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PRESIDENT OF U.S. REPLIES TO HERTLING AND CZERNIN

FOOD BOARD FORMED FOR DOMINION; GIVEN WIDE POWERS TO ACT

H. B. Thomson, Hon. C. A. Dunning and J. D. Mc-Gregor Make Up New Body, With First-Named as Chairman; To Handle Food Problem in All Its FRESH EVIDENCE OF

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—Under an Order-in-Council passed on Saturday the office of Food Controller is abolished and the functions formerly exercised by that official, greatly enlarged, will now be assumed by a new organization to be known as the Canada Food Board.

The Board will consist of three members-H. B. Thomson, who succeeded Hon. W. J. Hanna as Food Controller, Hon. C. A. Dunning, Provincial Treasurer of Saskatchewan, and J. D. McGregor, of Manitoba. Mr. Thomson is to be chairman of the Board.

Mr. Dunning, who recently came to Ottawa to organize the greater production campaign, will devote himself to the problem of production. He will work in close co-operation with the Provincial production. He will work in close co-operation with the Provincial ENEMY MAKES PEACE WITH Governments and will co-ordinate the federal and provincial or-

ABDUL HAMID DEAD;

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of Lungs

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A STATE FUNERAL

ganizations to be employed in the greater production movement. Mr. McGregor will address himself to the important task of providing the agri-

McGregor will address himself to the important task of providing the agricultural labor necessary to make the greater production a success.

The Canada Food Board thus will bring under a single executive the work of dealing with the food problem in all its bearings. It will effect a coordination of effort, it is believed, and a concentration of energy from which far-reaching results are anticipated. A question that will receive immediate attention is that of mobilization of farm labor in Canada. Steps already have been taken by the Food Controller to reach labor in the towns and cities and make it available for the farms. Arrangements have been made for the mobilization of 25,000 boys. This force will be carefully selected, having regard to the suitability of the boys for farm work. If, after this army of useful workers has been obtained, more are found to be available, another appeal may be made for volunteers for similar service.

With the creation of the Canada Food Board It is believed that the system of licensing will be entarged and put into force as quickly as possible.

Hon. C. A. Dunning is well-known throughout the West. He is an authority on fagm questions and has held responsible positions in organizations devoted to farm affairs. He has been prominently identified with the Sastatcheway Spain Growers. prominently identified with the Sas-katchewan Grain Growers' Associa-tion, was director in 1910 and vice-president 1912-1914. He also was as-sociated for a number of years with the Co-Operative Elevator Company and was a member of the Canadian Council of Agriculture from 1911 to 1916. Mr. Dunning was appointed Pro-vincial Treasurer of Saskatchewan in October, 1916. J. D. McGregor has carried on ex-

October, 1916.

J. D. McGregor has carried on extensive farming operations in the West and is well-known as a successful breeder of thoroughbred cattle. He has been closely identified with the work of Canadian stock breeders association.

"On Sunday night a Belgian patrol successfully attacked a post in the Merckem sector, killing the garrison and capturing a machine gun."

The intervolution of 1999 he was dethron-ed, made a prisoner and confined in the Villa Latini, a former residence of a Greek merchant in Salonica, the city where the Young Turk movement had

ing on the Aisne and Verdun fronts is reported in to-day's official statement.

"There was intermittent activity of the artiflery on both sides during the night on the front of the Aisne, in the sector between Corbeily and Juvincourt, and more spirited firing on the right bank of the Meuse, in the region of Bezonyaux.

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Alcace, near Anspach-le-Bas. We took | NIERNATIONAL RED

FOOD CAMPAIGN.

Vernon, Feb. 11.—J. W. Gibson, representing the Food Controllef's department, has been touring the Okanagan delivering addresses. He has been successful in every instance in organizing local committees.

Berne, Feb. 11.—The International Committee of the Red Cross has issued an appeal to all the belligerent armies to abandon the use of asphyxlating organizing local committees.

Smolensk Taken by **Polish Troops From Bolsheviki** Forces

London, Feb. 11.—The Polish force which recently revolted from the Russian army under the leadership of General Mousnitzky, has captured Smolensk from the Bolsheviki, according to a dispatch from Vienna forwarded by the Exchange Telegraph correspondent at Copenhagen.

GERMANS' BRUTALITY TOWARDS PRISONERS

eived copies of carefully verified worn statements from British soldiers who have returned from German prison atic brutality practiced by the Ge mans upon their war prisoners. The lar centre only, but come from mor

STATES MILITARISTS OF GERMANY ARE BAR



UKRAINIAN RADA; NO RADA EXISTS, SAY BOLSHEVIKI CHINESE PRESIDENT

London, Feb. 11.-Nothing from any Russian source has been London, Feb. 11.—Nothing from any Russian source has been received in London regarding a peace treaty between the Ukraine and the Central Powers. The correspondents in Petrograd are as silent on the situation as the Bolsheviki Government, and equally as silent on happenings in the Russian capital.

The official Russian wireless news agency circulates a statement that Kiev has been in Bolsheviki hands since February 8, when the Former Sultan of Turkey Suc-

Amsterdam, Feb. 31.—The death yesterday of Abdul Hamid, former Sultan of Turkey, from inflammation of the lungs is reported in a dispatch received here to-day from Constantinople by way of Vienna. A state funeral will be held.

That Kiev has been in Bolsheviki hands since February 8, when the forces of the Rada were captured or fled. The statement concludes:

"At 10 p.m. Friday nothing remained of the Rada but a sad memory. It is now clear that the delegation from the Rada at Brest-Litovsk is representing a non-existent authority."

will be held.

Abdul Hamid for thirty-three years was Sultan of Turkers speaking on the been received in Stockholm, accord, three continents of Europe, Asia and ing to the correspondent of the Londander of the "faithful" army of Moslems. He was paid homage by nearly lems. He was paid homage by nearly a hundred million subjects. Shorn of his power, he died a prisoner, pitied if not despised.

He lived in constant fear of death. He often had escaped it only by good luck and unusual precautions against plots. Yet in his later years he had sought death by his own hand, so melancholy had his existence become.

He gained ascendancy under circumstances nearly as tragic as those which ended his career. Born on September 22, 1848, the second son of Sultan Abdul Medjid, he became Sovereign when his elder, brother, Murad V. was Asonase.

ing of the peace treaty between the Central Powers and the representa-tives of the Ukrainian People's Repub-lic. It says: "Dr. Richard. von Kuehlmann, the

ruple Alliance and the Ukrainian delegates. We came here in the hope that we should be able to achieve a general peace and make an end of this war. The political position, however, is such that not all of the powers are met there to sign a general peace treaty. Inspired with the most ardent love for our people and recognizing that this long war has exhausted the cultural national powers of our people, we must now divert all our strength to do our part to bring about a new era and a new birth. We are firmly persuaded that we conclude this peace in the Interests of great democratic masses and that this peace, with contribute to a general termination of the great war. (Concluded on page 3)

TWO-CENT PAPERS.

ington, Feb. 11.—Both Vashington evening newspapers, The beening Star and The Washington imes, announce that beginning February 12 they will increase their price rom one to type cents, TO PEACE; MR. WILSON

Bolsheviki Now State Hostilities Over and Start to Demobilize

Amsterdam, Feb. 11.-The Bolordered demobilization of the Foreign Minister Count Czernin. Russian forces on all fronts, ac-

The dispatch follows:

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"The president of the Russian delegation at to-day's (Sunday's) sitting stated that while Russia was desisting from signing a formal peace treaty, she declared the state of war to be ended with Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria, simultaneously giving orders for complete demobilization of the Russian forces on all the fronts."

BLAMES HIMSELF

Manifesto Bitterly Re-

Basel, Feb. 10, via London, Feb. 11.—German newspapers arriv-ing here say that Field-Marshal von Mackensen sent an ultimatum to the Roumanian Government on February 6 demanding that peace negotiations be begun within four days. The Roumanian Cabinet thereupon resigned.

London, Feb. II.—The Associated Press learns that confirmation has been received in Russian quarters in London of the sending by Cermany of an ultimatum to Roumania. These advices say the ultimatum was presented last Tuesday and
tum was presented last Tuesday and
taxpired on Saturday.

The Foreign Office has received word
that the Roumanian Cablest resisted.

WILSON, LAYING RESPONSIBILITY SOUARELY ON PRUSSIAN JUNKERS

German Militarists Have Not Yet Perceived a New World Is Being Born, He Tells Congress; He Finds Czernin, of Austria, Nearer the Light

Washington, Feb. 11.—President Wilson addressing the Houses sheviki have declared the state of of Congress in joint session at 12.30 o'clock to-day, replied to the rewar to be at an end and have cent speeches of German Chancellor von Hertling and Austrian

Chancellor von Hertling's statement, the President said, was very cording to a dispatch received vague and confusing, leading to practically no conclusion. It was here to-day dated at Brest-Litovsk very different in tone from Count Czernin's, which the President said had a friendly tone.

The President reiterated that the United States had no desire to interfere in European affairs, and would "disdain to take advantage of any internal weakness or disorder to impose her own will upon other people."

U. S. FIGHTS FOR FREEDOM, SAYS

The Foreign Office has received word that the Roumanian Cabinet resigned that the German ultimatum to Roumanian have been received here, although the Roumanian quarter in London continues to be in communication with Jassy, where the Roumanian Government under the leadership of General Averescu, former Minister of War and lately commander of the Roumanian of the Roumanian of the Conservative and Liberal branches. The King decided what we had learned of the conferrence at Hertling Very Vague.

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Hertling Very Vague of Hertling Very Vague and very comfussion, in the plustest say, it is in the subject of the s

All the way through the President drew a parallel between the pronouncements of Chancellor Hertling and Foreign Minister Czernin and his hearers drew the conclusion that the President decidedly considered Czernin's utterances as being more favorable than Hertling's.

"Count Czernin seems to see the fundamental elements of peace with clear eyes and does not seek to obscure them," said the President. "Count Czernin probably would have gone much further had it not been for the embarrassment of Austria's silliance and of her dependency on Germany."

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WEATHER GOOD BUT

Feking. Feb. 11.—President Feng Kwo Chang, in a remarkable manifesto, bitterly reproaches himself for the whether its appeals for the beligner whether its possible for the be

visical Treasurer of Saskatchewan is occlosed. 18th. The was a time when Turkey was in state of extreme depression, almost and is Well-known as a successful with the service of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the sought the new test of the treasurer of the tr the German Chancellor replied on the 24th and Count Czernin for Austria of the same day. It is gratifying to have our desire so promptly realized that all exchanges of view on this great matter should be made in the hearing of all the world.

"Count Czernin's reply, which was directed chiefly to my own address on the eighth of January, was uttered in a very friendly tone.

Not Communicated.

"He finds in my statement a sufficiently encouraging approach to the views of his own Governments to justify himself in believing that it furnishes a basis for a more detailed discussion of purposes by the two Governments. He is represented to have intimated that the views he was expressing had been communicated to me beforehand and that I was aware of them at the time he was uttering them, but in this I am sure he was misunderstood. I had received no intimation of what he intended to say. There was, of course, no reason why he should communicate privately with me. I am quite content to be one of his public audience.

Hertling Very Vague.

"Count von Hertling's reply is, I must say, very vague and very confuse, inc. It is full of equiyocal phrases and leads it is not clear where. But it is certainly in a very different tone from

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REAVERBROOKE MADE NEW CHANCELLOR OF DUCHY OF LANCASTER

resigned the Chancellorship of the Duchy of Lancaster. Baron Beaver-brooks has been appointed to succeed him and also will take charge of the propaganda department, of which Sir Edward Carson recently was the head. resigned the Chancellership of the

CONSTABLE IS SAFE.

Regina, Feb. 11.—Constable Cornell a provincial police officer detailed to go to Birch Lake, 500 miles north of Prince Albert, and at one time feared lost, re-ported at Isle Lacrosse on Saturday

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T. M. Carlyle will be managing director of the firm, and his old plant will be headquarters for milk, while butter, cheese and ice cream will be dispensed from all four places. Business under this union will be prosecuted during the war, and longer if it is satisfactory.

Although those concerned will not as yet make any statement definitely, they have announced that there will be cheaper milk in April and that the cheaper milk in April and that the drop probably will mean nine, or possibly ten quarts for a dollar instead of eight as now. Those concerned believe that the five and a taif cent margin allowed by the food controller for distribution will be more than necessary to cover the expenses operation.

It is expected that a saving of between \$25,000 and \$30,000 in the handling of Calgary's milk will be affected.

Infantry. Died-Pte. John Snow, Vancouve Artillery.

Wounded-Gnr. J. A. McGeer, Van Mounted Rifles.

Wounded; on duty-Pte. A. Ke

BOTHA GOVERNMENT UPHELD ON VOTE IN THE ASSEMBLY

t in connection with the purchase ool by the Imperial Governmental due thought the Imperial Governmental due to be praised for the timer in which it had come to tance of South Africa, but he end that the Union Government

HAZARDOUS THAN IS SERVICE ON GROUND

red by the troops who occupy the nches," said General Pershing, soft laws are productive of im-the balance in rank and pay which uit in injustice to other arms and

alified civilians paid \$150 monthly.

BRITISH AGAIN ALLOW **DUTCH CABLE MESSAGES**

London, Feb. 11.—The British Foreign office announces that the embargo on Dutch cables has been provisionally

Great Britain in October last stopped ill commercial cable communication with Holland. This action was taken order to force The Netherlands lovernment to place an absolute emargo on the transit of sand, gravel and scrap metal through Holland from lermany to Belgium.

BREAD IN WASHINGTON.

IN ENGLAND TO-DAY.

Ninety Per Cent. of Supply to Food Controller Urging Great- General Assembly Representative Points to Mormons' Activities in Canada

by the General Assembly officers. In a carefelly prepared statement on the present critical situation in the Northwest, especially in the Province of Alberta, caused, he asserts, by the growing menace to Canadianism and Christianity, Superintendent Ferguson says: "Stealthly the astute leaders of this queer heresy seek to make encreachments that resim of social life. "With much praise of the excellence of Canadian institutions on the part of the public spokesmen, the attitude of Mormons towards the war which we are waging in defence of those institutions has revealed how shallow the administration is, as the enlistments have been by no means in proportion to population. een by no means in proportion to pop-

"Among those who closely scrutinize Mormonism in Alberta there is no strong belief that Mormon repentence toward polygamy is very profound. Sinister suspicion floats around, while proof is demanded."

In his carrows Superintendent Fergu-

In his expose Superintendent Fergu-son explains the stealthy double con-spiracy for the extension of Mormon-ism in Canada. The Mormon leaders are too shrewd, he declares, to attempt propaganda among the British-Cana dian settlers. They find their lates

ARTILLERY ACTIONS AND RAIDS REPORTED ON ITALIAN FRONT

tense and frequent in the eastern settor of the Asiago Plateau and in tarea west of Monte Grappa. Duri Friday evening two raids attempt by enemy troops south of Daone-Chic failed under the heavy fire of watchful advanced posts.

Vienna, Feb. 11.—Reporting on operations on the Italian front, the War Office here yesterday said:

"Off the Setti Comuni Plateau and east of the Brenta there was lively ar-

If You Want **Evidence**

te Completely Cured Read
These Letters—Both Are
Sworn Statements

will positively and completely cure piles, these letters should convince

Mr. Samuel Parker, fruit grower, Grimsby, Ont., has made the following declaration before Mr. W. W. Kidd, Notary Public, of the same place: "I do solemnly declara that I was troubled with bleeding piles and was advised to go to the hospital to have an operation performed. My wife said 'No, get a bex of Dr. Chase's Ointment.' I did so and have used it according to directions while living in Manitoba and obtained a complete cure, for I have never been troubled with piles since. I am now seventy years of age and want to recommend Dr. Chase's Ointment to all sufferers from piles. My wife has used it for itching skin and obtained complete cure."

Mr. Donald M. Campbell, Campbell's Mountain, N. S. writes: "I have need the Chase's Ointment with growned Dr. Chase's Ointment to all sufferers from piles. My wife has used it for itching skin and obtained complete cure."

Seattle, Feb. 11.—"On account of the present costs and trade conditions retail bankers in Washington shall not charge over ten cents to consumers for a sixteen-ounce loaf and fifteen cents for a twenty-four-ounce loaf," reads an announcement issued here by Charles Hebbard, of Spokane, state food administrator,

Mr. Hebbard asserted retailers should not have to pay more than eight cents for the smaller loaves and twelve cents for the larger loaves. He instructed the bakers to make no quantity prices.

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EDWIN C. SMITH

Treasurer and Collector of the Corporation of the City of Vic-toria, B. C. City Hall, Victoria, B. C., 4th February, 1918.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Notice Under Section 36.

TAKE NOTICE that an application heen made to register Elsie Munro the owner in Fee-simple, under a T sale Deed from the Collector of the Coporation of the Township of Esquim

J. C. GWYNN,
Registrar-Ger
To G. H. Stewart Esq.,
Assessed Owner.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

INVITED TO COMING LONDON CONFERENCE

ing an invitation to the forthcomi Imperial Conference,

Sydney, Australia, Feb. 11. — (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency).—In the House of Assembly Mr. McGarry has given notice of a resolution "that the time has arrived for the Imperial Gov-ernment to grant home rule in Ire-land."

QUEBEC LEGISLATURE.

Quebec, Feb. 11.—The session of the Quebec Legislature, which opened here in December was prorogued on Saturday night by Sir Horace Archambault, Chief Justice of the Court of Appeal, in the absence of the Lieutenant-Governor, Sir Evariste Leblanc, who is seriously ill.

Dr. Chases Kidney-Liver Pills, and there are no others so good. You may the that letter, it you want, for the benefit of others who may suffer as I did."

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Amsterdam, Feb. 11.-A dispatch

ian Republic was signed, has been re

A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN

Miss Kelly Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.



GIARDINO TO ACT FOR **ITALY AT VERSAILLES**

Assistant to Diaz Replaces Cadorna at Sessions of War Council

Paris, Feb. 11.-It is announced that General Cadorna, former Commanderin-Chief of the Italian army, has been replaced as Italian delegate to the Supreme War Council of the Allies by General Caetano Giardiro Assistan Chief of Staff to General Diaz, the present Italian Commander-in-Chief.

From press dispatches on Saturday it was learned that General Giardino had been detailed to attend the meet-ings of the Supreme War Council at Versailles, but the dispatches did not indicate that General Cadorna was to be withdrawn as an Italian military representative at the sittings,

TWO MORE CANADIAN AVIATORS KILLED

"It is rumored again in Petrograd that the Germans have given the Rus-sian delegates to the Brest-Litovsk conference an ultimatum to accept the German terms or be immediately at-Toronto, Feb. 11.—Cadet F. E. Fisher, of the Armour Heights aeradroms, was instantly killed yesterday when his machine plunged to earth while he was flying near—Downsview, a hamlet about four miles west of the camp. Cadet Fisher was about twenty-five years of age and his number in the Royal Flying Corps was 152,668.

Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 11.—Cadet Joseph Daniel Bronson, agter twenty-flour, of the Royal Flying Corps, whose home was in New Brunswick, was killed near here Saturday afternoon when the plane in which he was flying broke.

ROUMANIAN OIL.

Geneva, Feb. 11.—The Neue Zuricher Zeitung says the Germans have succeeded in repairing and again working the petroleum wells in Roumania, which British parties seriously damaged before the Roumanian retreat. onto, Feb. 11.—Cadet F. E. Fisher

fore the Roumanian retreat. she needs from Russia.

TEUTONS AND THEIR PEACE WITH UKRAINE

Enthusiasm Over Latest Change Engineered

London, Feb. 11.—Joy bells were rung in Berlin and there were rejoicings in Vienna over the conclusion of the separate peace with the Klev Rada while Leon Trotsky still was disputing the right of that Rada to represent the Ukraine at the Brest-Litovsk negotiations, and while the Ukraine still is torn by civil war.

Little Enthusiasm Amsterdam, Feb. 41.—There is little trace of entrusiasm apparent in the German press comments on the con-clusion of peace with the Ukraine.

The Berlin Vossische Zeltung, for in-stance, says: "The young state has placed itself under the protection of our friendship to safeguard its en-dangered development. This fact cre-ates a breach in the moral ring with which British and American calumny has surrounded us during the war."

our friendship to safeguard its endangered development. This fact creates a breach in the moral ring with which British and American calumny has surrounded us during the war."

The Lokal Anzeiger, says: "For the Central Empires, the importance of the agreement with the Ukraine lies principally in the economic domain."

The Prankfurter Zeitung remarks that to over-estimate what has been attained would be dangerous, but one of the chief gains is "that the almost forgotten idea of peace issues for the first time from the peoples of the whole world as a tangible reality out of the unprecedented horror of these times."

According to a Vienna telegram, the news came as a great relief to Austria, the announcement of the peace in special editions of the newspapers, making a deep impression upon the public. Flags were run up on numerous buildings. Of the newspapers, The Neus Freie Presse said: "The influence of this peace will be felt in Russia and Roumania, and it can be expected that other peoples will ioin in. The great break-up of the war has begun in the cast."

CENTILIANO TRNY FORCE.

Houthulst Forest.

"Aviation—A successful bombing raid into Germany was carried out Satura day inght. Nearly ten tons of bombs was dropped on an important railway junction and on sidings at Courcelles. Southeast of Metz. One of our bembing machines is missing."

French Reports.

French Reports.

Paris, Feb. 11.—The War Office here reported last night:

"Yiolent artillery actions occurred for both sides of the Meuse and in the Vosges In the sectors of Le. Bon Homme and Violu. An enemy raid on one of our small posts in the region of Sourcelles.

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Bolsheviki and Austrians.

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GERMANS TRY FORCE

ON THE BOLSHEVIKI

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tack If Terms-Not

Toronto, Feb. 11.—Arnold Dorsh Fleurot, cabling to The Toronto Mail and Empire from Petrograd under Saturday's date, said:

"It is rumored again in Petrograd that the Germans have given the Russian delegates to the Brest-Litovsk conference an ultimatum to accept the German terms or be immediately attacked. There is no confirmation of

soners were taken.

"Front of the German Crown Prince:
In the region of the Meuse, on both
sides of the Moselle and in several
sectors northeast and east of Nancy
there was increased enemy activity. In
the Seile lowland French recompositing
detachments penetrated temporarily
tinto our lines near Allendorf. In the
tregion west of Blamont they were repulsed on reaching our entanglements
t"In the other theatres of war there is
nothing new to report."

ANOTHER BOMBING FROM BREST-LITOVSK RAID INTO GERMANY

German Papers Show Little British Alrmen Made Attack German Dispatch Tells Signing of Treaty With on Point Southeast Ukrainians of Metz

London, Feb. 11.-Field-Marshal Haig

reported last night:

"Early last night a hostile raiding giving the details of the conference at which the peace treaty between the which the peace treaty between the street which the peace treaty between the street treaty be party was repulsed with loss south of Houthulst Wood.

"The enemy's artillery was active southwest of Cambral to-day." A report received from Field-Marshal

Haig yesterday afternoon said:
"Yesterday evening under cover of s my raided our line west of Gonn

Five of our men are missing.
"The hostile artillery has shown creased activity in the neighborhood of Houthulst Forest,

afternoon:

"The activity of the 'artillery was rather violent in the region of Nieuport and Juvincourt, and in the Champagne, in the region of Moronvillers. Nerth of Craonne, in the direction of the Cheppy Wood (Argonne), and at three points in the Vosges, German troops launched raids against French posts, all of which were arrested by the French fire. French troops penetrated German trenches in the Champagne east of the Talon, and carried out successful patrol actions, notably in the vicinity of Badonvillers. The French captured a number of prisoners in the course of these expeditions.

"Nothing important occurred on the remainder of the front."

American Front.

hard labor performed at Brest-Litorsk has been crowned with success and that we have attained a democratic peace honorable to both parties. From to-day the Ukrainian People's Republic is born to new life and it enters as an independent state in the circle of nations. It emis war on its front and it American Front. tions. It ends war on its front and it will see to it that all of the powers which in it lie will rise to new life

"Dr. von Kuehlmann then invited the representatives to sign the peace treaty. At one minute before 2 o'clock

ENEMY MAKES PEACE WITH

UKRAINIAN RADA; NO

RADA EXISTS, SAY BOL-

(Continued from page 1.)

"We gladly state here that the long.

SHEVIKI

only put an end to the horrors of war, but also lead to the restoration of friendly relations of the peoples in political, legal, economic and intellectu-

riendship with one another.
"Article 2 Between Austria-Hun-ary on the one hand the Ukrainian copie's Republic on the other, as far s these two powers horder." propile's Republic on the other, as far as these two powers border on one another, those frontiers will exist which existed before the outbreak of the present war between the Austro-Hungary monarchy and Russia. Farther north the frontier of the republic beginning at Tarnegard will in general follow the line of Bilgerey to Sroezeberzsyn, Krannostau, Pugaszce, Radsyn, Meshiretschel, Sarnaki, Selnik, Wysekelitowsk, Kamietzittowsky, Prushany and to Wydozowskyese. This will be fixed in detail by a mixed commission, according to the ethnographical conditions and with a regard to the desires of the population. Should the Ukrainian People's Republic yet have common frontiers with another of the powers of the Quadruple Alliance, special agreements will be made thereon.

Eyacuation. Evacuation.

bursement of their war costs; that is to say, the state expenditure for carrying on the war, as well as in-demnification for damages, that is to say, those damages suffered by them, and their subjects in the war as and their subjects in the war as

Prisoners.

"Article 8. The respective prisoners of war will be permitted to return home as far all they desire, with the approval of the state-concerned, to remain in its territories or proceed to another country. The regulation of the questions connected herewith will follow by means of separate treaties provided for it in Article 8.

"Article 7. The contracting parties."

provided for it in Article s.

"Article 7. The contracting parties undertake mutually and without delay to enter into economic relations and organize an exchange for goods on the basis of the following prescriptions:

(Section missing here.)

ian Republic was signed, has been received here. The dispatch follows:

"It was possible to announce at the
beginning of the last pause in the negotiations that the basis for the conclusion of peace between the Central Powers and the Ukrainian People's Republic had been found.

"After the return of the delegations
to Brest-Litovsk, negotiations on this
basis were continued. Thanks to the
energetic and untiring work of all commissions and thanks to the spirit of
conciliation inspiring all parties, agree-"Article 8. There shall be restoration "Article 8. There shall be restoration, the exchange of war prisoners and interned civilians and the question of amnesty and the question of the treatment of merchantmen in enemy hands will be regulated in separate treaties with the Ukrainian Republic to form an essential part of the present peace treaty, which so far as practicable, will take effect simultaneously therewith. Indivisible.

Article 9. The agreements made in this peace treaty form an indivisible whole.

"Article 10. For the interpretation of "Article 10. For the interpretation of this treaty the German and Ukrainian texts are authoritative in regard to the relations between Germany and the Ukraine, the German, Hungarian and Ukrainian texts for relations between Austria-Hungary and the Ukraine, the Bulgarian and Ukrainian texts for relations between Bulgaria and the Ukraine and the Turkish and Ukrainian texts for relations between the second texts and the Ukraine and the Turkish and Ukrainian texts for relations between

and the Ukraine and the Turkish and Ukrainian texts for relations between Turkey and the Ukraine.

"The concluding part of the treaty provides:

"The present peace treaty will be ratified. The ratified documents shall be exchanged as soon as possible. So far as there are no provisions to the contrary the peace treaty shall come into force on ratification."

Other Points.

"The supplementary treaties provided for in stricle eight also were signed. They cover the following points: "Restoration of consular relations; restoration of state treaties; restora-

restoration of state treaties; restoration of civil laws; indemnification for
civil damages caused by laws of war or
by acts contrary to international law;
exchange of war prisoners and interned civilians; care of burial grounds of
those fallen in enemy territory; provision for the return to their homes of
persons affected by the treaty; treatment of merchant vessels in enemy

hands."

The Brest-Litovsk dispatch said that the texts of the supplementary agreements must be withheld for the present avoid overcrowding the telegrap

Exchange of Documents.

London, Feb. 11.—The peace treaty between the Ukraine and the Central Powers provides that the ratified docu-ments shall be exchanged in Vienna as ments shall be exchanged in Vienna as soon as possible, an Exchange Tele-graph dispatch from Copenhagen says Article Seven stipulates, the dispatcl adds, that there shall be mutual ex-change of surplus agricultural in in-Article Seven stipulates, the dispatch propered.

German Statement.

Berlin, Feb. 11.—An official statement issued here yesterday said:

"Front of Crown Prince Rupprecht: At some points on the front there were artillery duels. In reconnoiting engagements near the coast Belgian and French prisoners were taken, and northeast of Ypres, as well as between Cambrai and St. Quentin, English prisoners were taken.

"The preamble states that the consultation of the German Crown Prince: In the region of the Meuse, on both sides of the Moselle and in several sectors northeast and east of Nancy there was increased enemy activity. In the Selle lowland French recogniting of the Moselle and reconnections of the present world war to the horrors of war, but the control of the present world peace, honorable to all parties, which shall not the Selle lowland French recogniting the prisoners were taken.

The treaty is entitled 'A Treaty of Peace between Germany, Austria-Hundustrial products of importance before July 31, partly through the Governments concerned and partly by means of free sale, the details to be arranged by a special commission. Until a final agreement has been concluded, and in any case for at least six months after the conclusion of peace, economic relations between Germany and the Ukraine shall be based on the Russois shall be permitted and railway traffic shall be resumed as soon as possible.

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"The names of all the plenipotentiaries engaged in the negotiations are then set forth and they are declared to have reached an agreement on the treaty between the Central Powers and the Ukraine is as a rule somewhat determined to the total state.

"Article 1. Germany, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey on the one hand and the Ukrainian People's Republic on the other, declare that the state of war between them is at an end. The contracting parties are resolved henceforth to live in peace and friendship with one another.

"Article 2 Between Austria-Hungary on the one hand the Ukrainian People's Republic on the other, as far as these two powers border on one an tender of the state of the peace agreement represent only the shadow of a Government. Nobody knows when the country can export wheat, or if any quantity for export exists. The truth is that nothing has changed in Russia

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—The Governmen has been advised that the Imperis Government has passed an Order-in Council providing that the proclamations in force relating to trading with the council process. the enemy shall apply to persons of enemy nationality removed from Can ada and at present interned in a neu

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November 30, 1917, Japan Imported 642,000 tons of iron and steel products, ed at \$73,000,000. Eighty per cent. of this came from the United States. Out of a total of 440,000 tons of bar, rod, plate, sheet and wire products the republic exported across the Pacific tons, valued at \$67,800,000, while of iron in lump, ingot, bloom, billet and slab it shipped 20,500 tons, valued at \$1,632,000, and in iron piping and tubing it sent 18,600 tons, valued at \$3,890,000. Thus, out of the grand total of 642,000 tons of iron and steel imported by Japan in the eleven months ending November 30, 1917, 450,000 tons, valued at \$75,000,000, came from the ugly head for a day.

These figures throw a great white light upon the possibilities of the iron and steel industry on this coast. War conditions, it is true, account for a large measure of the present extraordinary manufacturing activity of Jafor iron and steel goods will continue United States unless the iron resources of this Province become a factor. Much of the United States product has portation, which ladens it with a heavy deed, in this respect, we have a comhave said in regard to the vital necesthe development of its iron resources steel interests on the other side will from British Columbia ore will control

There was little choice between C.e offspring of the first. The first starved the people physically and mentally and ruled with the heads-Bastille, and the second, furiously insensate, ruled with the device of Dr. of paper." Guillotin. Jacobiniam, however, was merely a transitory stage. Based upon force without discrimination, reason enlightenment or moral scruple, it was bound to wreck itself with its revolution meant, the first French releonic wars. democracy and made it the slave of

Bonaparte.

in 1789 and Bolshevikism is merely Jacobinism under another name, Bolshevikism " is the 'first-born of Romanoff despotism, for it is rooted the people for which the late dynasty was responsible. Less than twenty-five per cent. of the Russian population vince in this city has discovered mu can read and write; force is the only Hence, Kerensky's appeals to reason and the Mainland. The perturbation tha intelligence were an incomprehensible such a proposal would cause would be jargon to them. In time these people, o, will get rid of Bolshevikism, just as France got rid of Jacobinism. But toria. In fact, the war would not be there will do this difference. second sufficient to direct world wide below. ing to present indications no nation from the novel project of moving the is likely to force a decentralized Russian democracy into centralized militarism under a dictator athirst for conquest who will be a menace to Europe, by making war upon it on behalf of the dethroned Romanoffs. The Hohen-to speak of the superior climatic ettrac-tions which have come to be associated would have done so long ago had they with the Capital City of the Province a free hand, as Austria, Prussia and On the whole it would be a formidal

Russia had in 1782, for a great Slavic undertaking, and we can recall only on curity. But their hands are tied and they must allow Russia to go her ow way, to settle her own affairs according to her light and leading, to break ent states-which in the long run will be best for the world.

Bolshevikism and Jacobinism can cannot even get a start in countries where the people have the right to make and unmake Governments, where reforms come from ballots instead of from bullets. Its assumption of power was easy in Russia last year as the crise of Jacobinism in France was easy in 1792. All tha was necessary in both cases was t administrative headquarters and the Ottawa Conference Provincial game was won. The control of Petrograd in 1917 meant the control of Russia, just as the control of Paris in 1789 meant the control of France. T. capitals were the tails that wagge the dogs. Bolshevikism is, like Jacobinism was, merely Prussfanism fron the bottom instead of from the top, and only in a country where brute force is the sole source of power that is understood could it even raise its

THE SEPARATE PEACE.

Von Kuehlmann and Czernin were ound to extract something that looked like a peace treaty from the proceedings at Brest-Litovsk, and Amsterdam dispatches announce that Berlin and pan, but there is no doubt that a very great part of that expansion, if not all of it, has come to stay. And there is no doubt, either, that most of the demand pires and the Ukraine Rade, upon to be met by the producers of the whom the Teutonic plenipotentiaries concentrated when the Bolsheviki failed them. Trotzky and Company refused to admit that the Rada deleto be carried by rail across the con- gates had any status at the conference and pointed out that the Ukraine was convulsed with civil war and that Kiev, the desirability of largely increasing the capital was in Bolsheviki hands. finent before it reaches water trans- and pointed out that the Ukraine was freight charge of which the British its capital, was in Bolsheviki hands This gave von Kuehlmann and Czernin their opportunity. They recognized the capital was in Bolsheviki hands. Indicated in the removal of the duty on cattle. An expansion of the sheep threedings industry also is regarded as Columbia product would be free. In- This gave von Kuehlmann and Czernin advantage which, as we the Rada as the duly accredited essential and plans to that pointed out on Saturday, ought to be authority of the sovereign, independ-We repeat what we already ent republic of the Ukraine and in regard to the vital necescrowned the farce by negotiating a comprehensive announcement of the provincial Fremiers meets and the Provincial Fremiers meets on Friday. Subsequent to the gather sity of early action by this country in separate peace with sufficient frills to Government policy will be forther impress the German and Austrian ing. Unless this is done the big iron and peoples with the id a that their transfer their base of operations from Pennsylvania to the Pacific Coast states and with products fabricated from British Columbia or will control to the personal direction of Hon. T. A. Crerar. It will co-ordinate all the troubles were almost at an end, that if

A French newspaper remarks that the situation is precisely where it was before the peace treaty was signed. Before many days have passed the German and Austrian public will find that they have been presented with a gold brick. It will be many months

After Bourbonism and the tyranny of the Throne in France came Jacobin—

I French newspaper remarks that the problems of food production and food conservation and remove the possibility of friction which would exist had the control of food remained under a separate head.

The last fortnight at the capital has witnessed the establishment of three new departments to deal with war and after the war problems—the Soldiers.

After Bourbonism and the tyranny before the Ukraine will know whether of the Throne in France came Jacobin—tit is standing on its feet or its head, There are still many matters of improvements. of the Throne in France came Jacobin- it is standing on its feet or its head, m and the tyranny of the mob. for there are two radas, or Governments, operating there—one composed two, for while the second was primi- of the men who attended the confertive and ignorant it was the inevitable ence at Brest-Litovsk and the other of Bolsheviki. If the latter should gain the result of the Dominion elections ascendancy and retain it the document finally be settled by the soldiers' ascendancy and retain it the document upon which the duly organized celeman's block, lettres de cachet and the brations in Berlin and Vienna are be ing based will be only another "sprap

FULL CO-OPERATION NEEDED.

It is to be hoped that out of the conference of Premiers at Ottawa will own violence. Had the rest of evolve a co-ordinated, well-organized Europe been other than what it plan for solving the urgent problems was; had there been a solitary which will come under consideration democracy at hand with a proper in dealing with these questions there understanding of what the French should be the fullest co-operation between the Dominion and the Provinces public would not have become the The fine points of jurisdiction should foundation of the Imperialism of be forgotten as far as constitutional But the dynasties of Europe ban d siderations should be thrown into the themselves together to extirpate the discard. It ought to be apparent to weed of republicanism every Government, whether Dominion which had suddenly sprung up or Provincial, that only through comamong them from seed which plete co-operation can the great probflown across the Atlantic, lems of the time be properly handled and by endeavoring by arms to force and that if they are not handled the back upon France the system it had various existing Governments will be exerthrown, militarized the French given short shrift. There is every in which will dwarf all others saving the issue of the war itself will be that of Russia is to-day where France was food production and that this will be one of the bases of the solution of the returned soldier problem.

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The imaginative young gentlems who represents The Vancouver Pro perturbation in Victoria over a repor cy of authority they understand. that the capital might be transferred to mixed with an element of curiosity Parliament Buildings seventy-two m across the Gulf of Georgia, and the would be a modest feat in compariso with the translation of the environ ment amid which this edifice rests, no

in history. This was the Tower of Babel which, however, was a fallure, no dou ecause the wrong people had charg the wrong place. Probably if it had only Columbia under direction of, say, Sir guarantee, it would have been satis-

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Ottawa, Feb. 11.—The conference between the Dominion Ministers ar The chief purpose of the gathering be to make plans whereby the pro-cial machinery will co-operate to cial machinery will co-operate to the fullest extent in carrying out the plans of the Dominion Government. A number of proposals will be considered on Friday and a decision probably will be reached as to the best lines on which to proposals.

The announcement that the sures calling for the greatest exertion on the part of the Do and Provincial Governments. I moval of the duty on traction probably means the utilizat probably means the utilization tractors in large numbers to ters and the Provincial Premiers m

Directed By Crerar.

The Canada Food Board will consti-A French newspaper remarks that problems of food production and food

There are still many matters of im-portance to be dealt with before the opening of Parliament.

Session of Parliament.

In view of the circumstance that th

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and will not be known for some time

post, and that Parliament can not be
called until the members are gazeted,
it is now suggested that the Dominton House may not meet until after
Easter Friday, which falls this year on
March 29. Should the government decide to give the members the customary thirty days' notice, Parliament
could not convene until shortly before
the Easter holidays anyway. It is un
derstood that the consensus of opinion
among the Cabinet Ministers is that
time would be saved by having the

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Prices -Furniture, Fourth Floor -Furniture, Fourth Floor -Too many odd Dressers in stock, and we need the room while our rebuilding operations are A Great Clearing Away of Brass Andirons going on. We have therefore marked a number of these odd pieces at quick clearing prices. We give details of a few: One only, solid quarter-cut Oak Dresser, finished in golden style; large British plate bevelled oval mirror, 18 x 36; fitted with 1 long and 2 short drawers. Values to \$25, to Go Tuesday at \$8.90

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A BEDTIME STORY

UNCLE WIGGILY AND PIGGIE IGGIE

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Once upon a time, not so very many gily, years ago, when Uncle Wiggily Long-ears, the rabbit gentleman, started out from his hollow stump bungalow to take a walk, Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, his muskrat lady housekeeper, said to high that the little pig could not get

Would you mind stopping at the se of Mrs. Twistytail, the pig lady,

"Not at all! I'll gladly stop," said the bunny uncie rabout. Do you want me to borrow a stick of cinnamon so you can beat the parlor rug, or shall I get a bit of coal to make black marks on the table elicloth?"

"Ho! Ho!" laughed Nurse Jane,

"Now, you stay right there and keep nice and warm, little Piggie Iggie," said the bunny, "and I'll take you safe home, and Nurse Jahe will soon be there to show your mother how to knit you nice mittens so you can throw snowballs." "Neither one of those, if you please, Uncle Wiggily. Just kindly tell Mrs. Twistytali that I'll be over this after-noon to show her how to knit that pair of mittens for little Piggie Iggie, her "Oh, thank you, Uncle Wiggily," said Piggie Iggie, as she curled up in the bunny's pocket and went to sleep.

the bathroom hose, that Spongle would run away and never speak to you

SocialMersonal

Lieut. and Mrs. Aubone Hoyle, of

Miss Maltland-Dougall, of Duncar, le visiting in Vancouver for a few days as the guest of Miss Campbell, Comox Street.

Mrs. C. N. Gowen has returned to the city after a visit to Vancouver, where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. May Walkis.

Lewis in the city yesterday included Lieuta Arthur L. Erb, Daniel B. Carrell, George Kellos and R. H. Chamberlain, Jr.

of Vancouver, will arrive in the city Wednesday morning to attend the an-nual meeting of the Victoria Presby-terial in the St. Paul's Church, Victoria

Mrs. H. Pillar, of Vancouver, proyincial president of the Women's Missionary Society of British Columbia,
will be among the mainland visitors to
the annual meeting of the Victoria
Presbytery this week.

The following names of recipients of L. O. D. E. war clasps were inadvertently omitted from the list supplied by the Lady Douglas Chapter, in annual meeting recently. Mrs. Tom Taylor, Mrs. J. D. Helmcken, Mrs. W. S. Terry

Pte. J. C. Beaton, who is in training at the Willows Camp, returned during the week-end from a trip to his home at Penticton. He was accompanied by Mrs. Beaton, who will remain in Victoria until such time as Pte. Beaton leaves for overseas.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place on Saturday evening, February 9, when Miss Mildred Claire Musser was united in marriage to Harold Victoria the William of the Pentil Programme of the Pentil P

place on Saturday evening, February
9, when Miss Midred Claire Musser
was united in marriage to Harold Victor Harte, both of this city. The ceremony was performed at "Breadalbane"
by the Rev. Dr. Campbell.
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Among the Okanagan visitors who
recently arrived in the city, were Capt.
(Dr.) Boyce, of the 30th B. C. Horse,
Vernon, accompanied by Mrs. Boyce.
Captain Boyce is attending the School
of Instruction at Work Point, and expects to be here for about a month.

Lady Lougheed, wife of Sir James Lougheed, of Calgary, and her daughter, Miss Dorothy Lougheed, left for Vancouver on Friday, after an extended visit to this city. They will spend

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house Wiggily, and he did, putting the did, putting the stall! I'll gladly stop," said uncle Wiggily, and he did, putting the little wiggily, and he did, putting the little court of Vancouver, arrived in the city this morning, and will be the guest of Dr. Helen Ryan, Battery Street, during her brief stay in Victoria. She is ospeak on her work before the Local Council of Women at their annual meeting to-morrow afternoon.

"Oh. Ell tell her," said Uncle Wiggily. "New mittens for baby Piggie Iggie, eh? That will be very nice!"

And then he hurried along hopping over the fields and through the woods thinking what a fine adventure he might have and how good it was of Nurse Jane to help knit mittens for Piggie Iggie, who was the baby sister of Floppy and Curley Twistytall, the two little pig boys.

All at once, as the bunny rabbit gen-

would squirt water on him from the pis boys.

All at once, as the bunny rabbit gentleman was hurrying along, he heard, from behind a bush, a sad little crying voice saying:

"Oh, dear! Oh, dear! I'm lost! I'm lost! I'm lost! I'm lost! I'm such a wee little pig that I can't get over the doorsill!

"Ha! I think I have heard that voice before," said Uncle Wigrily is used by Mrs. Mary Branigan, were a becombined the bunny and cried:

"Ah, ha! I have you now!"

"Yes, I see you have," sadly said uncle Wigrily. "But what are you goting to do with me?"

"I think that must be Piggie Iggie, for whom Nurse Jane is going to knit the mittens. But what is that baby pig doing so far from her home?" I must find out."

Then the bunny happened to think that perhaps it might not be Piggie Iggie to said, but the bad, fuzzy fox, or the skillery-scalery alligator, trying to play a trick.

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"Squee-squee! Squee-squee! Wee! which C. E. Bloomfield is arranging fip. "In must be careful," said Uncle Wiggily. So he pecked through the bushes and once more he heard a voice saying:

"This little pig went to market, this little pig had nice roast beef, but this little pig had none. And this little pig—and had none. And this little pig—and can't get over the docrell. "Oh de't it can't get over the docrell. "Oh de't." It let you go!"

So he had no fear, and he went pe-hind the bushes and there he did see the little baby pig. She had gone in an old bark house, where a chipmunk used to live, but there was no one in the house now, and Piggie Iggie could not get out.

"Why can't you?" asked Uncle Wig-" asked

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at the same table were Mrs. James Ma aulay, who organized the first suffrage society in Vancouver, and Mrs. Walter the political enfranchisement of women in the city. The wives of the

men in the city. The wives of the other five representatives in the Legislature for Vancouver were also invited to be guests of the Suffrage Societies. Addresses were made by the chairman, the guest of honor, the presidents of the five societies, Mrs. Macaulay and Mrs. Walter H. Smith.

On Saturday, February 9, at his residence, 21 Linden Avenue, the Rev. W. Leslie Clay united in marriage E. K. Dalziel, electrician of the Cameron-Genoa Mills Shipbuilders, Ltd., to Miss Hazel L. Hughes, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hughes, 1933 Burdette Avenue. The bridge wasg attended by Miss M. Hare, and the groom by his brother, James Dalziel. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. For the present, Mr. and Mrs. Dalziel are taking up residence at the James Bay Hotel.

Seventy-five soldiers from the Willows Camp were the guests of the Bishop Cridge Christian Endeavor at the Reformed Episcopal Sunday School on Saturday eveninng, when an enjoyable time was spent in games and music. During the evening Miss Lillian Martin, the president, was called upon for a few remarks, in which she showed the great headway made by the Endeavor since its inaugural meeting only three weeks ago. After the serving of refreshments the singthe serving of refreshments the sing ing of "Auld Lang Syne" and the Na tional Anthem brought the entertain ment to a close.

COMOX PIONEER



The death occurred at Comox, B. C., on February 5, of Mrs. Jane Grieve, wife of the late George Grieve, at the age of ninety years. Mrs. Grieve came from St. John's, New Brunswick, with her husband and family some fortyher husband and family some fortythe husband and family some fortythe years ago by way of San Francisco, settling in Comox, and hewing
their home out of the thick forest.
Three sons and three daughters are
left to mourn her loss. The sons are
prize for the last of Comox, Mrs. Alex
grandchildren.

Mrs. Grieve was the oldest resident
of Comox Valley. She will be much
missed, being of a bright personality.
For the last two years Mrs. Grieve
has read without her glasses, having
her second sight.

Professor-Does the moon affect the tide?

Oo-Ed.-No, sir, merely the untiedStanford Chaparral.

SUBDUED COLORS ARE

Smartest Costumes of One Tone; Picturesque Frocks at Blg Bazaar

New York, Feb. 11.—The big bazaar held at the Grand Central Palace was full of inspiration for everyone, for more reasons than one. Of course, purse strings were untied and pennies the appeal of a bottle of milk for bables, or comforts for our own sol-diers? Then, too, from the more worlddiers? Then, too, from the more worldly point of view of the woman interested in fashions, there was much to see. Aside from the costumes of the represented countries picturesque to the extreme, there were modern frocks and coats that deserved more than passing note. The thing that impressed one more than anything else was the simplicity of everything. Not a bit of trimming on the smart tailored suits, dresses or coats, except for the liberal use of fur on the more dressy coats and the wool trimmings that are considered so smart.

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The whole thing was on so gigantic a scale that it required many visits to really appreciate it. The blaze of light, the quaintly colored booths, and the costumes of the "attendants" presented a dazzling effect. Scattered everywhere, enjoying the fun with almost childish giee, were the soldiers and sailors, our own and those of our Allies. Scotch kilties rubbed shoulders with gay Bohemian girls, and conservations.

With this very cold weather comes the pressing question of wool. Of course we need winter coats, and the knitted scarfs and collars and cuffs fill long-felt wants. Whether we set



aside all the wool for the use of the Government, or limit ourselves, remains to be seen. At any rate we are all willing to cooperate with the Government and only use what we really need. The day of a sweater for every costume is a thing of the past, and we will use what we have.

Color News and Notes.

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If you would be considered modish, subdue your favorite reds and greens, Not to the point of fadedness, however; far from it! Simply soften them into bewildering beautiful shades. Soft gray-blue lavenders, ashes of roses, that old-time favorite, wistaria, and silver grays and lichen grays; of these are the color cards of Fashion. If you desire a spice, add a dash of rosy orange or peaceck blue, but the smartest costumes are usually of one tone, with the exception perhaps of the lining, which may be as gorgeous as you please. Wool embroideries and stitchings are used with effect, either in the same shade as the consumer are usually of one tone, with the exception perhaps of the lining, which may be as gorgeous as you please. Wool embroideries and stitchings are used with effect, either in the same shade as the costume or in con-

Passing Fads.

The day is almost passed thanks to the need of the hour for economy and conservation of material, when we felt called upon to put on a summer hat in January of February. It was a ridiculous custom, carried to an extreme, originating perhaps with Palm Beach and the real need of straw hats and summery clothes down there. As long as the days are bitterly cold, and snow is on the ground, let us stick to our winter hats. Another passing fad seems to be that of colored boots with cloth tops of contrasting shades. The black shoe with white or gray top, and the deep mahogany with tan upper, are still considered in good taste, though there is a marked return of the all-black boot. White spats with patent leather pumps are appropriate only for afternoon or informal evening wear, and the all-white shoe is fast being consigned to the proper utime of year, summer.

Top-Coats are so very practical that they have a place of their own in the wardrobe of the thoughtful woman. They may be worn with different dresses and, also with the separate skirt and waist. The one illustrated here has ragian sleeves and a wide belt. The material is a wool mixture.

Gordon Signoale

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NAVY LEAGUE CHAPTER

Municipal Fish Market and Piggeries Advocated at Annual Meeting: Ex-cellent Reports Presented for 1917.

whom it was sending weekly parcels of food, etc. Sixteen new members were enrolled during the year. The work of the Chapter's delegates on the Patriotto Service Committee and the Voluntary Service Corps, was warmly commended by the secretary in her report.

whit the exception of the treasurership, from which Mrs. Dennis Cox was
obliged to resign owing to ill-health,
all the officers were re-elected for the
ensuing year. They are as follows:
Resent, Mrs. David Doig; hon, first
vice-regent, Mrs. G. S. H. Edwardes;
first vice-regent, Mrs. Mortimer Apploby; second vice-regent, Mrs. L.
Travis; secretary, Mrs. J. Thaw; treasurer, Mrs. Gordon Smith; echoes secretary, Mrs. Foster; standard bearer,
Mrs. C. Cookson; the councillors, Mrs.
Moore, Mrs. Rickaby, Mrs. Sidney
Child, Mrs. A. Thomson, Mrs. Bruce
Powley, Mrs. Plumb, Mrs. Fenton, Mrs.
A. M. Cooke, Mrs. Guy Langton, Miss.
Tobin.

revive, but you, thank God.

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Rev. Hugh Dobson Gave Three

Addresses Yesterday in Methodist Churches

ing at Centennial Church. In the

atternoon he addressed a men's meeting in Victoria West. The morning
subject was "The Child," and an appeal was made for the saving of 30,000
children which are now laid in the
grave every year from preventable
causes.

PARSON TALKS ON

We Now Make an Early Showing of **Spring Suits**

These newcomers are of serge, and in the shades that will be popular this season-sand, navy, black and grey. The suit described below is a typical example of the becoming modes we are now showing.

Other new Suits range in price from

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display. Among the shades are sand, cherry red, navy, black, taupe, paddy green and rose.

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The speaker gave an account of the movement in Great Britain, Australia, United States, and in Saskatchewan, Alberta and Ontario for the free diagnosis and treatment of venereal disease and for compulsory registration and treatment; the punishment of quacks and the enlightening of the whole civilian and military populations on the initiative of these Governments. The closely related problem of the proper care of the feeble-minded is also receiving attention.

Expected to Arrive in Vancouver on Thursday Morning

PRACTICAL THEMES

MANY SOLDIERS ARE **CROSSING CONTINENT**

causes.

The speaker said that we should have at least 50,000 more boys and girls in our high schools and universities in Canada, and that there must be more widespread vocational training and guidance. Good character and citizenship must be the goal of all education. Vocational training is conductive to that end. There is a special reason for supervision of play during war time when so many fathers are away. The fathers at home should help guard the children of those abroad.

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theme, the conservation of life, is one which is engaging world-wide attention at the present time. For this reason much interest has been aroused in the Child Welfare Social Service Conference being held to-day and to-more than the light of the Child Welfare Social Service Conference being held to-day and to-more than the light of the Doct's tremendous angeal to he Makey. morrow in the schoolroom of the poet's tremendous appeal to his Maker:

Conference being held to-day and tomorrow in the schoolroom of the
Metropolitan Church.

The principal speaker at the conference is the Rev. Hugh Dobson.
B.A. B.D., field secretary of Social
Service and Evangelism for the
Methodist Church, and a competent
authority on sociological problems.
This evening he will speak on the subject "is the Day of Evangelism Passing or Just Dawning?" The chair will
be taken by the Right Rev. Bishop
Schofield, and during the evening Mrs.
Edward Williams will contribute a
solo, Magistrate George Jay is to preside at the meeting to-morrow afternoon, when Rev. Mr. Dobson will deliver an address on "Social Reconstruction During the War and After,"
to be followed by general discussion.

At the evening session the chair will
be taken by Mayor Todd and the
speakers are to include Rev. Mr. Dobson on "The Conservation of Life" and
Dr. Raynor, president of the Life Conservation League, will speak on "The
Sickness Problem and How to Meet
It." Miss May Mitchell will render a
vocal solo during the meeting.

There is a wealthy old gentleman in
London who has always given his young

is helr.

Not long ago the old gentleman had an attack of illness, and for a while it looked as if it were all up with him. When a turn came for the better, he said to his

physician:

"So, doctor, you think there is hope for me?"

"Not only that," said the doctor, "but I can assure you that you are out of danger."

"Thank you," said the old gentleman. "I wish you would inform my nephew, but please break the news to him gently,"

"Apply lightly."

Is it any wonder? for the values of the bargains are increasing every day, as from time to time we throw in lines at ridiculous prices.

TO-DAY WE HAVE PUT OUT TWO MORE LINES OF MEN'S "K" BOOTS at move-quick prices. If you want a pair you must come quickly. Read every word of this ad if you are interested in Shoes and want to save money.

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Immense Amount of Work Done by Women of City and District

ciety for January, 1918, together sh receipts, January 18 to January Receipts.

Mackenzle Avenue Chapters I. O. D. E .-

DonationsSt. Andrew's Red Cross Workers
(kit bags)
Hilliers School
Mother Goose Club
Trofino collections
Victoria Ladies' Swimming Club. Victoria Ladies' Swimming
Rocky Point
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G. Pierce
Quarantine Station, William Head
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S. A. R. Club
Y. W. C. A. Annex
Wharf Street Rooms
Dr. R. L. Fraser (Exemption Tribunal indemnity)
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Miss Elle.
Miss Montizame.
Mrs. Beaumont
Miss Workman
Miss N. N. Wyles
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Raynor
H. Rowley
B. Robertson (three months).
S. Arthur Robertson
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D. Cameron
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J. Maynard
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R. F. Taylor
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I. O. D. E. (two months)
Mrs. C. F. Fagan
Mrs. G. H. Barnard
P. Moore
Dr. Hasell (two months)
Mrs. Proctor

The following is a record of work sent a by Red Cross auxiliary committees: Socks knitted by machine-Temple tailding, 110 pairs; Fernwood, 115 pairs; lorge, 45 pairs; James Bay, 90 pairs; loily-wood, 5 pairs; Victoria West, 34

West Saanich—25 pyjama suits, 28 shir li bandages, 7 trench caps, 40 pairs soci Lake Hill—35 pyjama suits, 48 shirts, sandages, 36 stretcher caps, 11 scarves, property bags, 5 trench caps, 50 pai

re socks.

adboro Bay—23 suits pyjamas, 21
rfs, 425 kandages, 137 properly bags, 2
rs mitts, 2 sweaters, 55 pairs socks,
olowood—1 shirt, 12 stretcher caps, II
rs socks, 6 property bags,
liss Phipps's class—66 bandages,
lordon Head—6 shirts, 10 pyjama suits,
bandages, 31 property bags, 2 pairs
its, 6 scarves, 47 pairs socks,
loverdale (Ward Two)—126 pyjama
its, 66 shirts, 2 pairs mitts, 1 sweater,
pairs socks,
lik Lake—129 bandages, 13 pairs socks,
carves, 13 trench caps.



Thane this week, Mr. Thane being the representative of important mining interests in California who contemplate erecting a steel plant between Seattle and Tacoma. The special claims of the local magnetite deposits will be presented to him.

The agitation for the development of iron ore deposits is widespread throughout the province. Various bodies are passing resolutions urging the Federal Government to take a hand, while the industrial claims of various locations have been advanced for the site of the plant, which apparently must be placed within easy access to tidewater as well as to coal and coke.

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socks, 6 trench caps.

socks, 8 trench caps.

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Ore shipments to the Consolidated Company's smelter at Trail during the third week of January, totalled 7,256 tons and brought the total for the first three weeks of the year up to 12,999 tons. Of this total, Rossland camp contributed 9,150 tons. East Kootenay district takes second place with 9,852 tons, of which the Sullivan mine is responsible for 3,831 tons. Rossland shipments are gold-copper and the built of the ores so far received from other districts is zine.

rivals in the metal world for pre-emi nence in the war, says The Wall Stree Journal. Before the war German shad a monopoly of these metals eithe in production or in market contro Germany had confidence in her gun

Fruit Trees and Bushes Ornamental Trees **Shrubs and Roses**

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Get Your Share of the IN GOLD

Appropriated by The Times to be given away in prizes in a WANT AD CON-TEST, in which energetic men and women of Victoria are invited to compete

The Want Ad Contest has been systematized and simplified so that it is as simple as A B C-and if it does not appear that way to you, all you have to do is to call at the Contest Office and see the gentleman in charge, who will very gladly explain all the details and convince you that YOU can make a success as a candidate.

Entering the contest is very simple. As a personal interview is always necessary, the usual nomination blank has not been included in the advertisements. Candidates simply enroll their names, and will be given the necessary supplies at the proper time and started on the road to success. With the impartial help of the Contest staff, anyone who can make a success at an ordinary undertaking can make a success as a candidiate in the Want Ad Contest.

Candidates deal directly with business people, and the work is not only pleasant but educative as well. Anyone who took the time to read the letters from former candidates in former Want Ad Contests will be convinced that we are not making any claims that can not be verified. One young man, a returned soldier, took a portion of his prize money and made a first payment on a small home, which eliminated, as he said, the

For the very good reason that it does not require a large number of competitors to cover the field here in Victoria the \$800 in gold set aside as prizes has been divided into three parts-\$500, \$200 and \$100, to be awarded to the three contestants who secure the largest number of votes. While it is likely that fifteen or twenty may enroll and start out with good intentions, allowance is made for some dropping out for one reason or another, so that if eight or ten see the finish it will be a good propor-

It is the same in these contests as in other enterprises—there are always three or four who are shining lights—and it will be found that the division of the prizes will in all probability fit into the scheme and give reward according to the work done. However, provision is made for the candidates who do remain to the close and do not win one of the regular prizes, as all who collect as much as \$50 will receive 10% cash commission on their individual collections.

No one enters for other than the first and best prize. Figure it out this way: Five hundred dollars for spare time during seven weeks is equivalent to a trifle less than \$12 a day, or \$71.42 a week. If you have an hour or two to spare each day, would \$12 a day be worth while? We'll leave the answer to the reader.

Any person residing in Victoria, except newspaper employees or members of their immediate families, may enter and become a candidate. Of course, it is plain that children would not be suited for work of this character. Miss Peqcock and Miss McMillan were employes as stenographers in a lawyer's office and did their work during the noon hour and evenings. Mr. Johnston was in business for himself and would take an hour or two some days, other days no time at all. Letters from these people will be found in Saturday's advertisement.

To further simplify the Want Ad Contest and insure absolute fairness to all who take part, a system of votes-so many for each dollar collected, and the same proportion for parts of a dollar-has been devised. When candidates secure contracts, votes are also issued for each dollar or part of a dollar represented in such contracts. All this detail has been worked out and proven fair by repeated trials.

Don't hesitate. Plunge right into The Times Want Ad Contest. Get in on the ground floor. Start at the beginning. Do not admit to your-self that any other person can excel you or stand a better chance of securing a big prize of \$500.

Room 306 in The Times Building has been specially fitted up as an office for the Contest Department. Hours for the present will be from 9 in the morning until 6 in the evening—allowing from 12.30 to 1.30 for the lunch hour. By appointment conferences may be had at the noon hour as well, or in the evening at the Contest Office or your home or office.

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BAND CONCERT

In London From France.—Well-known here at the time when he was manager of the Oak Bay braneh of the Bank of Commerce, which position he relinquished to go overseas with the \$\$th Battalion. Capt. Alan Morkill, of the 7th (Vancouver) Battalion, is now in London after recovering at La Touquet Hospital from a wound received in the arm in the Passchendaele fight-

Railway Service Guard.—Lieut. A. C. Anderson, who has been at his head-juarters at the new Drill Hall here for the past two weeks recruiting men for service with the Railway Guard, has

pupils of Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. A. that the number of men who have B. in the North Ward Branch of the passed through the hands of the over- Red Cross rooms Saturday evening, a sea reception committee has been large number of relatives and friends of the pupils being present. The following pupils contributed numbers to Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hernings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hernings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square, London Miss Gladys Hewlings, L. Charles Street, Berkeley Square,

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of The Times read the contest
proposition in the form it is given
to-day, then call to-morrow morning and enter your name as a candidate. That will constitute your
first step—and if you do not take
it, you can never hope to win the
\$500 in gold.

hough rather quiet sort of prorramme. The band seemed hardly up to its plendid standard, and failed to rouse he audience to its usual exulterant enthusiasm. The descriptive sketch, Down on the Mississippl," however, received a hearty encore, being easly the favorite band number of the evening. Bandsman Vinall also received a hearty encore for his finished rendering of the baritone solo, "If flowers Could Speak," giving as an encore "Kathleen Mavourneen." Both numbers were much enjoyed. Mrs. Harry Briggs, always welcome, sang in a splendid manner two solos, "An Open Secret" and "Macushla," and in response to encores, she gave "God Bring Him Safety Back," and "Canada for Empire," both songs being highly appreciated. Mrs. A. J. Gibson presided at the piano. LEGISLATIVE CHANGES FORM CHIEF BUSINESS

Forms, should apply to W. H. Price, next Bank of Montreal (upstairs). Open evenings.

Sent to Hospital.—On the direction of the City Health Officer, Mrs. Marshall, of 307 Vancouver Street, has been sent to the Royal-Jubilee Hospital, her back being injured.

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The special committee investigating the garbage tenders will make a recommendation in favor of acceptance of the tender of Capt. W. E. Gardner, the

routine business also on the table for attention, and in addition there is also to be considered the salaries question.

MAPLE LEAF CLUBS

Canadians on Leave in London Who Have Stayed at Clubs Num-ber 153,000.

the club headquarters are No. 11 Charles Street, Berkeley Square, Lonisses Violet Adams, Elenore Cranon, Laura Leigh, Vera Cousins, Jean
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April, 1916, in Connaught Place, additional premises in Elizabeth St. W., in
leen Plowright, Iva Cramer and Messrs,
Charles Richmond, Harold Clarke, Arthur Murphy and Edward Clarke,
Thanks are extended to Fletcher Bros,
who kindly loaned the plano and the
Clarke Printing Company for donating
the programmes.

Robert Borden in August, 1915. Three
additional houses were taken over, in
October, 1916, and 18-29 Grosvenor
quarters being in close proximity to
Victoria Station, at which most of the
men returning from the front on leave,
arrive. Capt. W. F. Watson is the
honorary controller of the clubs.

Goes to Vernon.—Lieut. W. Barton who is a son of W. S. Barton, Esquimalt, has taken up his residence in Vernon, where he has recently been appointed officer in charge of the Vernon Convalescent Soldiers section.

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Leaving for California.—H. J. Knott, accompanied by Mrs. Knott, is leaving for California on Thursday of this week to assist in a big prohibition campaign throughout the northern states. It will be remembered that Mr. Knott, who had charge of the organization work of the Vancouver Island during the 1916 campaign, was invited to California at the close of the campaign in this province, and did much good work. In order to obtain a "dry" United States, it is necessary that thirty-six of the states accept prohibition. At present thirty we accomplished this, and Mr. has been engaged in connection with a vast movement being inaugurated to achieve the consummation of the prohibitionists' aim for a "dry" America. He expects to be in the South until next November, and during his absence his position as Island manager for the Monarch Life Assurance Co. will be taken over by J. H. Cherry the recently appointed city manager.

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Jago, of Port Coquittam, is Grand Treasurer.

As usual the Grand Lodge meeting will be preceded by the annual convocation of the Grand Black Chapter. That will occur to-morrow week. Sir Knights will be present from all parts of the province. The Grand Master is (Sir) Thomas Quinn; Grand Registrar, (Sir) John J. Tulk; Grand Treasurer, (Sir) H. T. Thrift. They will arrive in the city next Monday, and the head-quarters will be at the Dominion Hotel. The usual courtesies will be extended by the local Orangemen. A committee will meet all steamers and escort the visitors to the hotels.

The annual meeting of the members of the K. of the U. R. and Royal Brown men will be held here on February.

business to be dealt with. The officers will be in the city a day earlier to make arrangements for the annual concert, of which notice will appear in the daily papers. The Hyas Mogul is Nhoj Kiut, of Vancouver; the Hyas Grand Fleecher is Mailliww Ojoj, Port Cooutitan.

BOARD OF TRADE

Matters to Come Up for Discussion Meeting on Wednesday Next.

In addition to hearing an address on Municipal Management from R. Baird, inspector of municipalities, the monthly meeting of the Board of Trade, to be held on Wednesday, February 13, at 2 p. m., will have open for discussion the various recommendations on civic matters recently submitted to the City Council, the question of Dr. Adam Shortt's recommendations concerning electric light rates in the city, and an opportunity will be given for the introduction of new business.

The programme is as follows:

Mr. R. Baird, inspector of municipalities, will deliver an address upon Municipal Management, and will deal with some of the financial problems. At the close of his remarks, Mr. Baird will be glad to answer any questions.

The Council have submitted to the Mayor and Aldermen of Victoria re-

EFFECTS ORGANIZATION

Civic Employees Form Body for Mu-tual Protection, and Appoint Officers.

About difty members attended the meeting of the Civic Employees new organization on Saturday evening when the officers were elected as follows: President, William Galt; vicepresident, William Scowcroft; secretary, James Walker; treasurer, J. McIndoe, and an executive of five mem bers. They are to draft a constitution, and submit it to a later meeting.

The association will be quite free from any affiliations with other bodies and will be known as the Civic Servants' Protective Association.

ferred by a Chinaman, Hon, was casted in the City Police Court to-day, and remanded till Wednesday for hearing. A A A Local Council of Women.—Owing to illness neither President Wesbrook nor Dean Klinck, of the University of British Columbia, will be able to address the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women, as was hoped. The sessions will be held to-morrow and Wednesday in the schoolroom of the First Presbyterian Church, commencing at 10 o'clock each day.

Choir Concept at Esquimalt. — The auditorium of the Naval and Military Methodist Church, Esquimalt, was well-filled on Eriday evening on the occasion of a concert given by the Metropolitan Choir. The cantata "Penitence, Pardon and Peace," constituted the first part of the programme followed in the second-half by a number of weat some attained and Edward Parsons accompanied the singing, each in his own inimitable way. A hearty vote of thanks to the choir was moved by the pastor and seconded by J. Miller, the president of the Adult Bible Class, under whose auspices the concert was held. At the close of the programme, the ladies of the church served refreshments to the visiting singers in the schoolroom of the church.

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Lieut. Willie Ritchie made a few re-marks concerning the work at Camp Lewis and spoke of the time when he expected to accompany the men to

Judge Lampman Discharges Man Ac-cused of Entering Gladstone Avenue House.

IS O. C. AT RESTHAVEN

Maj. F. B. Edwards Appointed Charge of Resthaven Military Hospital.

BANQUET TO VISITORS U.S. FIGHTS FOR FREEDOM, SAYS WILSON, LAYING RE-SPONSIBILITY SQUARELY ON PRUSSIAN JUNKERS

private or separate interest fro which the opinion of the world may be shut out. Whatever affects the peace affects mankind, and nothing settled by military force, if settled wrongly, is settled at all. It will presently have

on Saturday at the K. of P. Hali, when a banquet was tendered to the American visitors from Camp Lewis, to which were invited also as guests the members of the local returned soldiers ateam that won the H. H. Brown trephy in the afternoon's game. In addition, there were a number of guests of the committee, including Mayor Todd, who presided; Mr. Justice Martin, Mr. Justice Gregory, Major Harvey, Alderman Pedea, the Bishop of Columbia, the dean of Columbia, Fred. Jones and many others.

Shortly after 7 o'clock the company gathered in the banquet hall, where a most tempting repast was prepared under the capable management of the White Lunch, Ltd.

Defore proposing the toast to His Majesty King George and to President.

"Is Count von Hertling not aware that he is speaking in the court of mankind, that all the awakened nations of the world now sit in judgment on what every public man, of whatever nation, may say on the issues of a conflict which has spread to every region of the world?

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"The Reichstag resolutions of July themselves frankly accepted the decisions of that court. There shall be considered and an anexations, no contributions, no punitive damages. Peoples are not to be handed about from one sovereignty to another by international aspirations must be respected; peoples may now be dominated and governed only by their own consent.

Not Mere Phrase.

"Self-determination' is not a mere

white Lunch, Ltd.

Defore proposing the toast to His Majesty King George and to President Mylson, Mayor Todd expressed the feely ling of gratification which he experienced at being present on so significant an occasion. The football game of the afternoon, followed by the social nature of the erening would have a telling effect in cementing ties of friendship and understanding between the ment of two great nations.

The Toasts.

In responding to the toast Ligut. Gelvan, of the U. S. Army, spoke of the fact that he had been born a subject of His Majesty and by adoption had become a citizen of the United States. The liberty, he said, enjoyed by the peoples of the one nation was identical with that experienced by those of the other.

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"Self-determination' is not a mere phrase.

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"The Allied Navies" was proposed by Mr. Justice Martin and responded to by the Bishop of Columbia.

Mr. Justice Gregory proposed "The Allied Armies," to which Capt. Cook, director of Athletics at Camp Lewis, replied.

"The Returned Soldiers" were proposed by Alderman Peden, and acknowledged by Major Harvey and Major Edwards.

Captain Craddock proposed "The Red Cross" in a happy manner, to which Fred Jones replied.

"The Visitors" were proposed by P. C. Payne, to which Lieut. Quimby made a suitable acknowledgment.

Arthur Manson, president of the B. C. Football Association, made the presentation of the H. H. Brown Charity Trophy to Capt. Pitts, of the "Fragments From France," following which the Dean of Columbia presented the cups to Albie and Jumbo Davies, whose boxing bout at the Royal Athletic on Saturday afternoon, made a distinct hit with the spectators.

Willie Ritchie.

Lieut. Willie Ritchie.

Lieut. Willie Ritchie made a few re-

Root of War.

This war had its roots in the dis-regard of the rights of small nations and of nationalities which lacked the union and the force to make good their claim to determine their own al-legiances and their own forms of po-litical life.

France.

Several vocal solos were rendered find which will render such things impossible for the future and those for swain, Dooley, Marshall, E. Locke and Lieut. Quimby. E. C. Foulds delivered a monologite.

CHARGE DISMISSED

Judge Lampman Discharges Man Accused of Entering Gladstone Avenue House.

Convenants must now be entered find which will render such things impossible for the future and those inventants must be backed by the united force of all the nations that love justice and are willing to maintain it at any cost. If territorial settlement and the political relations, of great propulations which have not the organized power to resist are to be determined by the contracts of the powerful Governments which consider themselves most directly affected, as Country of the proposed into which will render such things impossible for the future and those inventants and those directions and the political relations of great and the political relations.

cused of Entering Gladstone.

Avenue House.

"I do not consider the evidence sufficient to prove accused guilty. It is not very clear that he was there at all, and even if he were, there is nothing to indicate that he went there to steal Discharged."

With these words Judge Lampman the morning released Frederick Dodds who, as repotted last week, when his case came before the city police, was charged with burglariously entering by night the dwelling house of John R. Jackson, 1414 Gladstone Avenue, with Intent to commit an indictable offence. Accused elected for speedy trial, without a jury, and pleaded "not guilty."

It appeared from the evidence of the daughter of Mr. Jackson, who was awakened by someone being in the house, that she told the intruder he was in the wrong house, and the man replied, "let me light a match and see if I have made a mistake." Dodds, who is a returned soldier, who was "shell-shocked" at Ypres and wounded down the Somme, is an undischarged patient at the military hospital, Esquimatt, and has lately been employed on night shift at the Foundation yards.

G. L. Mcinnes, from the Attorney-General's Department, pointed out that on the supposition it was accused who entered the house, still nothing had been done in the way either of theft or assault.

It of C AT RESTHAVEN

recompacts with regard to provinces and peoples.

Count Czernin, seems to see the fundamental elements of peace with clear eyes and does not seek to obscure them. He sees that an independent Poland, made up of all the indisputably Polish peoples who lie contiguous to one another, is a matter of European concerp and must, of course, be conceded in that Helgium must be evacuated and restored, no matter what sacrifices and concessions that may involve; and that national aspirations must be satisfied, even within his own empire, in the common interest of Europea and mankind. If he is silent about questions which touch the interest and purpose of his allies more mearly than they touch those of Austria only, it must, of course, be because he feels constrained, I suppose, to defer to Germany and Turkey in the circiumstances. Seeing and contending as he does, the essential princeptes incolucies and the necessity feels that Austria can respond to the purpose of peace as expressed by the United States with less embarrassment than could Germany. He probably would have gone much further had it not been for the embarrassments of Austria's alliances and her dependency on Germany.

The Test.

Prices Same as

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Saturday Morning

Interior in this comparison of views is simple and obvious. The principles to be applied are these:

"First, that each part of the final settlement must be based upon the estimate in the interior of that particular cause and upon such adjustments as are most likely to bring a peace that will be permanent.

"Second, that peoples and provinces for executive between the great game, now forever discredited, of the balance of power, but that, it not been for the embarrassment of Austria's alliances and her dependency on Germany.

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tional aspirations shall be accorded the utmost satisfaction that can be accorded the utmost satisfaction that can be accorded the death to prevent what all the will consent to live in a world governed by intrigue and force. We believe that our desire for a new international or further in this comparison of yiews is simple and obvious. The principles to be applied are these:

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Special Saturday Morning Matinee for School Children at 10:00



"THE HONOR SYSTEM" ONE OF WORLD'S BEST

Dominion Production This Week Challenges Comparison With Greatest Films

All this week, with performances at 2.15 and \$.15 daily, will be shown at the Dominion Theatre William Fox's latest ten-reel master drama. "The Homor System," one of the spectacular productions which has the right to challenge comparison in point of wealth of exciting incident, magnificence of production, and wonderful characterization—with such master-pieces as "The Birth of a Nation," Intolerance," "Cabiria" and "Hypocrites."

When it is appreciated all this comparison with the greatest productions of film-land implies, it is clear that to say "The Honor System" has nothing to fear by contrast with these magnificent dramas will result in similar houses at the theatre to those which witnessed that other great work. "A Daughter of the Gods," played to record houses two or three weeks back.

"The Honor System" is said to be the first ten-reel spectacle of contemporary American life ever filmed, the theme being exclusively of to-day, and the background the stirring life of the Southwest. The recent border raid by Villa, is still clear in remembrance, and in "The Honor System" one of the most impressive scenes shown is that of the most vivid, actual and hair-raising representation of a border raid ever depicted.

To Gladys Brockwell, the charming and talented leading woman in the production, fails the task of paying the "lead." She is supported by Miriam Cooper, who appeared in "The Birth of a Nation," and also depicted the gangster's girl in "intolerance," while other noted exponents of film drama who take part are Milton fills George Walsh, James A. Marcus, Cnas, Clary and Arthur Mackley. The production was directed by R. A. Walsh from a c'ory by Henry Christen Warnack.

IS MAGNIFICENT FILM PRODUCTION

Picturization of "Romeo and Juliet" is Triumph of Artistic Cinematography

Of the wonderful picturization of "Romeo and Juliet," which was shown for the first time in this city at the Pantages Theatre this afternoon, Mr. George Blaisdell, reviewing the production for The Moving Picture World.

tor Join W. Noble has contributed his-best work for the screen. It is a great production, one that easily will rank with the best kinematographic efforts that have gone before. It is a subject that should appeal alike to the Shake-spearean student and the man to whom the linked names of Romeo and Juliet the linked names of Romeo and Juliet have only the remotest significance. Plainly, it has been the aim of the

producers to visualize the story of the world's greatest love tragedy just as it was penned by the hand of the master. They have neither subtracted from it in any essential detail nor have they added to it.

"Romeo and Juliet" will appeal to picture lovers as an all-around production. It will possess a distinct double appeal—to the eye and to the mind—that of the action and that of the text. Approximately a full reel is devoted to the single scene of the balcony—that where Romeo climbs the Capulet wall following the "accustomed feast" of the Capulets and from the ground underneath Juliet's window converses with his new-found love. Of the twelve thousand inches of film devoted to the portrayal of this greatepic of the stage not a single one is superfluous. It is the dramatic height of the play as we see it on the screen. The remainder of the story holds, but this particular scene markedly moves.

This magnificent film will be shown on the Pantages screen to-day and tomorrow at the regular times. A matines showing will be given on each of the afternoons of Wednesday, Thursday, Friday-and Saturday, commencing at 1 o'clock, and for the one admission charge. A special matinee projection will be given for the benefit of students and others during the morning of Saturday, commencing at 10 o'clock.

THE SWAMP ADDER . AT THE COLUMBIA

Terrific Battle With Band of Cuban Settlers Shown in Film

the ninth episode of "The Secret King-dem," which opened at the Columbia this afternoon. In the story Nicholas, mate of the schooner, who has been on the side of Phillip, is won over by Romon and Savatz. Boyd, the Swamp Adder, a desperate blood-thirsty creature, captures the castaways.

ture, captures the castaways.

Ramon offers a large sum of money if he will kill Phillip and Juan and spare the rest. Phillip offers a larger sum for the pirate's refusal. But the pirate ascertains that neither of the men has any money. So he holds Savatz and Julia for ransom and sets the men has any money. men has any money. So he holds Savatz and Julia for ransom and sets the male members of the party adrift, each party in a separate cance, with the instructions that whoever brings him the money first will get, the women. He then withdraws into the dismal swamp with Julia and Savatz. He begins to make advances to Princess Julia, but ere he can carry out his intentions he is attacked by a band of Cuban settlers.

During the terrific battle which ensues Phillip and Juan secretly return and rescue Princess Julia from horrible death by drowning on the sinking pirate boat.

Eamon and Nicholas, who, were in the party of settlers led against the Swamp Adder, rescue Madame Savatz and leave the locality in a small power sloop. An octoroon woman, consort of the dead, Swamp Adder, but turned against him in her jealousy, offers to guide Phillip's party out of the dangerous morass.

A POINT OF ORDER.

The Speaker-But, Mr. Chairman, I an not ready to stop now. I have not yet exhausted my subject.

The Chairman-That is not the point sir. You have exhausted your audience.



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LAUDER TURNS DOWN

neo and Juliet" showing at the Pantages Theatre.

Refuses to Sing for Ten Minutes at Banquet to Earn \$3,500 .

at the banquet. He explained that it could jump into a taxi be taken across the street, and be back in time to go in his turn at the theatre. For these ten minutes the organization was will-

A while later Lauder came and his manager told Lauder of it.
"Here's a few easy baubees for you Sandy," said Morris, addressing him by the name he has always used to Harry, "and I have no objections to you making them."

you making them."

"Of course they drink a lot and have altogether some uproarious time at the dinner," said Lauder, Mr. Morris said they probably did, and after a moment's thought Lauder turned down the offer flat. He communicated the comedian's decision to the representative of the organization, and the latter promptly raised the ante to \$3,500 for the few minutes. The decision was communicated to Lauder, I won't attempt to give his characteristic talk, but this is the gist of it.

"You know I take a deep interest immy work, it means a lot to me," said Lauder, "and I couldn't hope to get the attention which I think it deserves from those jolly boys over there. The money makes no difference, and much as I appreciate the offer I couldn't ac-

fusively. "Now, this is delightful," said the from those jong other, who was the elder. "You haven't money makes no difference, and much as een me for eleven years, and yet you knew me at once. I cannot have changed so dreadfully in all that time. It flatters me." "Oh, I recognized your bonnet," said the first.



MANDARIN FOR LAST TIME THIS EVENING

xceptional Success Will Be Presented at Royal Victoria Theatre

Meeting with a success bardly con-templated by the most optimistic of the workers, "The Mandarin." which was presented at the Royal Victoria Theatre of Thursday, Friday and Sat-urday evenings with a Saturday mat-ine, will be the attraction this even-ing at the same playhouse: During the run of four performances the local people composing the com-

During the run of four performances the local people composing the com-, pany played to capacity houses. The verdict of the thousands of Victorians who witnessed the piece resulted in the announcement that it had been decided to put on a special performance this evening. This, of course, will be the last chance afforded to these who wish to see this exceptional

cially prepared, displayed such a vari-ety of colors as is rarely seen in the modern presentation of this class, while the stage settings added the final and perfect finish to the sur-

CHILDREN TO ENTERTAIN

Programme in High School To-morrow Night for Red Cross.



To the Editor,—Having reference to a report of the Board of Trade which is being considered jointly by a com-mittee of the Board and the City Counprevenent levies and kindred subjects, it does not appear that any good reason now exists for making a hasty decision. The Premier has gone to Ottawa on important business and the Logislature will adjourn to the 26th instant, which fortunately will afford time for a fuller discussion of the subject than seemed to be intended a week ago. Every resident of the city has an indirect interest in this subject; every fourth has a direct, personal and in some cases a tragic interest in it, so that it cannot be too strongly impressed on the Mayor and Council that we look to them to protect the vital interests of all classes and particularly those least able to protect

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FARM LABOR.

To the Editor.—Re a letter which appeared in last night's Times from "Only a Woman." Only a short while ingo two. English families were refused entrance to Victoria, and yet some people would like to see a lot of imported Chinese dumped here, under the guise that it would relieve the labor market and be the means of reducing the cost of living.

Does "Only a Woman" know that there are a lot of ounemployed in this city and everywhere cise who are willing at any time to work on a farm provided they get a living wags.

Naturally, the farmers afair fruit guorantee any reduction in the price of their commodities. If a Chinaman is a of better workman than a white man in the wonder why he works longer, hours are and receives, similer pay.

All the seems to me that we have enough the commodities. If a Chinaman is a of better workman than a white man in the wonder why he works longer, hours are from our women in hotels and private the incess time instead of handling our food in farme-instead of handling our food in farme-instead of handling our food in the commodities. If they were working on farme-instead of handling our food in the commodities. If they were working on farme-instead of handling our food in the commodities. If they were working on farme-instead of handling our food in the commodities. If they were working on farme-instead of handling our food in the commodities. It was the they were working on farme-instead of handling our food in the commodities. It was the the commodities of the commod

CORRECTED RETURNS.

"To the Editor, I wish to call to

ADULTERATION ACT

Two Prosecutions Are Lodged by In-land Revenue Officials Af-

stated that a sample of shorts analyzed was deficient in proteids, and ex-I may The analysis showed 13.11 per cent.

the shorts.

There was also an information against the People's Grocery, which has changed hands since the date of the alleged offence, affecting some pepper which had been analyzed by the Inland Revenue Department. Presumably under the circumstances, the case will have to be dropped.

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MORTHWEST WWORLD

Locals, Winners on Saturday by Five to Four Over Camp Lewis Eleven

GREAT CROWD AT ROYAL ATHLETIC SAW BATTLE

five-four victory over their opponents, the soccerists of the 91st Division of Camp Lewis, Capt. Pitt's staunch eleven, the "Fragments From France" cinched the international football title, and incidentally the H. H. Brown charity trophy when the teams clashed on Saturday at the Royal Athletic in the greatest soccer battle local fandom

Americans Take Lead. Play had been in progress for a full fifteen minutes, neither team had scored and the excitement was getting too much for the crowd. It was at this too much for the crowd. It was at this stage that the American's inside right broke the spell with a shot that gave backs and goalie absolutely no chance. The first was followed only two minutes later by a second tally and the local supporters already in a state of uneasiness were getting frantic. Their turn, however, was not long in coming for the strains of "Yankee Doodle" had barely died away when Southin shot up the field and lodged the ball in the net. The locals roared themselves hoarse. Again the atmosphere cleared, and a hard battle ensued until some two minutes before half time Townsend found the goal and the interval was sounded, the score being a draw of two all.

Southin Again.

Southin Again. Southin Again.

With resumption of play Southin scored after two minutes had lapsed, and a penalty awarded to the home boys was netted by Townsend. The next score was also the result of a penalty, but this time one for the visitors, and a little later matters were evened with a tally four all. It was but a few minutes to the end when Townsend cash found the net.

again found the net.

Few soccer games have been played in Victoria in which a better spirit of sportsmanship was displayed. The match was clean from start to finish; there were no deliberate fouls and very few eccasions when Referee Goward was forced to call those of a purely accidental nature. These facts were doubly significent in view of the circumstances under which both teams were compelled to play. Mr. Goward, it must be said, directed play in a manner entirely above criticism and the soccer men should feel highly gratified, that such an official was in charge.

Needs No Apologies.

Needs No Apologies,
There were many features of the play deserving of praise. Foremost among these, however, was the fact that the "Fragments From France" defeated a team which came to the city having whitewashed Vancouver on Wednesday last by an overwhelming score. It is proof evident that the status of Victoria football is needful of no apologies.

is proof evident that the status of Victoria football is needful of no apologies.

The locals gave a demonstration that was remarkable in more senses than one. Not only did the Fragments show wonderful staying power, they gave an exhibition with the favorable circumstances, but marvellous on a field such as the Royal Athletic on Saturday afternoon. The boys were determined that their showing would satisfy Victoria, and their wish was realized. The team as a whofe played brilliant football. Bloom, Townsend and Southin were stars among the forwards; Bowers and Pitts worked themselves almost to death on the half-line and the defence

Superior Shooting. In this respect it should be noted that the shooting of both teams was of a superior brand. On the visitor's line were not a few players with a tre-mendous wallop and that attribute

mendous wallop and that attribute they never failed to use. The defence of the American club was most excellent while Banks in goal showed as a tower of strength. In sending the ball to centre field.

Hockey Leagues Cont Certain it is that Victorians will look

forward to the day when another game such as that played Saturday will be the feature of local sporting circles. The teams were as follows:
Camp Lewis — Banks; Quinn and
Stoner; Mills, Hudson and Doble;
Iones, Candlin, Erb, Carroll and
TO FEBRUARY

Fragments From France-Weish McAdam and Gomm; Bowers, Pitt and Moncur; Tipper, Southle Townsend, Bloom and Kreeger, Referee—A. Goward.

TORONTO HAD EASY

FOOTBALL SCORES IN **OLD COUNTRY GAMES**

London, Feb. 11.—The following are the esults in the English League footbal ames played Saturday on the grounds of the first-named clubs:

he first-named clubs:
London Combination.
Arsenal, 0; Fulham, 3.
Brentford, 6; Queen's Park Rangers, 1.
Crystal Palace, 1; West Ham United, 1.
Chelsea, 3; Clapton Orient, 0.
Tottenham Hotspur, 4; Millwall Ath-

Middersfield Town, 6; Notis County, 6; Hull, 4; Barnsley, 2; Leicester Fosse, 2; Sheffield United, 2; Lincoln, 2; Bradford City, 1; Notis Forest, 6; Leeds, 1; Rotherham, 1; Grimsby Town, 1; Sheffield Wednesday, 1; Birmingham, 2;

Sheffield Wednesday, I; Birmingnam
Lancashire Section.
Bolton Wanderers, I; Bhackpool; L
Everton, 2; Rochdale, 2;
Manchester United, 2; Stoke, 1.
Oldham Athletic, 6; Burnley, 1.
Burslem, 6; Manchester City, 2.
Southport, 1; Liverpool, 3.
Stockport County, 3; Bury, 2.
Subsidiary Competition.

Blackburn Rovers, 6; Preston End, 1. Notts-Huddersfield match abo

Notts-Huddersfield match abandoned half-time, bad weather.
Northern Union.
Saiford, 2: Broughton Rangers, II.
Leeds, 2: Dewbury, 5."
Hull Kingston Rovers, II; Hull, 26.
Leigh, 3; Bt. Helens Recreation, 2.
Barrow, 8; Wigan, 3.
Brighduse Rangers, II, Bradford Northern, I8. - (Abandoned after half-time).
Scottleb League.
Glasgow, Feb. II.—The following are the results in Saturday's Scottish League football games.
Hibernians, 6; Rangers, 1.
Cette, 3; Hearts, 6.
Partick Thistle, 1; Ayr United, 2.

Hibernians, 0; Hangers, 1.
Celtic. 3; Hearts, 0.
Partick Thistle, 1; Ayr United, 2.
Morton, 3; 8t. Mirren, 1.
Motherwell, 2; Kirdricontans, 0.
Queen's, Park, 4; Clyde, 2.
Dumbagton, 9; Third-Lamark, 1.
Clydeiank, 2; Hamilton Academic
Kilmarnock, 3; Falkirk, 0.

DUSTWEIGHT BOXERS SEEN ON SATURDAY

KEEN COMPETITIO

Hockey Leagues Contend for Honors

TO FEBRUARY NINTH

The various leagues now running under the auspices of the Public Schools Sports' Committee are progressing in a manner entirely satisfactory to those in charge.

Two football leagues are now playing. In the Senior Division eight teams are trying for honors, while ten have entered in the Junior Division. In the former class South Park, Quadra Street and the Boys' Central Schools are holding the lead at the present time, while in the Junior Division South Park, George Jay and Quadra Street Schools are leading. The Boys' League which boasts six entries is at present lead by Monterey Avenue, Boys' Central and South Park.

Three teams are playing in the Giris' Hockey League, North Ward and George Jay being in the lead at present.

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	ly read about, but rarely seen. There were more elements brought into play	Defeated Canadiens in Ice	which boasts six entries is at present	100
	than the fans had dreamed of, and the	Game at Montreal, Seven	lead by Monterey Avenue, Boys' Cen-	Ë
* -	international aspect of the affair lent	Goals to Three	tral and South Park,	81
-	that additional interest but seldom	duals to Tillee	Three teams are playing in the Girls'	fe
	noticeable on local football fields. Any-		Hockey League, North Ward and George Jay being in the lead at pres-	0
	one who predicted a slow uninteresting contest went far astray. The field,		ent.	
	drenched in a downpour of rain, pre-	Montreal, Feb. 11Torontos gained	The following is the summary of re-	ir
	sented an unhappy picture as the	an easy victory over the Canadiens at	sults dated to February 9, issued by	ti
	crowd gathered and packed the grand	the Jubilee rink here Saturday night	George Anstey, honorary secretary,	a
-	stand to the accompaniment of airs	in the scheduled N. H. A. game. The score was 7-3. The Canadiens showed	public school sports:	te
-	rendered by the 5th Regiment Band. Centre field and the territory bordering	a reversal of form and in this as in	Senior Football. P. W. D. L. Pis.	
-	the side-lines at many places set forth	the previous visit of Torontos here the	South Park 2 2 6 0 4	н
	the familiar picture of oozy mud; at all	Canadiens had a similarly easy win.	Quadra Street 4 1 2 1 4	腸
	times disconcerting to the pedestrian,	The visitors played in better form	Boys' Central 4 1 2 1 4 Oaklands 2 1 1 0 8	100
	but a matter of special annoyance to	than when here before, and outclassed the Frenchmen at almost every stage	Monterey Ave 2 1 1 0 3	ш
	the footballer.	of the last two periods. They checked	Margaret Jenkins 4 1 1 2 3	13
	Hove in Sight.	so close and hard that Malone, the	George Jay 3 0 1 2 1 Lampson Street 1 0 6 1 0	ш
	On to such ground and with Jupiter	Canadiens' chief scorer, had little op-	Junior Football.	15
4	Pluvius exercising his utmost energy, the teams took the field. The 91st Div-	portunity to shoot and was not effect-	P. W. D. L. Pts.	1.
	ision was the first to appear while the	ive. Lalonde was again absent from	South Park 8 2 1 0 5	m
	band played "The Star Spangled Ban-	the local team. Macdonald went on the wing for the Canadiens and Ma-	George Jay 2 2 1 0 5 Quadra Street 4 2 1 1 5	10
	ner," followed immediately by "O Can-	lone took centre. After the Torontos	Margaret Jenkins 3 2 0 1 4	п
	ada," as the "Fragments From France"	had gone into the second period a few	Oaklands 2 1 1 0 3	ш
	hove in sight. The strains had barely died away when His Honor, Lieut.	minutes, it was apparent they had the	Monterey Ave 2 1 0 1 2 North Ward 3 0 2 1 2	ш
	Governor Barnard was conducted to the	game well in hand.	Lampson Street 2 0 1 1 1	13
	field while the National Anthem re-	The Canadiens managed to secure one goal in each period and this kept	Burnside 3 0 1 2 1	12
	sounded from the stand.	up the interest in a contest that was	Girls' Basketball,	Si
100	The official ceremony of kicking off	too one-sided to be exciting. There	P. W. D. L. Pts.	is
	was accomplished, and His Honor had	was only one unpleasant incident as	Oaklands 1 1 0 0 2	M
	retired to his box when the whistle sounded; the game was on. The pent	the result of which Couture, one of the	George Jay 1 0 0 2	W
	up energy of both squads, held under	reserve men on the Canadiens, was given a major penalty.	Monterey Aye 1 0 0 1 0	Pi
	restraint broke loose, and it was a	The teams:	Boys' Basketball,	be
	whirlwind start that drew a rousing	Canadiens-Vezina, Hall, Corbeau,	P. W. D. L. Pts. Monterey Ave 1 1 6 6 2	te
	burst of applause from the packed	Malone, Pitrie, McDonald. Subs: Cou-	Boys' Central 1 1 0 0 2	w
	gallery. Mud flew in every direction, players were on their backs one mo-	ture, Laviolette and Berlinquist. Torontos-Holmes, Cameron, Mum-	South Park 1 1 0 6 2	12
	ment uncertain as to whether they were	mery, Randall, Skinner, Denenny,	George Jay 1 0 0 1 0	g:
	playing football or water polo, and the	Subs: Meeking, Adams, Marks and	Lampson Street 2 6 0 2 0	ti
	next instant were belting the pigskin	Noble.	- Giris' Hockey.	
	with absolute disregard for annoying	The second second	P. W. D. L. Pts.	
-	surroundings. Americans Take Lead.	FOOTBALL SCORES IN	North Ward 1 1 0 0 2	bi
		OLD COUNTRY GAMES	Victoria West 1 0 0 1 0	T
	Play had been in progress for a full	OLD COURTITI CAMES	Market Street Control of the Control	ti

PLAYED AT WEEK-END DENTALS ADD ANOTHER ICE VICTORY TO LIST

Toronto, Feb. 11.—With an unbroken string of victories to their credit in the senior O H. A., the Dentals met the Queen aggregation at the arena here Saturday and added another length to the string by defeating Kingston fourteen to three. The Dentals played a fast game throughout, and kept the visitors goaler busy from the start.

COAST HOCKEY LEAGUE

TO FRAGMENTS' TEAM

H. H. Brown to Make Further Donation in Addition to Charity Trophy

Close critics of local sport are not unappreciative of the "real stuff" when it is delivered. Saturday's international fixture at the Royal Athletic Park, when the 91st Division of Camp Lewis was beaten by the Fragments From France was a thriller in every sense of the word.

It will be remembered that some weeks ago H. H. Brown, of this city, offered a charity trophy cup to be played for annually between local militiamen and an eleven from the American Cantonment. The locals were, of course, successful in winning the cup and Mr. Brown was so pleased with the exhibition put up by the Fragments that he announced his intention to donate a specially prepared medal to each member of the Esquimalt Hospital team.

President Payne, of the Victoria and District Football Association, this morning expressed gratification over the action of Mr. Brown and remarked that it was probable that a suitable opportunity would be provided when the presentations might be made.

Yesterday morning several members of the reception committee accompanied the Americans to the Seattle boat, which left for the Sound at 10 o'clock. Bach man of the party expressed himself in terms of the warmest gratifude for the welcome which had been accorded them during their sojourn in Victoria. The relationships thus established by the visit point to a creating of the most cordial attitude between the sporting world of this city and that of the great American Cantonment.

TWO FAST GAMES AT Y. M. C. A. SATURDAY

Intermediate Basketball Gives Crusaders and St. John's Close Wins

In the intermediate Division of the Sunday School Association Basketball League four games were played on Saturday in the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A., and although two of these were decidedly one-sided, the others provided most interesting competition. The game of the evening was that between the Crusaders and the Presbyterian B aggregation. The Crusaders won twenty-nine to twenty-six, after a neck and neck contest. It was a game of real class, and either team might have won right to the close of the match.

might have won right to the close of the match.

The Reformed Episcopals were ex-pected to win from the St. John's team, but the latter piled in twenty-five points to their opponents twenty-two. This game was also close and produc-tive of no little enthusiasm on the part of the supporters of both clubs. The Metropolitans won from the Cen-The Metropolitans won from the Centennials by forty-three to seven, and the Presbyterian A club vanquished the Christ Church squad by forty-three to nine. Archie McKinnon made a very ac-ceptable referee for the entire series.

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RELIES ON AIRMEN TO BREAK GERMANY

Invasion on an Unprecedented Scale This Year Predicted by R. R. Hearne

patch to a London paper stated that American opinion was that Britain ranked last among the leading members of the grand alliance in air power bers of the grand alliance in air power.
This statement was not controverted, because discussions affecting national susceptibilities at a time like the present are inopportune. Among air experts here there exists a confident belief that British efforts in the provision of actial fighting craft and the training of men will prove equal to the necessities of the great aerial campaign expected in the spring, and that the bal-

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Says Air Campaign Is Best.

There is a very strong case, there-fore, for a powerful attack on the two-nerve systems by which Germany holds out so determinedly, and when we come of men will prove equal to the necessities of the great aerial campaign expected in the spring, and that the balance in favor of the Entente will be tipped decisively by America's contribution.

In a statement prepared for The New York Times R. R. Hearne, author. of "Aerial Warfare" and a well-known anthority on the subject, says:

"The Germans are now working with all their energy to carry the air war this year to every part of Britain within range. It will be a ruthless and terrible war unless we are well prepared. Big bombing machines with their 900 mile range of action can menace Glasgow and Belfast as' well as London and the Midlands.

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LEGISLATION WILL HAVE CONSIDERABLY

BROADENED OUTLOOK

Irrigation Measure Under Preparation by the Minister of Lands

PRE-EMPTION LAWS TO

Although as yet the legislation deal-ng with irrigation is not out of the he measure to be introduced during he present seasion of the Legislature of Lands, will be of an extremely broad now gone a good deal further, and in yiew of its vital importance to all farmers in the Dry Beit and other parts of the province where the tillers of the soil labor under the difficulties of water supply, subjected the original draft measure to an extensive broadening with a good deal more "eibow room" let in. mmediate and future needs. He has

Not the least inconsiderable aim of the Minister is the protection of the water user and the affording to him of every facility to make his rural enterprise thrive. The Bill the Minister will introduce is by no means designed to unload the obligations of the various defunct water carrying companies on to the shoulders of the province, but more especially to give assistance to the man who has shown that he is anxious to produce, providing he can be guaranteed the wherewithal in the way of water. In other words the man who has helped himself will naturally see the greatest benefit in the measure to be introduced by the Minister. On the other hand the legislation itself will open up further possibilities to the farmer who realizes that, given water, the dry belt will produce almost anything that will grow.

To Alter Pre-Emption Laws.

It is also understood that before the present session of the House rises, leg-

To Alter Pre-Emption Laws.

It is also understood that before the present session of the House rises, legislation considerably altering the pre-emption laws will be introduced. While on the streets, and a number of stores twas, however, a little more life visible on the streets, and a number of stores take, it is generally conceded that, by which had been closed on the previous occasion had ventured to take down the shutters and invite business.

On the whole, however, it may be stated that the streets are suppossible. way of such legislative enactment, an effective cure will be provided for the speculator and irresponsible land grabber. The essential feature of the Bill, it is understood, will provide for the preemption of surveyed lands only, with certain exceptions, however, to provide for the examine of small tracts to an

Know "Where Are We At?"

OBITUARY RECORD

The death took place last evening at her home, 650 Pine Street, of Mrs. William McFarlane, beloved wife of William McFarlane, at the age of forty-eight. She was a native of Scotland, and had been a resident of this city for the past two years. She leaves to mourn her loss, besides her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Smart, and one son, William McFarlane, at present in France. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. J. G. Inkster will officiate.

PROVE INTERESTING

Serious Falling Off in Birth Rate and Benedicts Much Fewer

VICTORIA'S DEATH **RATE LOWER IN 1917**

Vital statistics covering British Combia for the year 1917 show a startng decrease in births and marriage lation of the Province is about the ame as 1916, for although there has influx of labor which the provincial statisticians declare have offset mili-tary depletion.

There was in 1917 a decrease of 1,893 births in this province by comparison with the record of the preceding year. The total births for 1916 were 7,475 as against 6,083 for 1917. There was also a falling off in marriage licenses secured, 303 less in number being taken out in 1917 than in the preceding year. The 1916 marin the preceding year. The 1916 mar-riage license total was 3,169 as against 2,861 for last year. Reports show that three of the 1917 ficenses were either discarded, or marriage ceremony de-layed, as the total marriages recorded within the province for 1917 is three less than the number of licenses se-

that of 1916 had it not been for the Fernie disaster of 1917. As it is on record there were 3,898 deaths in 1917 as against 3,887 for 1916, an increase of nine deaths. Fernie deaths in 1916 were 87 as against 140 for 1917. The mortality rate was apparently higher in the leading cities, although lower in the smaller cities, towns and rural districts. Victoria's death rate shows districts. Victoria's death rate shows a decrease, being 476 for 1917 and 533 New Westminster's rate is given as 243 for 1917 and 212 for the preceding

4 Import of the Law. parents negrect to register the orthodological and discrepancy arises in the official statistics. For instance, in Vancouver alone, out of 2,251 births during 1917 recorded by the attending physicians the birth registration cards filed by the pirth registration cates need by parents are 243 short of that number, which means that 243 children in Vancouver are not properly protested by records of the province establishing their birth and attendant facts. In this city there are 294 cases where the doc-tors have reported attending births, yet these 294 infants have no official

Soldiers' Wives.

The Department of Public Health draws public attention to these facts as being vitally important for the future of the Infants themselves. The military authorities, in all matters affecting payment of patriotic allowances of all kinds, demand proper birth cer-tificates, while for various and obvious reasons there is every necessity that the infant should be protected by offiwhich he such renewal machinery is the all Australian railways, State-owned; but, The Hon. John Oliver, acting Premier that the infant should be protected by official record. Dr. Young states that the activities of the Department along educational lines will be prosecuted with the utmost vigor. Partly as a means to this end there is contemplated the publication of a semi-monthly bulletin in which will be treated in accessible form matters pertaining to this very important department.

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BILLS PASSED HOUSE BEFORE ADJOURNING

Hon. John Oliver is Acting Premier During Mr. Brewster's Absence

Despite the fact that the sitting of the House this afternoon was merely intended as a formality, a Bill styled an Act for the Relief of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, sponsored by H.

C. Hall, M. P. P., and introduced on January is always a dull month for

the City of Victoria, sponsored by H.

C. Hall, M. P. P., and introduced on behalf of the Government by the Hon lohn Hart, Minister of Finance, passed through the customary three readings and received the Royal Assent before the said formality was completed. Similarly were the final stages of the Attorney-General's Bill validating the Municipal Elections of 1918 completed and the Royal assent given.

The necessity for these measures and their prompt passage was recognized by the Government and the Leader of the Opposition, the latter very readily agreeing to facilitate passage. The nature of the Victoria Bill is to give power to the City of Victoria to renew its Treasury Notes to the value of one million dollars which fall due on March I next. The Act is now deemed to have come into force, and will take effect as and from February 7, 1918, prior to which no such renewal machinery existed.

The Hon, John Oliver, acting Premier during the absence of the Hon, H. C.



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Proceeds Silver Chain tea, Mrs.

McNaughton

James Bay Branch.

The Military Five Hundred given under the auspices of the people of the James Bay Red Cross held in the dining room of the James Bay Hotel Wednesday, February 6, was a great success. Much credit is due to Mrs. Charlesworth and her committee for a very pleasant evening, also to Mrs. Allen, who gave willing assistance. The priges were won by Mrs. Lawson, Miss Lowell, W. Shotbelt and Mr. Dalby.

ated the steps taken by the Society during the past year.

The report of the finances of the society showed that the sum of \$625.71 ments.

1918. Donations had amounted to \$5.60, refund \$3, and for Christmas (theer \$12, bringing the total receipts to \$637.81, with expenditure amounting to \$632.84, spent in buying milk, eggs, medicine, fruit, comforts, etc.

The committee wish to thank Weiler Bros for loan of cups and saucers, and all who contributed toward the refreshments.

Donations have been received from the following: Mr. MacKenzie for fifty bundles of gum fire lighters; Mrs. Stewart, old linen; MacKay & Gillespie, for one-half cups and saucers, and all who contributed toward the refreshments. eight property bags; Mrs. Brodrick, a set of cut glass carver rests for raffle table.

Cadboro Bay.

The Cadboro Bay Red Cross Branch, is to hold an entertainment in the school-house, Finerty Road, on Friday, February 22, Local-and outside talent will take part. An interesting concert programme is being prepared, to be followed by a dance and a whist drive. Refreshments will be served. The convener, Mrs. Leonard, asks some good friends to assist with inexpensive gifts to be used as prizee for the whist drive.

The regular weekly work day of this branch will in the future be on Thursday.

Fernwood Branch.

clothed and housed under direct Government control, for of population in the "inside country" there was none. The first through train, conveying the mails, made a triumphal fourney from Western Australia to the Esstern States. The line is of 4 ft. 5% in.

2.00 States. The line is of 4 it. 254 in. gauge, and the rolling stock is luxuri2.00 there are first and second-class sleeping coaches, day coaches and dhuling cars, and, for the luxurious, the depth of the state of the state of the state of the second-class sleeping coaches, day coaches and dhuling cars, and, for the luxurious, the depth of a path.

It is a far call from the camel pack to the sleeping-caf, but Australia has accomplished the evolution in 60 months.—Tit-Bits.

nerous Inquiries.—The Victoria

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MORE PREMISES OPEN FOR PUBLIC SERVICE

Otherwise Yesterday's Sunday

shutters and invite business.

On the whole, however, it may be stated that the list of names was substantially similar to the previous one, except that with an increase in the number of premises open, there were more names taken. The businesses which were available for public service compared with February 2 were garages, news and tobacco stands. Still in all these lines there was divergence of opinion shown, some taking a chance on the final settlement between the Attorney-General and the Police Commissioners, others being unwilling to resume business for the necessity.

E. i idora Ave. .

on the final settlement between the Attorney-General and the Police Commissioners, others being unwilling to resume business for the present.

One distinct change was noted, the police state, and that is with regard to the business transacted by dairies. On February 3 only occasional sales were reported, yesterday on the other hand there was no hesitation in making sales of milk, and the names of proprietors were duly noted.

The day passed off without incident, the procedure being simple. Those open fully expected a cell and in that respect they were not disappointed. The names will be held, together with those taken on the previous Sunday, and any further action will depend upon the future negotiations between the officials concerned in the enforcement of the Lord's Day Act.

Production is generally accepted, while the case of the isolated settler, miles away from transportation, has been a black eye to the settlement of British Columbia for some time past. The manusire than in its broad sense will also be designed to cure the case of the man who has settled himself on lands where the hope of the surveyor's intrusion was of the remotest.

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TAKE COVER.

Among the organization connected with the war is one very quietly but very effectively organized and directed—the London Ambulance Service, especially at night, and the London Ambulance Service specially at night, and the London Ambulance Service of the London Ambulance service ambulance are painted a dark slate color.

The moment a report reaches head-quarters that an air-raid is imminent every ambulance volunteer receives a telephone message. Then, albeit the volunteer may be just sitting down to his dinner or supper, off he drives his ambulance to the headquarters of the London Ambulance Service, or to one of the chief ambulance stations, according to the location to which he may be attached; and there he walts until his services may be required to succor the wounded.

A peep behind the scenes at the headquarters on the occasion of an air-raid reveals a perfect system. Up

t doesn't seem right," said the mi worn-out shoes. Vhat doesn't seem right?"

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"That a mere cow can afford to wear all that leather."—Washington Star.

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BATTLE STORIES FROM THE WEST FRONT

Repelling a German Raid

By "Z."

"There hadn't been much doing on our bit of the front," said a wounded soldier, who belonged to a southern County Regiment. "Just a raid or two now and then to keep Fritz busy. He has been doing something in that line himself, but somehow it never comes off very well for him. You never can tell when he's going to have a shot at you with a raid, though it's usually between about ten at night and dawn, it was in one of his raids, or after it was over, that I got this packet that brought me back to blighty. Nothing much, just a bullet through the bone of my left arm, below the elbow. It'll soon mend.

"The gentleman that works the X-rays let me have a look at my arm when he was doing me, and he gave me a print off the plate. It's funny to see your own bones. If you like to look in my locker, there's a reddish big envelope that the print's in. You can see the two bones, one of them

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A peep behind the scenes at the headquarters on the occasion of an air-raid reveals a perfect system. Up in the little "L. A. S." office an official sits at a table whereon is a map of London mounted on a board and showing the various ambulance stations. Beside the map is a little board containing some hundreds of glass-topped pins, colored and numbered. In front is a telephone switchboard communicating with the exchange, and with direct lines to each of the ambulance stations, etc.

As a message comes in from an ambulance station, as message comes into the map indicating the position of the map. So the pins on the map continue to grow in two parties and he so the position of the map indicating the position of the map. So the pins on the map continue to grow in two parties and he so the position of the map indicating the

"We were hanking on the Germans

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was when I got mine in the arm. I didn't notice it much—I was too busy. It rtung me a bit, though, and the arm was kind of numb. The Fritzes in the sap 'Kameraded,' and then on the level started to retire.

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me a print off the plate. It's funny to see your own bones. If you like to look in my locker, there's a reddish big envelope that the print's in. You can see the two bones, one of them broken."

(He was very pleased with the print which showed one of the two bones broken, with a cloud of minute splinters round the fracture. It was evident that he would not have much trouble.

"The funny thing about it is that I chucked a few bombs after being hit and could pull out the pins with my left hand all the same. It was a bit numb, that's all," the soldier continued. "We had a few chaps out that night—listening in posts among the shell-holes. Fritz had been trying to be very offensive for a week or more when was in a listening post and didn't we would be it is that our trench.

They all the wounded prisoners and given the print's get away with any of our chaps, except one fellow on the right, except for the one in the arm and the other in the leg. They were firing pretty heavy from the line into the clearing station and I heard that we'd given the Fritzes all they wanted and two whole ones. Then there was a lot two whole ones. Then there was a lot two whole ones are the way with any of our chaps, except one fellow on the right.

He walked in briskly, and said to the man in charge:

"You are the one, I believe, who sold me my second-hand motor?"

"Yes, sir."

"It hasn't run since I bought it."

"Yes, sir."

"The tyres crumbled in pieces on the second day."

"Yes, sir."

"The paint flaked off, the electricity wouldn't splutter a spark, the gas tank had a hole in the bottom, and all the spark plugs were missing."

"Yes, sir."

"Yes, sir."

"Knowing that I have no remedy in the law, and that I can't get anything the law, and that I can't get anything the law, and that I do not controlled the only

to proceed to the spot.

Then, directly a message comes over the wire announcing that an ambulance is leaving headquarters or another station, the glass-topped pin identifying it is transferred to the spot on the map whither it has gone, and thus the official can see at a glance what is happening.

The map on the table of the little room at headquarters tells at a glance exactly where every one of the ambulance is located at any moment—Tit-Bits.

NATURE'S LAVISHNESS.

by the sap. Inen we let drive, rines. Lewis-guns, bombs, everything, into the crowd of them.

"Our officer was hoping they'd force on to the empty sap, if they had the pluck, and some of them did. They save, to curb extravangance. But the war is illuminating thrift. The subject becomes interesting. Imagination in the sup of the whistle, all but one at the end of the sap behind a barricade. It strafed these Fritzes proper. Up on the level we were bombing them in the sap as hard as we could and of course doing what we could to the rest among the wire.

NATURE'S LAVISHNESS. this great struggle, and as a recom-pense we will have inculcated a habit that through generations to come must not firing while their own then were on the level, but some of them got the wind up and started firing. That through generations to come serve the happiness and welfare the wind up and started firing. That

DATE October 1916.

MEXICO'S WAR POLICY

So Thinks Visitor Who Knows So Says Havelock Wilson; Spain of To-day

out in the open, and declare herself for the Allies. Orders were coming in when I left for the north from the cities, begging for flour shipments. The internal conditions, of brigandage and destruction of grain has decreased the normal condition of the grops, which normal condition of the crops, which have always suffered from primitive methods of cultivation and lack of irrigation in the central plateau. It is not to be expected that the peons would grow produce when they were liable to have it burnt or harvested by the brigands for their own sustenance as soon

Half Million Men.

Asked whether intervention will be essential after the war to straighten out the wreck of organized government which remains in that distracted country, Mr. Burrows estimates that it will require action by the United States on a similar but more extended scale than which occurred in Cuba and the Phillippines. He says that 500,000 men would be required to carry out an effective occupation, and that would not be a man too many.

September 19, you know, on a fine Sunday afternoon. Crossing the roadways, like and sent diplomatic representatives. The United States, as a co-belligerent, has not been consulted and officials are inclined to doubt the report.

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AUSTRIAN AGENTS

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In some respects it is the richest country in the world, and yet contains some of the most degraded conditions.

and difficulties of transportation.

Ballots, Not Bullets.

There can never be any true advance in Mexico, Mr. Burrowge says, until the ballot is a real protection, and the system of nomination of offices by the executive abolished. Men are declared elected whether they poll the highest or the lowest vote on the returns. He denies there is any real prejudice against the foreign capitalist in Mexico and states that the peons would sooner.

Philadelphia, Feb. 11.—Officials at the University Hospital said early to-day that Sir Evariste Leblanc, Lieu-tenant-Governor of Quebec, was rest-ing comfortably. They declined to state the nature of his illness, but said he was in no danger. was in no danger.

A CORN SURVEY.

Washington, Feb. 11.-To fac the speedy movement of soft corn, the Bureau of Markets of the Dentinett of Agriculture has undertaken an im-mediate survey of the soft corn situa-tion throughout the corn-producing

A college graduate was walking down the street one evening with a friend of Irish descent, and, pausing to look at at the starry sky, remarked with enthusi-

Seamen Will Boycott German Goods

Food versus money will be the determining factor in Mexican relation to the war. The Mexicans are very short of food, expecially cereals and the embargo by the United States on exports of these essential commodities is likely to force the southern republic into a definite course with regard to the war. There is a strong pro-German sentiment in the army, but although it is backed by the money of the Teutonic capitalists, it is realized that Germany could not give any effective aid, and that it would bring down upon the country an army of occupation which would change the whole course of Mexican history.

These are some of the personal views of E. S. Burrowes, manager of the Oliver American Trading Company, merchants and shipperg who is visiting war, and that end the absolute defeat of the Surrowes.

U. S. Embargo.

Wr. Burrowes has been in a position to judge intelligently of the situation during the last few months, as he makes his headquarters on the border at Brownsville. Texas, and is frequently in different parts of the republic in connection with the business of his company, "It is the general impression," he says, "that the embargo on tood stuffs will force Mexico to come out in the open, and declare herself for the Allies. Orders were coming in when I left for the north from the eities.

London in Its Fourth Year of War

A Fine Sunday Afternoon.

All manner of pleasing, fine Sunday afternoon thoughts engrossed me as I strolled along the Malt, and through the Admiralty arch into Trafalgar Square, writes a press correspondent.

"The Government, so far as its authority goes, is on the whole friendly to the Allies, but German money is keeping up a resolute propaganda, and a paper devoted to the Teutonic interest is published in Mexico City, in the Spanish language. However, it is appreciated that action by the Mexicans adverse to the United States would lead to an intervention which Germany would be powerless to reaist."

Asked whether intervention will be essential after the war to stralgelate.

All manner of pleasing, fine Sunday afternoon thoughts engrossed me as I strolled along the Malt, and through the Admiralty arch into Trafalgar Square, writes a press correspondent. I stopped to admire the fine equestrian statue of Charles the First, still wearing his head, poor gentleman, quite in admined of the Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates, as well as by the French Redefinance of historic accuracy. How tactful it was of the authorities to set up Cromwell's statue out of sight behave poor Charles never got on together.

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highway was once a Roman suburb Ther in the Middle Ages it was a nar-In some respects it is the richest country in the world, and yet contains some of the most degraded conditions. Silver mining, which has been the staple industry for exploitation since the white men displaced the Aztec civilization, has been given a tremendous encouragement by the steady appreciation of silver, which would pay in Mexico at forty-six cents but is now quoted from eighty-five cents to eighty-seven cents an ounce. However, he states that the industry will have to see some readjustment, as, while the product has doubled in price, the operating expenses have quadrupled, on account of cost of materials and difficulties of transportation.

Ballots, Not Bullets.

The Strand is still—a street of theatres and hotels, outfitting shops and state foreign capitalist in Mexico and states that the peons would some work for the white man than for the natives.

BOY WAS LOST WHEN BRITISH DESTROYER

BOXER WENT DOWN

London, Feb. 11.—The British torsed boat destroyer Boxer was munk as the night of February 8 is the

are more manly, women more womanly now.

Of recent years the Dominions and their several states or provinces have put up buildings or rented shops in the Strand to advertise their states. These line the way on either hand so that one sees the minerals, fruit and grain, and portly vegetables, pictures of cities and crowded harbors, of factories and streets in all an exhibition of the Empire. The shops may be almost empty of staff, but in front of them one sees Canadian, Australian, Africander or New Zealand soldiers, applaining things to the discharged men and the wounded; unpaft agents, missionaries, each for his own wholesome and thriving country.

There are few streets of such inspiring beauty and varied interest as this main thoroughfare of the British capital. The airy logst of the Gaiety, Somerset House, one of the mobilest buildings of modern times, the island churches in the highway, the grave, spired heights of the Law Courts, the byway glimpses of the Thames and the Surrey hills, make one torget the crowds, the urgent traffic, and catch

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ALLEGE UKRAINIAN REPUBLIC RECOGNIZED

Bolsheviki Say Ukrainians Claim Britain and France Have Acted

London, Feb. 11.-The remarkable tatement that France and Great Britain have recognized the Ukrainian tepublic and sent diplomatic reprentatives there is contained in an official statement sent out by the Rusofficial statement sent out by the Russian wireless news agency and issued here through a press bureau. The statement is made in the course of a report of the proceedings at Brest-Litovsk of February 1 at which M. Severuik, apparently the new chairman of the Ukrainian delegation, is reported as saying that by an act of the Ukrainian Rada on November 7 the Ukrainian Republic declared that these diplomatic representatives had been appointed.

Amsterdam, Feb. II.—The Berlin Vos-sische Zeitung says that three official representatives of Austrian agricultural societies have gone to Kiev to discuss economic questions.

BRITISH FEELING OUT ENEMY LINES, BERLIN SAYS TO-DAY

Berlin, Feb. 11.—Increased activity a Lorraine and the Vosges is reported o-day by the War Office here. (The American sector is in Lorraine). It Flanders there were violent local en-gagements. The communication fol-

Western front—Army Group of Frince Rupprecht—Réconnoitring, ad-vances by British troops at many points in Flanders and Artois led to violent

Washington, Feb. 11.—Fuel Administrator Garfield is expected to issue an order to-morrow formally suspending the Monday closing order. Better weather conditions and improved traffic situation, the Fuel Administration believes, make further enforcement of the order unnecessary.

MOOSE JAW Y.M.C.A.

Moose Jaw, Feb. 11.—The Y.M.C.A. campaign here to raise \$10,000 has proven a great success, \$11,000 having been reported as subscribed on Saturday. Eighty per cent. of the subscriptions is in.

ONTARIO SHERIFF DIES.

Simose, Ont., Feb. 11.—Dr. Frederick Snyder, sheriff of Norfolk County ince 1909, died at his home here yes-erday after an illness of some dura-

PRESENT SITUATION IN EASTERN THEATRE

London, Feb. 2.—The Bolsheviki have declared Russia out of the war. Without formally signing a peace treaty, they have, through their representatives at Brest-Litovsk, declared the state-of war with the Central Powers at an end and ordered the Russian troops on all fronts demobilized. This news, coming through Berlin today, follows quickly the announcement of the signing of a peace with the Ukrainian Republic by the Central Powers. With Roumania isolated and helpless, war on the whole Eastern front may now be said to be at an end. It has been recognized generally that some such conclusion probably was inevitable. The Bolsheviki have held up to their people the idea that the peoples of the Central Powers would not permit further attacks by their armies upon the Russian proletariet and that these powers, and in fact the entire world, would soon be in the throes of revolution similar to that of the proletariat in Russia.

CARGO OF SUGAR TO **VANCOUVER THIS WEEK**

Vancouver, Feb. 11.—Under charter to W. R. Grace & Company, the steam-ship Admiral Goodrich is expected here this week from Peruvian ports with a cargo of sugar. She is owned by the Pacific Steamship Company and will be turned over to this firm white

on Friday from San Francisco. She has been trading here under charter to the Pacific Steamship Company, but this will be her last voyage in the business and she will revert to her owners, the Pacific American Fisheries, of Bellingham.

TRANSPORT WORKERS IN VANCOUVER ORGANIZING

Vancouver, Feb. 11.—The latest move Vancouver, Feb. 11.—The latest move in labor circles here is a proposal to form a body to be known as the Federation of Transport Workers, and it is expected to be organized this week. The Federation would take such unions as the longshoremen, teamsters and chauffeurs and other bodies connected with the handling of cargo or city freight. Several of the unions interested have selected delegates to be presented. ested have selected delegates to be pre-sent at the organization meeting.

UNDER ARMY ACT.

Regina, Feb. 11.-M. McCausland, of the law firm of Turnbull & McAusland, has received appointment from Ottawa as Public Representative for Saskatchewan under the Military Ser-

PLOTTED IN STATES.

San Francisco, Feb. 11.-Accused of san Francisco, Feb. II.—Accused of connection with a plot to supply Ger-man raiders and other war vessels out of Buenos Ayres, Presidential war-rants have been served here on Rolf, Bartel, a hospital interne, and William Bernhart Loeber, a street car

GRAINS REMAINED FIRM AT CHICAGO

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WINNIPEG MARKET

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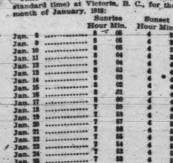
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RIVERS INLET CANNERY

Inlet canneryman, who was at the Dominion Hotel yesterday, says that while the northern cannerymen are looking forward to the opening up of the 1918 season, some alterations and repairs are in progress at a number of the canneries during the outer season. Marina and Scheduler of forthwith notify the Minister of Marina and Scheduler of Scheduler of the Minister of Marina and Scheduler of the Minister of Marina and Scheduler of the Minister of Marina and Scheduler of the Minister of the Minister of Marina and Scheduler of the Minister of Marina and Scheduler of the Minister of

SUNRISE AND SUNSET.



MARINE OFFICERS MUST REGISTER

All Holders of Certificates of Competency to Comply With Regulations Before April 30

That a proper and complete registe all be kept by the Marine Departent of all persons in Canada who gage by the Dominion Government, and in onnection the following regulations have been issued:

Every person residing in Canada not more than sixty-five years of age who holds a certificate of competency the date of his birth and the date ar the canneries during the quiet season, indicating that there is every confidence in the future of the industry.

In fact, he says, conditions in the way of food stuffs have become such

mind what varieties are canned.

Like every other industry, at a time when the resources of British Columbia are available for the feeding, sheltering, and protecting of the non-producing millions of Europe, Mr. Sedtt says the cannerymen are suffering from high cost of supplies and the cost of operation has jumped materially. Oriental labor being employed in the rough work, there has not been the same labor shortage as with other industries and all the canneries which will be operating this year can get plenty of men through the contractors,

dustries and all the canneries which will be operating this year can get plenty of men through the contractors, he states.

With regard to the prospects of the 1918 season, he declines to offer any opinion, saying it would be premature to say anything at the present time.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET. in-form D in the schedule. And every person shall at all reasonable times permit any person thereto authorized by the Minister of Marine and Fisher-les to enter such premises and make such enquiries as he may desire for the purpose of ascertaining what, if any, certificates any of such employees may hold and any other information that he may require in connection therewith.

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iable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding \$100, or to imprisonment for any term not exceeding two months, or to both fine and imprison-

COASTWISE BOATS MUST SECURE PERMIT BEFORE LEAVING PORT

San Francisco, Feb. 11.—All vessels engaged in coastwise shipping on the Pacific Coast hereafter must secure special permits before clearing from port, according to an announcement by Collector of Customs John O. Davis. The order became effective yesterday. It was designed, Davis said, to enable the government to obtain an accurate estimate of the carrying capacity and number of vessels engaged in coastwise trade.

LABOR AND EMPLOYERS **DISCUSS SITUATION**

Joint Deputation Representing Shipyard Workers Meet Shipbuilding Director

The attifude of the men is being placed in concrete form before the shipbuilding director and upon the outcome of this conference depends the continuance of work at the shipwards continuance of work at the shipwards of the Imperial Munitions Board at Victoria, Vancouver, North Vancouver, New Westminster and Coquitiam. The whole matter hinges upon the interpretation with regard to its local application of the ten per cent. bonus granted by the United States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation which became effective in American yards on the Pacific coast December 15 last. the Pacific coast December 15 last.

not apply on this side of the border.

The labor organizations affected while admitting that the ten per cent

Five Thousand Men

In the event of this afternoon's con-ference failing to be concluded amic-ably it is expected that a special meet-ing of the Metal Trades Council will be called with a view to taking meas-

be called with a view to taking measures to enforce the demands.
Should a strike be called, not only the wooden shipyards, but also the plants having in hand contracts for auxiliary machinery, will be affected, involving some 5,000 men all told.
The contractors for the auxiliary machinery claim that any further advance in wages would place them at a disadvantage, involving a serious loss to

OLD ESTABLISHED FIRM CHANGES NAME

Wharf Street, has been completely re-organized and is now operated under the name of Ship Chandlers, Ltd., with W. Christie as president and Lincoln-Smith as managing director. The firm of Peter McQuade, & Sons-was established the year 1858.

Prince Rupert—Snow; 29.28; 32; sea moderate. AGAINST USE OF GAS BOATS.

Prince Rupert, B. C., Feb. 11.—J. G. Desbarats has advised G. W. Nickerson that most of the testimony from cannerymen and fishermen is overwhelmingly against the use of gas boats in fishing district No. 2. A decision as to their use will be made shortly, it is stated. In reply to Mr. Desbarats Mr. Nickerson said that the canners opposed the use of gas boats because it would break the fishing monopoly in the North.

WHARF REPAIRS AT SIDNEY.

The Vancouver Island Pile Driving Company has completed making extensive repairs to the wharf at James Island. With the company is now installing a new float and making repairs to the wharf at James Island. With the company that Island. With the company is now installing a new float and making repairs to the wharf at James Island. With the company is now installing a new float and making repairs to the wharf at James Island. With the com-Prince Rupert, B. C., Feb. 11.-J. G.

rantine station, where twenty-six-dolphins and a large number of ler piles will be driven

IN TRAIN SERVICE IS NOW PREDICTED

Matter Under Consideration by Canadian Railway Association for National Defence

Winnipeg, Feb. 11.—It is now a ured that there will be a further r duction in passenger train service if the West, the Canadian Press, Ltd., officially advised. The matter is ut der consideration by the administra-tive sub-committee of the Canadia Railway Association for national defence. The question of train mileage has resolved itself into one of fuel From present indications it is altogether probable that coal from the United er probable that coal from the United States for Canadian use will be far short of previous years. In sorder to conserve fuel and have some on hand to handle the fall crop, further reduction in passenger trains becomes imperative, especially on the Canadian Pacific, it is fearned.

There is a feeling on the American side that Canadian railways last year were given their full supply of coal from the Pennsylvañia mines, while industries and railways in that country had to curtail for lack of fuel and inconsequence the railways of Canada feel that unless every disposition on

WAR NOOTKA WILL ARRIVE THIS WEEK

Western Canada Ship Due to Leave Vancouver on Thursday for Ogden Point

Delivery of the first Vancouver-built wooden steamship at the Ogden Point assembling plant will be made toward the lätter part of this week. According to advices received from the mainland the War Nootka, product of the West-con Carola, Shipuards, will, probable

30.60; 34; thick seawar Cape Lazó-Cloudy; S. E., fresh; 29 86; 41; light swell. Pachena-Overcast; S. E., fresh;

29.90; 39; sea moderate. Estevan—Rain; S. E.,

Point Grey—Rain; S. E., strong; 30.00; 37; thick seaward. Capi Lazo—Passing showers; S. E., strong; 25.71; 38; sea rough. Pachena—Rain; S. S., strong; 29.74;

Washington, Feb. 11.—Hearing be-fore the American-Canadian fisheries conference will open in Seattle April 24. be closed.

STEAMER DAVID RODGERS LAUNCHED AT SEATTLE

e steel steamship David Rodgers aunched on Saturday afternoon at eattle plant of the Skinner &

Eddy Corporation.

The David Rodgers is one of the fleet of \$,000-ton steel freighters ordered from the Skinner & Eddy Corporation by B. Stolt-Nielsen, of Faugesund, Norway, Mit commandeered by the United States Shipping Board.

She is 423.9 feet long with a beam of fifty-four feet and a depth of 23.9 feet. The keel was laid down on November 8, and she was launched in seventy-six

The steamship was christened after David Rodgers, general manager of the Skinner & Eddy Corporation.

JAPANESE LINER IS

Infection Discovered Aboard Expected to Delay Ship Several Days

ALL PASSENGERS ARE LANDED AT WILLIAM HEAD

days.

Special Precautions.

In view of the scare that has been prevalent here recently the quarantine officials are taking special prevalent here recently the quarantine officials are taking special prevalent here recently the quarantine officials are taking special prevalent here recently the quarantine officials are taking special prevalent here recently the quarantine officials are taking special prevalent here recently the quarantine officials are taking special prevalent here recently the quarantine officials are taking special prevalent here recently the quarantine officials are taking special prevalent here recently the quarantine officials are taking special prevalent here recently the quarantine officials are taking special prevalent here recently the quarantine officials are taking special prevalent here recently the quarantine of the wing to have her engines in steal prevalent at various points to take place on February 16, at \$2.0 a. rigid inspection before being allowed to proceed.

Recent reports from the Orient in the Far East. The most stringent to take place on February 16, at \$2.0 a. m., when the christening ceremony will be performed by Mrs. Vance, wife of the mayor of North Vancouver.

The War Puget is 258 feet in length over all, with a deadweight tonnage of 2,800. The keel was laid down on August 21 last, and the hull was ready for launching weeks ago, but was held up owing to delay in securing delivery of certain steeb parts.

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million dollars. The insurance on the silk cargo alone is enormous. For this port the steamship carried 1,200 tons of freight and 700 bags of

Number Aboard.

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The number of passengers on the deained steamship is 173 all told, there
eing fifty-seven saloon, forty-three
teerage and a Japanese tourist party
umbering 13 persons. It is not anicipated that the whole of this list
vill be detained for any length of
time. The majority will be allowed to
record with the while as soon as they proceed with the ship as soon as they have been declared free of contagion. All the baggage is being put ashore and preparations are under way for a thorough fumigation of the steamship.

JAPANESE OFFICERS FOR NIPPON VESSELS

His Excellency the Governor-Ge His Excellency the devernor-ten-eral in Council, on the recommenda-tion of the Minister of Customs, is pleased to order that the Customs Outport of Shushartle Bay, under the survey of the Port of Nanaimo, in the Province of British Columbia, shall

Vancouver-Daily at 2 and 11.45 p.m. Seattle-Daily at 4.30 p.m.

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UMATILLA DUE HERE

Large Number of Chinese Passengers Will Embark Here for Far East

With a suspected case, or cases, of smallpox aboard, one of the big Japaneses liners of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha fleet was detained at the William Head quarantine station this forenoon following her arrival from the Orient. Wireless messages flashed ashore indicated that all was not well aboard the steamship and the fears that some infection had broken out among the passengers during the voyage across the Pacific were confirmed after a preliminary examination had been made by Dr. H. Rundle. Nelson, Canadian quarantine officer at William Head.

The liner brought in a large number of passengers, and at noon to-day it was learned that all the travelers had been ordered ashore in order that they may come more closely under the observation of the quarantine officers. The extent of the infection could not be ascertained, but it is understood that it will be necessary that the steamship Umatilla is due to touch at this port from Seattle to embark a number of Chinese passengers booked through the local agents of the Pacific Steamship Company. The

of the N. Y. K. fleet, be detained at William Head for approximately three days.

Special Precautions.

The steamship Queen, of the Pacific Steamship Company's coastal fleet, which was due to reach here last night from San Francisco, is running a day to receipt made necessary.

violent during the past week-end. The Watson is looked for at Scattle

The time used is Facilie valuated to be 120th meridian west. It is counted to meridian west. It is counted to the 120th meridian west. It is counted to the figures for height serve the figures for height serve through high water from low water here blanks occur in the tables, the rises or falls continuously during two accessive tidal periods without turning The height is in feet and tenths of et, above the average level of lower water.

MORE COAL FOR BOILERS

New York, Feb. 11.-Greater numption of bituminous coal by rail roads and factories is one of the res sons assigned by the Fuel Administra-tion at Washington for the existin tuel scarcity throughout the easter half of the country.

BACK TO ITALY.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 11.—The squad Italian aviators which has been in structing American filers at Langle Field has been ordered home

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dicate that smailpox has been extensively prevalent at various points with delay is the steamer Admiral in the Far East. The most stringent regulations are being enforced at Chinses and Japanese ports to prevent contamination and the embarkation of sample of the embarkation of t the name of the tug Dorothy Symo of Vancouver, Official Number 1265-owned by the Department of Pub

The G. T. P. steamship Prince Ru-pert, Capt. Duncan McKenzie, left port at 10 o'clock this morning on her re-turn trip to Prince Rupert and Anyog via Vancouver.

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On Saturday evening last Frencis G. Hanchett, who war formerly Assistant States Attorney in Chicago, Ill. gave the last of his series of four lectures

the last of his series of four lectures on Theosophy in the Connaught Seamen's Institute. In spite of the number of other attractions and the wet weather, there was a good attendance and a great deal of interest was taken in what Mr. Hancett had to say. He sounded quite a new note for the Theosophical platform when he announced that his declared intention was to "preach" Theosophy. As one of the audience remarked afterwards, one might hope for an equal measure of success in an attempt to "preach" chemistry or any other science.

The last lecture, which was without success in an attempt to "preach" teacher espied her.

The schoolgiri was sitting with her feet stretched far out into the aisle and was busily chewing gum, when the chemistry or any other science.

The last lecture, which was without doubt by far the best of the series, dealt with the matter from an intellectual standpoint, and gave an illuminating and clear outline of what to do if one wished to be of definite servive to mankind. He spoke of the method

of development known as the "Path," which he divided into two main sec-

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VICTORIANS RECALL HIS LOCAL EXPLOITS

The meteoric career of that engaging personage known to many Vicorians as "Captain John Douglas
Instruther Morton" has ended in the
sout unromantic fashion. After
souths in an atmosphere of battleeld heroics and virtually intoxicated
by conquests in love, he now finds
imself in a very ordinary guardhouse
a San Francisco awaiting sentence
tom a military court.

He Rose Asala

He Rose Again.

Readers of The Times will recall the "death" of this gallant gentleman a Scattle on Good Friday last and ow from that date on he "rose gain" and spun his web in fresh elds and pastures new. In Sacratento he shed the robes of Captain forton, reduced himself in rank and merged with flying colors as plain ergeant Charles Macdonald. There gain he pursued his "calling," and at east one fair heart fluttered at the ery sound of his voice.

An astute attorney, however, saw

very sound of his voice.

An astate attorney, however, saw through his thin vehuest and after due-inquiry of Chief Inspector Perdue, of this city and a glimpse at cuttings from The Times, "Macdonald's" society excursions gave place to a more suitable pastime: he donned the unitorm of the National Guard and his duty was that of bridge guard at a lonely spot over the Sacramento river, it was naturally believed that he had at last arrived at the end of his tether.

which he divided into two main sections—probationary and the path propers—and each of these sections he subdivided still more and stated the various steps so clearly that a very satisfying mental picture of the whole concept was the result.

There has been great activity in local Theosophical circles of late, and the fact that Charles Lazenby, B. A. is expected to spend some weeks here accounts in no small measure for this renewed interest. Mr. Lazenby lectures frequently on the subjects of interest to the intellectual world and puts his material very clearly before his audiences.

"The Recruiter," a fournal devoted to the interests of recruiting, as its name implies.

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consensor from and omitted to turn over the money. This little peculiarity, together with other information collected in the meantime, is responsible for landing the entwithelt here. If the most unromantic of altituding and from whence it would into the most unromantic of altituding and from whence it would be a seem to the collection of the same colors flying as has been his wont in previous Tilica.

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speak, which convinced me that Macdonald was not desirable as a room
mate, and I tuld my father that as soon
as he left for the Orient, I intended to
seed of Macdonald."

The adventurer's yarns about his
wounds received at Gallipoli and his
service with the Canadian forces had
already begun to nauseate the staff at
the recruiting office, but when it came
to their notice that "Anstruther" had
doen taking money from a pretty little
manicurtat in a Market Street barber
shop, that was the last straw; they cut
him dead. R, was, however, not until
the officers began to notice a shortage
in the accounts of The Army Recruiter
that Macdonald's face value was challeaged. Prompt inquiry then resulted
in the specific charges of appropriating
tunds.

Paid to Avoid Publicity.

"Macdonald never attempted to move in Army Circles," says Major William Brooks' of the recruiting office. "He contined his attention to girls who we're not averse to flowers and taxicabs which he ordered so freely at the Palace Hotel." Colonel Gardiner gives the amount of money embezzied as between \$600 and \$700, while from evidence adduced Macdonald's bills at the Palace I'otel were paid by the Greens in an attempt to avoid publicity for their mistaken confidence in the adventurer. The amount of the settlement is not stated, but it is understood to have run into a large amount.

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How a Battery Came to Be Mounted on Waterfront No Man's Land

las Road, opposite the end of Dougla Street. It also proves the truth of the old saying that history repeats itself. The public apprehension early in the war of a German bombardment is to fresh in the public mind to require em-

war of a German bombardment is too fresh in the public mind to require emphasis, but the present generation has forgotten that a menace from Russia aroused the city to examine its lack of defences in the spring of 1878. Thereby hings the connection.

It has been found that while the western boundary of Beacon Hill Park actually embraces the part of Douglas Street fronting the park from the forr shore to the northwestern end of the park, there is a strip of land on the waterfront immediately west of it which is not in the conveyance of the shore lands.

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