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FORCED BACK BY RUSSIAN CAVALRY

German Forces Engaged in Piercing Movement From Swentsiany Have Retreated

ENEMY'S PLANS HAVE ENDED IN FAILURE

Allied Commanders on East and West Fronts Are Co-operating

Petrograd, Oct. 1.—Under the fierce counter pressure of Russian cavalry, the German forces engaged in the piercing movement from Swentsiany have had to fall back from Glubokoi. It is to be presumed the German cavalry has been pressed back beyond the flanks of von Eichhorn's infantry, which was charged with the task of supporting the piercing movement.

In other words, the left wing has withdrawn to a level with von Busslow's right flank and now occupies the front running south from Drislavay and Kozlany, along the line of Medzoka, Postaya, Lake Mindzhol, Lake Narotch and west of Wilgika.

The general impression is that von Hindenburg's offensive is not quite so enterprising. The Germans have been driven back from the Polotsk line and there is a noticeable tendency to restrict operations to artillery fire.

On the other hand, the Germans are pursuing vigorous tactics in the Styria valley under the necessity of countering the Russian offensive of the Sereth.

Referring to the Anglo-French victory, the Novoye Vremya says that in the operations there is clear evidence of co-ordinated plans, the result of which the near future will show.

"In any event," it says, "the forthcoming general engagement in the west is certain to exercise influence on the Russian front. At this given moment the co-operation of the allies west and east must be fully developed."

The Russians have played upon every nerve to resume the offensive so as to hold the German forces in the east and thereby to deprive them of any opportunity of assisting on the western front.

Ever since the rupture of the Russian lines on the Donajec, the Germanic forces have been advancing at an average speed of two miles a day. This rate diminishes as the Germans advance eastward and it obviously would require many months and the most favorable circumstances and climate to enable the German hosts to reach Petrograd, Moscow or Kiev.

Dvinsk Will Be Held. It is also obvious that their concern is to crush the Russian armies. But under modern conditions of warfare, conditions which require huge supplies of munitions, any disturbance of internal economy affecting the output or transport of raw material supplies would hopelessly cripple the army.

Hence the German efforts to sever the railway connection of Petrograd with the south. From this point of view, the possession of Dvinsk is of the greatest importance. Without it Germany would hesitate to send a large force from Swentsiany across the Polotsk-Smolensky railway. General Ruzsky will not surrender Dvinsk save under direct compulsion.

CUSTOMS FIGURES FOR SEPTEMBER \$8,029,665

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—Both in the month just closed and the half of the fiscal year ended with September the increase in the customs figures are substantial in comparison with the corresponding period last year. The customs revenue during September was \$8,029,665, as against \$5,919,271 in the corresponding week of last year, an increase of \$2,110,394. For the six months ended on September 30 the aggregate revenue was \$44,760,820, compared with \$43,944,913, an increase of \$815,907.

SAANICH REGISTRATION. For the Saanich constituency registration may be made with George F. Watson, Gordon Head; B. A. Moore, Cedar Hill Road; J. A. Grant, Royal Oak; E. E. Tanner, Keatings; H. F. Pullen, 2055 Oak Bay Avenue; P. A. Pauline, 940 Fowl Bay Road; Wm. Noble, Hampshire Terrace; Geo. Vallance, Hampton Road, corner Tillicum and Burnside; Lee & Fraser, 1222 Broad Street, City.

SUBMARINE INQUIRY WAS OPENED TO-DAY

Commissioner Refuses to Allow S. S. Taylor, K. C., to Examine Witnesses

HEAD JANITOR AS A SUBMARINE EXPERT

J. V. Patterson is Being Examined This Afternoon

The dining room of the legislative wing of the parliament buildings was crowded this forenoon, when Sir Charles Peers Davidson, who is the royal commissioner conducting inquiries into war contracts, opened an inquiry into the purchase of the Dominion, through the intermediary of Sir Richard McBride and Captain W. H. Logan, of two submarines, which had been rejected by the government of Chile.

The boats were assembled in Seattle by the Seattle Construction and Drydock Co., for the Electric Boat Co., of New Jersey, and were not accepted by the Chilean government because of lack of buoyancy, and at the time of their purchase by Canada the builders were faced by the necessity of making a large payment to Chile in refund of progress payments and as damages. The present inquiry is being held at the instance of John Fraser, auditor-general of Canada, who was a prominent figure at the inquiry to-day.

It was decided by the commissioner that counsel for the Liberal party should not be heard, nor allowed to take part in the proceedings.

"Our determination," said Sir Charles after the commission had been read by Thomas P. O'Keefe, Ottawa, associate editor of the debates of the House of Commons and one of the ablest members of the Hansard staff, clerk to the commission, "is, as it has been throughout our past sittings, to pursue the investigation of any matters which may need inquiry with great thoroughness and earnestness. I had, at the outset, the good fortune to secure the consent of John Thompson, one of his majesty's counsel at the Ontario bar, to act as counsel for the commission. He will examine the witnesses, and I am sure he will welcome any information which may reach him from any source and which is germane to the matters under investigation."

S. S. Taylor, K. C., Vancouver, addressing the court, said he was requested by the Liberal association of B. C. to appear and ask his lordship's consent to examine and cross-examine witnesses, and he filed the resolution of the association to that effect.

"With the greatest respect," he continued, "the purpose we desire to serve will not be served by the course your lordship mentions. We ask that counsel be allowed to appear, in pursuance of the time-honored custom of British justice, which has been found to serve the best interests of all concerned in any dispute. As the matter has been suggested I would ask you to consider that your commission is a public inquiry under the Public Inquiries Act. There have been several such held in this province—the forest inquiry, the insurance inquiry, and others—and if analogous procedure be followed here, all persons, subject to proper restrictions, are allowed and invited to examine and cross-examine. If permitted by your lordship, I will keep my conduct within the proper scope of the inquiry."

Put in Telegram. Mr. Taylor put in a telegram from P. Pelletier, acting under-secretary of state, to G. E. Patterson, secretary of the Liberal association, dated August 31, replying to a letter, in which he stated that Sir Charles Davidson arranged the sittings of the commission, and adding "no authority necessary for appearance." Mr. Taylor ventured the suggestion that perhaps the commission had passed beyond the authority of the secretary of state.

Sir Charles Davidson replied that Mr. Taylor was right in his surmise; that Mr. Pelletier passed beyond his authority when he expressed the opinion cited.

"There is no department of government, not even the government itself, which can control the acts of the commission," the commissioner continued. "It is possible that my commission might be cancelled, but otherwise I would not permit any official interference with the manner in which it is conducted. We have Mr. Thompson. I have faith in his independence of character and his conduct throughout the examination of witnesses, almost a multitude, has been that of a fearless, upright and effective advocate, whose only desire is to serve the public."

"As regards this application, my serious belief is that it would be an invasion of the position of Mr. Thompson. He represents all parties; the whole people of Canada, and I am firmly convinced that he will fulfil his duty in that respect to the utmost."

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GUNS HAMMERING LINE IN CHAMPAGNE

French Artillery Carrying Out Violent Bombardment of German Positions

JOFFRE IS FEELING FOR THE WEAK SPOTS

Enemy's Attempts to Recapture Lost Ground Failed; Lost Heavily

Paris, Oct. 1.—Feeling for weak spots at which to throw the blue waves of his legions, General Joffre, commander-in-chief of the allied forces, today continued to sweep the second line of German defences in the Champagne district with a terrific artillery fire. Time and again the French waves have been swept back, but by never-ending attacks they have secured a firm foothold in some of the advanced trenches in the second line.

The Germans were fighting furiously today. Reinforced by fresh troops from the eastern front, they have inaugurated heavy assaults at various points, particularly north of Loos.

Counter attacks to the east and south of Ypres intended to weaken the British pressure at Lens have been repulsed.

A terrific bombardment along the entire line in the Champagne district was in progress to-day. The noise of the thousands of exploding shells is deafening.

Hold Hill 191. South of Arras the Germans are shelling the French from both sides of the Somme.

In the Champagne the French already have made gains north of Meaulx and to the east, between a hill to the north of Massiges and the road from Ville-sur-Tourbe to Cernay. They also hold the commanding height known as Hill No. 191. The Champagne battlefield immediately after the great advance of the week-end was a spectacle of such slaughter and destruction as to strike cold the hearts of even those men who had previously witnessed the worst horrors of the world's greatest war.

To-day, however, owing to the tremendous improvement in the organization of the Red Cross and the sanitary departments, this shambles has been completely cleaned up with amazing speed and efficiency.

German counter-attacks last night in an effort to regain positions captured by the allies in the Artois district and the Champagne were repulsed with heavy losses to the enemy, according to to-day's communiqué.

"When the allies' 'fall drive' was commenced the citizens of France and Britain found this question uppermost in their minds at all times: 'Will the allies be able to hold the ground they capture?'"

To-day's communiqué answers this question in the affirmative. It shows that after seven days of fighting as fierce as any during the war, the allies are making favorable progress in spite of assaults and counter-attacks by Germany's finest troops, including the Prussian Guard.

FRENCH AVIATORS ARE ASSISTING IN ENGLAND

London, Sept. 31.—Nearly a dozen French aviators, all of them picked men, have come to England to aid the British fliers in keeping off Zeppelins, according to a report current in London.

The air patrol of Paris has been remarkably effective. Though the battelme is less than 60 miles from the city, Paris has been practically immune for months from air attacks, an immunity doubtless due to the fact that day and night French birdmen are on the wing over the city.

CREW OF NORWEGIAN BARQUE WAS RESCUED

Copenhagen, Oct. 1.—The Norwegian barque Actie, 543 tons gross, with a cargo of props, from Krageroe to Leth, was set on fire last night by a German submarine, 20 miles south of the Naar, at the southern extremity of Norway. The Actie's crew of eleven was rescued.

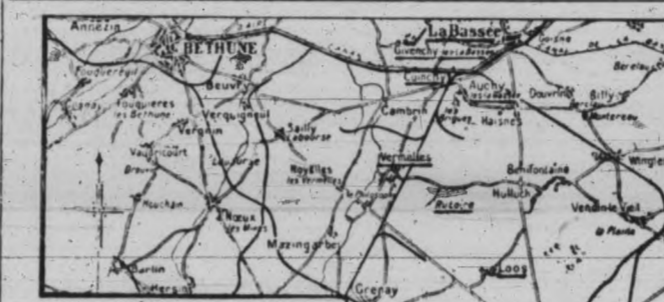
KILLED IN CHAMPAGNE.

Paris, Oct. 1.—Prince Henry of Polignac met death in the fighting in the Champagne district on Sept. 25, according to announcement here to-day. He was a captain in an infantry regiment and was 37 years old.

WOULD BE UNPATRIOTIC.

London, Oct. 1.—The financial columns of the London morning papers deprecate as unpatriotic any investment in the American loan by British investors.

French Made Progress East and Southeast of Neuville



\$430,000,000 BEFORE BOOKS ARE OPENED

Great Loan Being Raised in States is an Unqualified Success

New York, Oct. 1.—Members of the big syndicate of banks, trust companies and private banks which will manage the \$500,000,000 bond issue negotiated here by the Anglo-French loan commission had received to-day a flood of applications from banks and individuals for permission to participate in underwriting the loan. Although the subscription books have not been opened yet, the total subscriptions already offered are estimated as amounting to as high as \$430,000,000.

That some of the subscriptions would be very large was indicated by the statement that one of the most wealthy men in the United States had offered \$20,000,000, and that other offers ranging from \$2,000,000 to \$5,000,000 had been made by New York banks representing large corporations here.

Sir Edward Holden, one of the members of the Anglo-French commission, was quoted to-day as saying that in his opinion the loan is so superior in income yield to anything in London that he expects a large amount of it will find its way to that city.

"Both British and French investors already are making extensive application for it," said Sir Edward.

In the announcement of the terms of the loan virtually anybody with \$1,000 to invest was offered a bond at 98 1/2 per cent under the figure designated as the selling price to the individual subscriber, which was fixed at 98.

TRYING TO BELIEVE THERE IS NO MENACE

Amsterdam, Oct. 1.—The correspondent of the Cologne Gazette in the Champagne district has sent the following to his newspaper: "It is continually becoming clearer that the enemy's surprise thrust, carried out by a tremendous array of forces, which had been in preparation for several months, will not succeed. The attack now has been brought to a standstill all along the line and the prospects of a further setback are being awaited with equanimity."

REASON GIVEN BY KUHN, LOEB & CO.

New York, Oct. 1.—The banking house of Kuhn, Loeb & Company will not help to float the \$500,000,000 credit loan to Great Britain and France, because it has been unable to obtain assurances that Russia will not be benefited thereby. Jacob H. Schiff, senior member of the firm, so asserted to-day in the first formal statement he has issued on the subject.

SPANISH STEAMSHIP SANK; ALL DROWNED

London, Oct. 1.—The Spanish steamship Millan Carrasco, registering 967 tons, founded off Luaron, Spain, according to advices received by Lloyd's to-day. All aboard the vessel perished.

ALLEGED BRITISH ARE NOT ATTACKING NOW

Berlin, Oct. 1.—It is claimed in the official statement issued here to-day that the attacks by the British have ceased, that the Germans have made further progress north of Loos, and that all French attacks east of Stouchez, north of Neuville and in the Champagne have failed.

The German war office stated to-day that during September there were captured on the Russian front about 34,000 men, 37 cannon and 298 machine guns.

THACKER COMMANDS FIRST ARTILLERY

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—News has been received of changes in the command of the artillery of the First and Second Canadian Divisions. Brigadier-General R. W. D. Morrison, D.S.O., of Ottawa, and Col. Thacker, of Halifax, have exchanged commands. Col. Thacker has taken charge of the First Artillery Brigade, which is in France, and Brig. Gen. Morrison has taken command of the Second Artillery.

SON SUCCEEDS HIM.

London, Oct. 1.—Sir Thomas Skinner has resigned from the committee of the Hudson's Bay Company. Hewitt Skinner, his son, succeeds him. R. M. Kildersley was elected governor and Charles Sale, deputy governor.

GAINS MADE NORTH OF ARRAS; ATTACK IN CHAMPAGNE REPULSED

Using Hand Grenades, French Made Progress East and Southeast of Neuville; During Advance Last Evening North of Massiges, in Champagne, Joffre's Forces Captured 280 Prisoners

PARIS, OCT. 1.—In the great battle in the Artois district the French have made further progress by means of attacks with hand grenades on the German trenches. Announcement to this effect was made to-day by the war office.

In the Champagne a German counter-attack near Maisons de Champagne was checked.

The Germans violently bombarded French trenches near Soupir, north of the Aisne, but made no infantry attack.

The text of the communication follows: "In the Artois district we have made progress by the use of hand grenades in the trenches and underground passages to the east and to the southeast of Neuville.

"Two German counter-attacks have been delivered, one against a fort which we conquered yesterday in the forest of Givency, the other against the trenches to the south of Hill No. 119, where French troops had installed themselves. Each one of these attacks was repulsed conclusively.

"To the north of the Aisne, near Soupir, the enemy conducted a violent demonstration against our trenches.

"In the Champagne district our fire put a definite check to a German counter-attack in the vicinity of Maisons-de-Champagne.

"The number of prisoners made yesterday evening during our advance to the north of Massiges was 280, including six officers."

PREPARED TO AID SERBIA AND GREECE

Britain and France Already Have Taken Measures, Declares Temps

Paris, Oct. 1.—The Temps announces that France and Great Britain already have taken military measures to defend Serbia and Greece against Bulgarian aggression.

Clashes Already. Turin, Sept. 30.—There already have been several clashes between Serbians and Bulgarians along the frontier, according to reports received here. A Bulgarian patrol at Tritouke is reported to have attacked Serbian sentinels, who retreated. The Bulgarians crossed into Serbian territory, where they remained several hours.

Bulgarian troops are said to be digging trenches all along the frontier and protecting them with barbed wire entanglements.

Still Promising. London, Oct. 1.—Bulgaria must disarm or go to war. No middle course is left her with the entente powers exerting strong pressure to force demobilization, and the Teutonic allies equally strong pressure toward war.

Bucharest dispatches to-day report that Germany and Austria-Hungary have offered Bulgaria the whole of Macedonia and Serbia and an Adriatic port in Albania as a reward for active participation in the war. Immediate decision is demanded, however, Germany already having dispatched a semi-ultimatum to Sofia, according to Rome reports.

FIRST MEMBER OF 2ND DIVISION KILLED

Captain E. W. Hallam, 18th Battalion, First on Roll of Honor

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—The first name on the roll of honor of the Second Canadian Division is that of Capt. E. W. Hallam, of the 18th Battalion, London, Ont. Capt. Hallam was killed in action last Wednesday. He formerly was an officer of the 7th regiment, London.

The Second Division, which left for France two weeks ago and which went into the trenches on Saturday last, has been in action. The first casualty list in which the name of Capt. Hallam appears, is said to be a comparatively light one, containing not more than a dozen names. It is not believed that the division is taking part in the driving operations, the casualties probably having been sustained in a feint attack to divert the attention of the enemy from other points on the line.

Lieut. S. Wharton, 7th battalion, has been wounded. Lieut. Wharton is a British Columbia man whose next of kin is in Plymouth, England.

ANOTHER HALF MILLION TO DRIVE BACK GERMANS

London, Oct. 1.—Another British force of 500,000 men is to be sent to France soon to augment the 1,000,000 troops already there, according to report here to-day.

REGISTER TO-DAY.

The voters' lists for the provincial constituencies close for the November revision on October 4. All persons who are eligible to vote who are not now on the lists should at once file an application to have their names placed on the list for the district in which they reside. Applications may be made out and sworn to at the offices of L. U. Conyers, 650 View Street; Lee & Fraser, 1222 Broad Street; or E. S. Woodward, Fort and Douglas Streets.

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100-lb. sack		Large bottle	
FINE LOCAL POTATOES	75c	FINEST JAPAN RICE, SAGO or	25c
100-lb. sack		TAPIOCA, 4 lbs. for	
FINE LOCAL ONIONS	\$1.00	ANTI-COMBINE JELLY POW-	25c
100-lb. sack		DER, all flavors; 4 pkts. for.	
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HADDIE, 2 pounds for.		POWDER, per can	
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MORE GROUND TAKEN IN THE CHAMPAGNE

French Have Captured 121
Guns Since Sept. 25 on
That Front

Paris, Oct. 1.—A further gain of ground in the Champagne, to the north of Meuse, was recorded in the official communication issued last night, which added that on the Champagne front alone since September 25 field guns and heavy pieces to the number of 121 had been captured by the French.

The statement added that by a counter-attack the Germans succeeded in regaining a footing in the works known as "L'Ouvrage de la Defaite," a portion of which the French had taken.

The statement follows: "In Belgium our heavy artillery has supported the action of the British fleet against the German batteries along the coast.

"No important action occurred in Artois. The enemy has displayed some activity near Arrancourt. In the environs of Roye a strong reconnaissance was dispersed by our fire.

"Before Beauvais we exploded several mines, which shattered the German trenches.

"In the Champagne we have gained ground to the north of Meuse, and more to the east, between Hill 150, to the north of Messier, and the road from Ville-Sur-Tourbe to Cornay. At the latter point we have taken additional prisoners.

"By a counter-attack the enemy succeeded in regaining a footing in 'L'Ouvrage de la Defaite.' A second counter-attack, very violent in character, in the same sector, was repulsed completely. The enemy has suffered important losses.

"The clearing of the former German positions has allowed a more complete computation of the cannon captured. Their number is much greater than was announced previously. The total of field guns and heavy pieces captured from the enemy since September 25 on the Champagne front alone reached 121.

"A flotilla of aircraft dropped seventy-two bombs on the station at Guignecourt. The bombardment appeared to be very efficacious. The aeroplanes, though violently cannonaded, returned safely to their base."

RUSSIAN TROOPS ARE ON THE OFFENSIVE

Official Report Issued at Pet-
rograd Last Evening Opti-
mistic in Tone

Petrograd, Oct. 1.—The following official communication was issued last evening:

"The Germans have made insignificant attempts at an offensive in the region of Riga. Germans who tried to establish themselves on the eastern bank of the Brock, in the region of Kemmern, were driven back to the other bank. The Germans also attacked the cemetery near the village of Vetroze, northwest of Birshalen, but were hurled back.

"Near Dvinsk nothing of importance has occurred.

"The offensive of the enemy infantry south of Lake Dristliata, has been stopped by our cavalry charge.

"On the front south of Lake Bogunski several actions have turned to our advantage and at many points our troops advanced slightly westward.

"In the region of the village of Liubki, south of Lake Naroch, the enemy was thrown back by a vigorous stroke on our part and retired in disorder.

"An encounter near the village of Danuchewo, on the Wilca, below Smorgon, terminated in our favor, and the enemy unsuccessfully attempted to pass to the offensive.

"In the front of Krewo-Krochno, northwest of Baranowich, the upper Strypa and the Gynski canal, there were numerous local engagements, but no important change in the general condition.

"In the Middle Strypa region, near Clarotisk and Kolk, fighting continues. The enemy has been dislodged from the village of Koulikowitchy, on the Strypa, above Clarotisk.

Village Recaptured.
"We have recaptured the village of Kochichtche, east of Kolk, taking as prisoners five officers and 100 men.

"Near Lutsk, which we abandoned two days ago, a very stubborn fight has occurred in the region of the village of Silno. Our troops were obliged to retire in some sectors by the enemy's attack. By repeated counter-attacks from the village of Tsuiman, south of Silno, we succeeded in making progress and dislodging the enemy from his trenches. An enemy counter-attack in the region of the village of Kartulowka, near Tsuiman, was repulsed.

"No greater success attended the enemy's attempts near the village of Tzebrova (Galicia), northwest of Tarnopol and southeast of Kozlow. Our cavalry engaged the enemy's advance guards in several actions on the left bank of the Strypa, near the villages of Dobropol and Khmielewka, southwest of Trembowla.

"Awaiting precise details of the situation, the headquarters staff, although in possession of many particulars of a favorable character, will abstain from publishing or commenting on these details beyond saying that the results of the engagements have terminated and others are developing in our favor.

On the Offensive.
"The spirit of our troops, which have displayed enthusiasm in innumerable rearguard actions, has received fresh impulse through the success we have gained in recent days in fierce hand-to-hand struggles, and our fortunate passage to the offensive against the Germans. These encouraging features have been particularly frequent on the front east of the line of Swentsiany-Osmiana.

"The well-regulated offensive is broadly conceived and methodically and harmoniously carried out."
Austrian Statement.

Vienna, Oct. 1.—The following official statement was issued last night: "In East Galicia, the situation along the Rwa and Pentlowki is unchanged. In Moorland and Korlin the Austro-German troops stormed several vantage points and captured four Russian officers and 1,000 men. Two hostile aeroplanes were shot down.

"The Austro-Hungarian forces in Lithuania have repulsed Russian attacks. In hand-to-hand fighting the enemy suffered heavy losses."

CASUALTIES AMONG
CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—The following casualties have been announced:
Fifth Battalion—Dangerously ill: Pte. O. C. Nicklish, Wishek, N. D.

Eighth Battalion—Killed in action September 21: Pte. H. Cope, Russell, Man.
Wounded: Pte. G. H. McIndoe, Scotland.

Tenth Battalion—Wounded: Pte. W. H. Baker, England.
Twenty-fifth Battalion—Seriously ill: Pte. T. Mansley, Quebec.

Twenty-seventh Battalion—Wounded: Lance-Corpl. John McLaughlin, Ireland.

Forty-second Battalion—Seriously ill: Pte. Sol Antel, Montreal (pneumonia).
Forty-third Battalion—Seriously ill: Pte. C. V. Peet, England.

Lord Strathcona's Horse—Slightly wounded: Capt. A. C. Critchley; no address given.
Royal Canadian Dragoons—Killed in action September 20: Pte. C. Brown, Toronto.
Slightly wounded: Pte. W. Bryden, Edam, Sask.

COMMANDS CORPS.
London, Oct. 1.—General Allix Kuro-pakin has been appointed chief of the Russian Grenadier corps, according to a Reuter dispatch from Petrograd.

H. B. "Imperial" Lager Beer, pints \$1.00 per dozen.

WHEN GRAND FLEET PUTS OUT TO SEA

Description Written by an Offi-
cer on One of Britain's
Fighting Ships

London, Sept. 14 (by mail).—The following description of the grand fleet was penned by an officer in midst of it.

How many of us have stood aboard a battleship, comprising one of a fleet and listened to the bugles from the different ships as they sound off sunset? It is a moment to cause one to stir with pride and longing. Silently men face the flag at attention until the last note rings out, and then the carry-on is sounded and the general hubbub recommences.

Darkness swiftly follows sunset in these parts, and, being in a state of war, no lights are visible anywhere in that dark and dismal harbor. The heavens are very dark this night and no moon graces the sky.

Suddenly and without warning orders begin coming through ordering the fleet to sea. Quietly at first, but with a growing excitement everything is made secure for sea. The main deck is worked and boats are hoisted in, booms are secured, and the cabin-partly musters on the fo'c'sle with a powerful electric arc lamp. If there is a little creaking and groaning of pulleys and blocks, what of it? Our object, of course, is to allow no suspicion of our movements to communicate itself on shore. Silently, and almost stealthily, the watch of stokers creeps below, and the fires are caressed so lovingly that in a very short space there is sufficient steam to proceed at a certain speed, or even at full speed if required. Smoke belches from the many funnels, and the ships vibrate with an impatience that betokens a perfect readiness, in harmony with the men. The captain and navigating officers are in position on the bridge. Already the ship is unmoored and one anchor is being hove inboard. Slowly the ship swings with her head seaward, straining hard at her own remaining cable. Still no moon appears to light that vivid display of life which is being enacted in the very shadows of night. A heavy gale is springing up from the southwest, and a little rain is falling intermittently.

"At last the creaking and groaning has ceased, and lights have been covered again or extinguished. Eyes, straining to pierce the surrounding dark, perhaps, though very infrequently, observe a long, thin, gray shape slip past, another, and still another, until the whisper goes round that the destroyers have left. Quickly in their wake would follow the light cruisers, quite close to us now, as they feel their way down the long lines of waiting ships. The wash against the heavy ships' sides is audible, only to the practiced ear. One, two, three, four and so on, until even they have cleared harbor.

The Great Ships.
An interval and a deadly silence whilst the heavy ships avoid each other, miraculously at times, so tortuous by the channel, and proceed at dead slow speed in and out and through the various craft at anchor. In the sequence ordered all ships weigh anchor and proceed until all eventually have left. With eagle eyes and nerves strained to realize instinctively the slightest approach of danger, the navigating officers swing past ship after ship within an inch or two in some cases. And so it goes on, minute after minute, ship after ship, until, steadily and with set purpose, all the squadrons have left and are proceeding out to guard the shores of the motherland from the arrogant foe. Those who inhabit the shores of that nameless harbor rub their eyes in astonishment on the following morning when they awake to find that every warship has left without the slightest trace of the going thereof.

At sea, the sun rises over a placid and tranquil sea. Beautiful and majestic, its rays fall upon the dull grey shapes of a squadron of battleships which is proceeding at high speed along the coast, screened by several destroyers. Higher and yet higher rises the sun and the steel of the battleships is reflected perfectly in the millpond sea. But what is that small cloud over yonder? An hour has passed perhaps and still the warships maintain their former course, manoeuvring frequently to avoid the possibility of submarine. The elements have changed curiously. Away to the northward, nor-west more exact, heavy clouds have gathered and the sun has long since ceased to exist. Swiftly the sea increases and a steady rickling and pitching motion is being felt by all on board. The sea increases still further and a sharp hurricane springs over them. Life lines are rigged along the upper decks of those persistent men-of-war and still they maintain their course. The sea washes over from stem to stern, and there is hardly a dry place anywhere on board. As swiftly as the sea arose, so it runs down and once again the sun breaks out to illuminate the gloom.

The Fleet Journal.
Yet on these moorings, potential historians, it is not all tragic; there is chance for laughter; it would not be the sea if it were not so. Weird, exciting news; alleged happenings have sprung from lack of news. In English papers, paragraphs without pedigree, occurrences having fine imagination for father, low salary for mother. The fleet knows about them; excuses of haphazard origin, and retorts with neat sarcasm. These from North Sea fleet journal point all the morals:

"I—a regrettable incident occurred on board H. M. Submarine E, when Lieutenant-Commander Cochrane was showing a party of ladies over his boat. Whilst explaining what took place when the boat dived, the captain in a fit of absent-mindedness flooded all the tanks. The boat dived, and nearly everyone was drowned. As the conning tower lid happened to be

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Lieut. Commander Cochrane fortunately was able to escape through this aperture. He has since expressed his regret at the occurrence. He also signified his intention of attending the funeral of the victims if and when the boat is raised.
"2—Whilst H. M. S. Terrific was lying in dock at Chatham the gunnery lieutenant took the opportunity of showing some of his lady friends the working of the latest 15-inch gun. Unfortunately the sun in question was loaded, and when the trigger was pressed the piece was discharged. A 15-inch shell penetrated the admiralty and threw a well-known official out of his office. Regret at the damage done is tempered with pride that the nation possesses ships which can make such good shooting.
"3—A laughable incident occurred on board H. M. S. Pandora a few days ago, when Lieutenant Paterson was entertaining a party of friends. The late Lieutenant Paterson was illustrating the blow necessary to insure the explosion of a warhead, and had inserted a pistol in a warhead to illustrate his argument. He was engaged in smiting the head with a sledge hammer, when for some unexplained reason he hit it too hard and the charge exploded. Fortunately the Pandora possessed little value as a fighting ship, and Lieutenant Paterson had no military significance whatever."

FOR WORK IN CANADA.

London, Oct. 1.—In thanksgiving for the bountiful Canadian harvest, the collections at the annual thanksgiving service of the Baltic exchange, which was held in St. Andrew's church yesterday, are to be devoted to church work in Canada. Bishop Ferrin, formerly of British Columbia, preached.

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REPORTS BORNE OUT BY OFFICIAL ADVICES

Washington, Oct. 1.—Incensed though they are by the denials of the Turks and Germans that there have been great massacres of Armenians, press reports of which have been fully borne out by official advices, state department officials here are withholding comment pending additional information.
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SAILING SHIPS SUNK; SAILORS WERE SAVED

London, Oct. 1.—The sailing vessel Helen Beyon has been sunk. Her crew was saved.

The Helen Beyon is not mentioned in maritime records.

NORWEGIAN BARQUE BURNED BY GERMANS

London, Oct. 1.—The Norwegian barque Arctic to-day was reported to have been set afire by a German submarine. The crew was saved.

KILLED AT DARDANELLES.

London, Oct. 1.—Captain Harold T. Cawley, member of parliament for the Heywood division of Lancashire, has been killed in the fighting at the Dardanelles. Captain Cawley is the third member of parliament who has been killed in action.

THEY CRIBBED.

Washington, Oct. 1.—President Wilson to-day dismissed six midshipmen in the naval academy at Annapolis, suspended four for one year and set fifteen back a year in their studies as punishment for "cribbing."



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New York Herald.

GERMANS RAN BEFORE ADVANCING FRENCH

Eyewitness Describes Drive Joffre's Men Carried Out at Souchez

Paris, Oct. 1.—Seven mines, each containing 100 pounds of powder, were exploded with a terrific roar as soon as the signal was given for the French forces to advance at Souchez, according to the story of an eyewitness of the battle.

"Simultaneously," he added, "our men leaped out of their trenches and made for the German trenches before a forest.

"The Germans bolted, through the woods pursued by our first wave. Sections of the second wave explored the ruined trenches and underground shelters which often were twenty feet deep. As they had no desire to go down into these holes whence it seemed unlikely they would come out alive, our men dropped bombs and fired shotguns through the openings, which effectively prevented the occupants from coming out and taking us in the rear.

"The bulk of our men followed the Germans, who were running like hares through the woods. They soon captured the second line of trenches in the middle of the forest and went on, some even crossing the Souchez brook or coming up the sunken road leading to Augres, but the Germans brought up reserves and tried to surround us. This manoeuvre was foiled, however, by our officers, who drew our men back to the first line captured.

Trenches Cut Down.

"During the night the Germans fortified themselves in the woods, but at daybreak our artillery stopped the work by a furious bombardment. The evening before, the forest presented the ordinary aspect, but in a few minutes all was changed. One after another the trees were felled by shells.

"The German artillery was not idle either, but sent at us a steady stream of shells, which ploughed up the earth all around us without doing much harm. This fire was borne philosophically, for since they have had their new steel helmets our men do not fear wounds in the head.

"At 1 o'clock in the afternoon the guns ceased firing and we were ordered to attack again. Machine guns which the Germans had placed on their flanks soon were put out of action. It was difficult going in the woods. The men stumbled over branches, but on the other hand holes torn in the ground by shells gave shelter against machine guns. These guns were cunningly concealed in pits covered with steel plates. The barrels, protruding through narrow slits, were visible from a distance and they sent a withering fire from behind tree stumps and from the pits. Our men were kept hurling constant streams of bombs and soon drove the Germans out of the woods, which remained in our hands."

CHOLERA IN GALICIA.

Amsterdam, Oct. 1.—Cholera is raging in Galicia, the Telegraph says, "and according to the home office, 300 cases have been reported."

ENTERED TOWN 90 MILES FROM BAGDAD WEDNESDAY

London, Oct. 1.—Lt. Hon. Austen Chamberlain, secretary of state for India, gave out additional details last evening of the British success against the Turks in Mesopotamia, regarding which the previous report had said that Turkish forces were in full retreat towards Bagdad with the British in close pursuit.

The statement issued last night said that the British cavalry entered Kut-el-Amara, 90 miles southeast of Bagdad on the Tigris river, on Wednesday. The town was found to be deserted and the Turks in flight towards Bagdad. Along the river gunboats and steamers, with an Indian brigade aboard, started in pursuit. An aeroplane dropped bombs on one of the Turkish steamers.

"The total prisoners captured aggregated 1,650," said the statement, "but more are coming in. The Turkish force, which is commanded by Nureddin Pasha, is estimated at some 8,000 regular troops, who are assisted by a considerable number of tribesmen.

"The captured positions showed that the trenches had been constructed with remarkable thoroughness, having communication trenches extending for miles and a system of contact mines."

LIEUT. BOSWELL THOMPSON WAS AMONG THOSE LOST

Fredrickton, N. B., Oct. 1.—Lieut. Boswell Thompson, son of Dr. Edward Thompson, of Bath, England, and a brother of Berkeley Thompson, of Lower Kingsclear, York County, was among those lost on the transport Royal Edward when she was torpedoed in the Aegean sea the latter part of August.

Word of Lieut. Thompson's death has just been received, according to the letters received from Bath. He was not among those rescued from the Royal Edward and all efforts of the war office to find him alive have failed.

Lieut. Thompson was residing in Stettler, Alberta, when the war broke out. Last January he left for England, where he joined his old regiment, the Somerset's. He was a South African veteran and is survived by a widow and three children.

HALL IN VANCOUVER WILL BE CROWDED

Vancouver, Oct. 1.—To-night is the night when the ministers will deliver their answer to Attorney-General Bower's statement in reply to the charges the Ministerial Union of the Lower Mainland brought against the McCreik's government. Mr. Bower made his defence in the Orpheum theatre some time ago, and endeavored to make light of the ministers for their charges. The ministers will make their reply to-night at Dominion hall. Indications are that the hall will be crowded to the limit. The addresses are to be delivered by Rev. A. E. Cooke and Principal Mackay.

REPORT SUBMITTED.

Toronto, Oct. 1.—The Social Survey commission, which, since November, 1913, has been investigating social and moral conditions in the city of Toronto, submitted its report to Mayor Church yesterday.

It declares there is a vice trust among foreigners, but that there really is no white slave traffic.

BOMBS DROPPED BY ITALIAN AEROPLANE

Airman's Plan Was to Reach Austrian Headquarters on Carso Plateau

Rome, Oct. 1.—The following official statement was issued last night:

"In the zone from Selveio to Cevadale our troops continue an active offensive in the midst of ice and snow, and gradually are clearing small enemy detachments from the region and quelling the interference of distant artillery."

"On the upper Cordevole the artillery on both sides has become more active in the last few days. Our artillery yesterday shelled an enemy column near Sief, which scattered, abandoning a large part of its convoys.

"In Carnia and the Piave basin there have been minor engagements in the course of which we captured several enemy patrols. The number of prisoners taken in the fighting on the night of September 28-29 in the Tolmino sector was eighty-eight, two officers included.

"An enemy seaplane dropped two bombs on Porto Buso. No damage was done. One of our aeroplanes bombarded, with apparent effectiveness, several places around Carso, where it is reported the Austrian high commander has his headquarters."

Austrian Statement.

Vienna, Oct. 1.—The following official statement was given out last night:

"On the western Tyrolean front there was fighting last night in the region of Adamole. An attack by the enemy in the defile west of Cima Presena was repulsed by our artillery. Near Oadry, Huette the Italians, after a fight lasting several hours, were compelled to retreat. On the plateau of Vikeruth they attacked twice during the night without success.

"On the Carinthian front night attacks failed. Battles near and north of Tolmino continue. Before Mraivrh the enemy retreated to his former positions. The Italians repeatedly delivered attacks against Golje, but were repulsed every time. Early this morning the artillery, which was very active yesterday against the region of Tolmino, resumed fighting."

THINKS HE IS SETTING EXAMPLE TO GERMANS

Geneva, Oct. 1.—The Kaiser's palace in Berlin was visited by the commission having in charge the seizure of metals for government use and a list of metals was demanded. The court chamberlain ordered all the members of the royal family to make individual lists. By the order of the emperor all metals not in actual necessary use will be seized.

SELECTS AMBASSADOR.

Washington, Oct. 1.—President Wilson yesterday named Ambassador Guthrie, at Tokio, as his personal representative at the Japanese coronation ceremonies to be held within a few weeks.

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, October 1, 1915.

The judges for the British Columbia agricultural society will commence their labors to-morrow, but the opening to the public will not follow till the next day, when the show will be opened by Lieutenant-Governor Nelson. The steamer Rithet will bring stock from the mainland.

It has been officially announced that the Garnet is to be commissioned at Malta by the crew which goes out in the Tyn, instead of at Bombay or Aden, as was the original plan. The Garnet, after having been re-commissioned, will be added to the Pacific squadron.

A new mill will be erected at the outer wharf by the Brackman-Ker company, on land purchased from R. P. Rithet & Co. The mill at Saanich has become too small for the operations of the company. The building will be of an ample character and the machinery of the most modern type.

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Healing Service--Progress Temple, Pandora avenue, Sunday at 7:30 p. m. Dr. T. W. Butler will speak on "The Power That Heals," and give demonstrations in healing. At 11 a. m. a memorial service for the late Lance Corporal S. C. Court will be held. All friends are invited.

Are You Registered?

You can't vote for prohibition if you are not. Consult the lists to-day. Every male British subject 21 years of age who has lived in the province for six months and in the district one month may register, whether he has paid taxes or not. Register now with H. Beckwith, 502 Central building, Hon. Secretary People's Prohibition Movement. No fee.

Evening Continuation School

The evening continuation school under the auspices of the city school board has been definitely set to commence on October 15.

British Mail In

A British mail which left London on September 25 arrived in the city at 1:40 p. m. yesterday. It consisted of twelve sacks of letters and eleven of papers.

The Choral Society

The first rehearsal of the choral society will be held on Tuesday evening next, at 8 p. m. The place of meeting will be announced later. All members are asked to attend.

Quit for Belgians

Although some time ago the Belgium Relief committee discontinued the sending of clothing or other gifts of the kind to the Belgians, a hand-made quilt, the work of Mrs. J. Williams, of 725 Admiral's road, Esquimalt, who is over 70 years of age, has been accepted, and at the special request of Mrs. Williams, will be forwarded to Belgium. The needle-work is very neatly executed, and represents much work on the part of the maker.

New Companies

The B. C. Gazette this week contains notice of the incorporation of the following companies: Almond's, Limited, Vancouver, capitalised at \$300,000, to take over the business of H. E. Almond; Farr, Robinson and Bird, Limited, Vancouver, \$15,000, to take over the contracting business of W. E. Knowler, Lewis & Sills, Limited, Vancouver, \$100,000, making the hardware firm of that name a joint stock concern; Fort Moody Steel Works, Limited, \$150,000; Potts & Small, Limited, Vancouver, \$25,000, to take over the business of Potts & McLeod; Vancouver Toy and Novelty Company, Limited, \$25,000; Board of Trade of Vancouver, under the Benevolent Societies act. The Michigan Trust company is registered as a trust company. Abandonment of trust features of their memorandum of association is notified by Columbia Estate Company, Limited; D. E. Brown, Hope & Macaulay, Limited; James Thomson & Sons, Limited; Stewart & McDonald & Thomson, Limited; The Western Pacific Development Company, Limited.

WAS IN FRANCE



JOHN P. RODWELL

Now visiting relatives here, worked with Friends' Relief committee among destitute French.

OBSERVANCE OF TRAFALGAR DAY

Local Branch of Navy League Will Hold Concert for Philanthropic Object

Trafalgar day, October 21, will very fittingly draw attention to the wonderful work which the British navy has accomplished during the present war, for just as Nelson protected the island kingdom from the invader one hundred years ago, so are Sir John Jellicoe and his gallant men keeping the British Isles inviolate to-day. In the schools of the mother country special attention will be drawn to the work of the navy, not in any boastful spirit, but to keep alive among the young the justifiable pride in the hearts of all British subjects at the great record which the premier service possesses. Neither will the day pass in Victoria without special attention being directed to its significance, and a movement is already on foot to organize a grand concert in aid of one of the big societies which have for their object the alleviation of distress caused by the war, and which are maintained by voluntary contributions.

The Navy league, both in Great Britain and throughout Canada, is doing its utmost to create interest in the proper observance of Trafalgar day, and in this connection the following letter has been received by the Times from W. E. Oliver, president of the Victoria and Esquimalt branch of the Navy league: The Editor, Victoria Times. Dear Sir:--It is the intention of the Victoria and Esquimalt branch of the Navy league to hold a concert on October 21--Trafalgar day. Its object will be certain charities. Full particulars will be published later. In the meantime I ask you, sir, to give this publicity as I see in this morning's paper that other parties have their eyes on Trafalgar day for other purposes. I need hardly say that the local branch is acting in unison with the head office of the league in London and the proposed concert will be part of a universal British demonstration. Yours Truly, W. E. OLIVER, President Victoria and Esquimalt Branch Navy League.

Organ Recital.--The half-hour organ recitals previous to the evening services will be resumed at the Metropolitan Methodist church next Sunday, commencing at 7 p. m. The following programme will be rendered: Song of Triumph (Sandford Turner), Canzone Amorosa (Nevin), Meditation Serieuse (Bartlett), and Chanson du Soir (Becker).

Bank Clearings.--The bank clearings for the week ending yesterday were \$1,170,042, and for the month of September \$5,216,333. The total for the three-quarters of the year which have now elapsed is thus \$57,386,017. This is about two-thirds of the total for the corresponding period of 1914. The figures for September, 1914, were \$9,214,571, and for September, 1913, \$13,852,444.

Fishery Taxes.--Although it was passed by the executive council on May 20, 1914, the schedule of taxes exacted by the province under the Fishery Tax Act of 1914, is only gazetted to-day in the B. C. Gazette. Under that order-in-council each person taking salmon by means of a gill-net is required to pay to the province a tax of \$5 per annum, if with a drag-seine \$25, with a purse-seine \$50 and with a trap-net \$25.

Aviation School.--When visiting the coast recently General Lessard, inspector-general for the western forces, was questioned about the aviation school at Toronto. The hydroplane and aeroplane classes, he stated, were affording instruction to some 150 students. The schools were attracting a number of men of mechanical bent who might not be so anxious to serve in the other branches of the British service. Those who successfully passed the tests in the long list of studies in the curriculum were generally transferred to the Royal Flying corps, with which the schools were affiliated.

Address Wanted.--The address is wanted of Mrs. Cullins, who formerly resided on Hastings street, Vancouver. Any person who is aware of her present address is asked to communicate it to the secretary of the militia council, at headquarters, Ottawa.

Appointments Made.--Provincial appointments gazetted this week are those of Dr. William R. Stone, to be resident physician at Vanderhoof, and Thomas McNeish, mining recorder at Slocan City, to be a registrar for the purposes of the Marriage act and district registrar of deaths, births and marriages for that division in the stead of Howard Parker.

Victoria Stamp Exchange.--The Victoria Stamp Exchange will hold its first anniversary meeting to-night at the Brown Jug Inn, where the members will have dinner at 5:30 o'clock, and afterwards hold their weekly meeting. All members are requested to attend. The meeting will be held hereafter every Friday evening at 8 o'clock at Leeming Bros' office. All applicants for membership should communicate with Randolph Stuart, the honorary secretary, 641 Fort street, without delay.

Tenders for Timber.--The provincial forest department is asking for tenders for the purchase of the following timber licenses: X253, to cut 4,124,000 feet of Douglas fir and cedar on an area on Nelson Island; X472, to cut 186,000 feet of Douglas fir on an area on Ruby Lake, Sechart peninsula; X471, to cut 280,000 feet of cedar and Douglas fir on an area adjoining the same lake; X470, to cut 300,000 feet of Douglas fir and cedar on an area adjoining Killarney lake, Sechart peninsula. Three years is allowed for the removal of the first lot and one year in each of the others.

OFFER SERVICES AS JITNEY EXAMINERS

Board Will Be Appointed on Monday; Report on Chilliwack Convention to Be Ready

In view of the decision of the city council to appoint a board of examiners for the testing of jitney drivers, in accordance with the new by-law, some applicants have already offered their services as examiners under the by-law. It is certain there will be one member from the officials of the council, and possibly a second, and a practical motorist is also needed to fill the complement of the board. Experience and knowledge of cars, rather than special technical training will be requisite in the case of applicants for licenses. Appointments will be made to the board at the next meeting of council.

A report on the visit to the convention of the Union of B. C. Municipalities at Chilliwack will be made at the next meeting. Probably some arrangements will be announced for Thursday next, when the Australian cadets will be here. The city delegates state that the show put on by the cadets at Chilliwack was an excellent one.

The fiscal brokers of the corporation, the Dominion Securities company, have notified the city of the successful renewal of the \$100,000 worth of treasury bills, of which details were published on Tuesday. The city will take up \$10,000 worth on this occasion, a similar renewal. To-morrow is the date upon which the issues have to be taken up in the regular way of business.

Thomas Richardson, M. P., who is here in connection with the transfer of unemployed miners from the island to the old country, before leaving for Nanaimo yesterday paid a visit to the Humboldt reservoir, and was greatly impressed with the steps taken to provide an adequate supply of water for this city.

Tenders for School.--Tenders will be received by the provincial department of public works up to noon of October 13, for the erection of a large one-room schoolhouse at Midway, in the Greenwood electoral district.

Tea and Donation Party.--The junior branch of the Women's Auxiliary to Missions of St. Saviour's church, will hold a tea and donation party at the residence of Mrs. J. N. Happer, 615 Pine street, Victoria West, to-morrow afternoon from 2:30 to 5 o'clock.

Address Wanted.--The address is wanted of Mrs. Cullins, who formerly resided on Hastings street, Vancouver. Any person who is aware of her present address is asked to communicate it to the secretary of the militia council, at headquarters, Ottawa.

Appointments Made.--Provincial appointments gazetted this week are those of Dr. William R. Stone, to be resident physician at Vanderhoof, and Thomas McNeish, mining recorder at Slocan City, to be a registrar for the purposes of the Marriage act and district registrar of deaths, births and marriages for that division in the stead of Howard Parker.

Aviation School.--When visiting the coast recently General Lessard, inspector-general for the western forces, was questioned about the aviation school at Toronto. The hydroplane and aeroplane classes, he stated, were affording instruction to some 150 students. The schools were attracting a number of men of mechanical bent who might not be so anxious to serve in the other branches of the British service. Those who successfully passed the tests in the long list of studies in the curriculum were generally transferred to the Royal Flying corps, with which the schools were affiliated.

Victoria Stamp Exchange.--The Victoria Stamp Exchange will hold its first anniversary meeting to-night at the Brown Jug Inn, where the members will have dinner at 5:30 o'clock, and afterwards hold their weekly meeting. All members are requested to attend. The meeting will be held hereafter every Friday evening at 8 o'clock at Leeming Bros' office. All applicants for membership should communicate with Randolph Stuart, the honorary secretary, 641 Fort street, without delay.

Tenders for Timber.--The provincial forest department is asking for tenders for the purchase of the following timber licenses: X253, to cut 4,124,000 feet of Douglas fir and cedar on an area on Nelson Island; X472, to cut 186,000 feet of Douglas fir on an area on Ruby Lake, Sechart peninsula; X471, to cut 280,000 feet of cedar and Douglas fir on an area adjoining the same lake; X470, to cut 300,000 feet of Douglas fir and cedar on an area adjoining Killarney lake, Sechart peninsula. Three years is allowed for the removal of the first lot and one year in each of the others.

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A drama of the west where there are no laws of precedent to hinder and restrict, but where man's law is his own conscience, is "The Chalice of Courage," a red-blood drama of life in the mountains by Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady. Probably no photo-play of its kind ever released has created such a sensation in the picture world as this masterpiece which is being shown for three days only at the Columbia theatre, the latter half of this week. Although the management has gone to great expense to bring this special picture to Victoria, no extra charge is being made.

"MARRYING MONEY."

Clara Kimball Young in the five-part comedy, "Marrying Money," her latest and greatest success, opened a three days' run at the Dominion last night. This entertaining picture produced by the World Film Co. may best be described as a pleasing blend of comedy and drama and affords Miss Young a splendid opportunity of displaying those gifts with which she is so amply endowed and which have won for her a place in the foremost rank of her profession. She is well supported by a first class company, which includes a levy of charming girls. The humor of the picture is fresh and spontaneous, and laughter is in order all through. "Marrying Money" is a dainty, delightful comedy which is sure to be appreciated. The picture of the visit of the Duke of Connaught to Vancouver is a splendid piece of photography, and in the review scenes individual members of various companies can be clearly distinguished. A capital comedy entitled, "Wanted a Wife," completes a bill that is well worth seeing.

ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE.

Marguerite Clark, whose list of amazing screen triumphs continues to grow, appeared in a new production of the Famous Players Film company at the Royal Victoria theatre for the first time yesterday. The play is entitled, "Helene of the North," and it will be shown again this evening, Saturday matinee, and night. The story tells in a graphic and original manner of the vicissitudes in the life of a young and captivating girl, the daughter of a gifted English woman, who, through a misguided fancy, weds a notorious character of the Northwestern Canadian woods. Later she falls in love with Ralph Connel, a young member of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police force, who is anxious to arrest Pierre for a number of misdeeds. From this point a number of powerfully dramatic incidents develop, and the tender romantic interest strengthened by the vigorous treatment of the melodramatic aspects of the subject, will appeal to all. The variety of settings and situations, the capable acting of Marguerite Clark in the difficult role of Helene, contribute to the total charm and appeal of the feature. In addition to this splendid picture there is also shown a Charlie Chaplin comedy entitled "Recreation," making a programme that is well worth a visit.

EXAMINATION RESULTS

University of B. C. Examiners Announce Result of Matriculation Examinations.

The following pass list is issued by the registrar of the University of British Columbia in connection with the supplementary matriculation examinations. The subjects in which the students passed follow their names: M. H. Alexander, algebra, geometry; Donald K. Bell, English composition, chemistry; Wm. F. Bell, chemistry; Leslie C. Creery, history; Mary E. Cuthbert, history; Clara B. Dalton, history; Marjorie Day, Latin composition, physics; Herbert G. Fitzgerald, algebra, geometry, physical geography;

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.

O. L. Philbig, of Duncan, is at the Dominion hotel.

A. F. Noel, of Lillooet, is staying at the King Edward.

A. A. Burns is at the Hotel Metropolis from Vancouver.

Capt. Murden, of Seattle, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

J. H. Raynes, of Salt Spring Island, is at the Dominion hotel.

E. J. Ash and family, of Vancouver, are at the Dominion hotel.

M. McFayden is staying at the Hotel Metropolis from Vancouver.

R. F. Schneider, of Vancouver, is staying at the King Edward.

W. G. Hof, of Vancouver, is registered at the Hotel Strathcona.

J. C. Walker is registered from Calgary at the Hotel Strathcona.

E. J. Shanahan, of Vancouver, is a guest of the Dominion hotel.

C. J. Kay is over from the mainland and is at the Hotel Strathcona.

W. R. Titus and family, of Sullivan, Ill., are at the Dominion hotel.

H. W. Redman, of Toronto, is a guest at the King Edward hotel.

G. D. Ford, of Vancouver, is a new arrival at the King Edward hotel.

J. M. Green, of Duncan, was among yesterday's arrivals at the Dominion.

Miss E. Mackenzie is over from the mainland, and is at the Hotel Strathcona.

A. Windt has registered from San Francisco, Cal., at the Hotel Strathcona.

Mrs. Rowland Machin, of Cowichan Station, is staying at the Hotel Strathcona.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Howe, of Los Angeles, are registered at the Empress hotel.

John B. Winton is down from Nelson, and is a guest of the Dominion hotel.

W. F. Bush, of Toronto, is among the new arrivals at the King Edward hotel.

Mrs. Laing and Miss Laing, of Vancouver, are staying at the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnston, of Vancouver, are staying at the Hotel Metropolis.

Miss Mary Hayward and James Hayward, of Cumberland, are guests of the Dominion hotel.

G. F. Payne and Mrs. Payne are over from Saturday and are registered at the Hotel Strathcona.

W. N. H. Hood and W. B. Brumell, of Toronto, are among the arrivals at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Davey and Mrs. C. M. Hall, of Detroit, have arrived at the Empress hotel.

Miss L. G. Turrill and Miss Virginia Walker, of Philadelphia, are guests of the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. C. Lowe and her son, William Lowe, are down from West Nanaimo to visit friends here.

Miss Bessie Nelson has gone out to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Nelson, Roberts Bay, for a vacation.

J. M. Pollock, Miss Pollock and Miss Newton, of Cowichan Station, are among the new arrivals at the Hotel Metropolis.

H. T. Spencer, of the Vancouver World, is registered at the Dominion hotel. He is accompanied by Mrs. Spencer and Miss Spencer.

Mrs. Lucy L. Baylis, of Houston, Texas; Mrs. G. H. Wilcox and Mrs. Charles H. Stockton, of Meriden, Conn., have arrived at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Purdom, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Purdom and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. MacKnight, of London, Ont., are guests at the Empress hotel.

Miss Helen May Williams, who has been spending a few days with Dr. and Mrs. Turner at their home on Rockland avenue, has returned to her home at Patricia Bay, Saanich.

H. J. Sanders, formerly sergeant-at-arms of the legislature, is down from the north for a short business visit, and was in the city to-day. Mr. Sanders says that the crops being gathered by the settlers in the northern valleys along the Grand Trunk Pacific line are excellent.

A quiet wedding took place on Wednesday, September 22, at St. Stephen's church, South Saanich, when May Hester, second daughter of Mrs. Fanny and the late Capt. Butler, was united in marriage to William Ludlow, eldest son of Richard Ludlow, of Vancouver. The ceremony was solemnized by Rev. H. T. Archibald, Capt. and Mrs. Ludlow left later for a honeymoon trip round the Sound cities.

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Statistics have been published showing what has been accomplished by the Canadian Red Cross society and the Canadian army corps. The Canadian Red Cross society, of which the Duke of Connaught is patron, is doing magnificent work, thanks to the generous response to its appeals throughout Canada. The following are the details:

Canadian Army Medical Corps.				
Unit	Beds	Nurses	Men	Location
No. 1 general hospital	1,040	37	73	204 Etaples.
No. 2 general hospital	1,040	37	73	204 Le Treport.
No. 3 general hospital	1,040	37	73	204 Camiers.
No. 4 general hospital	1,040	37	73	204 Shorncliffe.
No. 1 stationary hospital	400	16	27	122 Mediterranean.
No. 2 stationary hospital	400	16	27	122 Le Touquet.
No. 3 stationary hospital	400	16	27	122 Mediterranean.
No. 4 stationary hospital	400	16	27	122 Shorncliffe.
No. 5 stationary hospital	400	16	27	122 Mediterranean.
No. 1 clearing station	200	8	7	78 France.
No. 2 clearing station	200	8	7	78 Shorncliffe.
No. 3 clearing station	200	8	7	78 Shorncliffe.
Mons Barracks hospital	500	17	27	122 Shorncliffe.
Monks Horton Convalescent home	1,900	6	—	111 Monks Horton.
Bromley Convalescent home	125	4	—	13 Bromley, Kent.
Canadian Mobile laboratory	—	3	—	3 France.
Base Depot Medical stores	—	2	—	7 Southampton.
No. 1 advanced depot medical stores	—	1	—	5 France.
No. 2 advanced depot medical stores	—	6	—	3 Shorncliffe.
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Dominion government, to French hospital at Dinard, 20,000 pounds; La Press hospital, Paris, erected and maintained by the people of Quebec.

GEN. MARCHAND WAS AT HEAD OF COLUMN

Was Leading His Men When Wounded, Says French Colonial Soldier

Paris, Oct. 1. — Brigadier-General Marchand was marching calmly at the head of a column with a walking stick in his hand and a pipe in his mouth when he was wounded by a shell splinter in the fighting in the Champagne district last Saturday, according to a young colonial infantryman who was beside him when he fell.

"Our division received the order to prepare to attack at 9.30 o'clock Saturday morning," said the colonel. "At this moment, amidst a hail of bullets, General Marchand appeared. After making us a short speech, which we did not hear because of the roar of the guns, our chief stepped to the head of the column, stick in hand and pipe in mouth, and marched off toward the enemy like a simple officer at the head of his company.

"Our colonial division, with a Moroccan division, brigades of Zouaves and the foreign legion, formed the first 'wave' sent against the enemy's trenches. We covered 150 yards amidst a hail of shot and shell, and had just reached the first German trenches when the general fell. A shell splinter struck him in the abdomen and I saw the ambulance corps rush for him. Then I was hit."

CAPITAL OF FRANCE THRILLED BY STORIES

Wounded Soldiers, Back From Front, Are Telling of the Great Attacks

Paris, Oct. 1.—The French capital is being thrilled by stories of the fighting on the western front related by soldiers wounded in the desperate combats which have resulted in important gains for the allies.

"For several days the Germans had been getting singularly aggressive and insolent," said one of the men who charged at Souchez. "They shouted insults at us and flung into our trenches notes wrapped around pebbles. One of their favorite taunts was: 'You are too cowardly to come over here—come on if you are not too lazy.' This ended by getting on our nerves.

"Thus, when at 12.45 on the 25th, the order came which sent us against the hill opposite, we were filled with joy. I was in the first 'wave.' We made one dash for the German trenches. Fifty yards from the goal machine guns took us but we put on speed and jumped over the first trenches without stopping. We knew the second 'wave' which followed would occupy the trench we passed.

Losses Small.

"What struck me about this rush, the force and rapidity of which were incredible, was the smallness of our loss. I saw no one killed. Things changed, however, when we got between the first and second line of trenches. Until our supporting 'wave' arrived we underwent the united fire of both lines. It was then that a fragment of shell broke my arm and put me out of action."

Another man, wounded in the fighting between Perthes and Tahure, in the Champagne, said:

"We took the offensive at 9.30. I never shall forget the spectacle of our 'wave' of assault. A swelling mass of men, clothed in uniforms hardly two of which were alike, but all animated by the same energy, joined in the charge. I was in a stream which passed four lines of trenches in four jumps. We ran like madmen forward, always forward. At one point we were

confronted, at a distance of not more than ten yards, by a 77-millimetre gun, still firing. It soon was silenced. Then I was hit in the chest by a bullet and it was all over for me."

WHOLE LINE MOVED FORWARD SWIFTLY

There Was No Failure at Hooge, Says Wounded British Infantryman.

London, Oct. 1.—Further consignments of wounded arrived in London at midnight.

A picturesque story of the fighting at Hooge was told by a territorial, with six wounds in one arm which were inflicted by a type of bombs known as the "whiz bang."

"Because we took trenches and did not hold them," he said, "do not imagine there was anything amiss at Hooge. All is going well and if there had been no such thing as machine guns we would have gone straight through the whole German line and now be on our way to Berlin. Those trenches we gave up we can take again, and what is more, we can hold them when we want to do so. We do not give ground except on orders from superior officers, who sometimes decide that the situation in adjoining parts of the line does not justify the retention of certain advanced positions.

"The attack was so far from a surprise that the Germans already had brought up tremendous reinforcements against us on Saturday.

"The only orders I remember were a preliminary 'Get ready,' and then the sharp command 'Get over!'"

"We jumped the parapet without any superfluous motions, and then, like a flash, the whole front moved forward straight across the eighty yards which separated us from the enemy's front trenches. Then it was bayonet work, and after an incredibly short time we were fighting fiercely between the second and third lines of German trenches."

SUCCEEDS VANNUTELLI.

Rome, Oct. 1.—Pope Benedict has appointed Cardinal Van Rossum, to succeed the late Cardinal Vannutelli.

BARONET'S UNFORTUNATE NAME

Sir Alfred Mond, M. P., who has severed his connection with the Westminster Gazette, has just reason to complain of the harshness of his lot. Mr. Leo Macke in the National Review has always made a point every time he mentioned the baronet of printing his name in full, "Sir Alfred Moritz Mond," the second Christian name obviously being given to emphasize the German origin of his family. But now that Sir Alfred has plumped for conservatism all his old political friends on the other side are dreadfully annoyed with him, and we have even Mr. Massingham in the Nation, now very pointedly referring to him as "Sir Alfred Moritz Mond."

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Tenders to be in, not later than Wednesday, Oct. 6, at 12 noon.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

G. T. CARVER, Secretary.



MUNDAY'S Great Removal Sale

We are moving into the new Spencer Building where we shall have a much more commodious store, and where we shall be able to give our customers better attention and better service.

With the exception of the "K" Boots our entire stock will be placed on sale and must be disposed of no matter what the loss may be.

TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, at 9 o'clock the most sensational sale ever held in Victoria will commence.

At this sale you will be able to buy Shoes in many cases for less than the factory cost, and in many cases for less than the bare cost of the leather.

Ladies' Tan Russia Calf Button Boots
With double soles, medium heel. Classic make;
\$4.00 and \$4.50 values. Removal Sale **\$1.50**

GROWING GIRLS' HIGH-LEG TAN BOOTS
Sizes 2½ to 4. A splendid winter boot. Values \$5 and \$6. Removal sale **\$2.50**

EDWIN C. BURT'S AND GOLLER'S VELOUR CALF BUTTON AND LACE BOOTS
Military heels; pointed and medium-toes; \$6.00 values. Removal price **\$3.80**

"DOROTHY DODD" PATENT BUTTON BOOTS
With dull mat calf tops, faultless fitting last. Stamped by maker \$5.00. All sizes. Removal price **\$3.35**

LADIES' PATENT COLT AND GUN-METAL CALF PUMPS
American and Canadian makes; \$4 and \$5 values. Removal price **\$2.50**



LADIES' VELOUR AND GUN-METAL CALF BUTTON AND LACE BOOTS
Various makes; \$4.00 values. Removal sale **\$1.95**

AMERICAN MILITARY BALS
Sand colored cloth tops. Reg. \$5.50. Removal price **\$2.80**

LADIES' KID BUTTON AND LACE BOOTS
Various makes; \$4.00 values. Removal sale **\$1.40**

\$6.00 OXFORDS FOR \$1.90
Edwin C. Burt's Havana Brown Oxfords on new last; 18 pairs. Reg. \$6. For **\$1.90**

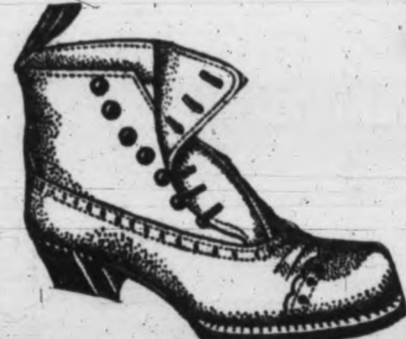


THE NORTHAMPTON BOX CALF SHOE
With double sewn soles. Regular \$4.00. Removal price **\$2.50**

200 PAIRS OF HART'S SAMPLES
These are extra well made and finished, and are examples of the very best shoe-making. Values were \$6, \$7, \$7.50 and \$8. Shoes. Removal price **\$3.85**

ODD LINES OF MEN'S TAN CALF AND PATENT COLT OXFORDS AND BALS
Various makes. Value to \$5. Removal price **\$1.50**

HART'S AND BARRY'S PATENT COLT AND RUSSIA CALF OXFORDS
In button and lace styles; all \$6 values. Removal price **\$2.50**



THE BROCKTON GUN-METAL AND RUSSIA CALF BLUCHER
Goodyear welt; high toe. Stamped by maker \$4.00. Removal price **\$2.95**

BARRY'S VELOUR CALF BLUCHERS
Double soles; extra fine winter boot. Regular \$6.50. Removal price **\$4.50**

MISSSES' VICI KID AND BOX CALF BOOTS
Button and lace styles; \$2.50 values. Removal price **\$1.39**

BOYS' NORTHAMPTON BOX CALF BOOTS
Double soles. Regular \$3.00. Removal price **\$1.95**

CHILDREN'S PATENT AND VICI KID BOOTS
Fancy tops and plain. Values to \$2.00. Removal price **85c**

BOYS' TAN CALF LACE BOOTS
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Another Extra Opportunity For Every Man Who Needs a Swell New Suit or Overcoat—Come to O'Connell's To-morrow

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TREMENDOUS SUIT VALUES AT \$25.00—READ THIS!

Owing to the uncertainty of the wool market we were unable to secure full lines of suits ordered from the foremost Canadian maker. These suits would have sold at fancy prices and been worth it. We have only a few sizes to a pattern, however, although we have a full range of sizes when all patterns are included. These suits are beautiful garments, right up to the last word in style, with patch pockets, extreme lapels, double-breasted vests, etc.

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IF YOU NEED UNDERWEAR, GET READY TO BUY

Stanfield's medium weight spring needle knit. To-morrow, a garment. **\$1.50 to \$2.25**
Penman's medium weight wool. To-morrow, a garment. **\$1.25 and \$1.50**
Combination Underwear, in light or medium weights. To-morrow. **\$3.50 to \$6.50**

Cheney's Silk Neckwear direct from New York—To-morrow at **\$1.00**

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NEW RECORDS ARE NOW LOOKED FOR

Phillies and Red Sox Will Meet in Crucial Series; Barry and Killifer Laid Up

New York, Oct. 1.—New attendance and gate receipt records are not unlikely in the coming world's series between the Philadelphia Nationals and the Boston Americans. Much will depend, of course, upon the length of the series and the amount of interest displayed by the fans of the two pennant winning cities. If the struggle for the championship is close and continues for six or seven games there is no question that new figures will be established in these departments, thus adding greatly to the satisfaction of players and magnates.

The selection of the new park of the Boston National league club as the scene of the games to be played in Boston opens the way for greatly increased attendance, for the Braves stadium will accommodate fully 50,000 spectators. It is the latest and the largest enclosure devoted to baseball, and in offering it to the Red Sox, President Gaffney is big reciprocating the courtesy extended to his club by President Lannia last season when the Braves played and won the world's championship in the Boston American league park.

If the Philadelphia Nationals were the possessors of a field with anything like the seating capacity of the Red Sox' temporary home the attendance figures would in all probability soar above 200,000. Since the Phillies' park will hold but 20,000 after extra stands have been erected, the National league representatives will be badly handicapped in their attempt to keep pace with the Boston gate. Should the series go but four games, as was the case a year ago, the attendance would be 100,000 for Boston and 40,000 for Philadelphia. This total would be a new record for a four game series, since the Braves-Athletic series of 1914 drew 111,000. If the full seven games should be required to decide the title with four played in Boston and three in Philadelphia and the teams play to park capacity, the total attendance would surpass 250,000. The record to date is 251,901, made in the 1912 series between the Boston Red Sox and the New York Giants, when eight games were played before the Red Sox won the championship.

Under almost any conditions it is reasonable to assume that close to 200,000 spectators will witness the play for the 1915 title, thus bringing the grand total for the world's series under the control of the national commission up to 1,600,000 in round figures. Since the first contest under this regime in 1903 eleven series have been played, with a total of sixty-four games and an attendance of 1,238,587. To these figures must be added the attendance at the earlier matches of which few accurate records exist.

Two stars who helped Philadelphia and Boston to establish their overwhelming leads in the National and American league respectively are doubtful starters in the big series next Friday. They are Bill Killifer, one of the best catchers in the game, and Jack Barry, formerly a member of Connie Mack's 1906, 1907 and 1908 world champion and field captain of the Red Sox.

Grover Alexander's favorite backstop has been out of the game for over three weeks, and according to all reports he is still in the hospital. He will hardly be able to stand the strain of the world's series games even if he recovers in time, and his sensational work behind the plate will be a severe handicap to the Quakers.

Jack Barry is pushing a carbuncle on his neck, and Bill Carrigan is worrying considerably over the condition of his star second baseman.

MONARCHS TO DEFEND ALLAN CUP THIS YEAR IF NECESSARY

Winnipeg, Oct. 1.—With only the Monarchs left to be officially heard from on the question of senior hockey, the prospects for that game in Winnipeg the coming winter are exceedingly slim, since the Victorias at the annual meeting decided not only to drop senior hockey, but to drop the senior section of the rowing club rugby club also. The Peps have already decided not to put a senior hockey team on the ice. The Monarchs, however, though the annual meeting has not been held, have not only presented their players with gold watches for last year's Allan cup victories, bought with \$100 subscribed by the city of Winnipeg and \$200 from a public subscription, but have also decided to defend the cup if necessary and will play senior if any seniors are to be found to play them. The Falcons are intact or nearly so, and will be willing to give Monarchs a run for the mug.

MATTY TO REST UP.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Christy Mathewson will not pitch another game for the Giants this season. In company with Jim Thorpe, "Rube" Shauer and Hans Lobert, Matty has returned to New York from Pittsburgh. McGraw has ordered the veteran pitcher to rest his arm until next spring.

Shauer is in bad health and will leave for his home in North Dakota within the week. He was paid his salary for the entire season. Lobert is nursing an injured knee.

Parliamentary candidate — "Gentlemen, you twit me with being a 'turncoat'! Years ago I supported this measure. Then I had a reason. But now, gentlemen, I have lost my reason!" And he wondered at the laughter that convulsed the meeting.

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MAMAUX, THE MILLION DOLLAR KID

The October issue of the Baseball Magazine has an article devoted to Mamaux, the sensational young pitcher of the Pirates. We quote from the article:

In the summer of 1911 Mamaux played semi-pro ball with Lafayette club, one of the strongest semi-pro teams in the city of Pittsburgh. And he did such good work that his reputation gradually spread far beyond the limits of his home burg. In the fall of that same season the Wilkesburg team of the County league needed four games to win the flag of their circuit. They secured Mamaux. He pitched all four games and won them all.



ALBERT MAMAUX.

Mamaux was ambitious. He has always been ambitious. And he wanted to play baseball. So Fred Clarke, being apprised of the youthful talent which slumbered in the very shadow of his own ballcock, took Mamaux south with him in the spring of 1913 for a trial. Here the youngster showed up very well indeed. But on returning north Clarke thought he could stand a little more seasoning, so he sent him to Fort Wayne, in the Central league. He stayed here but two weeks, going thence to Huntington, West Virginia, where he established an enviable reputation for himself, playing in the outfield when not needed on the slab.

The following season Pittsburg kept him on the bench a good deal of the time, but he got into several games, winning five and losing two. This season Clarke figured Mamaux would be a very valuable second string pitcher to bolster up the work of his first string men, such as Harmon, Adams and McQuinn. But Mamaux thought otherwise. He had lately become of age, passing his twenty-first birthday in May, and it was evident to him that his chance had come.

REMARKED ON THE SIDE

World's Series Picking is No Cinch.

Baseball vets and dopsters who attempt to forecast the winner of the approaching world's series are usually swayed by sympathies toward one team or another. The mere fact that Boston's winning percentage will be nearly one hundred points higher than that of the Phillies does not mean that they are that much better, but on the contrary, it will go to show that the American League champions did not have the continual battle on their hands during the past season that the Phillies had to encounter. The National marathon has been a ding-dong affair from the drop of the hat, Pat Moran's squad displaying unusual gameness in their plucky pace-setting act for the greater part of the season. It is an even toss-up, no matter which way one figures out the batting, and if Alexander gets away to a good start, it will require the seventh game to decide the winner.

Nationals Expect to Catch Royals Napping.

There is no doubt but that the Nationals are coming west for the Minto cup, with the expectation that they will go up against a poorly-conditioned team in the cup series. It has always been the claim of the eastern lacrosse writers that the Westminister twelve bumped up against the Montreal Shamrocks when the latter were down and out, so that the Nationals are endeavoring to stage a history-repeating stunt. The eastern title holders will have to give the Royals time enough to train for the series, and in the meantime they will have to ease off a bit, so that when the two teams clash there won't be such a difference in the condition of the players as one would think.

Great Sayings by Great Men.

"Batteries for the first game—Alexander and Killifer."—P. Moran.
"I never knew a cellar was deep and dark and cold."—C. Mack.
"Well, Caesar, Alexander and Napoleon got theirs, too."—John McGraw.
"Money can buy everything except what you want."—C. Coniskey.

SPORTING NEWS

VANCOUVER LIKELY TO ACCEPT OFFER FOR INTER-CITY GAME ON HOLIDAY

President Leith Anxious to Have Teams Meet This Month; Local Clubs to Practice

A special meeting of the Vancouver and District Football league will be held on the mainland to-night, when the matter of inter-city games with Victoria will be taken up. Advice which reached the capital yesterday state that the Vancouver magnates had already arranged for a benefit game on Thanksgiving Day, for the Red Cross, between England and Scotland. President Leith, the head of the B. C. F. A., is very anxious that the inter-city games be played next month as he figures on taking the strongest team available to San Francisco for the exposition games.

The chances are that the Vancouver and district delegates will favor the substitution of the Victoria-Vancouver game for the England-Scotland fixture on the holiday. It is thought that by having two of the inter-city games early this month that the B. C. F. A. will be able to select a very strong team for the California hunt. The prizes to be won at the fair are enough to induce the finest soccer players in the province to make the trip, while it will be an exceptionally fine chance for the Canadian representative eleven to carry off the honors for the Dominion. No Eastern Canadian teams will play in the big soccer series at the fair, so that it is up to

the B. C. F. A. to send a winning eleven to the exposition. Practice games will occupy the attention of the local clubs to-morrow afternoon, and practically all of the teams will be seen in action. The Thistles have arranged for a Rookie vs. Regular contest on Beacon Hill, while the Wests and Jacksons will work out on their own grounds. The league season will start a week from to-day, so that the teams will have to work hard for the next few days to round into form for the opening contests.

A friendly soccer match, has been arranged for Saturday between the navy team and the Sir John Jackson Football club. Kick-off at the Canton ground at 2.30. The team to represent the Jackson club is as follows: Lomas, Sheriff, Tunncliffe, Allen, Bindall, Niven, McGregor, Nicoll, Grant, Green, Douglas.

PROS. WHITENASHED.

Hamilton, Oct. 1.—Claiming that a professional is eligible to compete with amateurs immediately he enlists as a soldier, the Hamilton Rowing club, D. R. F. U., intends to attempt to play Billy "Dutch" Becker this season. He was out to practice a few days ago.

The soccer authorities have treated their pros in this way, and it is the opinion of the scullers that they can do likewise. In fact, they claim to have it from the amateur authorities that Becker is now eligible.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.95 per doz. quarts.

BAYLEY TO SEEK BOUTS IN SOUTH

Victoria Lightweight Says He Will Go After the Four-Round Stars

That he will leave shortly for San Francisco, to take in the fair and also look over the ground in search of some bouts, was the statement made to the Times yesterday by Joe Bayley, the Canadian lightweight champion. Bayley has received several offers to fight on the mainland and in the north country, but he thinks that bigger money can be secured in the south. There are any number of good boys in San Francisco, and with a revival of the four-round game he hopes to get on with some of the topnotchers. Bayley is also considering an offer to fight Chet Neff at Seattle the end of next month. Bayley has just returned from a week's hunting at the Twenty-five Mile post. He says that the shooting is extraordinarily good at that spot. Bayley returned home with thirty-five grouse and a good-sized deer, while the other members of the party also had good luck.

Jack Kearns, who is now in Australia, says: "Every day sees fresh figures from the boxing world going forward to join other Australian soldiers in Gallipoli, and the roll of honor of wounded men is full of names known to the fans. Two of 'Snowy' Baker's brothers—Harold (referee at the Stadium) and Frank (a well-known young athlete) are to leave for the war within a few weeks.

"Snowy" Baker is spreading his classes for physical development and boxing instruction. He regularly gives free teaching in these things to several hundreds of schoolboys in the big cities, and hundreds of volunteers lacking an inch of two in chest expansion have been brought up to military standard in his classes. He is about to build, on a central block in the city of Sydney, a big college and gymnasium."

GOTHAM ATHLETICS.

The Public Schools Athletic league of New York city is made up of 225 schools, including 40,000 pupils. To qualify as an all-around athlete each girl must compete in a standard test for a season in swimming, skating, walking, folk dancing, basketball, baseball, relay races and ball throwing.

LACROSSE STARS ENLIST.

Joe Painter, and Jack McWhinnie, of the Vancouver Athletic club senior amateur lacrosse twelve, have enlisted with the 72nd Highlanders. The pair joined the colors last week. Driven Miller enlisted for active service with the Pioneer corps.

TO START SERIES



JOE WOOD

Famous Twirler of the Boston Red Sox, who will likely open the world's series for the Bean Town club. Wood was prominent figure in the 1912 series against the New York Giants.

LOW-AUSTRALIAN OF WINTERALIAN TENNIS HONORS

The Australasian lawn tennis championships for 1915 were decided at a tournament held at Brisbane late in August with the following results: F. Gordon, Lowe, of England, defeated Horace Rice, of New South Wales, for the Australasian singles championship, 4-6, 6-1, 6-1, 6-4. Horace Rice and C. Todd, the latter of New South Wales, defeated F. Gordon Lowe, of England, and H. St. John, of Queensland, for the Australasian doubles championship, at 8-6, 6-4, 7-3, 6-3. The tournament was otherwise an interstate one between New South Wales and Queensland. The dislocating effect of the war upon tennis as upon all other sports in the Antipodes is shown by the fact that A. O'Hara Wood, of Victoria, who won the singles championship of Australasia last season, is at the front with the Australian troops and did not compete. The doubles winners of last season, A. Campbell and G. Patterson, also did not compete for a similar reason.

ENTIRE MELVILLE SEVEN ENLISTED FOR ACTIVE SERVICE

Regina, Oct. 1.—If the Melville Hockey club participates in hockey again this coming winter it will be necessary to recruit an entirely new lineup, as Thompson, the point player, is the only one of the crack Millionaires seven that remains at home. The remaining players enlisted long ago, while the manager, Goldie Smith, fell into line the other day when he reported to the 5th Battalion at Bewell.

This record of the Melville Millionaires is unequalled in any part of Canada, and is a credit to the town. Mullins and Bowen are with the 8th Battalion at the Winter Fair building. Barry and Billy McKenzie are stationed with the 52nd Battalion either at Kenora or Port Arthur; McCutcheon is at Bewell, and D'Arcy Smith, the goalkeeper, is over in England or France with a Winnipeg battalion.

OFFERS USE OF BALL GROUNDS.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 1.—President Gaffney, of the Boston Nationals, yesterday offered the Braves' field for the Yale-Harvard football game. Gaffney's offer was accepted because of the limited seating capacity at the Yale bowl.

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SPORTING NEWS (CONTINUED)

GREATEST JUMPING PONY ON THE COAST WAS BOUGHT FOR A MERE TRIFLE; INDIAN MAID FINEST IN HER CLASS

It was an odd bit of luck that enabled Teddy McAvoy, the well-known proprietor of the Wilson hotel, and an ardent horseman, to pick up for a mere song Indian Maid, the greatest little pony of her inches on the coast. The local jumper has a mark of six-foot three, and not only is she a perfect picture going over the timber, but the little mare fairly revels in performing over the hurdles. She is a born jumper and has won countless ribbons and prizes for her splendid work.

"Tuddy," as her owner is popularly known, was after Indian Maid for some months previous to completing the deal for this animal. He offered the former owner \$400 for the pony. This amount was turned down as a few years ago everyone had a bundle of kale and possession of the crack jumper was an honor not to be disposed of for that amount. Later Indian Maid's owner was forced to sell. Not only did he beg McAvoy to buy the pony, but he lowered the price to \$50 to get the animal off his hands. It was the biggest snap in recent years, and the price of the little jumper rose up into the hundreds before very long.

Indian Maid has swept many a horse show, and recently her owner turned down a sixteen hundred dollars certified cheque. She has been a feature of local gymkhanas and horse shows for the past two years, and Mr. McAvoy plans to show her for another year or two, before placing her on the retired list.

The European attracts quite a bit of Mr. McAvoy's attention, for two of his grown-up sons are now fighting with Irish regiments at the front, while another is training at home. There is more than a smattering of brogue about the owner of Indian Maid, and as a boy he rode many a winner on the principal old country race courses.



INDIAN MAID

Champion high jumper of the Pacific Northwest, now valued at two thousand dollars, that Teddy McAvoy bought for fifty iron men two years ago.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 1.—President Frank Patrick, of the Pacific Coast Hockey association, has called the annual meeting of the organization for October 12 in Vancouver, when delegates will be in attendance from Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle and Portland. The question of whether Victoria will continue its membership in the league will be determined at this meeting, officers elected and the season's schedule drafted. The hockey season will open about December 15.

BASEBALL

National.
At New York—Brooklyn 6, New York 2.
At Chicago—Cincinnati 3, Chicago 2.
At St. Louis—Pittsburg 6, St. Louis 5.
At Boston—Philadelphia 2, Boston 1.
American.
At Washington—Philadelphia 4, Washington 2.
At Detroit—St. Louis 3, Detroit 2.
(No other games scheduled.)
Federal.
At Baltimore—First game: Newark 3, Baltimore 1. Second game: Newark 3, Baltimore 1.
At Brooklyn—Buffalo 3, Brooklyn 2.
At Pittsburgh—Chicago 3, Pittsburgh 1.
At St. Louis—Kansas City 2, St. Louis 4.
Coast.
At Los Angeles—First game: Los Angeles 3, Vernon 3. Second game: Los Angeles 1, Vernon 2.
At San Francisco—Salt Lake 2, San Francisco 1.
At Portland—Oakland 2, Portland 1.

National League	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	37	61	.380
Boston	38	57	.400
Brooklyn	39	53	.424
Pittsburg	42	47	.471
Chicago	41	43	.488
St. Louis	39	46	.459
Cincinnati	39	51	.434
New York	38	52	.422
American League			
Boston	39	46	.459
Detroit	34	54	.386
Chicago	39	42	.480
Washington	33	56	.367
New York	35	51	.405
St. Louis	33	46	.416
Cleveland	38	33	.533
Philadelphia	41	38	.519
Federal League			
Pittsburg	35	44	.441
St. Louis	36	36	.500
Chicago	32	43	.429
Kansas City	30	41	.420
Newark	27	41	.396
Buffalo	24	38	.385
Brooklyn	20	33	.370
Baltimore	15	30	.333
Coast League			
San Francisco	105	78	.574
Los Angeles	98	57	.631
Salt Lake	91	54	.625
Vernon	89	52	.630
Oakland	83	49	.625
Portland	75	58	.565

NOW IN FINALS.

Boston, Oct. 1.—Miss Molla Bjurstedt, of Norway, yesterday won her way into the finals of the singles and doubles play, and into the semi-finals of the mixed doubles division of the Longwood Cricket club's annual women's tournament. The national mixed doubles champions, Mrs. G. W. Wightman and H. C. Johnson, required three sets to defeat Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel W. Niles. The lost set was the first the champions have dropped this season.

LEIGHTON A KILTY.

Russ Leighton, well-known locally in sport circles, has heard the call of the empire to arms and will on Monday join the 67th battalion in Victoria. Russ will probably be appointed physical director and with Russ as physical director the 67th should certainly turn out to be one of the best trained battalions ever sent out of this province.

PACIFIC TOURNEC.

San Francisco, Oct. 1.—The annual Pacific coast tennis championship tournament will be held here November 21, 25, 27 and 28. It was announced today by the Pacific States Lawn Tennis association, which held its annual meeting last night. Dr. Sumner Hardy, of San Francisco, was re-elected president.

PITTSBURGH LIKELY TO WIN FEDERAL PENNANT; WORLD'S SERIES PRICES

Philadelphia, Oct. 1.—Plans for the fifth world series of baseball games in Philadelphia in six years were put in operation yesterday. With the winning of the National league championship at Boston Wednesday by the Philadelphia club, a large number of carpenters began the work of building extra boxes and bleacher seats in National league park. The plans call for the erection of about 2,800 seats, which will increase the capacity of the grounds to a little more than 20,000.

The bleacher seats will be \$1, grandstand seats \$2 and \$3, and box seats \$5 each. Purchasers will be compelled to buy tickets for three games, as was the custom in the world's series of 1913 and 1914. It is said the applications for seats already exceed the capacity of the park.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Chicago yesterday all but made good-bye to the Federal league pennant by losing to Pittsburg, which thereby strengthened its hold on the lead in the close race, while St. Louis retained second place by defeating Kansas City again. To win the championship, Chicago would have to win all the four remaining games it has to play, as they are all with Pittsburg.

St. Louis still seemed to its supporters to have the best chance for the flag, as it has only two games to play and has one more victory to its credit than the leader, which has to play its four remaining games with Chicago. In order to win, however, St. Louis would have to win both its games while Pittsburg lost half of its four, or take one game while the Rebels lost three.

As both pennants in the other two leagues involving the East and West have gone to the East, Pittsburg might handily make the collection unanimous for that region by winning three of its remaining games, or only two, if Kansas City should lose one.

CASKIE SIGNED.

Secretary Gray, of the Thistles football club, announces that he has signed Bobbie Caskie, the speedy forward. Caskie played outside right for the Thistles last season, and is considered one of the best wing men in the city.

A practice of the Thistle football club will be held tomorrow on the lower Beacon Hill pitch. All members are urgently requested to be on the grounds at 2:30 o'clock. Any soccer players in the city desirous of trying for a place on the team are requested to be on hand.

BASKETBALL GAME.

Public school teachers will clash with the Normal basketball team tomorrow night at the Y. M. C. A., the game starting at 8:30 p. m.

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909 GOVT. ST.
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MEN'S FALL HATS
\$2.00 \$2.50 \$3.00

FURS FURS FURS
Inspection Invited.

We do our own manufacturing and repairing.

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SPORT NOTES

Pheasant shooting opens to-day.
Everett Taylor will prove a sterling back for the Thistles.
Fred Brown is getting back into the game this year.
Cobb will try moose hunting in Gaspe after the world's series.
That Seattle rink will be thrown open for skating the first of December.
Leath Graham, another easterner, is with the same battery.
Cyclone Scott will leave here with the Western Scots draft.
A number of well-known football stars

will be seen with the 88th regimental team this year.
Pinky Grindle has received a card from Johnny Rawlings, now with the Federals.
The former Victoria star sends his regards to all his old pals.
Harry Broadbent, the former Ottawa hockey star, is now in the old country.

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Gunmaker and Safe Expert
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Some of our local boys are in various parts of the universe helping to make a new history of the world, while we in Victoria are causing new history to be made by our terrible sacrifice at our Forced-by-the-Bank Sale.

SACRIFICE SATURDAY ONLY

<h3>Gloves</h3> <p>The famous Dent and Perrin. Colors tan or grey. Reg. up to \$1.50. Forced by the Bank</p> <p>\$1.20</p>	<h3>Suits</h3> <p>Some swell Tweeds or Worsteds. Our usual guarantee with all Suits. Reg. up to \$18.00. Forced by the Bank</p> <p>\$10</p> <h3>Hats</h3> <p>Soft or stiff, all shapes; colors and sizes. Reg. up to \$3.50. Forced by the Bank</p> <p>\$2.20</p> <p>Also some good Soft and Stiff Hats, mostly black and grey. Reg. up to \$3.50. Forced by the Bank</p> <p>\$1</p>	<h3>Overcoats</h3> <p>A new consignment, very swaggar Tweed effects; Raglan sleeves and rain-proof. Reg. \$27.50. Forced by the Bank</p> <p>\$17.45</p> <h3>Suits</h3> <p>See those new Norfolk Suits in brown with stripe effect. Reg. \$22.50. Forced by the Bank</p> <p>\$14.95</p>
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THE OLD RELIABLE FIRM

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BLUE FUNNEL LINER CALCHAS SETS RECORD

Vessel Completed Voyage
From United Kingdom
in 36 Days

Establishing a new record from Glasgow for ships of the Blue Funnel fleet, and coming within five days of the time of passage of the Harrison steamship, Crown of Seville, the freighter Calchas, Capt. Jones, berthed at the outer docks at an early hour this morning. She took exactly thirty-six days on the voyage.

TOYO KISEN KAISHA CO. INCREASES FLEET

Will Operate Ten Vessels in
Service Between Orient
and Frisco

San Francisco, Oct. 1.—The Toyo Kisen Kaisha, now operating four liners between this port and the Orient, will have ten ships in this trade before the end of the year, according to an announcement made today by W. H. Avery, assistant general manager of the company.

QUANTITY OF OPIUM IS FOUND ON CALCHAS

Officers Recovered Drug Con-
cealed in Stokchold
of Vessel

Big hauls of opium were made this morning by customs officials on the Blue Funnel liner Calchas. Word had been received by the department that quantities of this contraband had been secreted aboard the ship, and as soon as she berthed a large number of customs men proceeded to carry out a systematic search.

POTSDAM SOLD.

Stockholm, Oct. 1.—The Swedish-American steamship line, which since its formation a year ago, has been unable to operate because it has had no ships, has purchased the Holland-American liner Potsdam, which for years has been in service between New York and Dutch ports.

ORGANIZE EXPEDITION TO RAISE STEAMER

San Francisco, Oct. 1.—An expedition to raise the German steamer Walkure, sunk a year ago by a random shot from a German warship bombarding Papeete, Tahiti, will leave here soon to raise the vessel, tow her here and put her in commission under the American flag.

TRANSPORTATION CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY BRITISH COLUMBIA COAST SERVICE

Thanksgiving Day

Monday, Oct. 11, 1915

\$2.70 Vancouver and Return \$2.70

Tickets on sale Oct. 9, 10, 11, 1915. Final return limit Oct. 12. Steamers leave Victoria for Vancouver at 3 p.m. and 11:45 p.m., returning leave Vancouver 10 a.m. and 11:45 p.m. daily.

Full particulars on application to C. P. R. Ticket Offices 1192 Government street, Phone 174 and 4570.

L. D. CHETHAM City Passenger Agent

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S.S. "Sol Duc"

Leaves Victoria daily except Sunday at 10:30 a.m., from C. P. R. Dock, for Port Angeles, Dungeness, Port Williams, Port Townsend and Seattle. Returning leaves Seattle daily except Saturday at midnight, arriving Victoria at 9:00 a.m.

Connections are made at Port Angeles with motors for Sol Duc Hot Springs.

Secure information and tickets from
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S.S. Congress, Governor or President, To Alaska
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Supreme Court Chambers.—Probate

was granted this morning in supreme court chambers in the estate of Donald Grant and foreclosure was ordered in the action of Kirchheimer against Walton.

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Brennan Case Up.—James Brennan was brought before Judge Lampman this morning for election and chose a trial before a jury. He will be tried at the assizes next week. Brennan is charged with having wounded George Addison at Victoria on August 23, and was sent up for trial from the preliminary hearing in the police court.

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Allocation of Positions.—The list of the faculty of the University of British Columbia, which opened its course in temporary quarters yesterday, contains the following allocation of local men: Department of mathematics, E. H. Russell, assistant professor; department of mechanical engineering, F. G. C. Wood, lecturer.

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Cadet Corps.—At the next meeting of the city school board a report will be received from the special committee, which has been considering the development of the cadet movement. It is hoped to extend the principle of assistance from patriotic societies towards the equipment of the boys. The I. O. O. F. having through various chapters come to the aid of different cadet corps.

Mackinnon's

Closing Out Sale

Time is passing rapidly and our immense stock is rapidly being sold out, and in order to move it with greater celerity than ever we have again plunged the knife into the prices to such an extent that all other alleged sales look like hold-ups.

Men's Suits All good patterns. Reg. \$20.00 Suits \$9.45	Men's Overcoats All newest styles and best quality. Reg. \$25, for \$12.45	Poplin Ties A large range to go at, each 12 1-2c	J. B. Stetson Hats Values \$4.50. To clear at \$2.95
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When you start on your shopping tour, come here first if you are looking for quality at minimum price. You'll save time.



Get here as early as you can, for remember the early shopper gets the early bargain.

Men's Odd Pants
All sizes. Good strong tweeds. Reg. \$3.50.
\$2.45

A Fine Line Men's Underwear
Reg. 75c, for
45c

Men's Hats
All newest shapes. Reg. \$3.50.
\$1.95

Men's Pen-Angle Underwear
Best grade, at
\$1.10

Do not let the low prices delude you that you are not getting the very best grades of merchandise for no store can offer better quality than we offer. If better goods were made we would have them.

Boys' Suits All new patterns and styles. Reg. \$10 up. Sales, up from \$4.75	A Large Range Boys' Hats Reg. 85c, for 25c Each	A Big Line Boys' Knickers Reg. \$1.50. Sale 75c	Boys' Hose All sizes. 25c
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Mackinnon's Clothing Store

557 Johnson Street

You Can Get a Full Outfit Here For Less Than Half of What You Usually Pay Elsewhere

CITY OF PUEBLA IS DELAYED THREE HOURS

On her final passage of the year in the service between California and north Pacific ports the Pacific Coast S. S. Co. steamer Umattila sailed from the outer wharf this morning at 8 o'clock for San Francisco, where she will be tied up for the winter months, and the Governor will take her next sailing. The Umattila took south a total of 65 passengers, of whom 19 embarked here. It is expected that the vessel will again operate in the service next spring.

Puebla's Late Departure.
Advices received by R. P. Rithet this morning that the City of Puebla was delayed three hours on her departure from San Francisco. She did not sail until 7 o'clock last night, while her scheduled hour of clearing is 4 p.m. An effort will be made to overcompensate her delay. This is the last visit of the Puebla to this port this season. She will arrive on Sunday morning to embark passengers for the round-the-sound weekly excursion, and upon her return to Seattle on Friday will be tied up for the winter months. The big liner President will be substituted.

OBITUARY RECORD

The remains of Alma Pearl Mitchell, the fourteen-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan G. Mitchell, were conveyed to their last resting place yesterday afternoon. The funeral took place at 3:30 o'clock from the residence of the child's grandparents, 1254 Fairfield road, and a great many friends of the bereaved family were present at the obsequies. A profusion of beautiful flowers adorned the casket. During the service, which was conducted by Rev. John Gibson Inkster, Mrs. Sherard and her daughter, Mrs. Fowler, sang "Asleep in the Arms of Jesus." Those who acted as pallbearers were: Messrs. C. E. Burnett, H. W. H. A. and P. J. Burnett, all brothers of Mrs. Mitchell.

Mrs. Florence Rebecca Dickerson, a native of Memphis, Tennessee, and for the past two years a resident of this city, passed away at St. Joseph's hospital on Tuesday, September 28. The deceased lady was 39 years of age, and is survived by her husband and an infant son; also three brothers and a sister. The remains repose at the Sands Funeral chapel, pending the arrival of a sister from Los Angeles, Cal.

The funeral of the late Edward Shearer took place this afternoon from the Victoria undertaking chapel at 2:30. The services were taken by Rev. Father Biglin. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. W. E. Ault, W. B. Jordan, W. Shears and John Freeman.

The funeral took place at 2:30 this afternoon of John Isaac Services, held at the B. C. funeral chapel, Rev. Dr. Maclean officiating. There was a big attendance of friends of the deceased.

The funeral of William Dunlop McKeachie, the five-months' old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McKeachie, will take place at 10:30 to-morrow morning from the residence, 530 Rithet street, Rev. J. G. Inkster will officiate. The funeral will be private.

FRISCO MARINE NEWS

San Francisco, Oct. 1.—Twenty-five thousand sacks of coffee were brought to San Francisco yesterday afternoon by the motorship Suecia, which arrived direct from Santos, via the Panama canal. This shipment is the first Brazilian coffee to come here direct by way of Panama.

Besides the coffee the Suecia had several hundred tons of Scandinavian fish and other products taken on at Stockholm. Ten passengers arrived on the steamer.

Coming in ballast and bringing the last of the men to leave the canneries, the Alaska Packers' steamer Alitak arrived from food island yesterday morning.

The first of the three new American-Hawaiian liners for the Pacific trade, is expected to be completed by December 1. She will be the steamship Floridian, being a vessel of 4,000 net tons, 418 feet long and 53 feet beam. She will be followed by the Artisan about March 1 and the Arboreon on May 1.

Latest freight charters announced at this port include:

Aryan, American schooner, lumber, from San Francisco to Melbourne, 95s, by J. J. Moore & Co., Inc.

Stella, Peruvian barquette (ex-American barquette Chehalis), 642 tons; lumber, from Puget Sound to West coast, South America; private terms; by W. R. Grace & Co.

William Nottingham, American schooner, 1,652 tons of lumber, from British Columbia to Cape Town; 14s.

MEMBERS OF CREW DESERT.

Three members of the crew of the Japanese steamer Komagata Maru deserted the vessel while she was lying at Chemainus, taking on a cargo of lumber, but after a brief search they were recovered. Two were deported and a third was brought back to the vessel. When searched one member of the party had a loaded revolver and a razor in a sheath in his possession.

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MAQUINNA ENTERS SERVICE.

The crew of the C. P. R. steamer Tees was paid off yesterday, and the vessel shifted to the Victoria Machinery Depot for a thorough overhauling. Meanwhile the S. S. Princess Maquinna will take the west coast run. She will make her initial sailing to-night at 12 o'clock.

NORWEGIAN VESSEL SUNK.

Archangel, Oct. 1.—The Norwegian steamer Hiss Branch, registering 1,433 tons, sank in the harbor here following a collision with the Norwegian steamer Sana.

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"Any place you haven't distribution the newspapers can get it for you and mighty quick too by creating the demands Bill Wise"

WATSON'S Fall Clean-Up Begins To-Morrow

Commencing from to-morrow WATSON'S SHOE STORE ON YATES ST. will be the scene of one of the biggest Shoe "Clean-Ups" ever indulged in. Thousands of dollars' worth of high-grade-up-to-date Footwear will be sold at sacrifice prices—samples of which are noted below.



The sale will continue for

ONE WEEK

but to the early shoppers will fall the "plums"



LADIES WILL SMILE

When they read these prices on first-grade Boots, Shoes, Pumps and Slippers, and they will smile still more when they come and see the Shoes themselves.

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| \$6.00 | LADIES' PATENT BUTTON BOOTS FOR | \$3.45 |
| | With black cloth or colored tops, in all the most popular shades. All sizes. | |
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| | Button or lace styles. Black or tan. All sizes. | |
| \$5.00 | LADIES' "CUSHIONET" BOOTS FOR | \$2.95 |
| | This is the boot for ease and comfort. Every pair stamped with the Eastern selling price \$5.00. We sell them at nearly half. | |
| \$6.00 | LADIES' "INVICTUS" BOOTS FOR | \$2.95 |
| | We have them in gun-metal, black and brown. Button or lace styles. All sizes. | |
| \$6.00 | DOROTHY DODD PATENT PUMPS FOR | \$2.00 |
| | Two other famous makes of Pumps. The "Empress" and "Classic" are also included in this lot. | |
| \$3.00 | MISSES' GUN-METAL PATENT AND KID BOOTS, FOR | \$1.95 |
| \$2.00 | CHILDREN'S BOOTS, PUMPS AND SLIPPERS FOR | 75c |
| \$1.75 | LADIES' HOUSE SLIPPERS FOR | 85c |
| \$2.00 | CHILDREN'S COLORED BOOTS FOR | 95c |
| 10c | TINS OF POLISH FOR | 5c |

MEN WILL "SHELL OUT"

At this sale as they have never done before. But come on in and see the values and the ridiculously low prices we are asking for them.

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| \$6.00 | MEN'S BLACK OR TAN DRESSY BOOTS FOR | \$3.95 |
| \$8.00 | MEN'S "INVICTUS" BOOTS FOR | \$3.95 |
| \$5.00 | MEN'S BOX CALF BOOTS FOR | \$2.25 |
| \$12.00 | MEN'S HUNTING BOOTS FOR | \$4.95 |
| | These Boots are by some of the best makers in America, and exceptional bargains at this price. | |
| \$4.50 | WORK BOOTS FOR MEN FOR | \$2.95 |
| | Strong, solid leather Boots, black or brown. All sizes. | |
| \$5.00 | BOYS' BOOTS FOR | \$1.95 |
| | All sizes from 1s to 5½; button or lace. | |
| \$2.50 | PULLMAN SLIPPERS FOR | \$1.50 |
| \$1.50 | MEN'S RUBBERS FOR | 25c |
| \$4.00 | GENT'S CONGRESS BOOTS FOR | \$2.00 |

WATSON'S
"IT'S ON YATES STREET"
NEAR BROAD STREET

C. M. R. TROOPER WRITES FROM ENGLAND

Arduous Drill Imposed on Arrival of Regiment at Shorncliffe

The following is an extract from a letter from a trooper in the 2nd C. M. R. recently stationed at Shorncliffe, now in France:

"When we first got here we had very little liberty and a great deal of drill. We got up at 5 in the morning, had an hour's drill, then breakfast at 6.30, and at 7.30 had physical drill for an hour. Then we would fall out for five or ten minutes, put on our puttees and have bayonet fighting for another hour, and so on all day long for nine hours. At first they ran heavy to bayonet fighting and physical drill, then they eased up in this for a while and gave us 'Blind Man's Buff,' also fixing bayonets with our eyes shut. In playing 'Blind Man's Buff' we would form a great circle and sit down on the ground and keep perfectly quiet. Then two men would be blindfolded and turned loose in the ring. One had a whistle which he would blow and then listen for the footsteps of the other victim, who was supposed to catch the whistle-blower, stealing up on his tiptoes to where the sound of the whistle apparently came from, each one trying to dodge or catch the other. It was funny to watch them; they'd often run straight into each other. The idea of all this was to sharpen the listening senses, as at the front so much of the work is done after dark. We fixed bayonets with our eyes shut for the same reason.

"Then we got horses and gave up all the foregoing and did nothing but feed and exercise them. We had no saddles, so could not ride. In fact, we were nothing more than a remount depot. When it rained (and it did a lot), the whole camp was ankle deep in mud and the horses were covered with it. But they are all gone now except a few for the transport wagons, and we're back at our old foot-slogging work and trench-digging and route-marching. We have our infantry equipment and carry it about on our backs like pack mules (full marching order is about 60 lbs. weight). In infantry work we usually have eight hours' physical exercise, eight hours' route-marching, and eight hours' drill. The rest of the day we can have to ourselves.

"We're well fed, though. Much better than when in Canada. The daily menu runs about as follows, with variations, of course, according to the ingenuity of the cook:

"Breakfast is bacon, 1 slice about two inches square, porridge, bread-and-butter, tablespoonful of Jam, coffee.

"Dinner—Beef, pudding or stewed fruit, bread-and-butter, tea, potatoes and occasionally beans or cabbage.

"Supper—Bread-and-butter, jam, cheese, and tea.

"This might sound all right to you, but we get mighty tired—fit and never lose an opportunity of eating down town. I've found a couple of quiet places where I can get a good meal for a shilling when I'm low financially. Of course we have more liberty than when we first landed here in the way of late leave. One night about 12.30 I was just taking off my boots when suddenly over towards Dover I heard several loud explosions. The stable picket came rushing down to my tent and cried: 'Put out that light; there's an air raid.' We all fled out of the tent and could see the searchlights of Dover flashing across the sky trying to locate the Zeppelins that were dropping the bombs. These were the explosions I had heard. I could also see the flash of the shells bursting in the sky that they fired back. The whole thing lasted only ten or fifteen minutes, and all was quiet again, but the searchlights continued to search out the sky all night long. I heard afterwards that they were afraid to fire many shells from Dover as we were right in the line of fire. Dover is only about six miles away from us.

"The king inspected the 2nd Canadian Division the other day. We lined each side of the road and he rode by with Kitchener and a host of staff officers. He was almost by before I noticed him. I didn't see Kitchener at all. We had to present arms and look straight to our front, and only by looking out of the corner of your eyes could you see anything. An inspection by the king means we leave shortly for France. All a bustle about the camp to-day, packing up surplus kit and storing it away, burning old clothes, and all the armorer's sharpening bayonets. All the kit we take with us we pack on our backs. Following is a list of the things we take besides what we actually wear: 1 pair canvas shoes, overcoat, suit underwear, pair fatigue pants, cardigan jacket, tooth brush, razor and comb, sewing kit, clasp knife, fork and spoon, soap, 1 flannel shirt, 3 pairs' socks, towel, one blanket and rubber sheet.

"There are many men here returned wounded from the front. They say it is pretty hard over there, but preferable to Salisbury Plain.

"The Germans have spies all over and seem to know exactly what we are doing. One man who was in the fight at Hill 60 told me that when they first went into the trenches (they stole in quietly after dark and relieved the Bedford's, an imperial regiment) as soon as they got settled a voice from the German trenches hailed them in perfect English and said, 'Hallo, Canadians! How is Vancouver?' 'We're not Canadians,' they replied; 'we're the Bedford's.' 'Oh no, you're not; you relieved the Bedford's about eight o'clock.' This man used to hail them every night. They called him Fritz. One night they asked him, 'What are you going to do after the war, Fritz?' 'Oh, go back to Vancouver, I guess,' he called back."

Sale of the Stock of the B. C. Hardware Co., Limited

In Liquidation

This Sale has certainly brought the crowds to Fort street. The prices at which this stock is being sold has drawn business from all over the province.

We desire to close out quickly, and are making further cuts every day. Read the prices on a few of the thousands of lines we have left.

A Few Lines We Are Going to Close Out To-Morrow

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|---------------|---------------------------------------|---------------|--|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| \$3.50 | Flexible Steel Door Mats for | \$2.10 | \$8.00 | Weigh Beams for | \$4.98 |
| 11.00 | Shovels for | 48c | \$18.00 | Water Power Wash Machines for | \$8.90 |
| 75c | Powdered Wax, for dancing floors, for | 45c | 75c | Clay Picks | 48c |
| 25c | Furniture Polish for | 14c | \$2.00 | Clothes Horses | \$1.08 |
| 15c | Stove Pipe Varnish for | 5c | \$1.40 | Clothes Horses for | 84c |
| \$3.00 | Ostrich Feather Dusters for | \$1.38 | \$1.20 | Clothes Horses for | 68c |
| 10c | per dozen Hat and Coat Hooks for | 5c | \$4.50 | White Enamel Sinks for | \$3.15 |
| 20c | Drip or Meat Pans for | 5c | \$3.25 | White Enamel Sinks for | \$2.45 |
| \$2.00 | Skates for | 88c | \$4.50 | Crosscut Saws for | \$2.28 |
| \$2.50 | Skates for | 98c | \$7.50 | Bon-am Oil Stove for | \$3.75 |
| 75c | Skates for | 32c | \$3.75 | Gas Oven for | \$2.50 |
| 25c | Gas Toasters for | 11c | \$4.50 | Bath Tub for | \$2.95 |
| 15c | Granite Mugs for | 8c | \$1.25 | Wood Blocks for | 72c |
| \$1.00 | Dustless-String Mops for | 48c | \$1.50 | Wood Blocks for | 84c |
| 65c | Blue Enamel Tea Pots for | 32c | 85c | Wood Blocks for | 88c |
| \$1.25 | Sept Patent Roasting Pans for | 48c | \$1.50 | Wood Blocks for | 88c |
| 16c | Egg Beaters for | 4c | \$38.00 | Power Sawn Cutters for | \$32.50 |
| \$1.40 | Clothes Dryers for | 84c | \$2.40 | Step Ladders for | \$1.44 |
| \$1.00 | Ironing Board for | 52c | \$1.25 | Extension Ladders for | \$6.25 |
| 20c | Iron Pie Plates for | 9c | \$9.00 | Lawn Gates for | \$5.00 |
| 20c | Gate Hooks for | 12c | \$7.50 | Lawn Gates for | \$3.90 |
| 20c | Gate Hooks for | 8c | 12c | per ft. 18 in. Lawn Fence for | 7c |
| 5c | Gate Hooks for | 2c | \$1.50 | Stove Boards for | 80c |
| \$1.65 | Manure Forks for | \$1.16 | \$7.50 | Lorraine Range Reservoirs for | \$2.95 |
| 95c | Manure Forks for | 63c | \$5.00 | Gas Attachment for Ranges | \$2.98 |
| 75c | Hay Forks for | 48c | One New Tinner's Squaring Shears, regular | \$57.00, | |
| 75c | Potato Diggers for | 42c | for | \$30.00 | |
| 10c | Sheet Graters for | 5c | One New Tinner's Crimper, reg. | \$25.00, | for \$10.00 |
| \$5.00 | Gas Attachments for steel ranges | \$2.98 | \$15.00 | Pumps for | \$8.90 |
| \$7.00 | Weigh Beams for | \$3.90 | | | |

Paints and Varnishes

It will pay you to buy now, even if you do not intend to paint until next year.

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| \$3.00 | House Paint, 1 gallon, for | \$1.40 | 30c | Varnish Stain, ½ pints, for | 18c |
| \$1.50 | House Paint, ½ gallon, for | 75c | \$4.50 | Universal Varnish, gallon, for | \$2.70 |
| 75c | House Paint, ¼ gallon, for | 38c | \$3.00 | White Damar, gallon, for | \$1.98 |
| 40c | House Paint, pints, for | 20c | \$2.25 | No. 1 Carriage, gallon, for | \$1.40 |
| 25c | House Paint, ½ pints, for | 13c | \$1.75 | Paint Remover, ½ gallon, for | \$1.05 |
| \$2.75 | Floor Paint, 1 gallon, for | \$1.30 | \$1.50 | Pure Asphaltum, gallon, for | 90c |
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| 75c | Floor Paint, ¼ gallon, for | 38c | \$1.50 | Black Japan, 1 gallon, for | 90c |
| \$2.00 | Liquid Filler, 1 gallon, for | \$1.24 | 80c | Carriage Paint, 1 quart, for | 54c |
| \$1.00 | Liquid Filler, ½ gallon, for | 72c | 60c | Carriage Paint, pints, for | 30c |
| 60c | Liquid Filler, ¼ gallon, for | 40c | 30c | Carriage Paint, ½ pints, for | 18c |
| 75c | Pure Colors in Oil for | 45c | 60c | Wagon Paint, quarts, for | 38c |
| 35c | Pure Colors in Oil for | 19c | 40c | Wagon Paints, pints, for | 22c |
| 85c | Pure Colors in Japan for | 64c | 25c | Wagon Tar, quarts, for | 14c |
| 75c | Pure Colors in Japan for | 45c | 15c | Wagon Tar, pints, for | 9c |
| 35c | Pure Colors in Japan for | 19c | 60c | Alabaster for | 28c |
| \$2.25 | Interior Oil Stain, 1 gallon, for | \$1.48 | \$7.00 | Kalsomine Brushes for | \$4.50 |
| \$1.15 | Interior Oil Stain, ½ gallon, for | 80c | \$6.00 | Kalsomine Brushes for | \$3.10 |
| 60c | Interior Oil Stain, ¼ gallon, for | 40c | \$2.00 | Kalsomine Brushes for | 98c |
| 35c | Interior Oil Stain, pints, for | 22c | \$1.75 | Wall Brushes for | 98c |
| 80c | Varnish Stain, quarts, for | 50c | \$2.00 | Wall Brushes for | \$1.15 |
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| \$8.50 | Front Door Lock Sets for | \$4.90 | \$1.75 | N. P. Indicator Bolts for | 98c |
| \$4.00 | Front Door Lock Sets for | \$2.15 | 15c | Chain Bolts for | 38c |
| \$2.75 | Front Door Lock Sets for | \$1.58 | 75c | Foot Bolts for | 38c |
| \$4.00 | Inside Door Lock Sets for | \$1.98 | \$1.25 | Cartland Fanlight Openers for | 67c |
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| \$1.25 | Floor Hinges for | 68c | \$1.50 | Cylinders for Yale Locks for | 82c |
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| \$1.50 | Racine Spring Hinges for | 73c | 25c | Brass Hinges for | 14c |
| 10c | Stash Fasteners for | 6c | 15c | Steel Hinges for | 8c |
| 40c | Drawer Handles for | 18c | 15c | Cupboard Locks for | 14c |
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SIDDALL APPEAL

Stated Case Asked for by S. T. Hankey but Was Refused by Judge Lampan.

An application was made in county court chambers this morning on behalf of Hinkson Siddall by S. T. Hankey for a stated case for the purpose of taking an appeal to the higher court in regard to the conviction of Siddall on the charge of stealing \$41.10, be-

longing to Henry T. Pridham. Judge Lampan refused Mr. Hankey's application.

Mr. Hankey's claim was that the court had admitted evidence at the trial that should not be admitted and that the verdict of the judge was against the weight of evidence. The evidence complained of was that regarding the accused's connection with the Claire estate. It was brought out during cross-examination.

Siddall was employed two years ago to collect money for Henry T. Prid-

ham and had not accounted for \$41.10 of that which he collected. His trial took place this week.

Mr. Hankey's next step in the matter will be to appear before the court of appeal.

Blink (the wholesaler)—"Well, how many orders did you get yesterday?" Gink (the salesman)—"I got two orders in one shop." "What were they?" "The one was to get put and the other was to stay out."

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THOROUGHLY—practical housekeeper wishes a position in hotel, apartment, block or house; excellent cook. Box 188, Times.

GRADUATE Nurse of long experience wishes a position as nurse to a chronic invalid. Good cook. Box 188, Times.

FOR SALE—A fine building lot, a small lot outside city limits. This will be sold at a sacrifice for half cash, balance on time. Apply Box 188, Times.

FOR RENT—Only \$10 per month, nearly new, 12-room bungalow, 670, 1/2 block, near car line. Apply E. W. Whittington Lumber Co., Ltd. Phone 2897.

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FOR SALE—Window seat cushion, 8 ft. by 18 in., tapestry upholstered, tufted, hair-stuffed and reversible; almost new. \$15. Box 176, Times.

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LOST—Between Gordons, Ltd. and R. C. Hardware, Fort St., purse containing jewelry and change. Finder please leave at Gordons' millinery dept. Box 188, Times.

MRS. SIMPSON'S dancing class for adults, Semple's Hall, Victoria West, Tuesday evenings, 7:30.

WANTED—For cash, bicycle in good condition. 24-in. frame. Apply Lange & Brown, 14 Yates St.

LOST—Pointer dog, collar and tag on. Reward at F. A. Gowen's, 109 Govt. St.

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NOTICE—A. A. Dougan has no authority and cannot lease shooting rights on estate of the late Jas. Dougan. Isaac Dougan, Cobble Hill, V. I.

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DIED.

PALMER—On the 28th inst., at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Charles Reginald Whittle Palmer, aged 21 years, born in California, a resident of this city for the past 20 years, last residence 313 Manchester road. The deceased leaves to his mother, besides his father and mother, three brothers. The funeral will take place on Saturday, October 2, at 2:30 o'clock from the Bands Funeral Chapel, Invermont Ross Bay cemetery.

McKEACHIE—On September 30, 1915, at the residence, 530 Ribbet street, William Dunlop, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McKeachie, aged 8 months. Born in Victoria, B. C. The funeral, which will be private, will take place on Saturday, October 2, at 11 o'clock. Services by the Rev. J. G. Inkster. Interment in Ross Bay cemetery.

FOUR TRIALS ON THE ASSIZE COURT DOCKET

Mr. Justice Clement Will Preside, With G. H. Barnard, K. C., M. P., as Prosecutor

There are four cases on the docket for the Victoria assizes which commence on Monday. Mr. Justice Clement will preside, and G. H. Barnard, K. C., M. P., will appear as public prosecutor. One of the cases arises out of the anti-German riots which occurred in May. Benjamin Rose is charged with having retained certain goods, knowing them to have been stolen. The articles consist of pipes and tobacco taken from the store of Lowenberg & Company, and of cloth taken from the store of Schafer & Glass.

SUBMARINE INQUIRY WAS OPENED TO-DAY

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Will Welcome Information. "He will welcome any information which may come to him from any source and should it be desired that the source be held in confidence that confidence will be observed by him as in the past. I hope, Mr. Taylor, that you will afford every possible assistance to him, and I am quite sure that if you had been heard the manner in which you would have conducted your professional duties would have been worthy of your position at the bar."

H. B. 'Imperial' Lager Beer, quarts, 75c for 50c.

S. P. C. A. Report.—S. P. C. A. dealt with the following cases during September: Horses, 12; dogs, 2; fowls, 2; condemned horses, 2.

Dancing Class.—Mrs. Simpson has opened a dancing class for adults in Semple's hall, Victoria West, on Tuesday evenings, commencing at 7:30.

88th Regiment Band.—The concert to be given on Sunday by the 88th regiment band (Bandmaster Rumsby), will take place in the Variety theatre, and not in the old Victoria theatre as previously announced.

Wiper's Saturday Special.—Molasses Caramels, 20c per lb., regular 30c. Everyone admits the quality of Wiper's candies, as they are free from all substitutes and made in the city, of gold and silver medals, and endless diplomas awarded in England. Wiper's the people's confectioners, 1210 Douglas street.

Public Market To-morrow.—All stalls at the public market will be occupied to-morrow, and a full line of seasonable produce will be displayed for sale. The attendance of patrons is expected to be a record one. Fresh vegetables, fruit, flowers, meats, fish and dairy produce will be brought in large quantities.

Seven Stitches in Head.—While driving his wagon along Tolmie avenue this morning at 10:30 o'clock, Hong, a Chinaman, was thrown to the road and badly injured. At a rough place the wagon turned over and the horse bolted. Hong struck his head. A passing motorist picked up the Chinaman and brought him to the police station, where Dr. Grant attended the man. Seven stitches were placed in his head. The Chinaman then started out for Royal Oak, where he is employed by Mrs. Currie.

Bank Manager Testifies.

Frederick L. Crawford, manager of the Victoria branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, identified the cheque handed him as being presented at his bank on August 5 by J. V. Patterson, who saw him, but he did not remember his being identified. Mr. Patterson was there when he came back from lunch, and he asked for payment in American money. New York funds are favored by people across the line, and he wanted the bulk in New York funds. He got about \$250,000 in Seattle funds and the balance in New York funds.

Asked if any explanation was given for this division Mr. Crawford replied in the negative, and added that the natural thing would have been for a man doing business in Seattle to have taken the amount and deposit it in his own bank in Seattle. Three drafts were given Mr. Patterson, two on New York and one on Seattle, the total being \$1,149,295.50, which, with \$601.50 exchange, made up the \$1,150,000 covered by the government cheque.

Mr. Patterson left his office and witness had never seen or talked with him since.

Mr. Crawford said he would have the Seattle draft produced from the bank here. The other two would be in the New York branch.

Sir Charles asked why there had been a division in the amount given on the New York funds.

"I don't know; that is how he asked for it, presumably. It was an ordinary banking transaction although big, and we give whatever the customer asks for. If he had not asked for two drafts we would have given him one

HONOLULU PLANTER ADVISES PUBLICITY

Says Advertising Campaign in Hawaii Group Should Be Continued and Enlarged

Another example of the interest taken in Victoria as a tourist city was given on Wednesday, prior to the sailing of the Canadian-Australian liner, Niagara, for Honolulu, by J. G. Rothwell, a millionaire planter of Hawaii, who is returning to his home at Honolulu after a short stay here at the Oak Bay hotel. Mr. Rothwell called at the offices of the Victoria and Island Development Association as a speaker to the advantages of Victoria as a place to spend a vacation. He advised the association to increase its publicity work in the islands because he believes that Victoria will draw a large number of the wealthy residents during the summer time.

The suggestion was taken up at once by Commissioner Cuthbert who sent by the steamship a large quantity of the association's literature and also wrote the steamship agents there with regard to its distribution and publicity matters on Victoria as being the place to spend a sane vacation.

Mr. Rothwell came to Victoria intending to stay three weeks but because of the illness of his wife at San Francisco he had to shorten his time here. This he said he regretted because Victoria had more than satisfied his ideas formed previous to his arrival.

He has lived 38 years in Honolulu and said there are hundreds there who would welcome more publicity and information regarding Victoria. He advised that the development association continue and enlarge its work in the islands and be offered to take the matter up with the development association there of which he is a prominent member.

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for the whole amount of nine hundred thousand dollars."

Mr. Thompson—"Did any portion of these drafts return to your office here?"

"Not to my knowledge."

"Do you know of any account in your bank which has any suspicious circumstances about the payment of a commission on these submarines?"

"No, none."

"Have you any account which would appear to be a payment of an indirect commission on these submarines?"

"None that I know of."

"Was there any payment which excited your suspicion of a commission?"

"None."

"Or a payment made in respect of the sale of the submarines?"

"None."

"I am using the terms in the broadest possible sense. You say there are no entries in the books of your bank which would excite your suspicion?"

"None to my knowledge."

Brought Warrant.

Mr. Goepel, who had meanwhile gone for the lieutenant-governor's warrant, returned to the stand and explained the modus operandi of issuing warrants for moneys immediately required for which there was no vote of the legislature. In this case the warrant was made out on Aug. 4, certified by William Allison, the auditor-general, and himself, although it was not actually signed by his honor (Lieut.-Gov. Patterson) until Sept. 15.

The deputy minister also produced a bunch of five cheques dated Aug. 1, from No. 14,198 on, which, according to vouchers or warrants, were really issued after that date, most of them on Aug. 4. Other cheques from other months were produced to show that this was the usual practice and not a special instance.

William Allison, auditor-general, said he remembered the issue of the cheque about ten minutes to five on the afternoon of August 4. The lieutenant-governor's warrant was signed by Price Ellison, minister of finance, and himself. He would not sign a cheque unless there was legislative authority or a governor's warrant.

Sir Charles asked if a warrant must not be based on an order-in-council, and Mr. Allison replied that there was one.

Was there any irregularity under the Audit Act in respect to this cheque? the commissioner asked and was answered in the negative. It was perfectly in order so far as he was concerned, the provincial auditor-general said.

To Mr. Thompson, Mr. Allison said he knew of no commission, no promise of a commission, no contribution to party funds and no promise of contribution in connection with this purchase.

The same questions were similarly answered by Mr. Goepel.

Naval Officer of Stand.

Lieut.-Commander Bertram E. Jones, R. N., stated that he was recalled from the emergency list last August. He was handed a cheque by Lt. Pilcher and given written instructions to proceed to sea with the cheque on board the Salvor, to a specified position five miles south of the island, where he should meet two submarines about 2 o'clock in the morning of August 5. He was to inspect them and satisfy himself if each was worth the full price of £115,000 sterling, having to spend at least one hour in each boat, and if satisfied to hand over the cheque to the representative of the Seattle Construction and Drydock Co., and bring the boats into Esquimalt harbor. He was accompanied by Engineer-Lieut. Woods, chief engineer of the dockyard.

Lieut.-Commander Jones said he had made a thorough inspection of the two boats before handing Patterson the cheque, spending about two hours in each. To the commissioner he said he knew of no commission in connection with the matter and Patterson made no remark about one. His own submarine experience was five years in the imperial service. The day after the boats arrived here a crew was out training in one of them.

Mr. Thompson—"Were they ever out of commission through structural defects?"

"I don't know what you mean by that. There was no defective construction."

"Well, due to defective design?"

"They were never out of commission due to defective design."

Sir Charles Davidson expressed a desire to hear the result of the first inspection.

Lt.-Commander Jones said that as far as he could in the time he satisfied himself the boats were in good condition. They had traveled from Seattle under their own steam that night and the engines must have been in good order to do that. He saw the valves, the electric motors in operation, and, as far as practicable, every part of the boats, and satisfied himself that there was nothing seriously wrong with them. There had been no difficulty since, with them due to any faulty design. Slight defects were found afterwards due to certain valves not "sealing" correctly. This was after the boat had grounded, and at first it was thought the defect was due to her having grounded. The loss of buoyancy spoken of by Commander Keyes in a report to Ottawa was caused by the valves not seating, and not to the grounding, as thought when Commander Keyes reported.

Mr. Thompson—"Do you consider the boats efficient?"

"I consider them very efficient indeed."

Mr. Thompson asked if these boats were similar to the F-1 to F-4 of the United States navy, one of which sank in Honolulu to which Lt.-Commander Jones replied: "I do not know whether these are the same type. I believe they are not, but I cannot say."

"Can you state whether the cost of repairs has been excessive?"

"I should say in no way were they excessive at all, except in the higher cost of labor in this country."

"It was suggested in the House of Commons that the side of one was taken away. What do you say as to that?"

"It is absolutely untrue. No plates

of the hull of either boat have been removed. The only plates removed were on the superstructure, which is entirely apart from the hull of the boat, and they were taken out to get at the hull for painting, which is usual.

"Have these vessels been in commission during the whole time except during repair?"

"Yes."

Sir Charles Davidson—"Are they in the harbor to-day?"

"Yes, and capable of service."

Mr. Thompson—"Perhaps you would like to make a statement as to their general efficiency?"

"I think what the boats have done in the past year is proof of their efficiency. They have been diving, firing torpedoes, exercising every week except when undergoing refit. They have fired a large number of torpedoes and they are to-day in as good condition as they could be expected to be. They are as efficient as they can possibly be, after well-handled, well-dived, and we have never any difficulty getting them to dive or come up again."

"It has been stated in the house of commons that one was practically out of commission because the crews are afraid of her or express fear. What about that?"

"It is untrue. I never heard of it."

As to the time the submarines could stay under, Lieut.-Commander Jones said he had made no test, but would say they could stay under as long as any English boats. He concurred in Commander Keyes' reports on the boats.

Commander Keyes, asked the number of men he had trained, he gave it as about sixty, and added that these were not trained on one boat more than another because it was safer.

Chief Justice Examined.

Richard Ryan, chief justice of the parliament buildings, the man who carried the cheque of the province from Sir Richard McBride to Lieut. Pilcher, stated that he was instructed to hand the cheque over to the latter. This was all the word that passed except as to the money being to purchase two submarines. He got no receipt from Lieut. Pilcher, because the cheque was handed over in the presence of Sir Richard McBride. Sir Richard and he had gone down to Esquimalt in the same vehicle.

In reply to Mr. Thompson, Ryan said he went out on the Salvor and never heard anything even whispered about there being any commission paid or promised, or any contribution to party funds made or promised, although he read lots in the papers.

Mr. Thompson—"No promise at all?"

"No, sir, never a word."

"No commission or rebate?"

"Never heard it, nor even suspected it."

Sir Charles Davidson—"Why did you go out on the boats?"

Ryan—"It seems Sir Richard intended to go out, and he commissioned me to go out with the cheque and virtually represent him in the transfer of the vessel. In a general way I suppose that is what it meant."

Mr. Thompson—"But you fulfilled your mission with the cheque by handing it over at the dockyard?"

"I did, and I went out with Lieut. Jones, to whom Lieut. Pilcher handed the cheque, said it handed to Patterson, and Patterson sign a receipt. I saw it in his hand."

Patterson handed it to me. I said the cheque is all right, and handed it back to him.

"Your duties finished when you handed it over?"

"Practically speaking, they were, but I had verbal instructions to follow it until the boats were delivered and I did so."

"Sir Richard asked you to see them in port?"

"I followed it up and came in on the patrol boat."

"You examined the submarines your self?"

"Yes, you are an expert?"

"Yes. I was in the painting and decorating work for the naval authorities, and while my work was painting I could tell pretty quick whether any plates had been doctored and painted over, and any defects covered with paint I think I would spot quick."

"And finally you delivered your charges in Esquimalt?"

"I did, sir."

Mr. Patterson Here.

J. V. Patterson, president of the Seattle Construction & Drydock company, came over on the afternoon boat from Seattle and is being examined this afternoon.

TWO MONTHS' FURLOUGH.

Pte. C. Fletcher, Who Left Here With Gordon Highlanders, Wounded in Hand.

Pte. C. Fletcher, late of the Gordon Highlanders, who was wounded in France, writes to relatives here from a hospital at Bromley, Kent, stating that he will be invalided from active service on account of permanent injury to his left hand. He expects, however, to secure some semi-military employment. He has been offered two months' furlough, but as his parents reside in England he will spend it there rather than in Victoria, where he enlisted.

SOLDIER'S WIFE DEAD

News Received That Mrs. Stephen Court Passed Away Some Days Before Her Husband.

Friends yesterday received the news of the death of Mrs. Stephen C. Court, formerly of this city. The news was received here only a few days ago of the death, while in action at the front, of the deceased lady's husband, Pte. S. C. Court, of the 16th Battalion, Canadian Expeditionary Force. Mrs. Court, according to the news just received, had been suffering from a serious illness for some time, and actually died several days before her husband was killed on the battlefield. Two small children have been orphaned by the death of Pte. and Mrs. Court.

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Programme of Military Events Prepared for the Red Cross Gymkhana To-morrow

Unless Jupiter Pluvius is unkind enough to interfere with the gymkhana and military sports for the Red Cross fund at the Willows grounds to-morrow afternoon the B. C. Horse look forward to one of the finest events of its kind ever staged at the fair grounds. Commencing at 2 o'clock, a lengthy programme, bristling with items that cannot fail to please, has been prepared, and with practically every unit in the district, both naval and military, entered for some event, a splendid afternoon's sport may be looked for. One of the big features will be the comic dress football match, and there will be wrestling on horse back, and a Victoria Cross competition. Jiu Jitsu wrestling by Japanese sailors, and field-gun drill will not be the least interesting of the features. Competitors are reminded that they must present themselves in front of the prize stand to receive their awards. A handsome trophy, open to perpetual challenge, and to be competed for amongst the military and naval forces of Victoria for grand aggregate, has been donated by J. M. Whitney. The trophy is of solid silver, and will be the object of keen competition. The points will be as follows in team

events, the first place being given to the naval or military unit which wins three points: First place, 3 points; second place, 2 points; third place, 1 point. All competitors must be on hand for their events at least five minutes before the sound of the bugle. Events will be run strictly in order of programme. Competitors must assemble in the paddock, and on the clerk of the course calling out the event they will immediately proceed to the starting post, the judges' decision to be final in all cases. Visitors are reminded that they can obtain refreshments at the various regimental canteens.

Events and Entries.

Relay Race.
H. M. C. S. Rainbow team, Black Rock Battery 5th C. G. A. team, 5th C. G. A. Overseas Draft team, Naval Yard team, 5th C. G. A. Willow team, B. C. Horse team, 6th Battalion Western Scouts team, Naval Volunteers team, Canadian Ordnance Corps team.

At same time sword drill exhibition will take place on oval.

Tent Peeking.
Pte. Clayton, C. A. S. A.; Cpl. Leslie, C. A. S. A.; Sgt. Davies, 5th C. G. A.; Sgt. Freeman, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Henderson, 5th C. G. A.; Lieut. B. Harvey, 8th V. F.; Pte. A. Middle, 8th V. F.; Capt. Harrison, 8th V. F.; Gnr. Featherston, 5th C. G. A.; Sgt. Bailey, B. C. H.; Cpl. Chimes, B. C. H.; Tpr. Robinson, B. C. H.; Sgt. Porter, B. C. H.

Tilting at the Bucket.
Gnr. Adams and Cpl. McInnes, Belmont Battery, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Cox and Gnr. Penny, Belmont Battery, 5th C. G. A.; Sgt. Beaton and Cpl. Bennett, Belmont Battery, 5th C. G. A.; Sgt. Kroeger and Cpl. Bush, Black Rock Battery, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Carter and Bdr. Green, Black Rock Battery, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Hurst and Gnr. Sanger, Black Rock Battery, 5th C. G. A.; Tpr. Quarmby and Tpr. Hardy, B. C. Horse; Tpr. Calvert and Tpr. Mossery, B. C. Horse; Tpr. Tomkinson and Tpr. Sweetland, B. C. Horse.

Tug-of-War.
A. On oval, 5th U. G. A. Rod Hill Battery vs. 19 Co. A. S. C.
B. On track, 6th Battalion Western

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Scots vs. Imperial Japanese Navy team.

Nomination Race.
C. S. M. Swarbrick, 5th C. G. A.; Cpl. Leslie, C. A. S. C.; Lieut. Molesworth, 5th C. G. A.; Tpr. Rochford, B. C. H.; Tpr. Macdonald, B. C. H.; Tpr. Kennington, B. C. H.; Tpr. Robinson, B. C. H.; Cpl. McNamara, B. C. H.; Capt. Harrison, 8th V. F.; Cpl. Hewitt, 5th C. G. A.; Cpl. Jarvis, 5th C. G. A.; Bdr. Johnson, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Walton, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Harknett, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Roman, 5th C. G. A.

Roman Standing Display.
Pte. H. Nicholls, 8th V. Fusiliers.
199 Yards Dash.

Cpl. McInnes, Belmont B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Denny, Belmont B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Adams, Belmont B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Edwards, Belmont B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Sumner, Belmont B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Hunter, Belmont B. C. G. A.; Seaman Tidwell, H. M. C. S. Rainbow; Seaman Yates, H. M. C. S. Rainbow; Seaman Jessop, H. M. C. S. Rainbow; Pte. Oliver, C. A. S. C.; Pte. Barnes, C. A. S. C.; Pte. Langley, C. A. S. C.; Gnr. Stephens, Black Rock B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Carter, Black Rock B. C. G. A.; Sgt. Kroeger, Black Rock B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Douglas, Black Rock B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Kenning, Black Rock B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Cummings, Black Rock B. C. G. A.; Gnr. McIlroy, Overseas Draft, C. G. A.; Gnr. Floyd, Overseas Draft, C. G. A.; Pte. Roberts, 5th Battalion, Pte. Johnson, 5th Battalion; Pte. St. John, 8th Fusiliers; Tpr. Rochford, B. C. H.; Tpr. Cox, B. C. H.; Cpl. Doney, B. C. H.; Tpr. Munro, B. C. H.; Seaman Hollingham, Naval Vols; Seaman Melver, Naval Vols; Seaman Elston, Naval Vols; Pte. Dalgleish, Canadian Ordnance Corps; Pte. Dalgleish, Canadian Ordnance Corps.

Half-Mile Flat Race.
No. 1 team, 5th C. G. A.; Sgt. Davies and Sgt. Freeman; No. 2 team, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Featherstone and Gnr. Henderson; No. 1 team, B. C. H.; Lieut. Dunford and Capt. Spurgin; No. 2 team, B. C. H.; Sgt. Porter and Cpl. Chimes.

At the same time—Bayonet display by B. C. Horse on oval.

Boy Scouts Relay Race.
At the same time—Start of comic football match.

Nomination Race.
Gnr. Foreman, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Benfield, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Henderson, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Thornton, 5th C. G. A.; Sgt. Lean, B. C. H.; Tpr. Chamberlain, B. C. H.; Tpr. Johnson, B. C. H.; Tpr. Bolton, B. C. H.; Tpr. Roy, B. C. H.; Tpr. Miller, B. C. H.; Tpr. Munro, B. C. H.; Tpr. Diamond, B. C. H.; Tpr. Hunt, B. C. H.; Tpr. Washer, B. C. H.; Cpl. Doney, B. C. H.

Tug-of-War.
A. On track, H. M. C. S. Rainbow vs. 8th Victoria Fusiliers, B. C. H.; Naval Vols vs. B. C. H.

V. C. Race.
Pte. Howard, C. A. S. C.; Cpl. Leslie, C. A. S. C.; Pte. Boyd, C. A. S. C.; Gnr. Barrow, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Harknett, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Neale, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Featherstone, 5th C. G. A.; Lieut. Harvey, 8th Fusiliers; Cpl. Chimes, B. C. H.; Tpr. Diamond, B. C. H.; Tpr. Robinson, B. C. H.; Tpr. Rochford, B. C. H.

Ginger Beer and Cracknel Race.
Gnr. Sumner, Belmont B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Plunnett, Belmont B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Adams, Belmont B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Stephens, Black Rock B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Hurst, Black Rock B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Carter, Overseas Draft, C. G. A.; Pte. Johnson, Can. Ordnance Corps; Pte. Dalgleish, Can. Ordnance Corps; Tpr. McMillan, B. C. H.; Tpr. Young, B. C. H.—Distance 100 yards to judge's box. Each competitor to face audience in grand stand and drink bottle of

Ginger Beer, eat cracknel, whistle to judge, who will give signal to race back to starting point.

Mop v. Mop; Commence on Oval.
Gnr. Cox and Cpl. McInnes, Belmont Battery, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Adams and Gnr. Coates, Belmont Battery, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Edwards and Bdr. Rolston, Belmont Battery, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Sanger and Gnr. Auld, Black Rock, 5th C. G. A.; Bdr. Green and Gnr. Carter, Black Rock, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Cummings and Gnr. Smith, Black Rock, 5th C. G. A.; Tpr. Webber and Tpr. Cherry, B. C. H.; Tpr. McDougall and Tpr. Hay, B. C. H.; Tpr. Collins and Tpr. Mann, B. C. H.

Nomination Race.
Boy Scouts Patrol Race.
Lemon Cutting.
Sgt. Freeman, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Lamb, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Foreman, 5th C. G. A.; Gnr. Featherstone, 5th C. G. A.; Pte. Clayton, C. A. S. C.; Pte. Howard, C. A. S. C.; Lieut. Harvey, 8th V. Fusiliers; Capt. Harrison, 8th V. Fusiliers; Pte. Hude, 8th V. Fusiliers; Cpl. Chimes, B. C. H.; Tpr. Kennington, B. C. H.; Tpr. Rochford, B. C. H.; Sgt. Bailey, B. C. H.; Capt. K. R. Spurgin.

Semi-Finals of Tug-of-War; On Oval.
Winners of A—Event 4 and 11; Winners of B—Event 4 and 11.

Half-Mile Flat Race.
Gnr. Edwards, Belmont B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Douglas, Black Rock B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Sanger, Black Rock B. C. G. A.; Sgt. Norris, Black Rock B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Benfield, Overseas Draft, C. G. A.; Gnr. Johnston, Overseas Draft, C. G. A.; Gnr. Gibson, Overseas Draft, C. G. A.; Gnr. Henderson, 5th C. G. A.; Seaman Yates, H. M. C. S. Rainbow; Seaman Tidwell, H. M. C. S. Rainbow; Seaman Jessop, H. M. C. S. Rainbow; Pte. Oliver, C. A. S. C.; Pte. Barnes, C. A. S. C.; Pte. Langley, C. A. S. C.; Pte. Robinson, 6th Battalion, Western Scouts; Pte. Johnson, 6th Battalion, Western Scouts; Seaman Landin, Naval Volunteers; Seaman Balle, Naval Volunteers; Pte. Thurbon, Canadian Ordnance Corps; Tpr. MacDougall, B. C. H.; Tpr. Munro, B. C. H.

Lloyd Lindsay Race.
No. 1 team, 5th C. G. A.; No. 2 team, 5th C. G. A.; No. 1 team, B. C. H.; No. 2 team, B. C. H.

Tug-of-War.
Final (on track).
Gnr. Cox, Belmont B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Adams, Belmont B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Punnett, Belmont B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Smith, Black Rock B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Hurst, Black Rock B. C. G. A.; Gnr. Roberts, Black Rock B. C. G. A.; Gnr. T. Johnson, B. C. H.; Tpr. Collins, B. C. H.; Tpr. Mann, B. C. H.

Wrestling on Horse Back.
Match between team of six men from B. C. H. and 5th C. G. A.

God Save the King.
Committee: Major E. C. J. L. Henricker, Capt. K. R. Spurgin, Lieut. P. Barton, Lieut. C. R. Dunford, S.S.M. J. A. Wren, Sgt. F. H. Simmonds, Sgt. T. Bourne, Sgt. G. W. Potter, Troopers C. N. Barry, S. Macdonald, A. Kennington, F. J. Webber.

Hon. secretary—S. M. N. A. Foster.

Starter—Mr. Dick Smith.
Judges—The Hon. Mr. Justice Irving, Capt. J. O. R. Forsythe, O. C. 5th Highlanders, Capt. Fairweather, Major E. C. J. L. Henricker, O. C. V. I. S. B. C. H.; Lieut. Monk, O. C. 5th C. G. A.

Clerk of the course—S.S.M. J. A. Wren.
Timekeeper—Lieut. W. E. Ekina, B. C. H.

Mr. Barnard has kindly consented to distribute prizes after each event.
Announcer—Mr. H. Davies, V.I.A.A.A.

120,000 MOVED TO BULGARIAN BORDER

Serbia Has Made Preparations to Meet Any Attack in That Direction

Athens, Oct. 1.—The massing of German troops on the Serbian border near Orsova continues. It is stated that the Bulgarians are concentrating on the Serbo-Bulgarian frontier, and this has obliged Serbia to transfer 120,000 troops to this line in order to be prepared to resist any attack. The Serbian strength along the Austrian frontier thus has been weakened, so that Bulgaria already has lent assistance to the Austro-Germans.

Many German officers have arrived at Sofia and are consulting with the Bulgarian general staff. These Germans declare that the campaigns against Serbia will begin the middle of October. Four German submarines are said to have arrived at Varna.

Kling Ferdinand has requested M. Malinoff, leader of the pro-Russian party, to take a post in the Radoslavov government. He replied that he would accept office only on condition of Bulgaria's remaining neutral until the end of the war. The king then declared that it was impossible to give such an undertaking, because Bulgaria's policy already had taken a specific direction, but it would be well if prominent politicians now outside the government would enter it, and thus secure the unity of all parties. M. Malinoff definitely declined the invitation.

SINCE SATURDAY.
Ottawa, Oct. 1.—The military department was advised to-day that the Second Canadian Division has been in the trenches since last Saturday.

GERMAN ARRESTED.
Vancouver, Oct. 1.—Louis Perrin, a well known German, was arrested this morning by the immigration authorities, who probably will have him interned. He was taken in charge on the farm of Hamel, a German under arrest, near the international boundary line.

PROLONGED APPLAUSE FOLLOWED STATEMENT

Speech Made by Venizelos; Undivided Support Given Greek Govt. by Gounaris

Athens, Oct. 1.—At an impressive session in the chamber of deputies yesterday, M. Venizelos, prime minister, characterized the summons to the colors of Bulgarian forces as a grave menace to Greece, and virtually called on that power to demobilize. M. Gounaris, former prime minister, amid great enthusiasm, extended unreserved support to the government's policy, and the house ratified the decree of national mobilization, and authorized a war loan of \$30,000,000.

As soon as the chamber had assembled, M. Venizelos mounted the tribuna and made the following declaration:

"In September of last year I explained to the house the policy of the Greek government towards the international situation created by the European war. In February last we considered that the time had come to change that attitude, but having disagreed with the crown, the cabinet resigned.

"After the recent election, I have been called to power again, I considered, in view of the great changes that had taken place meanwhile in the international situation, that we should return to our original policy; but this normal situation was disturbed suddenly by the Bulgarian general mobilization, which in effect ordered mobilization likewise.

"I must inform the house that after these two measures, reassuring assurances were given by both sides, M. Radoslavoff, the Bulgarian prime minister, declared to our minister in Sofia that Bulgaria's mobilization had no purpose of attack, either against us or our ally, Serbia, but was necessitated by Bulgaria's proximity to the theatre of war, and the object was to enable Bulgaria to maintain a policy of armed neutrality. We replied that as long as such was the significance of the Bulgarian mobilization our own must not be considered as having any other object than the same—armed neutrality.

"Despite these assurances, however, the situation still must be considered grave. Modern mobilization means such a serious dislocation of the country's financial and social life and entails such enormous expenditures that it cannot be continued long without danger to peace, and this danger is all the greater when the mobilized state does not conceal the fact that territorial statutes established by treaty between her and neighboring states are not considered worth respecting.

"I do not say this to deplete the situation as being darker than it is in reality, but I may not conceal the real state of affairs from the nation, for although everybody in Greece desires peace, I know well the incomparable spirit of self-sacrifice with which the Greek nation under arms is ready to defend both the country's territory and the nation's vital interests and oppose the attempt of any one Balkan state to acquire for itself a preponderant position which would put an end to the political and moral independence of the rest. Nevertheless, I should be happy if the quieting assurances given by the governments of both the mobilized Balkan states should be followed by the simultaneous and prompt recall of mobilization and the averting of danger to peace."

The speech was received with prolonged applause by the whole house and galleries. M. Gounaris, as leader of the major opposition, rose and in a few words stated that his party approved both the mobilization and other measures adopted by the government, and in such matters Greeks of all parties were entirely as one.

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Berna, Oct. 1.—Henry Fairbanks, Montagnier, of Torre Haute, Ind., an American Alpinist, was arrested at San Remo last Sunday by order of the minister of the interior at Rome on the grounds that his presence constituted a danger to the public safety. He had just arrived from Nice. He spent two nights and one day in prison, then was taken before the chief of police, who informed him that he chose to go to Switzerland, and was conducted to Chiasso.

Mr. Montagnier asserts that he lived for five years at San Remo. The reason for his arrest, he said, he had not yet been able to fathom. He declared he would protest through American diplomatic channels.

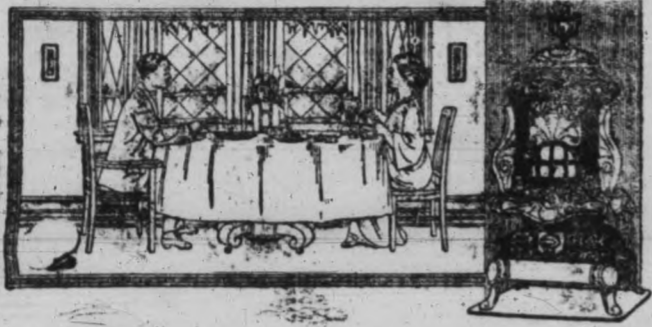
TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
At Washington—Boston-Washington game postponed; rain.
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
At Cincinnati—Chicago-Cincinnati game postponed; rain.
At Boston—R. H. E. Philadelphia..... 2 1 2
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METAL MARKET.
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Reign supreme in the home that is warmed with one of Weiler's Celebrated Heaters. We have Heaters suitable for every room in the house, for coal or wood, or for both coal and wood-burning. They are built on scientific lines, of the very best material, by expert workmen, and have built up an enviable reputation for themselves in past years for durability, economy of fuel, beautiful appearance and ease of operation.

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Sheet Iron Wood Heaters, \$3.15, \$5.85 and	\$7.65
Sheet Iron Wood Heaters, with cast iron tops, \$9.00, \$9.90, \$10.35, \$11.70, \$12.60 and	\$13.50
Sheet Iron Wood Heaters, cast iron tops, with handsome nickel trimmings. Each	\$12.15
"Villa" Coal Heaters, \$18.00 and	\$22.50

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Will add a touch of color and cosiness to your rooms. They come in many fine designs, reproduced from expensive Oriental Rugs. For beauty, durability and reasonable price it would be hard to excel these handsome Rugs.

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6ft. 9in. x 9ft.	\$24.75
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9ft. x 10ft. 6in.	\$33.75
9ft. x 12ft.	\$43.65
11ft. 3in. x 12ft.	\$50.40
11ft. 3in. x 13ft. 6in.	\$58.50

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In many quaint olden styles, and a fine selection in most modern designs in golden oak and mahogany at cash prices ranging from \$3.60, \$12.00, \$18.00, \$20.25 and \$31.50.

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You'll enjoy seeing our great variety of Oriental, floral and conventional designs in Brussels Carpets. They can be made up with or without border, and are laid without extra charge. Cash prices, per yard, \$1.12½ to \$1.80.

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Is an important problem in every home, since so much of the outward appearance of the house depends on the appearance of the shade, and so much of the comfort of the home depends on the easy action of the shades. We have the largest and best selection of Shade Cloths in the West. Our Shades are all mounted on the well-known and reliable Hartshorn rollers, which cannot fail to give you satisfaction. Measurements taken and estimates given free.

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Fine Easy Chairs for reading or rest when the day's work is done, mean comfort that makes life's leisure worth while.

The "Home-Maker" Store is the headquarters for comfortable Chairs. Ease and elegance are expressed in every line of our upholstered Furniture, which is built for comfort and long service. Springs, stuffing hair and covers of finest quality, combined with expert workmanship, make our upholstered furniture a dream of comfort and a possession in which the housekeeper can take an honest pride at all times. Your choice of many styles of Easy Chairs for Cash Prices of \$9.00 to \$67.50.

ROAD TO ROYAL OAK OPENED TO TRAFFIC

Paving Has Been Finished; Start is Made on Gorge Road and Douglas Street

The paved road from the city limits to Royal Oak, connecting with the concrete on the West Saanich road, was completed yesterday, and traffic can now use the whole length of the road, which has been opened up in sections as work progressed. As this section is the first portion of the road improvement scheme, and the one which will be used to the greatest extent by the public, the character of bitulthic construction can be gauged. There has been a heavy amount of automobile travel over it already, and a certain amount of "scorching," a state of things which it is the intention of the municipal authorities to check by police court prosecutions.

There is still considerable work to be done on the sides of the road between Cloverdale and Tolmie avenues, but this will not check the use of the road. The cost of the connecting link between the city and Saanich work at Tolmie avenue, will be shared between the two municipalities.

There is no doubt that when buildings resume, there will be considerable development along the route of the new road, owing to accessibility to the city. The portion around Christmas Hill, particularly, is expected to open up to settlement.

Attention has now been directed to the portion of Douglas street, from the end of the city paving to the main Saanich road, which is to be graded preparatory to paving, and to the portion of the Gorge road, from the city boundary to Tillicum road, where the work will also be proceeded with this year. Grading on Shelburne street will be commenced next week.

The two small sections of paving which are to be done this year are on trunk roads from the city, upon which there is a great deal of traffic, and which would otherwise have to be repaired.

LITIGANTS SETTLE

Actions Taken Into County Court Are Decided Without Judge's Aid.

Judge Laupman was saved the trouble yesterday afternoon of having to arrive at a decision in regard to the case of J. S. Moore against the Silver Spring Brewing company, in which his honor had reserved judgment in the morning. During the hearing of the action of the Silver Spring Brewing company against the Sooko Harbor Hotel company, in which plaintiff claimed for goods sold and delivered, it was shown that Mr. Moore, plaintiff in the first action, is president of the Sooko Harbor Hotel company. In defence of the brewing company's claim, he alleged the goods sold for were sold to the licensee of the hotel, who should be liable.

The hearing had proceeded well into the second case when the lawyers got together on a suggestion that a settlement might be arranged in both cases. The result, announced in the afternoon, was that Mr. Moore agreed to his case being dismissed, and the brewing company agreed that their claim against the hotel should be dismissed. Both dismissals were without costs. Mr. Moore's claim against the brewery company was \$500 for slab wood delivered, and the amount of the brewery claim against the hotel was about the same.

The hearing was concluded yesterday afternoon in the claim for \$200 in regard to a bungalow building contract between Charles W. Smith, the plaintiff, and W. H. Lawson, defendant. The action was dismissed.

PHYSIQUE TYPE "B"

Proportions of the Average Man in the Temperate Zone.

In the classification of types, the designers of Semi-ready tailoring find that the largest number of their customers wear clothes made on physique type B patterns.

These sizes are made for men whose stature ranges from five feet six inches to five feet and ten inches. A man who wears a 37-inch breast coat will usually stand 5.7 inches in height. If he is 5.10 in height his breast measure is between 42 and 44 inches if he is of average build.

The other types, such as F and G, are for stouter men. For instance, a coat made for a Type F man of 5.7 in height will be 40 inches breast. In Type G a coat for a man 6 feet tall will be 43 inches breast. There are seven distinct types in the Semi-ready chart.

Mearns & Fuller, View and Douglas street, present the new models in Semi-ready tailoring.

GOES TO JAIL

Ambrass Perry is Sentenced to Two Months for Indecent Assault at Esquimalt.

Two months in jail was the sentence passed upon Ambrass Perry, after evidence had been heard in the Esquimalt police court yesterday afternoon on the charge of indecent assault upon a young girl laid against him by Chief of Police Palmer.

The evidence was clear against the man, and in ordering him to jail Magistrate Jay commented severely upon his conduct and pointed out that a very heavy sentence and whipping could be imposed for this offence.

A. S. Humphreys was fined \$5 for shooting within the limits of the municipality without first taking out a license. Two Hindu wood dealers who were charged with peddling wood without a license got out of the additional cost of a fine at the last minute by paying \$10 each, the license fee.

Irresistible Values Are Offered

On Seasonable Wants for Women and Children

LADIES' UNDERWEAR
Combinations in all wools and mixtures, all wanted styles. Price, \$1.00, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50
Vests and Drawers as above, from 25¢ to \$1.50

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Combinations, two special values, 65¢ to \$1.00 and \$1.00 to \$1.20
Vests and Drawers in all wools and mixtures, in white or natural, 25¢ to \$1.00
Sleepers, all ages, best quality, 60¢ to \$1.00

SPECIAL NEW CORSETS \$1.00
A splendid value, medium high bust style, well boned and perfect fitting; sizes 19 to 30. Our price \$1.00

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AUTOMOBILE BOARD WILL MEET TO-NIGHT

To Award Emblem-Prize; Road Maps and Logs of Tours to Be Distributed

There will be a meeting of the Island Automobile association board of governors to-night, at which the designs submitted for an association emblem will be considered. It is probable the board will make an award.

About six weeks ago the board offered a prize of \$100 for the best suggestion from which an emblem for the association could be made. There were twenty-five designs submitted, some in drawing and others in metal. Several excellent suggestions were received.

The board will take up for consideration a request from several members of the golf club at Colwood relative to the stretch of road from Parson's Bridge to Colwood. It is suggested by those who have approached the Automobile association that there should be co-operation between the two parties in approaching the government for the purpose of getting the road improved.

Charles L. Harris, secretary of the association, is busy compiling a new and up-to-date map of Victoria, and the adjacent municipalities, and a colored map of the island showing the trunk roads. These will be issued for free distribution soon. The complete loggings of the tours of Vancouver Island as published by the Seattle Sunday Times are to be issued in book form for free distribution here and at Seattle. These are being printed.

The association has added a number of road direction signs. These are on the Malahat Drive and in several parts of Oak Bay municipality. Reeve McGregor, of Saanich, who is a member of the Automobile association-board of governors, has promised to take care of the erection of danger sign boards in the Saanich municipality.

Since the last meeting there have been about fifty members added to the membership roll.

LIVESTOCK CONVENTION

Thirty-Five Delegates Coming Here This Month From West of the Great Lakes.

The Western Canada Livestock union, representative of cattle raising from the Great Lakes to the Pacific, will hold a convention in Victoria on October 27 and 28. There will be thirteen or more livestock associations represented by about thirty-five delegates. The convention will sit at the Empress hotel and will be presided over by Dr. J. G. Rutherford, C. M. G., head of the livestock department of the C. P. R. at Calgary. Among those who will attend are Miss Cora Hind, of the Winnipeg Free Press, who is a wheat and stock expert, and George Lane, of the Bar U ranch, Alberta. Hon. Martin Burrell may be present.

The subjects which will be discussed by the convention are as follows:

1. The broad question of marketing which is one of the most important problems before the union.
2. Livestock transportation together with the new livestock contract which has been under discussion for some time.
3. The question of livestock exchanges which are being established by commission men in the various centres of Western Canada. This will be given special attention.
4. Various schemes now before the public having for their object the development of livestock industry and the encouragement of mixed farming.
5. The serious question of devising some means whereby the large quantities of screenings which are a form of grain wastage and are sold at an extremely low price may be profitably utilized in the feeding of stock. This was before last year's convention.
6. The question of a fair representation of stock men from all over the Dominion on the boards of various record societies.

The room in which the Kaiser transacts his business in Potsdam has been nicknamed in Germany "The Spider's Web."

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HELP RECRUITING.

Imperial Oil Company, Ltd., Gives Bonuses to Employees Who Wish to Serve Colors.

Practically all the large Canadian firms are assisting recruiting by giving their employees some form of assurance that their places will be open for them on their return from the front. But it is not often that men who recruit receive pay from their employers during their term of service. The directors of the Imperial Oil Company, Ltd., have decided to pay all employees who have enlisted or who may enlist with the Canadian contingent for overseas service, in the case of married men half pay, and in the case of single men quarter pay until the end of the war.

In addition this firm will hold the positions of such men open for them on their return.

Should any employee who is serving with the colors meet with a fatality in the course of the war the directors will continue the payment, in the case of a married man half pay to be given to his wife or immediate family for six months after his death, in the case of a single man one quarter of his salary to his dependents (if any) for six months after his death. This rule applies to all regular members of the staff who were in the service of the company for at least six months immediately preceding the declaration of war.

This might well serve as a suggestion to other firms who wish to stimulate recruiting.

SATURDAY'S BIG SALE AT STEWART'S

Here's a few big clean-up specials that lead the way for astounding shoe value to-morrow. Stewart's Store is THE place in town to get the boy or girl the shoes for school wear. Nothing shoddy is ever sold by us. We stand behind every pair. Store

Opens Up 8.00 A. M. Saturday



Men's Tan Grain Boots

An ideal work boot with double viscolised waterproof sole standard grommed—An honest \$2.50. About 22 pairs. Saturday only, per pair

\$2.00



About 80 Pairs Child's Shoes

A great assortment of sizes, 3 to 7½, in chocolate and black—Kid leather mostly. Good \$1.00 and \$1.25 values. Saturday's price, per pair

75c



Ladies' Patent Button Boots

with Cravenette tops, Mackay sewn soles, Cuban heels—A smart durable Winter Boot, in all sizes. Sold at \$4.00. Made by Western, Toronto. Saturday only, per pair

\$3.00



Ladies' Spats

Our new shipment just in and going strong. All tailor made, in grey, fawn, brown, white or black. Washable cloth, black trimmed, military style. Prices \$1.50, \$1.25 and

\$1.00

Boys' Solid Boots

We have opened up a line of Cote's famous all leather school boots and have priced them very low for to-morrow. They're watertights with bellows tongue.

Prices here
Sizes 11 to 13½ \$2.25
Sizes 1 to 5½ \$2.75

Girls' School Boots

Never before were we so well supplied with durable shoes for girls and misses. Below we give Saturday's prices on a dandy Gun Metal Button boot all solid but we have a dozen similar lines to choose from.

Sizes 8 to 10½ \$2.15
Sizes 11 to 2 \$2.45
Big-girls 2½ to 6 \$2.95

GIVE OUR SCHOOL SHOES A TRIAL

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Victoria's Popular Home Furnishers

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You Will do Better At Weiler's

Saturday Suggestions

- Skipper Sardines, per tin... 15¢
- Sharp's Creamy Toffee, lb. 25¢
- Sharp's Mello Pieces, per lb. 30¢
- Shirriff's Jelly Powders, 4 pkgs. for... 25¢
- Quaker Canned Vegetables, per tin... 10¢
- Edgar Marrowfat Peas, 2 tins for... 25¢
- B. & K. Purity Oats, per carton, 10c and... 25¢
- Cowan's Eagle Chocolate, 1/2-lb. cakes... 15¢
- Borax, 1-lb. packages... 10¢
- Mason's O. K. Sauce, bottle... 15¢
- Dixi Milk-Fed Chickens, lb. 30¢
- Dixi Sausages, per lb. 25¢

Sidney Island Thanksgiving Turkeys.

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Victoria Auction Mart 119 DOUGLAS

I have for sale: Oak dining room chairs, from \$12 to \$30; mahogany and fumed oak dressers and stands, from \$15 to \$25; beds, springs and mattresses, from \$4; fine restaurant range, \$45; Curvey Oxford, Lorain and Kitchen Pride, like new; quantity of good heaters. We sell on commission. PHONE PEIRIS, 1579.

GOODACRE'S Market Day Specials To-Morrow

- Farmer's Milk-Fed Pork, 13c to... 18¢
- Beef, 8c to... 25¢
- Mutton, 18c to... 25¢
- Lamb, 22c to... 30¢
- Hams, up from... 18¢
- Bacon, up from... 24¢

Choice Line of Poultry, Sausages and Vegetables

We deliver to any part of the city.

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JUST A FEW HOT SHOTS FOR THE BEGINNING OF THE MONTH

- Island Potatoes, grown from Ashcroft seed; lovely cookers. Per sack... 80c
- Fine large Cooking Apples, 10 lbs. for... 25¢
- Small Cooking Pears, 15 lbs. for... 25¢
- Golden Loaf Flour makes fine bread. Per sack... \$1.55
- Finest Alberta Creamery Butter, 3 lbs. for... \$1.00
- Very nice Compound Lard, 2 lbs. for... 25¢
- Lemons, 2 doz. for... 35¢
- Fresh Roasted Peanuts, per lb. for... 15¢
- Our Special Blend Tea, 3 lbs. for... \$1.00

MEAT DEPARTMENT

We are handling the best meat obtainable. Our prices are very reasonable. Give us a trial.

FISH DEPARTMENT

- Fresh Smoked Haddock, per lb. 15¢
- Fresh Cod, Salmon, and Halibut, per lb. 10¢
- Fresh Kippers, per lb. 10¢

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CORDIAL WELCOME FOR NEW MINISTER

Congregational Church Filled to Capacity Last Evening to Greet Rev. C. Sykes

The Congregational church was filled to capacity last evening, the occasion being the recognition services and welcome to Rev. Charles A. Sykes, D.D., the new pastor. Rev. J. K. Unsworth, D.D., of Vancouver, was in the chair. Representatives from most of the denominations in the city were present to extend greetings on behalf of their respective communities. Rev. H. Lundie, B.A., who has acted in capacity of pastor to the Congregational church pending the appointment of a successor to Rev. Hermon Carson, spoke on behalf of the congregation of the church in which the new pastor was taking over his duties, and added an observation on his own experience with them when he said that Mr. Sykes would find a warm-hearted and generous people who would second him in all the efforts which he might make for the betterment of the community. Mr. Unsworth, in introducing Mr. Sykes, told how the new pastor had come to take the new appointment. A graduate of Wesleyan college, Montreal, he had held pastorates under the Methodist church in Montreal, Mansville (Que.), Kingston, and Toronto. Owing to a nervous breakdown he had relinquished the pastorate for a rest. In the meantime his doctors had advised a change to the Pacific coast. A few months ago Mr. Sykes had come out to Victoria, when he had preached at the Congregational church. The results were mutually satisfactory, as was evidenced by the big gathering there to welcome him to his new incumbency. Mr. Sykes was entering the Congregational church pastorate, and he, Mr. Unsworth, was glad to welcome him into the fellowship of that body.

Rev. J. G. Inkster, on behalf of the Presbyterian church in Victoria, extended greetings to Mr. Sykes. He reminded the new pastor that the church was continually criticized to-day. These were critical times for the church, and Mr. Sykes would have a splendid opportunity to show the world what the institution really meant. Rev. Dr. C. T. Scott, speaking for the Methodist church in Victoria, was cordial in his welcome from that body. He did not, however, agree with Mr. Inkster in all that that minister had said in respect to the criticism suffered by the church. Dr. Scott claimed that many of the gibes launched against the church might be just as justly used against other benevolent institutions. The church of God was doing a magnificent work, which was recognized outside as well as within its own membership.

Rev. J. H. Warnicker extended the greetings of the Baptist church in Victoria to the newcomer, saying that he had known Mr. Sykes in his student days, and was glad to add his personal welcome to that of his congregation. The church, he stated, had a message which no other human institution possessed: it could reveal the future life to the world. People to-day were asking what came after death; the church alone was prepared to give the answer.

On behalf of the Anglican church in the city, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick spoke a message of greeting, assuring Mr. Sykes of a large place in the community, and wishing him every blessing in his new work. Deacon Brak, of the First Congregational church, added a word of welcome from the congregation of which Mr. Sykes is the new pastor, and F. W. Witham brought the greetings of the Y. M. C. A.

The choir of the church sang a selection from the Messiah. Afterwards the congregation adjourned to the social parlors of the church, where the ladies' aid had arranged a delicious supper. In the informal meeting which followed everyone was given an opportunity to add their personal welcome to the new pastor, who enters upon a work which promises to be eminently successful.

The Brightest Women Find

something that they are dull in mind, depressed in spirits, and that they have headache, backache, and sufferings that make life seem not worth living. But these conditions need be only temporary. They are usually caused by indigestion or biliousness and a few doses of

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will quickly, safely and certainly right the wrong. This famous family remedy tones the stomach, stimulates the liver, regulates the bowels. Beecham's Pills cleanse the system of accumulating poisons and purify the blood. Their beneficial action shows in brighter looks, clearer complexions, better feelings. Try them, and you also will find that they

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Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere, in boxes, 25 cents.

HAS BEEN EXCHANGED



PTE. JACK DAVEY

Of Victoria, who was a member of the 7th Battalion and was captured at Ypres in May, has now been exchanged and is at No. 3 London General Hospital, with his left leg amputated. Pte. Davey was for several months in prisoners' barracks at Ohdrif. He received a wound in his left knee.

CLAIMS LODGED FOR SEWER EXPROPRIATION

Commencement of Work on Northwest Sewer, North of Selkirk Water, is Announced

The commencement of work on the section of the northwest sewer north of Selkirk water, to connect the siphon with the Cecilia road tanks, has been rendered possible by the passage of the expropriation by-law. Already some objections are being lodged to the city proceeding with the work, the owners apparently not being familiar with the fact that an expropriation gives power of immediate possession. A claim of this character has been lodged by James Gardner in connection with Cecilia road property. Through his legal adviser he has claimed \$269 and immediate cessation of work, while terms are offered in connection with the Mayhew property which is required.

The Cecilia road tanks were constructed fifteen months ago, and have been lying untouched till now, pending the construction of the sewer connection to Selkirk water. Pumps will be installed later to lift the low level sewerage to a higher position in order to cross the intervening waters.

There has been considerable negotiation with regard to the land which is now in dispute, and this fact forced the passage of the expropriation by-law, when it had been hoped that the whole of the land would be secured without arbitration proceedings. While there have been some claims for damage to house property from blasting, the construction of the trunk sewer south of Selkirk water has been comparatively free from expense of this character, city streets being used as much as possible for the shafts, purchase of property being thus avoided.

PUBLIC SWIMMING BATHS

V. & I. D. A. Will Work With Committee to Further Project; Representatives Named.

A meeting between representatives of the Victoria and Island Development Association and the public swimming baths committee was held last night, when it was decided that the association should name representatives to work on the public committee. At the next meeting of the association its representatives will be named. Following this there will be a meeting of the full committee to arrive at a decision as to what further steps will be taken. The public committee was formed at a meeting following the defeat by the electors of a by-law submitted over two years ago on the public baths question. It was composed of representatives of all public bodies, and when it was found legislation could not be obtained, the committee had to content itself with the collection of data that might be useful for the purpose in the future.

Following discussion last night it was thought better to join forces than to continue a separate movement. The committee representatives last night were William Blakemore, Leo Meade, and Napier Denison. The association representatives were Aldermen Portor and Okell, and J. L. Beckwith, Frank Higgins, S. Jones, and M. Cuthbert.

THROWN FROM ELEVATOR.

Mrs. E. Thompson Victim of Unfortunate Accident in Pemberton Building.

Serious injuries were sustained by Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, wife of Capt. Thompson, of 962 Heywood avenue, when she was thrown from the elevator of the Pemberton building on to the tiled floor. One of her shoulders was badly wrenched and she is believed to have sustained internal injuries. An examination to determine the exact nature of her injuries is being made at the St. Joseph's hospital to-day by Dr. Sinclair.

The accident occurred this morning, and Dr. Haynes, the dentist, who was on hand, attended to her. Dr. Y. L. Thompson, son of the injured lady, was summoned, and removed his mother to her home. Later she was taken to the hospital.

BOMB THROWING SQUAD ORGANIZED BY SCOTS

Battalion Now at Full Strength is Undergoing Rigorous Training

The 6th Battalion Western Scots, has at last attained full strength—1,100 officers, non-commissioned officers and men—in command of Lieut.-Col. Lorne Ross. No further instructions have been received as to the departure of a company for overseas service, so that the entire battalion will benefit by the daily route marches which are being taken to harden the men and put them in the fittest possible condition for the arduous task which is before them when they get to the front.

During the last week special sections have been organized. Perhaps the most interesting of these from the lay point of view is the bomb-throwing section in charge of Lieut. Carey. This consists of thirty men, who are receiving special instruction in the manufacture of these deadly hand missiles from the material which might be available under actual service conditions in the trenches. These things such as jam pots, cans, kettles, etc., are converted into weapons which have proved themselves effective instruments in modern warfare.

Work of this particular kind has appealed to many men in the battalion possessed of inventive genius, as there is no restriction as to form or size. It is hoped that Col. Lorne Ross will consent to an exhibition of bomb-throwing which may be viewed by the general public, as the many stories received from the front on the use of this missile have always held an element of dramatic interest, bespeaking as they do the personal bravery of those who used them. "Bombing the trenches" is now a favorite method of attack by the British forces, and many of the privates have shown themselves particularly ingenious in the invention of deadly and effective grenades.

Other sections which have been organized in the 6th during the past week have been the machine gun section in charge of Lieut. Okell; the Scouts section in charge of Lieut. Maraden; and the musketry instruction squad under Lieut. Schreiber.

Grenades for the entire battalion will arrive on Monday, when the remaining straw hats still in use will be discarded.

Lieut. Cooke, of Fort George, who brought down more than one detachment of recruits from that district, is now in Ottawa taking the musketry course, this being the consummation of an agreement between the 6th and "Charlie" Miller, of Toronto, who owns considerable properties in Fort George. This gentleman has now forwarded to Ottawa his subscription for a machine gun for the Western Scots.

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