At Los Angeles	.....	7	9	0	0
Oakland	.....	7	9	0	0
Vernon	.....	4	12	1	1
Batteries—Kremer and Mitze; Houck, Dell and Devermer.					
At Oakland	.....	6	7	2	2
Los Angeles	.....	6	7	2	2
San Francisco	.....	4	9	2	2
Batteries—Pettie, Eitery and Boles; Smith, Zamloch, Crespi and McKee, Baldwin.					

### American League.

At Philadelphia	.....	6	12	5	5
Cleveland	.....	6	12	5	5
Philadelphia	.....	6	12	5	5
Batteries—Baker, Zimmerman, Uhle and Nunamaker; Johnson, Perry, Seibold and Perkins.					
At Washington	.....	1	3	1	1
St. Louis	.....	1	3	1	1
Washington	.....	1	3	1	1
Batteries—Weilman, Wright, Liefield and Billings; Mayer; Johnson and Agnew.					

### At New York

Chicago	.....	1	8	1	1
New York	.....	1	8	1	1
Batteries—Cicotte and Schalk; Shore, Mogridge and Hannah, Ruel.					
At Boston	.....	1	9	1	1
Detroit	.....	1	9	1	1
Boston	.....	1	9	1	1
Batteries—Leonard and Almsmith; Ruth, Mays and Schang.					

### National League.

At St. Louis	.....	0	6	0	0
Cincinnati	.....	0	6	0	0
St. Louis	.....	0	6	0	0
Batteries—Mitchell, Broussier, Eller and Wingo; Doak and Clemens.					
New York-Pittsburg game postponed; wet grounds.					
At Vancouver	.....	2	5	4	4
Vancouver	.....	2	5	4	4
Seattle	.....	2	5	4	4
Batteries—Henlon and Peterson; Williams and Boelzle.					

### ON THE DIAMOND

The Snipers beat the Midgets by 17 to 13 at Central Park last night. Roy McDonald made a home run for the winners. Rothwell and Thacker and Taddy, Hilton and McMillan were the batteries for the Snipers and Midgets respectively.  
Oak Bay beat the Gorge nine by 12 to 10 in a five innings game. The teams were: Oak Bay Beecroft, c.; Calvert, lb.; Miller, p.; Goodacre, 2b.; Winters, 3b.; Brynjolfsson, ss.; Dane, cf.; Campbell, H.; Talbot, rf.; Gorge team, L. Moser, L. Passmore, S. Gatin, J. James, A. Campbell, A. Geary, D. Fellow, A. Noel and S. Laurie.

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### TACOMA MAY COME BACK INTO NORTHWEST LEAGUE

Vancouver, June 6.—The International Northwestern Baseball League may continue to operate after all, though the chances seem to be against it. A communication was received from Seattle yesterday in which W. J. Duthie, of the Seattle Club, asked to have the meeting, scheduled for to-day, deferred till Saturday, and there was a suggestion that Tacoma might be anxious to stay in the league.

### DOUBLE-HEADER IN AMATEUR BASEBALL LEAGUE SATURDAY

The Victoria Amateur Baseball League will stage a double-header at the Royal Athletic Park Saturday afternoon. The Collieries and Yarrow's teams will play first at 2:15 to decide which team shall hold the cellar championship for the time being. The hot battle of the afternoon will come off at 4 o'clock between the Foundation team and Strath-Two Jacks.

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## LIST OF EVENTS FOR JULY WATER CARNIVAL

Four Provincial Title Swims, Water Polo and Rowing

Having received permission to hold the first provincial championship events held at a swimming gala in Victoria since the title events were closed for the duration of the war, the committee in charge of the Citizens' Regatta and Water Carnival have drawn up a programme. Sanctioned to hold the gala under the auspices of the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club, Foundation Swimming Club, James Bay Athletic Association and Yarrow's Athletic Association was received at the meeting of the B. C. branch of the Amateur Swimming Association.

Many interesting events, are included besides the four championship swims, rowing, canoeing and water polo being features arranged for the day. Entries for the gala close Friday, June 27. The complete programme is as follows:

**Section 1.**  
Fifty yards, girls twelve and under.  
Fifty yards, boys twelve and under.  
Fifty yards, girls fifteen and under.  
Fifty yards, boys fifteen and under.  
Four hundred and forty yards, senior championship of British Columbia.  
Four hundred and forty yards, ladies' championship of British Columbia.  
Relay, championship of British Columbia.  
Relay, ladies' championship of British Columbia.  
Water polo.  
Diving (one plain and two fancy dives).  
Fifty yards, ladies, open.  
Fifty yards, open.  
One hundred yards, breast stroke, open.

**Section 2.**  
Canoe Events.  
Single scull.  
Single scull (lady passenger).  
Single scull (lady).  
Tandem canoe (men).  
Tandem canoe (mixed).  
Four-paddle canoe.  
Rowing Events.  
Double scull dinghy (lady cox).  
Three four-oared lapstroke races.  
Greasy pole.

Jones had never seen a football match before, and when he returned from witnessing that between the two local Rugby teams his criticism was far from complimentary. "Bah!" he exclaimed. "All a lot of nonsense. First there comes a lot of big fellows, dressed in little knickers, and then there's a funny shaped ball. Somebody kicks the ball and then they all run after it and one of the fellows cops hold on it an' runs down the field w' the others after him. When he gits past the post he falls on the ball, an' the feller behind him falls on him. Then all the spectators shout, 'Try-try!' But try, try, try, they couldn't bust it!"—Tit-Bits.

## DOES NOT EXPECT SLINGSBY TO PUT IN APPEARANCE TO-DAY

One of the features of the programme for the Foundation boxing tournament at the Foundation Club to-night, Bob McLernan announced, will probably be called off. So that the fight fans will not be disappointed he stated that up to the present no further word has been received of Slingsby, the V. I. A. representative who was to meet Dutch Hill. No other changes on the excellent card are expected. All the fighters are expected on hand in good time, and the early promises of the most successful tournament staged in Victoria for years hold good. Harry Boyd will act as judge in place of Billy Hall, who is sick.

## FOUNDATION CLUB IS READY TO OPEN

Swimming Quarters at Gorge Will Be Valuable Asset

Members of the Foundation Swimming Club are looking forward to the opening of the Foundation Clubhouse, the former home of the V. I. A. A. clubhouse opposite the city bathing place. A lot of work has been done fixing up the quarters, by volunteers from the yards, and the home is one of which the club has just reason to be proud. To-morrow's event promises to prove an enjoyable gathering if the weather proves favorable. E. E. Jenkins, assistant Northwest Manager of the Foundation Company, has promised to perform the opening ceremony and several officials of the company have announced their intention of being present. Invitations have also been extended to members of other clubs. Lou Turner's band will be in attendance, and refreshments will be served by the Ladies' Club House Committee and the V. I. A. A. Club. Diving, swimming exhibitions and dancing are features of the programme.

## SATURDAY'S SPORTING FIXTURES

Lacrosse—Intermediate League. Victoria West v. Sidney at Central Park 3 o'clock.

Swimming. Opening Foundation Club House, Gorge, 3 o'clock.

League Cricket. Albions v. Congos at Beacon Hill. Foundation-Ramblers v. Foundation Wanderers at Willow. Pive C's v. Victoria at Jubilee Hospital. Incogs v. Christ Church at Oak Bay. Games start at 2:15.

## "DEMOBBING" ARMY CLOTHING.

Converting military and naval clothing to civilian uses is a little less difficult than turning swords into ploughshares, but the thing is now being done wholesale and retail. Officers, as they return to civil life, are adapting their clothing. The trench coat is made serviceable merely by the removal of the "pips" from the shoulder straps, and the "British warm" is "translated" in like manner by robbing it of the straps. Sometimes, further to disguise it, the owner sends it to the dyer, who, at a cost of about twelve shillings and six pence or fifteen shillings, makes it unrecognizable even by its "builder"; but it is often worn in civil life without this final transformation. Breeches, leggings, etc., are either sold or retained for country wear, and the regimental greatcoat is almost invariably disposed of, because nobody can make it fit. The "what it is" is. With its array of buttons going right up to the shoulder, it is palpably, under any disguise, a "regimental," and as fashion frowns on it, away it goes. But, while it has undergone certain changes, it is regarded with favor by chauffeurs, drivers, etc., who regularly—and sensibly—wear a double-breasted coat of similar build. The clothing of the ranks and ratings is not nearly so adaptable as that of officers. Still, the greatcoat lends itself fairly well to camouflage. This, according to an announcement made when demobbing began, could be retained for only twenty-eight days when it was to be returned, and £1 would be allowed for it. Many men, however, have forfeited the £1, and sent their greatcoats to the dyer's, and it there was a "round up" of such garments now, some surprising discoveries would be made.—Tit-Bits.

## RECEPTION PLANS ARE NOW COMPLETE

Great Editorial Convention Will Be Well Received in Victoria

The programme for the entertainment of the National Editorial Association, whose members will reach Victoria on August 17 has been arranged, and W. A. McAdam, Publicity Commissioner of the Victoria and Island Development Association, has notified the Association of its details. After a two-day session in convention in Seattle, the delegates will board the Grand Trunk Pacific steamship Prince Rupert bound for Victoria, and it is probably that a dinner will be held on board. The party will arrive here at 11 o'clock Sunday night, August 17. At 10 o'clock the next morning a reception will be held at the Parliament Buildings when Premier Oliver, and Major Forster will extend a welcome to the large delegation. After the adjournment of the convention at noon, the party will be taken to Brentwood by automobile and luncheon will be served at 1 o'clock. At 2:30 o'clock the party will leave for the home of R. P. Butchart, where they will be shown over the beautiful gardens.

A drive will then be taken around the Saanich Peninsula and a visit paid to the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory on Saanich Hill. Returning to the city at 6:30 a dinner will be tendered the visitors at the Empress Hotel, followed by addresses by Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, K.C., and other speakers. Monday's programme will end with a dance at the Empress Hotel.

On Tuesday morning, August 19, the party will leave Victoria at 9 o'clock for a drive over the Malahat, returning in time for luncheon at 12:30 o'clock. The delegates will take the boat at 2:30 o'clock for Vancouver.

## SEVENTY MEN FOR ISLAND EN ROUTE

Large Party on Empress of Britain for Provincial Points

The British Columbia Returned Soldier Commission, Parliament Buildings, has been advised by telegram from the O. C. Clearing Service Command, Quebec, that the following party, ex Empress of Britain, left there for their respective dispersal areas on June 5:

For Victoria—Capt. C. E. Armbrister, c. of Mrs. Armbrister, Alexander Club; Capt. T. Barclay, 1164 Pleasant Avenue, Oak Bay; Capt. F. O. King, 714 Cook Street; Capt. N. J. Paul, 854 Bank Street; Lieut. F. B. Eworthy, 59 Menzies Street; Lieut. J. G. Forrest, care of Miss Fort, 422 Sea Terrace; B. M. E. C. Miller, care of Dr. Holmes, 2559 Quadra Street; Sgt. M. P. Fisher, 1515 Belcher Avenue; Sgt. R. McLeod, 861 Dougherty Street; Sgt. H. E. Robinson, H. Q. Can. Battalion, 4th; Sgt. A. G. Shopland, 1035 Oliver Street, Oak Bay; Cpl. G. Blake, care of Mrs. Todd, 1351 Carmichael Street; Cpl. W. Mathison, 1711 Fernside Street; Cpl. E. E. Robinson, care of Mr. Williams, 1221 Richardson Street; Cpl. P. J. Nobbs, 1912 Oak Bay Avenue; Lance-Cpl. C. Lemming, 712 Suffolk Street; Lance-Cpl. A. Young, care of Mrs. Porter, Lake Road; Bdr. J. R. Colvin, care of Mrs. Gascoigne, 729 Powderly Avenue; Pte. W. Biskett, care of W. J. Miller, 2465 Cadboro Bay Road; Pte. A. W. Blaney, 1018 McHugh Street; Pte. W. Bicker, 2940 Donchester Street; Pte. H. Calderwood, 1711 Bay Street; Pte. J. Darcy, 8637 Grahame Street; Pte. J. Dare, care of Mrs. Webster, 122 Michigan Street; Pte. J. Firth, care of R. J. Farwell, 35 Sims Avenue; Pte. H. Fryer, 1508 Brook Street; Pte. J. J. Godber, 3540 Calumet Avenue; Pte. A. Harris, care of F. Sutton, 2446 Douglas Street; Pte. G. B. Hart, Mount Tolmie; Pte. E. J. Hopkins, 1232 Pandora Avenue; Pte. M. N. Jackson, care of Mrs. Allen, Salt Spring Island; Pte. A. J. Johnston, 2612 Fernwood Road; Pte. L. E. Jones, 765 Hillside Avenue; Pte. E. A. MacIntyre, care of Mrs. Fraser, 528 Comberford Street; Pte. J. H. Potts, 163 Joseph Street; Pte. J. W. Rawnsley, 1643 Denman Street; Pte. T. Reid, 2561 Blanchard Street; Pte. P. H. Stevens, 1748 Lee Avenue; Pte. J. Stewart, 221 Park Street; Pte. W. Stubbs, Box 494; Pte. M. Wilson, 2324 Holland Road; Pte. G. Westover, 145 Wellington Avenue.

For Nanaimo—Sgt. A. E. Young, Pte. W. H. Beck, Pte. M. C. Doherty, Pte. F. T. Menzies, Pte. J. W. Mowatt, Pte. R. W. Smith, Pte. G. Sibling, Cpl. W. E. Carr, Pte. I. Caruthers, Pte. J. I. Ferguson, Pte. T. W. Mills, Pte. B. McArthur, Pte. E. E. Snider. For Ladysmith—Sgt. G. Jewitt, Pte. J. Little, Lance-Cpl. J. Cobb. Other points—Sgt. W. J. Hill, Alberni; O. S. M. J. W. Boyd, Cumberland; Pte. J. B. Menon, Cortes Island; Pte. E. L. Williams, Courtney; Pte. D. Abbott; Lieut. D. M. McGregor, Duncan; Pte. J. R. Clark, Duncan; Pte. A. E. D. Karr, Retreat Cove; Pte. S. Peterson, South Gabriola Island; Pte. L. Silva, South Gabriola Island; Sgt. H. Glover, Union Bay; Pte. H. R. J. Beggs, Wellington.

No Information. For Major A. R. Ross, Pte. D. M. Jones, Pte. W. Hinkman, Cpl. A. Linn, Pte. A. Reynolds.

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## SOLDIERS' WIVES

SHOW INFIDELITY

Two Cases Reported to Police; One Soldier Challenged Intruder to Fistic Duel

Two more cases of infidelity on the part of the wives of returned soldiers have been reported to the police. In one case serious consequences may present themselves, providing the complainant executes the threats which he has made. This soldier on returning from overseas found that the affections of his wife had been alienated by a man in Vancouver. He succeeded in discovering the identity of the man and has written him a letter couched in most chivalrous terms. He challenges the suitor for his wife's hand to a fistic duel. It is not known whether the soldier stakes his wife as the prize, but from his writing he seems quite confident that his experience in fighting Germans will hold him in good stead in trimming a home-

breaker and retaining possession of his wife.

The other case lacks all semblance of chivalry. This soldier on returning found his wife apparently true to him, but soon the whisperings of neighbors told him that all was not well. Accordingly he set a plan whereby to test the steadfastness and fidelity of his wife. After the style of the moving picture story, he informed his wife that he would be leaving town for a week. He departed. Unexpectedly one evening he returned and found the house empty. He decided to wait, and at 1 o'clock in the morning the front door opened and the wife, accompanied by another girl and two men, entered. The wife and husband confronted each other.

The police draw a veil over the sequel to the nocturnal meeting.

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## BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

### DIED.

**HAMMOND**—On June 5, 1919, at Jubilee Hospital, Thomas Gilbert, infant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hammond, 3071 Washington Ave.

Funeral will take place from B. C. Funeral Parlors, Broughton Street to-morrow, 7th inst., at 3.30 p. m. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

**SMITH**—On June 4, at Resthaven Convalescent Hospital, C. J. Smith, aged 67 years; born on the Isle of Man, and a resident of this city for 25 years. He was the husband of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Smith, of 1801 Cook Street. He left this world with the 67th birthday and was over 80 years of age. He was a member of the Victoria Rifles, and was a soldier in the 1st Battalion, and was awarded a medal for his services in the battle of Vimy Ridge. He was a member of the Victoria Rifles, and was a soldier in the 1st Battalion, and was awarded a medal for his services in the battle of Vimy Ridge. He was a member of the Victoria Rifles, and was a soldier in the 1st Battalion, and was awarded a medal for his services in the battle of Vimy Ridge.

**YAVIER**—Drowned, on October 25, 1918, on a Vanderbilt liner, Herbert Yavier, aged 27 years; born in Winnipeg, Manitoba. He leaves to mourn his loss, besides his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davies, of 2301 B. St., four sisters, Mrs. P. W. Battick, Gladys, Marion, and his brothers, William, Arthur, M. M., Evan, R. N. W. M. Police Stanley, overseas; Cecil and Ernest.

The funeral will take place on Sunday, the 8th inst., at 2.30 o'clock, from the Salvation Army Citadel, Commandant M. Jaynes will officiate. Interment, Ross Bay Cemetery. Friends and members of the Salvation Army, C. O. F., L. O. L. and S. L. R. & F. 3051 B. St., please accept this intimation.

### FUNERAL NOTICE.

**McKENNA**—The funeral of the late J. A. McKenna, U. S. A., will take place from his late residence, 952 Madison Street, at 9.30 a. m. on Monday, June 10th, thence to St. Andrew's Cathedral where Mass will be said at 10 a. m., and thence to Ross Bay Cemetery. Friends of the family are requested to attend. The funeral will be held on Friday evening, when they will be removed to the residence. No flowers.

### IN MEMORIAM.

**DUFFIELD**—In loving memory of Pte. Archibald Duffield, killed in action, June 8, 1917, bravely during his death. Inserted by his mother and brother.

## POLICE TRY TO FIND MURDERER WHO KILLED CALIFORNIA WIDOW

Redwood City, Cal., June 6.—Hotel and lodging house accommodation in the little town of Pescadero, near the ranch house where Mrs. Sarah Sattira Coburn, a wealthy widow, was murdered Tuesday night, were taxed to capacity with a host of professional and amateur investigators of the murder mystery. District Attorney Franklin Swart announced here to-day, that Wallace Loren Coburn, aged sixty-three, the incompetent stepson of Mrs. Coburn, who was found holding the body of the aged woman, the head of which had been beaten in with a heavy stick of stony wood, still is being held under close observation here. Nurses reported to Swart that last night he repeated many times the name "Ryan" and talked a great deal about a "killing." The name is puzzling the authorities.

He has begun to talk a great deal at night, Swart said, and on that account he is being watched constantly, attendants jotting down his every word. Finger prints found on the stick were being examined to-day. Even if it develops that they were Coburn's the clue would be of little value in Swart's opinion. "The stick could have been put in his hands," he said.

### CANADIAN ENGINEERS

Montreal, June 6.—The officers elected by the Canadian Society of Domestic, Sanitary and Heating Engineers at their final session yesterday are: President, F. R. Maxwell, Toronto; vice-president, H. M. Mahoney, Guelph; secretary, G. F. D. Frankland, Toronto; vice-presidents for the different provinces, Quebec, H. A. Lavigne, Montreal; Ontario, T. J. Minnie, Brantford; New Brunswick, W. C. Crawford, St. John; Prince Edward Island, Thomas Johnson, Summerside; Saskatchewan, N. B. Rowland, Swift Current; Alberta, James Marr, Calgary.

The 1920 convention will take place in Toronto.

### CHURCH UNION VOTE.

Toronto, June 6.—Opposition to a resolution urging members of the Congregational Union of Canada to vote "no" and to influence others to vote "no" on all the questions on the ballot paper on the Presbyterian referendum to be taken next fall developed at a session of the Congregational Union here to-day. Some of the delegates objected on the ground that it would be better to allow the individuals to decide for themselves as how they should vote. The resolution was referred to a committee.

### ADDRESS TO WILSON.

Brussels, June 6.—The Belgian Socialist Party has decided to present to President Wilson while he is here an address dealing with the treaty of peace.

### MAN KILLED BY TRAIN.

Revelstoke, June 6.—G. Ross, section foreman at Sicamous, was run down and killed by a train there on Wednesday night. An inquest will be held here to-night.

Three of the four men arrested Monday for alleged bootlegging were brought up yesterday afternoon before the police magistrate and remanded to Friday, June 13. The fourth man implicated, a Chinaman, failed to appear, having apparently hit the trail.

## INDIAN CONSTITUTION IS BEING REMADE

Bill Given Second Reading by British Commons; Committee at Work

London, June 6.—By a unanimous vote, the Government bill to reform the constitution of India passed second reading in the House of Commons last night. The bill was then referred to a joint-committee of the House of Lords and the House of Commons.

Rt. Hon. Edwin S. Montagu, Secretary of State for India, announced in the Commons on May 22 that the bill for the reformation of the constitution of India "would make of India what may be very loosely described as a union of great self-governing countries entrusted with the custody of their own well-being as partners in the great freedom-loving British Commonwealth."

Maintenance of order will be the first object of the bill, and the causes of discontent are to be discovered so that those which are most troublesome can be removed.

## BESSARABIANS WANT A PLEBISCITE HELD

Delegation in Paris is Working Against Absorption by Roumania

Paris, June 6.—Associated Press.—Bessarabia, with a population of nearly 3,000,000 and an area larger than that of Denmark or Belgium, is making a vigorous effort to avoid absorption into Roumania and to secure the determination of its own future by a plebiscite. Alexander Kroupensky, former President of the Bessarabian Provincial Zemstvo, is at the head of a delegation in Paris which is striving to win some recognition from the Peace Conference and assure Bessarabia's right to self-determination under the League of Nations.

Since early in 1918 Bessarabia has been virtually a Roumanian province, occupied by Roumanian troops and dominated by them.

## PRESS COMMENTS ON TARIFF PROPOSALS

Anger Will Arise in West, Says Toronto Globe; Other Views

Toronto, June 6.—Commenting on the tariff proposed changes, The Globe, under the heading "Adequate protection wins," says:

"There will be anger in the West and among the friends of tariff reform in the East because of Sir Thomas White's failure to deal comprehensively with the tariff in its relation to the high cost of living. The adequate protectionists have succeeded in scoring a distinct triumph."

The Mail and Empire says:

"If the budget does not contain as much tariff reduction as the West wants, it contains more than most of the people of the Dominion expected. While the budget will not be to the liking of some of the manufacturing industries, it will be helpful and it ought to be sufficient for the farming industry."

**Brantford Comment.**

Brantford, Ont., June 6.—Commenting on the budget of Sir Thomas White, The Expositor says:

"The tariff cut is out of the bag and it is pretty much the kind of Angora that had been promised."

"Summed up, the Finance Minister has attempted to carry out his promise to introduce a budget to please everybody, and as is customary with such attempts, he has not succeeded. He has probably satisfied the manufacturers of the East, who are assured of adequate protection, but he has certainly failed to satisfy the demands of the West."

### NEW BRUNSWICK FIRE.

Chatham, N. B., June 6.—Fire last night damaged the large general store and warehouse of A. and R. Loggie, the sample room of the Terminal Hotel and dwelling houses adjoining. The loss is estimated at \$25,000.

## MOTOR CARS CARRY VANCOUVER WORKERS

Effects of the Street Car Strike Are Largely Overcome

SOME JITNEYS ARE DRIVEN BY STRIKERS

Vancouver, June 6.—There were few new developments in the strike situation here up to one o'clock this afternoon. With the jitney by-law temporarily repealed and all restrictions lifted, the transportation problem caused by the walk-out of the street railway men was solved for Vancouver. The number of cars operating as jitneys on Thursday was greatly increased to-day following the City Council's action in repealing the jitney by-law. The five-tyers and the expensive cars were joined by transfer wagons and delivery trucks fitted up with plank seats and all carrying capacity loads. A great many private cars are giving free rides. The city has recovered from the temporary inconvenience caused by the car tie-up and is managing to get down to business very much as usual.

The action of the City Council in throwing open the streets to the business has met with the approval of the citizens, but Labor Temple officials strenuously object. Many of the men out on strike are driving the streets of the downtown sections present a busier scene to-day than at any previous time since the strike was called. The waterfront alone appears deserted, although the stevedores of the Russian is being unloaded by volunteer stevedores. The retail stores have not been affected by the strike and shopping is going on without interference. It is expected that the Victoria and Nanaimo steamers of the C.P.R. fleet will sail to-day as usual.

**Newspapers.**

The firm stand taken by the local newspapers on the suggested censorship of news by the Typographical Union here threatened to establish a tie-up of the three Vancouver newspapers. The hiatus was bridged at a conference last night between the workers and the management of The Vancouver Sun, and consequently publication to the newspapers their proper editorial rights to publish the news as the publishers see fit.

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## SOLDIERS' NOTES AS PART OF RECORD

Diaries Kept at Front May Aid Official Historians at Ottawa

Ottawa, June 6.—There is reason to believe that many Canadian officers and men of the ranks while on active service kept journals or notebooks in which they set down observations which may have considerable historical value. The official history of Canada's part in the great war is already under way. The Director of the Historical Section of the General Staff at the Militia Department has requested that officers and other ranks having in their possession private diaries, journals, notebooks, letters and other documents relating to personal observations made while on active service during the war, will forward them on loan to him for examination. As soon as transcripts or necessary extracts can be made they will be returned to the owners. The contents will be treated as strictly confidential except when special permission is obtained for publication.

## TELEGRAPHERS OUT IN SOUTHEAST STATES

Both Western Union Company and Labor Leaders Express Confidence

Atlanta, Ga., June 6.—Confidence in the outcome of the strike ordered by the Commercial Telegraphers' Union against the Western Union Telegraph company in the southeastern States was expressed to-day by leaders on both sides.

H. C. Worthen, general manager of the Southern Division of the Western Union Telegraph company, expressed confidence in the return of the wire properties by Postmaster-General Burleson "gives our executives a full and clear hand to fight the strike, and the public can rest assured that we will do it."

P. G. Fonville, president of the Atlanta Council of the Union, speaking for himself and C. P. Mann, Southern organizer of the Union, intimated that a nation-wide strike would be ordered should that prove necessary.

The states in which the Western Union employees are on strike now are Florida, Alabama, Georgia, South and North Carolina, West Virginia, Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, and Mississippi. The strike also embraces the city of New Orleans.

**No Re-instatement.**

New York, June 6.—Employees of the Western Union Telegraph Company who joined the Telegraphers' Union on the assurance that the Postmaster-General that there would be no discrimination in regard to employees joining unions, will not be taken back if they strike, Newcomb, Union, president of the company announced to-day. He pointed out that the Postmaster-General now has turned the Western Union to the company "to operate as we think best for the interests of the business."

## PENNSYLVANIA MINE TRAGEDY INVESTIGATED

Wilkesbarre, Pa., June 6.—State and local authorities to-day were conducting separate investigations into the explosion in a tunnel of the Delaware and Hudson Coal Company yesterday that cost the lives of eighty-three men and the injury of fifty others. A large number of the injured were seriously burned and maimed and it is feared many of them can not recover.

## MAURETANIA LANDS TROOPS AT HALIFAX

Halifax, June 6.—The Cunard liner Mauretania arrived here this morning with 182 officers and 3,507 other ranks, including the 87th Battalion for Montreal, the 7th and 10th Battalions for Toronto and the 54th Battalion for Hamilton. The vessels made the voyage in five days.

Among the officers who arrived on the ship were: Military District No. 2—Major-General Sir H. E. Russell; Military District No. 3—Brigadier-General G. S. Tuxford, 4th Brigade; Military District No. 4—Brigadier-General C. Thacker, 1st Brigade; and Major-General Archibald Macdonnell, C. B., C. M. G., D. S. O., Legion of Honour, who went overseas in command of the Strathmore Horse, was promoted to the command of the 5th Infantry Brigade, and in June, 1917, to the command of the First Canadian Division, returned on the Mauretania, accompanied by his wife and daughter.

## CZECH TROOPS SAID TO NEED ASSISTANCE OF ALLIED TROOPS

Prague, June 6.—Via London, June 6. Admission was made to-day by Dr. Irobah, one of the Czech Ministers, that the Hungarian Bolshevik army had achieved an unexpected success over Czech troops in Slovakia, who were reported still to be retreating.

The situation in Slovakia is said to be very serious, with the richest districts in the hands of the Hungarians, whose advance, it is believed, can be checked only by the assistance of French troops.

## WAR DEPARTMENT OF U. S. SELLS CLOTH

Washington, June 6.—More than 5,000,000 yards of textiles were disposed of by the War Department through sealed bids on June 18. The material ranges from a remnant of fifty-eight yards of black alpaca to 100,000 yards of blue and white ticking, and includes cotton shirtings, sheeting, sateen, mohair serge, mofskin, gray duck, outing flannel and brown denim.

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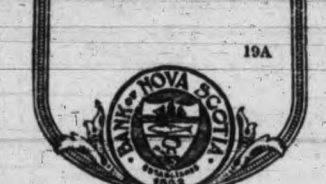
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## CORN SLIGHTLY LOWER AT CHICAGO

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Chicago, June 6.—Cash corn sold two to three cents lower to-day and was followed by a decline in futures. The market was reported Argentine corn being offered under July. The best buying was by the shorts and there was considerable change in sentiment among the bull contingent.

Corn	Open	High	Low	Close
July	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Aug.	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Sept.	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Oct.	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Nov.	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Dec.	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Jan.	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Feb.	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Mar.	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Apr.	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
May	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
June	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2

## NEW YORK BOND MARKET

Bond	Open	High	Low	Close
U. S. 4 1/2%	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U. S. 4%	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U. S. 3 1/2%	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U. S. 3%	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U. S. 2 1/2%	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U. S. 2%	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U. S. 1 1/2%	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U. S. 1%	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U. S. 3/4%	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U. S. 1/2%	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U. S. 3/8%	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U. S. 1/4%	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2

## NEW YORK COTTON

Cotton	Open	High	Low	Close
July	23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Aug.	23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Sept.	23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Oct.	23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Nov.	23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Dec.	23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Jan.	23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Feb.	23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Mar.	23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Apr.	23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
May	23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
June	23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2

## NEW YORK SUGAR

Sugar	Open	High	Low	Close
July	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Aug.	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Sept.	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Oct.	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Nov.	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Dec.	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Jan.	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Feb.	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Mar.	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Apr.	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
May	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
June	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2

## BRITISH-NEW ZEALAND SCHEME TO FIGHT AMERICAN PACKERS

London, June 6.—The New Zealand Government has received advice from London indicating that Great Britain will ask New Zealand to help her fight the American packers; says a dispatch to The Daily Mail from Christchurch, N. Z. The suggestion is that an agreement be made to sell New Zealand meat products in London at a certain price. Then, after the dispatch, if the trust should reduce prices Great Britain and New Zealand must beat it on its own ground.

A conference of New Zealand producers, it is added, has been convened to discuss the subject.

## CANADA'S FIRE LOSS IN MONTH \$1,785,030

Toronto, June 6.—The Monetary Times estimates Canada's fire losses during May, 1919, at \$1,785,030, compared with \$1,089,070 in April and \$3,570,014 in May, 1918.

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## CAPT. GEO. M'GREGOR PRESIDENT OF "Y. M."

Is Elected to Honored Position;  
Dr. M. Raynor Vice-President

As a result of his indefatigable efforts in connection with the Y. M. C. A. in this city Capt. George McGregor was unanimously elected president of the Association at a meeting of the Board of Directors held last night.

Capt. McGregor relieves George Bell, M. L. A., who tendered his resignation at the annual meeting of the Association after having been president for six years.

Capt. McGregor has for several years heartily supported the Association in its work, but it was during the last drive that he showed his greatest energy. He was in charge of the drive and his business ability as well as a desire for greater action and less talk, was responsible in no small measure for the degree of success attained.

Capt. McGregor will have with him during the year the energetic and capable service of Dr. M. Raynor, who was elected to the position of vice-president. The doctor was one of the campaign managers in the recent drive and his indefatigable spirit kept the teams in action long after the prescribed time for the cessation of work.

Dr. Raynor is a strong advocate of supervision of the public playgrounds and intends to have the Y. M. C. A. carry out the work if the City Council does not make a grant.

Under the leadership of these two practical men it is expected that the Y. M. C. A. will have a most successful year. They are planning to utilize the building and its equipment to its maximum.

The Association has been successful in securing the service of Capt. Harold C. Cross as the new boys' secretary. He has just returned from three years' service overseas and after attending the summer school for Y. M. C. A. workers at Couchiching, Ontario, he will come here in the fall to assume his duties. He has a splendid reputation as a leader of boys. The programme of work amongst the boys which the Association proposed to inaugurate calls for unexcelled leadership and in Capt. Cross the Directors believe they have the ideal man.

Other officers elected at last evening's meeting were as follows: Treasurer, J. W. Spencer; recording secretary, H. B. Witter. The chairman of committees selected were: Boys' division, Dr. M. Raynor; physical department, Dr. M. W. Thomas; religious work, R. G. Howell; membership, Fred M. McGregor; social work, W. N. Mitchell; educational work, H. T. Chave; military service, Alderman A. Johns; finance, A. E. Mallett; house, H. T. Knott.

Irate Tallor—"Now, look here, Mr. Scribb, this has gone on long enough. I demand a cheque at once. Impetuous Author—"Sorry, Snips, old man, but my physician has ordered me to give up writing altogether for three months."

## METROPOLITAN CHURCH ENTERTAINS SOLDIERS

Pleasant Evening Spent Welcoming Home Boys Who Have Done Their Bit

Paying a marked tribute to the boys who left the church to proceed overseas and engage in the battles for freedom and right, the members of the Metropolitan Methodist Church gathered in large numbers last evening in the school room of the church. The guests of the evening were the soldier members and adherents of the church, and they were entertained in a most royal and fitting manner.

Hanging in a prominent position at the back of the platform, which was suitably decorated with flags, was the honor roll containing 326 names. Forty-four of these names were surrounded by a black border which indicated that they had fallen and sleep in foreign lands.

The entertainment was arranged by the trustees and quarterly official board of the church with the legal assistance of the Ladies' Aid, who furnished the splendid refreshments. Arthur Leo presided, and after a short special time the musical programme was presented. Many well-known local artists participated, and the numbers were all enthusiastically received. Miss Dyson, who won the gold medal in the elocution contest last week, recited by request one of Pauline Johnson's poems.

Others who entertained were: Mrs. Downard singing, "When Angus McDonald Comes Back From the War"; Mr. Parker singing, "Sunset"; Master Vernon Smith, violin, solos; Mr. Hollings, readings and recitation, and Mr. Blakeway, clarinet solos.

Rev. H. S. Osborne, pastor of the church, delivered a very short address of welcome. He expressed the profound thanks of the congregation to the boys who had done and endured so much, and was glad to be able to welcome so many of them back to their old church. He made feeling reference to the forty-four boys who would not return. The gathering, said the pastor, was a great token of appreciation, than anything he could say.

Capt. A. J. Bruce and Archie Willis replied to the address of welcome.

## The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, June 5—5 a. m.—The barometer remains high on the Coast, accompanied by fair, cool weather, while in the interior showers have occurred.

Reports.  
Victoria—Barometer, 30.13; temperature, maximum yesterday, 63; minimum, 44; wind, 6 miles W.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.15; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 46; wind, 14 miles W.; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles W.; rain, .06; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, fair.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, maximum yesterday, 53; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, clear.

Temperature.

Portland, Ore. .... 70 .. 48  
Seattle ..... 62 .. 48  
San Francisco ..... 62 .. 50  
Grand Forks ..... 83 ..  
Nelson ..... 55 ..  
Cranbrook ..... 79 ..

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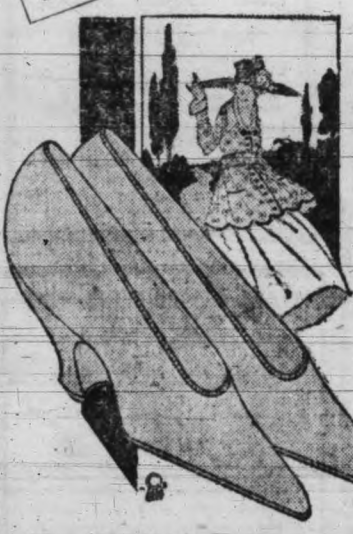
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At the outbreak of war the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ltd., had in commission in the Atlantic and Pacific services thirty-eight steamships, with an aggregate gross tonnage of 342,000 tons. Since August, 1914, the construction of four steamships, previously authorized, having a gross tonnage of 54,000 tons, has been completed, and twelve steamships of 69,000 gross tons, have been purchased within the same period. During the war fifteen steamships were lost by enemy action or through accidents at sea, and nine have been sold to the British Government after having been requisitioned. The construction is being proceeded with at the Clyde yards of the Fairfield Shipbuilding and Engineering Company, of a ship 625 feet long between perpendiculars, having a gross tonnage of 21,000 tons. This ship will be known as the Empress of Canada and will be operated in the trans-Pacific trade. Three passenger ships of the intermediate class for the Atlantic service are to be put under construction at the yards of John Brown & Son and the Fairfield Shipbuilding Company. At the end of the last fiscal year the company had in ocean service twenty-eight steamships, of a gross tonnage of 264,000 tons, and six steamships under order or purchased, but not delivered, having a gross tonnage of about 80,000 tons. The fifteen steamships lost through enemy action, or through accidents at sea were the following:

Through enemy action—Calgarian, 17,515 gross tons; Carthagenian, 4,444 tons; Ionian, 8,268 tons; Hesperian, 10,929 tons; Lake Michigan, 9,283 tons; Milwaukee, 7,322 tons; Montreal, 8,544 tons; Mount Temple, 9,792 tons; Montford, 6,528 tons; Mississauga, 12,469 tons; Medora, 5,135 tons; Minola, 4,925 tons; Pomeranian, 4,421 tons; through accidents at sea, Cornithian, 7,323 tons; Lake Manitoba, 9,674 tons. The nine steamships sold to the British Government are—Montezuma, 8,560 tons; Montcalm, 5,595 tons; Montrose, 7,297 tons; Mount Royal, 7,998 tons; Mongolian, 4,838 tons; Nubian, 4,336 tons; Ruthenia, 7,298 tons; Tyrolia, 7,535 tons. The S.S. Empress of India was purchased by Indian princes and presented to the British Government for use as a hospital ship. Her gross tonnage is 5,934. The total tonnage lost through enemy action and other causes, is 128,552, and the tonnage sold is 59,421, a grand total of 187,973 gross tons.

Ships purchased during the war are as follows: Beaufort, 4,732 tons; Dunbride, 6,550 tons; Holbrook, 6,655 tons; Montezuma, 8,538 tons; Montcalm, 5,535 tons; Minola, 4,925 tons; Milwaukee, 7,322 tons; Montreal, 8,544 tons; Mount Temple, 9,792 tons; Montford, 6,528 tons; War Beryl, 10,800 tons; Vessels built and added to the fleet during the same period were: Mississauga, 12,469 tons; Montcalm, 5,595 tons; Melita, 13,967 tons; Minnedosa, 15,000 tons.

## SQUARE FRAMING OF HULL NO. 210 IS NOW UNDER WAY

Frames are now being rapidly assembled and hoisted into place on keel No. 210 at the Point Hope yard of the Foundation Company. The keel was laid and the stern-post erected at the beginning of the week.

This hull is being constructed on the ways vacated last Saturday by the wooden steamship Canada.

## SUNRISE AND SUNSET.

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B. C., for the month of June, 1919:

Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	4:15	8:06
2	4:14	8:07
3	4:13	8:08
4	4:12	8:09
5	4:11	8:10
6	4:10	8:11
7	4:09	8:12
8	4:08	8:13
9	4:07	8:14
10	4:06	8:15
11	4:05	8:16
12	4:04	8:17
13	4:03	8:18
14	4:02	8:19
15	4:01	8:20
16	4:00	8:21
17	3:59	8:22
18	3:58	8:23
19	3:57	8:24
20	3:56	8:25
21	3:55	8:26
22	3:54	8:27
23	3:53	8:28
24	3:52	8:29
25	3:51	8:30
26	3:50	8:31
27	3:49	8:32
28	3:48	8:33
29	3:47	8:34
30	3:46	8:35

The Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B. C.

## ANOTHER C. P. R. BOAT PUT IN COMMISSION

Princess Mary on Daily Schedule Between Vancouver and Nanaimo

The waterfront situation remains the same as yesterday and there are no indications of an attempt to bring about the adjustment of the seamen's dispute. The attitude of the seamen is largely dominated by the sympathetic strike, and since the negotiations of Monday were broken off, when there was every likelihood of the matter of wages and working conditions being settled but for the impending general walk-out, no attempt has been made by either side to get together. The regular passenger service is being maintained by the steamship Princess Adelaide between this port and Vancouver, and the steamship Sol Duc is making daily sailings between here and Seattle. The C. P. R. has increased its trans-Gulf service by placing the steamship Princess Mary on the daily route between Vancouver and Nanaimo, the double-daily service having been cancelled with the laying-up of the Princess Patricia.

The Princess Mary will leave Vancouver every day, Sundays excepted, at 3 p. m., sailing from Nanaimo at 8:30 a. m. on the return trip. Inquiry regarding the service of the Sol Duc elicits the information that the vessel will make daily trips to Seattle, Sundays included.

**Girls Sail On Adelaide.**  
The C. P. R. steamship Princess Adelaide left port again this afternoon with stewardesses, sea waiters and stateroom attendants. The girls will serve afternoon tea in the dining room during the passage across the Gulf. The innovation, say C. P. R. officials, is proving a complete success. The company has received a large number of applications from would-be stewardesses and those girls now employed are rapidly adapting themselves to the new conditions under the tutelage of an experienced stewardess. No suitable applicants will be refused employment and those who cannot be placed immediately owing to the curtailed service will be given preference on other boats as the service is gradually reorganized.

It is expected that the G. T. P. will attempt to maintain at least one sailing a week to Prince Rupert, but as yet no definite plans have been announced by the company.

The steamship Prince George was tied up at Vancouver following her arrival on Thursday from Seattle. The month-end trip from Alaska is due to reach Vancouver to-morrow afternoon. No announcement regarding the G. T. P. Northern service is anticipated before the Prince Rupert's arrival. It is expected that the C. P. R. steamship Princess Maquinna will be tied up following her arrival here from the West Coast.

## WIRELESS REPORT

June 6, 8 a. m.  
Point Grey—Clear; W.; 30.14; 48; sea rough.  
Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W.; light; 30.17; 49; sea moderate.  
Pachena—Cloudy; N. W.; 30.10; 45; light swell. Spoke str. Princess Maquinna, left Tofo, 7 a. m. southbound.  
Estevan—Clear; N. W.; 30.19; 49; sea smooth.  
Alert Bay—Rain; N. W.; 29.99; 49; sea smooth.  
Triangle—Overcast; W.; fresh; 30.42; 46; sea moderate. Spoke str. Ketchikan, 7:30 p. m. off Pine Island, 8 p. m. northbound.  
Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; 30.33; 45; sea smooth.  
Alameda Bay—Cloudy; W.; fresh; 30.42; 46; sea moderate.

Noon.  
Point Grey—Clear; calm; 30.20; 67; sea smooth.  
Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W.; fresh; 30.22; 57; sea moderate.  
Pachena—Cloudy; N. W.; light; 30.11; 55; light swell.  
Estevan—Hazy; N. W.; 30.22; 49; sea moderate.  
Alert Bay—Overcast; N. W.; 30.92; 54; sea smooth.  
Triangle—Overcast; W.; 30.42; 48; sea moderate. Spoke str. Prince Rupert, 11:05 a. m. Millbank Sound. Spoke D.G.S. Estevan, 11:55 a. m. Queen Charlotte Sound, southbound.  
Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; 30.44; 50; sea smooth.  
Ikeda Bay—Cloudy; W.; 30.46; 53; sea moderate.

Prince Rupert—Overcast; calm; 30.20; 52; sea smooth. Spoke str. Alameda, 11 a. m. ahead Prince Rupert, southbound.

## KEY WEST ARRIVES.

The steamship Key West, from Far Eastern ports, passed up to Vancouver at 7:30 o'clock this morning. Pilot Moody boarded the Oriental freighter off this port and took her up the Gulf.

## TIDE TABLE.

Time of High Water	Time of Low Water	Time of High Water	Time of Low Water
h. m. a. m.	h. m. p. m.	h. m. a. m.	h. m. p. m.
1. 2:28	8:11	2. 3:05	8:11
3. 3:42	8:11	4. 4:19	8:11
5. 5:01	8:11	6. 5:51	8:11
7. 6:34	8:11	8. 7:14	8:11
9. 7:57	8:11	10. 8:34	8:11
11. 9:06	8:11	12. 10:07	8:11
13. 10:58	8:11	14. 12:01	8:11
15. 1:54	8:11	16. 2:57	8:11
17. 3:57	8:11	18. 4:57	8:11
19. 5:52	8:11	20. 6:42	8:11
21. 7:29	8:11	22. 8:12	8:11
23. 8:57	8:11	24. 9:54	8:11
25. 10:54	8:11	26. 11:54	8:11
27. 12:54	8:11	28. 1:54	8:11
29. 2:54	8:11	30. 3:54	8:11

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 6 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. When tides occur in the tide, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot above the average level of lower low water. Esquimalt.—To find the depth of water on the sill of the dry dock at any tide, add 19.6 feet to the height of high water as above given.

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## INCREASE IN VALUE OF SEA FISH LANDED

Atlantic and Pacific Coast Catches For Month of April Worth \$1,386,635

Ottawa, June 6.—Total value of sea fish at the point of landing on both the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts during April was \$1,386,635. For the same month last year the total value was \$1,165,259, an increase this year of over \$220,000.

The monthly statement from the naval department shows that the lobster fishery on the Atlantic coast gave very satisfactory results, the catch for April being over 9,000 cwts, larger than in the same month last year. Halibut landings on the Pacific coast were some 6,000 cwts. ahead of April, 1918.

## ELIHU THOMSON ARRIVES HERE FOR SHIPMENT OF OIL

The steamer Elihu Thomson, of the Consolidated Whaling Corporation, arrived in port this forenoon and is now lying at the Whaling Company's wharf at Point Ellice taking aboard a shipment of whale oil for Seattle. The Elihu Thomson is due to leave Seattle next week for the most northerly whaling station at Akutan.

## RED APPLE LAND.

Spokane, June 6.—The apple industry in the inland Empire will be as large this season as in former years, if the number of orders already received for apple box labels may be taken as an estimate of the number of boxes of apples to be shipped from here.

## INDIA'S DEATH TOLL.

Snakebite caused the death of 23,918 persons in British India in 1917, an increase of nearly 200 over the figures of 1916 (writes Vice-Consul Charles M. Haywood, Calcutta, India.) However, the number of snakes destroyed increased from 65,765 to 73,968, for the killing of which bounties to the value of £209 were paid. There were 2,176 persons killed by wild animals in 1917, 192 less than in 1916. Tigers were responsible for 1,009 deaths, leopards for 329, wolves and bears for 289, and elephants and hyenas for 89. Of the 459 deaths caused by "other animals," 89 are assigned to pigs and 129 to crocodiles or alligators. During the year 19,476 wild animals were destroyed, for which rewards amounting to £10,880 were paid by the Government. Among the 19,476 wild animals destroyed, 1,295 were tigers, 6,037 leopards, 2,784 bears, and 2,147 wolves.

## PRIVY COUNCILLOR OR PICKLED CABBAGE.

The collection of initials and initial combinations which have become current since the war is a severe strain on the alphabet, and the result is rather perplexing at times. For instance, "M. P." once stood prominently for Member of Parliament; now it stands equally for Military Police (not to mention Mince Pies). "C. B." is in demand for Cabbages rather than Caught Bending. There is a bad double on the letters "C. O.," which may signify Commanding Officer or Conscientious Objector. Inverted, they give Officer Commanding or "Old Comptables." To attach "R. A." to your name does not necessarily imply you can paint. It may imply Royal Artillery, and that you can shoot. "W. O." used to mean walk-over. It does still, in a sense; but it is the walk-over of the War Office that comes to our mind. And imagine commanding the Army Ordnance Department with the "Ancient Order of Druids." "A. O. D." signifies either. Perhaps "P. C." is the hardest worked combination of all. It stands for Privy Councillor and Police Constable, Parish Council, and Perpetual Curate, post card and petty cash. To which may be added pie crust, push cart, parish church, poor chap, and pickled cabbage.—TK-Bits.

## CITIZENS TO RIDE MAKURA OF CARGO

Hundreds Volunteer to Unload Australian Liner's Freight at Vancouver

Vancouver, June 6.—In view of the fact that 3,000 tons of cargo, including 1,000 tons of mutton—is lying tied-up on board the steamship Makura of the Canadian-Australasian Line an effort will perhaps be made to-day by a volunteer corps of citizens to unload her. This statement was made this morning by J. C. Irons of the Canadian-Australasian Line. He said that hundreds of professional and business men had volunteered to bring this essential food staple ashore to prevent any possibility of danger to the food supply of the city and it was possible that the company would allow the committee to do so. The C.P.O.S. chartered ship Key West arrived this afternoon from the Orient. She has a Chinese crew and it is possible that an effort will be made to work cargo. Work started on the Empress of Russia about ten o'clock this morning.

## REMOVAL OF RUPERT DOCK TO VANCOUVER IS NOT CONTEMPLATED

Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, Minister of Marine, denies that the Dominion Government has under contemplation the transfer of the floating dry dock from Prince Rupert to Vancouver. Alarmed by the report emanating from Vancouver, which alleged that the suggestion had been thrown out by the Minister that in the event of the G. T. P. system being taken over by the Government there was a possibility that the dry dock might be removed to Vancouver, the Prince Rupert Board have established a protest. The outcome is the following telegram, under the date of June 4, received by Hon. T. D. Pattullo from Hon. C. C. Ballantyne: "Replying your telegram of 2nd inst., I desire to assure you that the Government have not under contemplation removal of floating dock Prince Rupert to Vancouver. Dry docks are under the Minister of Public Works and I have never heard him make any such suggestion."

## AFRICA MARU WILL BE NEXT JAPANESE SHIP FROM ORIENT

The liner Africa Maru will be the next Osaka Shosen Kaisha arrival from the Orient. She is scheduled to reach this port June 15. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Kashima Maru is due to arrive here from the Orient, June 25. The next outbound sailing of the N. Y. K. fleet is set for June 19, when the liner Suwa Maru will depart for Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki, Shanghai, Manila and Hongkong.

## LUMBER SHIPS ARE REPORTED AT TAKU

The American barquentine Jane L. Stanford, which loaded lumber at Dollarton in March, arrived at Taku Bar, China, May 25. The motorship City of Portland, which loaded at the Dollarton Mills on Burrard Inlet, reached Taku Bar, May 27.

## MORE STEEL COMING FROM EAST; START SOON ON CONTRACT

The latter part of this month should witness the commencement of active construction operations at the Hospital Plant of the Harbor Marine Company, Ltd. In addition to the eleven cars of steel already on the ground, thirty-five additional cars of steel have passed Calgary on the last lap of the journey from Pittsburgh to the Coast. Steel for the keel plates is expected to arrive in this shipment.

Excellent progress has been made by Sol Cameron in the construction of the various buildings necessary to the contract.

## WAR COLUMN ENTERED DOCK AT ESQUIMALT

The 8,900-ton steel steamship War Column, last vessel to be completed at the Coughlan yard, was dry docked at Esquimalt yesterday, and was floated again to-day. The War Column ran most satisfactory trials in the Gulf prior to being ordered to Esquimalt.

## Canadian National Railways FROM VICTORIA, B. C., \$50 RETURN

Tickets on sale daily. Final return limit Oct. 31. Liberal stop overs at all points en route. Optional routes. Trains leave Vancouver 9 a. m. Sunday, Tuesday, Friday. Arrive Edmonton 8:20 p. m. next day. For New Scenery, New Territory and New Service travel Canadian National. The Route of Comfort, Convenience and Safety. Electric Lighted Steel Standard and Tourist Cars. Dining Car and Observation Cars. Ocean Bookings arranged to England. Agents for all Steamship Lines. Tickets to Canada, United States and England, and all particulars gladly supplied on application. G. M. Hemsworth, City Ticket Agent, 623 Fort Street. Phone 111.

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For additional sailings from Seattle and other particulars, Phone No. 4 or call on  
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# Canadian Labor and Foreign Trade



Canadian labor can take care of itself against any form of fair competition. Products made abroad by cheaply paid workmen will soon undersell our own in Canadian markets.

We must work together with the same loyalty and energy as in wartime, boosting for Canada first, last and all the time. Foreign Trade should interest every citizen. In selling to the world, we shall help others while helping ourselves.

Production must be increased so as to guarantee every worker his rightful wage and make times so prosperous that workers will not have time to listen to the efforts of breeders of discontent.

**OUR DELIVERIES MUST BE MADE IN OUR OWN DELIVERY WAGONS.**

The war made a worker of every man whether he works with his hands or his brain. Class consciousness has no place with men that work. This country presents the greatest opportunities right now to men who work efficiently.

Overseas business should be carried in our own ships both ways. We should have the profits of the carrying as well as the profits of building the ships. With Foreign Trade there will always be plenty of work for everybody and no fear of lay-offs. The development of great markets abroad will add to the home demand for everything made or grown here, and especially to the demand for men. The whole world should trade with Canada.











## AUTOMOBILES

(Continued.)

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## LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Section 24.

In the Matter of Part Fifty-one Feet by Seventy-eight and Five-tenths Feet (51 ft. x 78.5 ft.) of Lots Eleven Hundred and Forty-nine (1,148) and Eleven Hundred and Fifty (1,150), Victoria City.

PROOF having been filed in my Office of the loss of Certificates of Title, numbered 2229-C, to the above mentioned lands in the name of Charles H. Revercomb and Annie Revercomb, and bearing date the 22nd day of December, 1918, I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE of my intention at the expiration of One Calendar Month from the first publication of this Notice to the said Charles H. Revercomb and Annie Revercomb a fresh Certificate of Title in lieu of the lost Certificate. Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., this 5th day of March, 1919.

FRANK J. STACPOOLE,  
Registrar-General of Titles.  
No. 6648.

## CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS.

WESTERN LINES,  
PACIFIC DIVISION.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Sealed Tenders for Railway Terminal North of Point Ellice Bridge, Victoria, B. C.," will be received at the office of the undersigned, until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, June 6.

Plans, cross-sections, specifications and Form of Contract may be seen, and form of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Metropolitan Building, Vancouver, B.C., or the District Engineer, Belmont House, Victoria, B. C.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied by the Railway Company, and accompanied by an accepted cheque on a Chartered Bank equal to 2 per cent. of the value of the work, payable to the order of the Treasurer, Canadian National Railways.

The lowest, or any tender, not necessarily accepted.

M. H. MacLEOD,  
Vice-President,  
No. 1 Toronto Street, Toronto, Ont.

No. 481. No. of Application 21585-F.  
LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Notice Under Section 38.

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been made to register WILLIAM HOWARD MILLER as owner of certain land, bearing date the 22nd day of October, 1918, in pursuance of a Tax Sale held by said Collector on or about the 15th day of July, 1917, of a certain parcel of land, being a tract of land and premises situated, lying, and being in the District of Victoria, in the British Columbia, more particularly known and described as Lot 21, Block "B," of Sections 11 and 12, Map 12.

You and those claiming through or under you, and all persons claiming any interest in the said land by virtue of any unregistered instrument, and all persons claiming any interest in the said land by descent whose title is not registered under the provisions of the "Land Registry Act" (R.S.B.C. 1911), are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within thirty days of the service of this notice upon you, and in default of a caveat or certificate of his pending being filed before the registration, as provided by the person entitled under such tax sale you and each of you will be forever estopped and barred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said land, and I shall register the said WILLIAM HOWARD MILLER as owner of the said land sold for taxes.

Your attention is called to Section 36 of the said Act (R.S.B.C. 1911, c. 127) and amendments.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, at the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 10th day of May, A. D. 1919.

F. J. STACPOOLE,  
Registrar-General of Titles.

To Donald Crawford McKinnon, Registered and Assessed Owner.

I direct service of this Notice to be made by publication of same in four issues, one in each consecutive week, of a daily newspaper circulating in Victoria.

F. J. STACPOOLE,  
Registrar-General of Titles.

## CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH.

POUND SALE.

I will sell by public auction at the Municipal Pound, Glenford Avenue, Saanich, on June 9, 1919, at 11 a.m., the following described animal: 1 bay horse, 16 hands high, 2 white hind feet, small white mark on face, brand C on right shoulder, well shod, if not returned before that date and all charges paid.

JAMES BRYDEN,  
Poundkeeper.

## CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT.

Tax statements have been mailed to all persons whose names appear on the Assessment Roll of the Township of Esquimalt. Any person owning property in the above mentioned Township who has not received a statement should communicate at once with the undersigned.

G. H. PULLEN,  
Treasurer and Collector.  
No. 5293.

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## Samplers.

Camp Stove in Canvas Bag, \$2.00; Plates, 15c; Cups and Saucers, 10c; Dish Towels, 5c; Beautiful White Lace Curtains, \$3.99 per pair; Typewriter in excellent condition, \$10.00; Tennis Rackets, \$2.50; Roller Skates, Handsome Mahogany "Tennis" set, \$5.00; Unusually Heavy Pinned Oak Sideboard, \$42.50; Round Extension Table, \$32.50; Six Diners with Arm Chair, \$35.00; Oak Upholstered Davenport attached at end of full size Bed, only \$18.50; Trunk, from \$3.50 up; Carpet Squares, from \$4.50 up; 10x12 Conglomerate Mat, \$5.00; Piano tuned, and delivered \$50.00; Sewing Machine, \$10.00; Oak Roll-top Desk, \$30.00; Hand Singer Sewing Machine, \$8.50, etc.

## Forthcoming Sales

Messrs. Stewart Williams &amp; Co.

duly instructed will sell by public auction

On Wednesday, June 11, at 1527 Cold Harbor Road at 2 o'clock, furniture and effects.

On Thursday, June 12, at 1122 Newport Avenue, at 2 o'clock, furniture and effects.

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 17th, 18th and 19th, at 2 o'clock each day, at 815 Hillside Avenue, furniture and effects.

On Wednesday, June 12th, at 2:30 o'clock, furniture and effects.

Further particulars later, or from The Auctioneer Stewart Williams

Phone 1324.  
410 and 411 Sayward Building.

## OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred this morning at the Resthaven Convalescent Hospital of Cpl. John Smith, aged sixty-seven years. The late Cpl. Smith was born on the Isle of Man, had been a resident of this city for the past thirty-two years, and was the beloved husband of Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Smith, of 1809 Cook Street. He was well known in this city and for many years was in the truck and dray business. He left Victoria with the 67th Battalion and was overseas about eighteen months. He is survived by his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Thos. W. Smith, of 2587 Graham Street, and Gertrude, at home; also one son, Harold, who returned from overseas duty a few weeks ago. One son, Walter, died in London, England, from wounds received in the battle of Vimy Ridge, his widow residing in this city. Deceased was also survived by one sister, Mrs. David Hamilton, of Brantford, Ontario. The remains are resting at the Sands Funeral Chapel. The funeral will be military and the announcement will be made later.

The remains of the late John Kennedy were laid to rest in Ross Bay cemetery yesterday afternoon following a service conducted at the B. C. Funeral Chapel by the Rev. A. deB. Owen. There was a large attendance of friends and the casket was covered with floral tributes. One hymn was rendered, "The Sands of Time Are Sinking." A delegation from the L. L. A. Local No. 2845 was in attendance. The following from the union acted as pallbearers: J. A. Johnson, W. Inward, J. W. Neer and P. O'Hara.

The funeral of the late Jonathan Richardson, who passed away at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. C. Hocking, 526 Toronto Street, on June 3, took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Many of the deceased's relatives and old time friends were present at the service, which was conducted by the Rev. Arthur deB. Owen. The casket was hidden beneath a profusion of beautiful flowers. The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: W. Richardson and A. Richardson, sons of the deceased, and E. Bantly, A. Woodcroft, M. B. Wilbury and T. Lancaster. Interment was made at Ross Bay cemetery.

The funeral of the late Thomas McGregor took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. The service, which was conducted by the Rev. Joseph McCoy, was largely attended by relatives and friends and many floral tributes adorned the casket. The hymns sung were "Rock of Ages" and "A Few More Years Shall Roll." The following acted as pallbearers: S. W. Carter, C. D. Deaville, M. Pledger, J. Walker, J. D. Burns and Sergt. Gemmell. Interment was made in the family plot at Ross Bay cemetery.

The death occurred this morning at her home, 527 Head Street, of Kathleen Dadds, beloved wife of Sergt. Instructor C. A. Dadds, aged twenty-five years. The late Mrs. Dadds was born in Penhold, Alta, and had been a resident of Victoria for the past two years. She is survived by her husband and two children at home, a father, of New Westminster, two brothers at Cassidy, B.C., and one sister, Nursing Sister Jean McKee, on active service. The remains will be removed to the Sands Funeral Chapel until Sunday morning when they will be removed to her late home from where the funeral will take place on Monday at 1:30 o'clock. Interment will be made at Ross Bay cemetery.

Thos. Hawkins passed away at the Jubilee Hospital on Wednesday last at the age of sixty-seven years. The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Chapel. Funeral announcements will be made later.

MINISTER OF LANDS  
FOUND WATER USERS  
ALREADY CONVERTED

Old Cry for Government Ownership of Irrigation Systems Has Disappeared

PRESENT POLICY HAS  
DEVELOPED SMOOTHLY

From a two weeks' tour of investigation of all the irrigation systems of the Okanagan Valley, the Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, returned to his office at the Parliament Buildings this morning. The Minister was accompanied by Water Controller E. A. Cleveland, and the tour proper commenced at Vernon and ended at the international boundary line.

This was the first visit of actual inspection carried out by Mr. Cleveland since his appointment to the office he now fills, and the Minister's tour of the present conditions in this section of the dry belt.

## Careful Inspection

Each system was carefully investigated by the Minister and Mr. Cleveland, and accurate details collected in respect of the maximum water supply at the driest period of the year in conjunction with the maximum demands made upon it. In this connection Mr. Pattullo states that a number of the private operating companies have been obliged to default in their obligations and that the Government has had to come to their rescue with aid from the Conservation Fund in order to protect the water users.

This is the Minister's third annual trip through this section of the Province and he found the people in a different frame of mind to that experienced on the first and even the second visit. A fairly general demand in many quarters for a sort of blanket fund, in which both people and Government get the benefit of co-operative advice and effort.

## Changed View

Mr. Pattullo met with a satisfactory verdict on this point at all places visited and considerable enthusiasm was demonstrated in the Minister's announcements as directly related to irrigation policies. He explained to the water users of the Okanagan Valley that this Department would continue its investigations so that the present

development stage could pass into one of an even more decided programme, designed pre-eminently to safeguard every settler no matter how great or how small his requirements might be. But until complete data had been assembled for the purpose of guiding the Department in the framing of its future legislation, the Minister assured the people of the dry belt that their interests would be adequately protected by such measures deemed appropriate in the meantime. Mr. Pattullo said that the old cry for the very doubtful enterprise of Government-owned systems has practically disappeared with the knowledge that a little help from the Legislature will help all those who are anxious to help themselves.

Demonstration Plot and Townsite. From Penticton the party, including Major J. W. Clark, Superintendent of British Columbia Soldier Settlement, proceeded to the Government's 22,000-acre tract south of the city. Mr. Cleveland will remain on the spot for a few days for the purpose of checking up engineering data collected during the past three months by provincial engineers. On his return to the Parliament Buildings tenders for the first unit of construction on this development work will be called for.

As a part of the settlement plot the Department of Lands has decided to open up a demonstration plot of ten acres which is to be under the supervision of Major Clark. The laying out of a townsite is also under way. Mr. Pattullo states that he found conditions for a good crop exceedingly hopeful, while a feeling of buoyancy everywhere suggested a prosperity throughout the Okanagan by no means superficial.

## HOTEL MEN TO VISIT

Members of Washington State Association Will Be Here Tomorrow on Way to "Frisco."

When the Pacific Coast steamship President calls at the Outer Dock tomorrow morning on her way from Seattle to San Francisco she will have on board twenty members of the Washington State Hotel Men's Association en route to a convention in California.

The local hotel men have arranged to welcome the visitors. Their stay here will be short owing to the steamship only remaining for an hour, but they will breakfast in town and an effort will be made to give them a short ride around Beacon Hill Park.

Sergeant Sharpe Home.—Sergt. W. H. Sharpe, brother of Mrs. Thos. E. Lancaster, 426 Luxton Avenue, has arrived home after three years' service overseas, and has gone to his home at Hazelton, Skeena River. Before going overseas Sergt. Sharpe was employed by the Hudson's Bay Company. He enlisted with the 102nd Battalion, and went through most of the big actions in which the battalion took part. A veteran of the 2nd Yorkshire Regiment in England and of the 5th Regiment in Victoria, his military experience stood him in good stead, and he won his promotion to sergeant for his gallant work on the battlefield.

## Gambling Case Proceeds.

The charge against nine Chinamen of being in a gambling joint in Pan Tan Alley was proceeded with in the police court this morning. It was adjourned for lunch and Magistrate Jay resumed his seat at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

HOW FURTHER DUAL  
TAXATION OPERATES

Federal Budget Swells Amount of Impost on British Columbian Salaries

So long as the Dominion Government reserves to itself the right to invade provincial fields of taxation, as long will the unfortunate tax-payer have to pay the piper and smile at the dual impost. But reason of this existing condition those whose salaries go beyond the line of demarcation, from which both provincial and federal treasuries demand their prescribed percentage, will calculate their additional burden with mixed feelings.

In other words Sir Thomas White's new budget demands an additional two per cent. on all incomes over \$1,000, but not exceeding \$4,000. That is to say, a British Columbian earning a salary of not more than \$1,500 will have to pay his four per cent. to the Dominion Treasury on \$500, the Province takes nothing until the figure passes the \$1,500 mark, so that in the case of an unmarried person, for instance, earning \$2,000 per annum he or she will be called upon to contribute four per cent. to the Dominion on \$1,000 and one per cent. to the Province on \$500.

As another example, a salary of \$4,000 requires payment to the Province of two per cent. on \$2,500 and of four per cent. to the Dominion on \$3,000—a total tax of \$170. Under the whole Dominion scale the dual impost would have been \$110.

Hitherto the Dominion tax on incomes up to \$4,000 was two per cent. on the taxable margin, namely beyond \$1,000, with the margin extended in the case of married persons to \$2,000, the latter figure entailing an obligation to the Province only of \$5. Beyond this figure, as already stated, the Dominion scale imposes a four per cent. tax with graduations beyond \$6,000.

Travellers Meet.—The United Commercial Travellers of America of the British Columbia, Washington and Oregon jurisdiction, met in convention at the Empress Hotel this morning with seventy-five delegates in attendance. Reports for the year were very favorable, and it is probable the convention will conclude its session to-morrow morning. To-night a drive will be taken to the Saanich Observatory. The next in line for office are as follows: Grand Conventor, Percy Martin, Vancouver; Grand Past, R. McFarlane, Vancouver; Grand Conductor, E. M. McConnan, Victoria; Grand Junior, P. E. Arlett, Portland; Grand Page, J. Moore, Seattle.

## Some Misunderstanding.

According to a member of the Trades and Labor Council the written invitation to attend the Loyalty League meeting was read at a meeting of the Council. He states delegates were instructed to attend the meeting of the league and on putting in an appearance found no one to meet them. A letter, he states, was sent to the league to this effect.

MANY FIRES KEEP  
DEPARTMENT BUSY

An epidemic of fires occurring about six o'clock last night kept the Fire Department on the jump for an hour or more. The firemen were able to check all conflagrations before they had made much headway, but in Esquimalt a force of volunteers was unable to combat flames which finally demolished a dwelling.

At a quarter past six a roof fire at 731 Fisgard Street called the Department out for the first time, and fifteen minutes later a call brought it to a point in the 300 block on Fairfield Road, where a brush fire threatened to do damage. Another brush fire at the corner of Cook Street and Dallas Road at about five minutes to seven brought the firemen quickly upon the scene before the flames could spread far. At seven minutes past seven a fire in a house at 645 St. John's Street required attention. It appears that a spark ignited a curtain which hung beside an open window. The damage done was small.

A more serious conflagration occurred a short time later at 1307 St. James' Street in a house occupied by H. A. Goward. The firemen from Daubess Street Hall responded, and handled the blaze. Considerable damage was done by the water which the fire-fighters had to use.

In the meantime at about six o'clock a downy rain was falling. Esquimalt, occupied by Robert Redhead was destroyed by fire, despite the efforts of a force of volunteers who, under the direction of Chief of Police James Palmer, fought the blaze. Most of the furniture was saved. It is thought that a spark alighting on the roof of the dwelling caused the conflagration.

Come to the Milk Goat Show on Saturday at Hemingway's Auction Rooms, behind City Market. Admission 10 cents. Open 10 till 5.

Bank Clearings.—The bank clearings for the week ending to-day are \$2,123,305, as compared with \$1,961,096 in the corresponding week of 1918.

Motor-cycle Skidded.—J. Stewart, of 439 Walter Avenue, Saanich, is now confined to the Royal Jubilee Hospital following a bad accident on North Quadra Street, when his motor-cycle skidded and threw him heavily to the ground. The motor-cycle was administered by the police constables. Dr. McMillan, on arriving, ordered him to the hospital.

Narrowly Escaped Injury.—Two women and a young man narrowly escaped serious injury yesterday afternoon when a chemical engine from the Yates Street hall crashed into a motor car at the Five Points, Fairfield. The motor car was proceeding along Fairfield Road towards the cemetery and the fire-truck was heading along Moss Street towards the sea. The impact of the two machines was quite severe but no one suffered any injury.

## Councilman: "I've come to see, sir, if you will subscribe anything to the town cemetery."

Old Resident: "Good gracious! I've already subscribed three wives." Lady Visitor: "Remember, my good man, that stone walls do not a prison make, nor iron bars a cage." Convict: "Well, they've got me hypnotized, then, that's all."

## HUNTING FROM THE AIR.

An interesting account was recently published giving details of an aerial attack on a whale, which had ventured nearer to the west coast of California than was good for him. Lieut. James McCullough, of the American Air Service, saw him some miles off San Diego, and immediately opened fire with his machine gun. After a two-mile chase he killed the whale, which was afterwards towed ashore.

This recalls two other instances of hunting from the air, both of which occurred in the Eastern Counties.

In the first case, a pilot flying over lightly-wooded country observed a fox hunt going on beneath him. Swearing down, he saw that the hounds had lost the fox, which, from the altitude at which he was flying, was quite visible.

## A Good Kill.

He tried to indicate the position of the fox to the huntmen, but, failing to make them understand him, glided down and landed. After reporting Reynard's whereabouts, he swooped up again to see the end of the hunt, but the fox, despite heavy odds, succeeded in making good his escape, so that even aerial observation failed to bring him to an untimely end.

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## HE PASSED ON.

A clergyman while passing through a street in Edinburgh came upon a rough-looking and gigantic coalman who was persuading his horse to move along more expeditiously. The horse had taken a stubborn fit and the coalman was very excited, and coughing his sentiments in language which was simply appalling.

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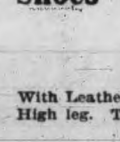
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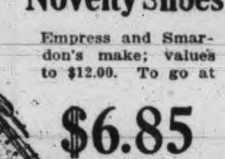
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## TARIFF CHANGES ARE DISCOURAGING

Early Opinion Did Not Promise  
Relief to Consumers' Pockets

It is not possible to hold out any hope of improvement to the consumer's pocket from the small reductions made in the tariff, so far as inquiries made this morning can be reliably said to indicate. The explanation offered by local merchants, and men engaged in occupations which are affected by the Budget statement of Sir Thomas White, Federal Minister of Finance, yesterday, take a pessimistic hue.

The problem of transportation is a factor in any influence to reduce the cost of necessary commodities, and with the present uncertainties on the Atlantic while demobilization proceeds, it is not expected there will be any large increase in the imports of British goods. Those which are likely to find, so it is stated, their way overseas will be sold at advanced prices in keeping with the increase in labor and other production charges at the factories.

Clothing Situation.

The suspension of the British tariff will not affect the price of men's clothing to any appreciable extent, according to the statement of the manager of one of the local haberdasheries this morning. Instead there is every likelihood of a further increase in the prices. The great upward trend in the wool market will more than offset the reduction which the tariff will cause.

Great Britain controls the wool market and owns the Australian and New Zealand output. In these two countries there were 1,440,000 bales at the end of

last September. On April 2 the Wool Council held its first sale for some time and 80,000 bales were disposed of. The Council succeeded in getting the Government to reduce the minimum price seven and one-half per cent. During the first day of the sale the price jumped fourteen and one-half per cent, and on the second day took another jump of seven and one-half per cent, making a total increase of twenty-two and one-half per cent.

The manager pointed out the great scarcity of wool for clothing purposes. Although the importation of read-made clothing from England is very small, most of the cloth is received by the Canadian houses from the Old Land. Owing to the return of huge numbers of men to civilian life in the United Kingdom as well as in other parts of the world, the demand for clothing is enormous and there appears little chance of prices dropping until this demand is met.

The price of suits for the fall season will show an increase over prevailing prices, according to The Times informant.

No Help From Reduction.

Although the British preferential tariff, according to the announcement in the Budget Speech yesterday, has been abolished on certain imported cotton, linen and woolen goods, the price to the consumer is not likely to come down to any appreciable extent for some time. Such was the statement made by a representative of a local goods firm when approached by The Times this morning, the explanation being that any reduction in the cost of labor would be offset by the increasing cost of labor.

Within the past few days apart from British goods notices have been received from two of the largest cotton and linen manufacturers in Canada and the United States announcing the possibility of an increase in the price to the retailer within the very near future. Both of these houses are in the throes of labor trouble, the workers having gone on strike demanding a forty-eight-hour week at payment commensurate with a fifty-four hour week. This means a decided decrease in the amount of production, with an increase of 12 1/2 per cent. in the cost, a condition which is likely to have a far-reaching effect, and to the average mind does not suggest any immediate prospect of a decrease in the cost of goods to the consumer.

Tea and Coffee.

The effect of the new preferential

tariff on teas will benefit British growers. The planters of Assam and Ceylon gain at the expense of the Chinese, Japanese and Formosan growers, according to a local tea and coffee importer. While a large quantity of the teas used in Victoria is imported from Ceylon, the new crop from Japan is just arriving on the inbound steamers, and there is a considerable quantity of Chinese teas of the better grades also used here.

The tariff on foreign grown teas, or teas grown outside of the British Empire, is apparently remains unchanged, and consumers will therefore probably pay more for these teas than those grown within the Empire, and consequently there will be a tendency to divert most of the trade to India and Ceylon. The war tax on tea has been ten cents per pound.

A local coffee importer stated that he was hardly in a position to say just how the change in the coffee tariff would affect the market here, as the tariff before he was very large extent was in the hands of Brazil.

When the Central American countries sold out this year's coffee crops Brazil immediately put the price of coffee up nearly two cents a pound because that country has practically the only coffee in the New World outside of Central America.

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HEARTS OF THE WORLD AT VARIETY NEXT WEEK

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## TO-DAY'S AMUSEMENTS

Pantages—Vaudeville.

Royal Victoria—Comedy photo-dramatic production, "Mickey," featuring Mabel Normand.

Dominion—Dorothy Dalton in "Extravagance."

Columbia—Alfred Whitman and Nell Shipman in "A Gentleman's Agreement."

Romano—Carlyle Blackwell and Evelyn Greeley in "Hitting the Trail."

Variety—Anita Stewart in "From Headquarters."

## ROYAL VICTORIA

"Mickey," featuring Mabel Normand.

Thomas H. Ince's latest photoplay, "Mickey," featuring Mabel Normand, is shown to-night and to-morrow.

The picture is filled with unexpected situations not called for in the scenario, and although this spontaneity brings many a brilliant flash in the picture, still Mabel Normand admits that the life of a comedienne is not all giggle and gurgles.

One day when Mabel was called upon to dust a chair, during one of the scenes for "Mickey," she tripped over a rug, took a header, landed on her back, one of those old-fashioned nine-foot high ball clocks, and tipped it over. Mabel had just time to brace herself and throw her hands over her head when the clock came down on her.

For several seconds she struggled, and then Bill Colven, butler in the scene, came to her rescue. The camera man, realizing that the stuff, though not called for, was good action, filmed the incident, and it has been added to the great number of humorous situations in "Mickey."

But sometimes they don't film the "unexpected." Mabel Normand, as "Mickey," was to fall through a roof, in which, to be effective, she must land on her feet. Mabel found it easy enough to fall, but landing head up was another matter. "Oh, for one of those German helmets," she cried, after the "tenth attempt."

## DOMINION

Victor L. Schertzinger, who directed Thomas H. Ince's latest photoplay, "Extravagance," starring Dorothy Dalton, which will be shown at the Dominion Theatre to-day and Saturday, was famous as a musician and composer before he was known as a picture director. When but seven years old he was featured as a violin prodigy with the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra. Later he studied in Brussels and Paris, and was to be featured as violin soloist with Sousa's and Prior's bands.

He then became director for Oliver Morosco, wrote the song hits for "The Tik Tok Man" and "Kitty Jordana's Pretty Mrs. Smith." He was then engaged by Thomas H. Ince to write scores for his productions. He wrote the music for "Civilization" and directed the prologue to that spectacle. His work so pleased Mr. Ince that he was made a director.

## PANTAGES

Tom Kelly, the Irish singing comedian, who is at the Pantages this week, tells this story of his last visit to the land of his forefathers: "I happened to be in Ireland just before the uprising in 1915 when Dublin was 'captured' by the rebel troops and taken back again by a gun boat," he declared. "I hired an Irish jaunting car for a trip through the famous Phoenix Park. The driver detected my Irish accent and he whispered mysteriously: 'Are you with us?' 'Sure I am,' said I 'with you in what?' 'The revolt,' said he, 'the great rebellion that will put the English out of business.' 'What,' said I, 'another one?' 'Sure,' said he, 'and we have half a million fine young lads all over Ireland fully armed, to attack the English on the word.' 'When does it come off?' I asked him. 'When the word goes out,' he said. 'What's keeping you?' said I. 'One thing,' said he in all seriousness, 'the Royal Irish Constabulary is against us.'

## VARIETY

"The greatest police story ever written," it has universally been conceded, is "From Headquarters," the Vitagraph picture in which Anita Stewart achieves added fame as one of the screen's most forceful emotional actresses. "From Headquarters" is proving a popular drawing card at the Variety this week. Miss Stewart is, perhaps, unequalled as a dramatic actress, and in "From Headquarters" she has what is indisputably her most compelling role in which her beauty and emotional powers stand out boldly. She creates a role that is bound to go down as one of screen's big achievements, that of the daughter of a relentless police sergeant who always has preached love before duty until duty calls him to arrest his own motherless daughter because she took into her own hands vengeance on the man who won and betrayed her trust in him.

## COLUMBIA

Nell Shipman, Vitagraph star, is a strong and daring swimmer. She showed that in "Baree, Son of Kazan," in her remarkable drive from a cliff into a boiling river which swept her under a log boom, whence she was fished in nick of time by Al Garcia. In "A Gentleman's Agreement," the Blue Ribbon Feature which will be seen at the Columbia again to-day, she swims in full view of the camera across one of the wildest sets of rapids in the Kern River in California. Surrounded by rocks and in a racing current she fights her way to a rock in comparatively clear water without aid from Alfred Whitman, close behind, or Director David Smith and a score of players.

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anxiously following her battle from shore. The scene is a beautiful piece of photoplay aside from the thrill of the girl's plucky struggle.

## ROMANO

A picture with plenty of punch in "Hitting the Trail," a new World Picture starring Carlyle Blackwell and Evelyn Greeley, which will be shown at the Romano again to-day. It is the sort of a picture that everyone likes and it is certain to please you. Be sure to see it. The story deals with the love affair and adventures of Flo Haines, a product of the East Side, but possessing much more innate refinement than would be expected from one brought up in that environment and who is interested in an East Side mission, and the Kid follows her there. Through a strike in the artificial flower factory where Flo works and through various other adventures the Kid follows her to final happiness.

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## COST OF LIVING IS SUBJECT MATTER OF PUBLIC GATHERING

Speakers Support Resolution  
Requesting Prompt Federal  
Intervention

### MRS. GRAVES APPEALS FOR PUBLIC SERVICE

That the matter of taking steps to lower the cost of living is pre-eminently a woman's issue was proved at the mass meeting held at the High School last night when it was noticeable that the practical suggestions contributed to the discussion were made by members of the gentler sex. The men speakers confined their observations largely to the ethical basis underlying the problem of the upward tendency in the cost of living.

Called under the auspices of the Women's Independent Political Association, nearly four hundred citizens were in attendance, the majority of whom were women. Alderman Joseph Patrick was in the chair, and supporting him on the platform were the Mayor and members of the City Council, F. A. Pauline, M.P., Mrs. C. Spoford, of the City School Trustees; Miss Crease, President of the Local Council of Women; Mrs. Willis, Mrs. J. D. Gordon and Mrs. H. W. Graves, of the Independent Association; Dr. Ernest Hall and Lieut.-Col. J. W. McIntosh, M.P., and F. J. Stacpoole, K. C. The speakers included Mr. Stacpoole, Col. McIntosh, Mrs. Graves, Dr. Ernest Hall, while Mr. March, a farmer; Reeve Jones, of Saanich, and Mrs. Grevett, of Calgary, contributed to the ensuing discussion.

#### The Resolution.

As an outcome of the meeting the following resolution was passed, with but two dissentients, and will be forwarded to Ottawa:

Whereas: Certain economic conditions at the present time are largely the outcome of a lack of government control over the distributing cost of the necessities of life, and these conditions are a factor in social unrest, and whereas:

The high cost of living is felt in most households in this Province, while there has been neither a corresponding increase in the wages of the inside workers nor has the conflict between the skilled trades and the employing class, and the resulting wages been contributing to the stability of the country;

Be it resolved: That this meeting go on record in favor of:

1. Public ownership and operation of packing plants, cold storage houses, grain elevators, and other food repositories in the interests of the Canadian people;
2. Prohibiting the export of any necessity of life until the needs of the Canadian people are settled;
3. The control of the prices of foodstuffs by a provincial committee under a Federal Food Board, the Board aiming to prevent waste and to establish maximum prices;
4. Publicity being given as to the available stocks of food, and that the provincial government secure power to take food from cold-storage plants at a valuation not to exceed standard prices of March 1918, this power to remain in force for one year or until such time as clause one of this resolution becomes operative;
5. Removing or reducing duties or taxes upon such food, clothing and other necessities of life as are imported into Canada, and offsetting anticipated decrease in revenue by continuing the Business Profits War Tax;
6. Direction be given the Board of Railway Commissioners on the appli-

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cation of twelve registered voters in an electoral district to review the freight rates charged upon food produce either in the interest of the shipper or consumer;

7. These regulations be embodied in an Order-in-Council, the infringement of which shall be punishable with heavy penalties to be defined by the Order;

8. That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Prime Minister of Canada requesting that the Executive Council announce its policy upon these questions at an early date.

#### War Millionaires.

The war millionaires, one of whom amassed forty or fifty millions in war profits, were severely attacked by F. J. Stacpoole, K. C., who was the first speaker.

Mr. Stacpoole also scored the big corporations and the banking institutions. The Canadian Pacific Railway paid its dividends to the shareholders, and no matter what stress the people were suffering, it was not the company's philosophy to reduce their dividends, but they must run to the Government and get authority to increase the freight rates. In this and other similar instances he blamed the Government for allowing the people to be exploited. The Ottawa Government should compel such companies to take a slice off their dividends instead of squeezing the public every time they fancied they were pressed financially, Mr. Stacpoole said.

The chartered banks of Canada, with a capital of \$111,722,628, found it necessary to house themselves in palatial buildings costing nearly \$24,000,000, with palatial furnishings to match, he stated. Even the air was flustered in some of them before the inmates were allowed to breathe it. "Did the shareholders pay for all this?" By no means. Those who handle our wheat, flour, potatoes and so forth go to the banks for money, and they pay for it and charge it up to the people," said Mr. Stacpoole.

The initial cause of high cost of living was the fixing of the wheat price by the Federal Government, he said. Bread being the basic food, all others were priced higher accordingly, and Mr. Stacpoole said he thought a fixed price of \$1.50 would have been ample to meet the situation.

Mr. Stacpoole proceeded: "In his budget speech Sir Thomas White, Minister of Finance, calls for more thrift and more production. There was an ethical side to the question, which was man's duty to live for man as well as himself. It would be well if some of those higher up in the world would realize that there is another duty besides piling dollar upon dollar," he added. Mr. Stacpoole considered that the Ottawa Government had a great deal to do with conditions, and the people should insist that they take steps to alleviate the trouble.

#### Touched on Various Subjects.

Col. J. W. McIntosh, M. P., for Vancouver, came over specially for the purpose of addressing the meeting. He spoke for three quarters of an hour, and touched on many phases of the subject. He said those who felt the high cost of living were those having families to keep, and the small wage earners. There was too much difference, he claimed, in the salaries paid some of the higher Government officials and the other employees, all of whom were servants of the people.

Though the past years had seen much destruction and consumption of food, yet there were those who advocated higher wages and shorter hours, or, in other words, reducing production by shortening the hours. It was not reasonable to admit that during the next few years there must be hard work and lots of production to catch up with the losses. The speaker insisted that the Federal Government should be approached and compelled to stop profiteering, or tax profiteers to the limit.

#### Got Restless.

During his lengthy address Col. McIntosh deviated somewhat from the topic on his conclusion. A man in the audience exclaimed, "How much more of this are we going to listen to. I thought we came here to talk about the high cost of living. Isn't this typical of Victoria? We have listened to a performing lawyer, and a performing doctor."

That was as far as the speaker proceeded before he was interrupted by Alderman Patrick, chairman of the meeting. A dispute took place between the chairman and people in the audience who evidenced keen disappointment in that instead of a general exchange of opinion on the subject they were obliged to follow the set speeches. The episode ended in one of the questioners walking out of the hall, indignantly banging the doors behind him.

#### Mrs. Graves.

Mrs. Graves said the first thing to do was to find out the cause of high cost of living, then seek a remedy and put it in force. She said that while cold storage plants exported large quantities of food they were at the same time importing to supply the home market. "Meat will soon be classed with the luxuries," she said. She referred to the huge profits paid the shareholders of the Swift packing concern and advocated that Canada should not export a single pound of food until her own people had first been supplied.

As for clothing, Canada had shipped out of the country \$5,000,000 worth of wool within the past three months, while the Canadian people were wearing shoddy, Mrs. Graves said. Referring to food again, Mrs. Graves related one instance where 300 fisher-

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men were laid off because the cold storage plants had too much fish on hand, which they held up in order to keep the price up.

Mrs. Graves did not consider that higher wages compensated for increased cost of living. "There was an ethical side to the question, which was man's duty to live for man as well as himself. It would be well if some of those higher up in the world would realize that there is another duty besides piling dollar upon dollar," he added. Mr. Stacpoole considered that the Ottawa Government had a great deal to do with conditions, and the people should insist that they take steps to alleviate the trouble.

"In the new day that I hope now is dawning the person who accumulates vast wealth will be looked down upon

and despised. No millionaire has given to the world the equivalent of what he has received. 'Not what I can get out of my country, but what I can give to my country and to my fellow man,' should be our ideal.

"When raving against the profiteer let us examine our own conscience and see if we would have done the same had we the opportunity. Let us see if there is no profiteering on a small scale. I consider the person who is drawing a large salary every day and who is not giving an adequate return is a profiteer. What we need is a sense of responsibility and a new conscience in the interests of public service," concluded Mrs. Graves.

Mr. Marsh, a farmer, wished to remove the impression that the farmers were at the root of high wheat prices. He declared that the wheat growers had offered to accept a minimum of \$1.50 and a maximum of \$1.70 a bushel. This offer was refused and it was only when a large block of wheat was bought by Armour & Company at \$1.57 and the price shot up to \$3.05 that the Government stepped in and fixed the price at \$2.21, Fort William.

"Do not export until you have fed your own people, and let Germany and Austria stand the high price, if anybody must, by paying our export tax of 25c a bushel," said Mr. Marsh. He informed the meeting that farmers were even now selling their butter to retail stores on the prairies at 30c per pound.

Dr. Ernest Hall severely attacked the present system of medical treatment. "The Bolshevism we have here is nothing else but discontent with the unjust conditions. I was booked to speak here on the child life aspect of the high cost of living, and I may say that as a result of the economic pressure human lives are being slaughtered right here in our city. 'Maternity is penalized. There are more women suffering and more children killed before they are born than we know of. Why? Simply because

conditions are such that it costs over \$150 for every child that is born, and it is \$150 that most of them have not got. There are the many other expenses that follow, and mothers and children do not get proper attention because they have not the money to buy it.

"Our children have a right to be born, and they and the mothers have the right to have the best medical skill that can be given them," declared Dr. Hall amid vociferous applause. He severely scored what he termed 'the medical monopoly,' and thought it should be made easier for doctors to come into the province from other points to practice.

Under the present system the people had to choose from the medical men among them and pay the price, and if they could not pay in some instances they were proceeded against stated Dr. Hall. He cited a case of a man with two children, and his wage was \$30 a month. He incurred a doctor's bill of \$20 and kept going behind. His money was garnished to pay the doctor's bill with the very heavy legal costs added.

Another parent had to take his child to a dentist to have a bridge corrected. The dentist informed the parent that the work would require bringing a specialist from Vancouver and the cost would be \$350. It was such things as this that proved the extent to which parents are being penalized, said the speaker.

#### Co-operative Effort

Reeve Jones of Saanich said the cost of living could be reduced largely by individual effort and there was much land that could be profitably cultivated in Saanich. "You have the prairie right here in Victoria; the butcher who buys mutton at 25c and sells it to you at 35c being one of them," said Mr. Jones.

The Metchoin farmers have begun a co-operative scheme, and they will open up a shop in Victoria to sell meat direct to the consumer at practically wholesale prices," said Mr. Jones. At this point a lady in the audience asked Mr. Jones if he could inform

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