

WEATHER FORECAST

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m., Sunday: Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and cool.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Capitol—Lily of the Dust. Dominion—Her Love Story. Pastorage—Blind Husband. Columbia—Old Bill Through the Ages. Playhouse—An Old Sweetheart of Mine.

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PEACE RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY LEAGUE ASSEMBLY TO-DAY

MACDONALD WILL BE PROVINCIAL SECRETARY IN B. C. CABINET

K. C. MACDONALD NAMED PROVINCIAL SECRETARY BY OLIVER GOVERNMENT

North Okanagan Member Chosen to Fill Vacant Cabinet Post; Election, if Necessary, Will be Held September 24, But New Minister Probably Will be Accorded Acclamation; to Take Over Portfolio at Once.

Dr. K. C. MacDonald Liberal Member for North Okanagan was sworn in as Provincial Secretary by Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Nichol just before noon to-day. Simultaneously Hon. J. D. MacLean was sworn in as Minister of Industries. He will also retain the portfolios of Finance and Education.

A writ for a by-election in the North Okanagan riding was issued immediately after the swearing in of the new Minister. Nominations will take place September 17 and, if an election is necessary, it will take place on September 24. The Government understands, however, that Dr. MacDonald will be elected by acclamation.

As Provincial Secretary Dr. MacDonald takes over the administration of the Health Department and numerous Government institutions, including hospitals, mental hospitals, Provincial home for girls, Tranquille Sanitarium, the Hospital for the Criminally Insane, Provincial Laboratories, the Boys' Industrial School, the School for the Blind, the Provincial Library and Museum. The Provincial Secretary also administers the Government Printing Bureau and the Civil Service Commission. As Provincial Secretary Dr. MacDonald will handle all business between the Federal and Provincial Governments and have charge of all Government records.

MANY REFORMS

Under Dr. MacLean the Provincial Secretary's portfolio has assumed an importance which it did not possess in the past. New undertakings carried out by Dr. MacLean have been the establishment of a rural nursing service, a Provincial library commission, and institutions for the care of the blind.

MACLEAN MOVES

Immediately on the swearing-in of Dr. MacDonald Dr. MacLean commenced to remove his books and papers from the Provincial Secretary's office. He will occupy the Finance Minister's office in the eastern wing of the buildings from now on. The new Provincial Secretary was born in Mattawa, Ontario, in 1872 and educated in the public and high schools of his native town. Later he graduated in dentistry in the Philadelphia Dental College and came West in 1899. After living for a short time in Grand Forks he went to the Okanagan in 1905 and has lived there ever since. He contested the Okanagan seat in the Legislature in 1907, and was defeated and suffered a similar reverse when he ran for the Federal seat of Yale-Cariboo in 1911. He was elected to the Legislature in 1918 and again in 1920 and 1924. He became chairman of the Liberal caucus after the 1920 election and he has been chairman of the agricultural committee of the house since 1916. He is one of the most popular and influential members of the House. A great part of his life has been devoted to agricultural problems.

BOMB ATTEMPT IN JAPAN A FAILURE

Effort to Kill General Fukuda; His Wife Had Narrow Escape

She Was Warned by Clicking in Parcel and Hurried From Room

Tokyo, Sept. 6.—A parcel post package delivered to the home of General Masataro Fukuda to-day warned the general's wife as to its contents by a clicking while she was opening it.

BECOMES MEMBER OF OLIVER GOVERNMENT DR. K. C. MACDONALD



PRIME MINISTER HERE OCTOBER 16

Rt. Hon. W. L. M. King Coming by Way of Prince Rupert

Date for Public Meeting Here Has Not Yet Been Set

Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, during his western tour which will begin at the end of this month, will reach Victoria about October 16.

He will come south from Prince Rupert, where he will arrive about October 12, first paying a visit to Victoria, and Island points. He has promised to lay the cornerstone of the new post office at Courtenay.

The date of the public meeting here will be either on October 16 or 17. Information about the Premier's arrangements have been received here, but it is expected that the gathering will be either on October 16 or 17. His itinerary calls for his departure for interior points in the Province on the evening of Wednesday, October 22, and as it is expected he will participate in the Yale by-election, writes for the by-election will probably be issued before the Prime Minister's party leaves Ottawa.

Mrs. Hurd Again U.S. Golf Champion

Nayatt, Sept. 6.—Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd of Philadelphia today became woman golf champion of the United States for the third time when she defeated Miss Mary K. Browne of Santa Monica, Cal., by 6 and 5 in a 36-hole match.

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Syosset, N.Y., Sept. 6.—The Prince of Wales motored over to Belmont Park this afternoon to see the races.

TOURISTS WILL SWAMP COAST NEXT SEASON

1924 Poor Year Says Cuthbert, But Tide Coming This Way

Conventions Alone Bringing 300,000; Victoria Urged to Get Ready

More than 300,000 members of conventions are coming to Pacific Coast cities next Summer, which, on top of a greater tourist travel, will make next season unprecedented in the annals of tourist business, according to Herbert Cuthbert, director of the public bureau of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, who is in Victoria to-day.

URGES PREPARATIONS NOW

"With the normal increase in tourist travel, the fact that Europe will not attract so much American tourist travel and money next year, combined with the important conventions on the Coast, I would suggest to Victoria and Vancouver—as I am doing to Portland and Oregon cities—that we all should immediately commence to organize ourselves to endeavor to provide entertainment next year, and interest this tide here, to enlarge our accommodations and be prepared in other ways to receive these people and make them, when they return home, real boosters of the Pacific Northwest," Mr. Cuthbert said.

B.C. FAVORITE WITH OREGON

Mr. Cuthbert came here with the Coast delegates, who have been at (Concluded on page 2)

ASTON-NEWCASTLE GAME ENDS IN TIE

Neither Side Able to Score; Other Old Country Football Games

London, Sept. 6.—Football games played in this country to-day resulted as follows: ENGLISH LEAGUE FIRST DIVISION Arsenal 2, Liverpool 0. Aston Villa 0, Newcastle 0. Blackburn R. 0, West Ham 1. Bolton W. 2, Bury 3. Cardiff 0, 2, Leeds 11, 0. Everton 1, West Bromwich A. 0. Huddersfield 2, Sheffield U. 1. Manchester C. 4, Notts F. 2. Notts C. 0, Tottenham 0. Preston 0, Burnley 2. Sunderland 0, Birmingham 0. SECOND DIVISION Barnsley 1, Portvale 2. Clapton 3, Crystal Palace 0. Coventry 4, Stockport 2. Fulham 1, South Shields 1. Hull C. 1, Blackpool 1. Leicester 0, Middlesbrough 0. Oldham 0, Chelsea 5. (Concluded on page 2)

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LACK OF FUNDS REDUCES HIS POWER; DR. SUN YAT SEN



Short of funds for some time past, it is stated Dr. Sun Yat Sen, head of the South China Government, is not in a position at present to intervene in the new armed struggle in China.

KIANGSU TROOPS MAKING NEW ATTACK ON SHANGHAI FRONT TO TAKE WOOSUNG

Shanghai, Sept. 6.—The invading Northern forces of Chi Shieh Yuan were repulsed on two fronts at Hwangtu, thirteen miles west of here, and at Lieuhou, thirty miles northwest of here, after an all-night battle with the Lu Yung Hsiang forces defending Shanghai, according to announcements this morning from Chekiang headquarters.

TEN STABBED BY MAD LABORER IN CAFE IN NEW YORK

New York, Sept. 6.—Ten persons were stabbed in an Eldridge Street coffee house early to-day when Giuseppe Aversa, a powerful laborer, became maddened and ran amok when he ordered whiskey and was told only tea and coffee were sold in the place. Two of his victims were seriously wounded. After he had slashed blindly about in the coffee house with a knife, Aversa fled to his home nearby. There he was disarmed after a struggle and placed under arrest by a policeman who had pursued him and had broken down the door of his home in entering.

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WATER SPOUT, FIRST RECORDED, SEEN IN NEW YORK HARBOR

New York, Sept. 6.—A water spout, the first in the history of New York harbor, started from the Jersey shore yesterday afternoon, swept across the bay and stirred up a volume of spray which whisked overboard part of the cargo of a barge. Old tars stared at the phenomenon in amazement. The spout, which originated in a thunderstorm, lasted three minutes.

RICHARDS WON

Forest Hills, Sept. 6.—Vincent Richards of Yonkers, N.Y., scored a sensational victory over William M. Johnston of San Francisco, veteran former national champion, to-day in the feature match of the east-west series, winning by 6-0, 6-4.

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, September 6, 1899

A fire at the soda water factory, David Street, of Thorpe & Co. was extinguished by the fire department this morning.

SEATTLE VETERANS ON ANNUAL VISIT

binding tie between the United States and Canada.

After the welcome the visitors and local veterans formed up for a short parade along Belleville Street.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Columbia School of Music got the highest distinctions and largest number of passes in the city in this year's examinations of the Associated Board of Royal Academy and Royal College of Music, London, England.

EARLY ARRIVALS FROM PENITICON ARE SATISFIED

Important Motion on Attitude to Educational Cost and Present Survey

Alderman Christie Speaks on Weekly Half-Holiday Act

"A most successful convention, one of the best ever held by the Union," is the description applied by Reeve Lockley, President of the Union of B.C. Municipalities, on his return to the city to-day from Peniticon.

Alderman G. D. Christie, chairman of the city legislative committee, and the first of the aldermen to return, agreed that the gathering was most successful, and that more business had been done in the time than at any previous gathering.

SCHOOL RESOLUTION

One of the most vital results of the gathering was the expression of the majority of fifty-six municipalities in regard to the schools. The motion said that if the government would take over the control of the schools, the municipalities would readily forego the revenue now received from the Government liquor and pari-mutuel profits and grants.

The resolution asks for greater control of school expenditure to be vested in the municipal councils. It further recommends that the union be represented by a committee before the Educational Survey Commission, and that each council in the province be requested to pass resolutions asking the assistance of their members in carrying out the resolution.

MR. McDIARMID'S LETTER

From the former parliamentary agent, F. A. McDiarmid, of Vancouver, came a very important letter on the school situation. Mr. McDiarmid states that the tendency of the legislature was to adopt any good scheme in education regardless of the expense, and he advised the council to ask that any extra money be taken from the provincial treasury.

DOUBLE PLATOON SYSTEM

Fire Chief J. H. Watson, of New Westminster, had sent a letter to the New Westminster council, in which he said that the fire chiefs of the lower mainland had discussed fully the Fire Departments of Vancouver. He wrote in part: "In the opinion of the American fire chiefs of living twenty-four hours off each week, as is required under the new act, is unnecessary, and has the effect of upsetting the working of the whole system."

HALF HOLIDAY QUESTION

It is wished it to be clearly understood that the resolution was one which ought to be emphatically endorsed by the municipalities.

WEST COAST ROAD

Alderman Christie says that the arrangement reached with regard to the hospitals, and other controversial issues should be acceptable to the majority of the council, and he thought the delegates had shown the best of spirit in their deliberations.

UNIMPORTANT MOVES

He brought reports from the Kiangsu headquarters of the warfare during the opening days, which was characterized as unimportant so far as the Shanghai-Nanking Railway sector was concerned.

QUINQUAN IS QUIET

Quinson was quiet the messenger reported. When the Kiangsu troops took possession of the town there was some looting, and all ordinary business ceased, but when General Chi arrived he stopped the looting, having seven men executed as the worst offenders. He then ordered the shops reopened.

"MULTITUDE" OF SOLDIERS

The greatest activity in the town, of course, has to do with the movement of troops, the messenger said. Practically all reinforcements to the front lines were going forward from Quinson. He declared he had seen a "multitude" of troops, with great quantities of Lewis guns and ammunition. The regulars he saw were of French and Italian manufacture, he said. He did not remember seeing any of British or United States make-

able yet to estimate the total number of millions of dollars that were taken to Europe this Summer by the people from this country who made business picks up and helping European exchanges.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST BEST OFF

"At the same time business has been going along the Coast," said Christie. "From the information I can gather, the hotel business in the East and in California has been very quiet, but the automobile business in the Pacific Northwest has not only been equal to last year, but in many cases very much better."

"The Pacific Northwest also has the best showing in auto touring, which has been going on for a long time better than last year. In this connection there are some remarkable facts. For instance, at the junction of the Coast and the Pacific Highway in the count of a given time in one day there were 850 Oregon cars on the road and 1,450 foreign cars. Last year the count at this time was not less than 85,000 people, notwithstanding the existence of several new private camps."

NORTHWEST PARKS TAKE LEAD

"For the first year in history—and this is the only province in America made here in Victoria four or five years ago—the parks in the Pacific Northwest have been better attended than anywhere else in America. Rainier National Park this year will show more than 10,000 persons than Yellowstone and Crater Lake show the greatest percentage of increase on the continent."

"In our own public campaign in Portland we have had extremely successful. We have had about 20,000 inquiries as a result of our advertising in the three filing camps filled with cards from people who have notified us that as a result of our advertising they have visited Oregon this year. That is remarkable testimony."

"We believe we have laid the foundations for a vast travel in the future, because we have a very large number of these inquirers who have notified us that they could not come this year, but will be here next year."

BIG THINGS FOR PORTLAND

Oregon is attracting much attention because of its natural beauty, and people are beginning to realize it and with the continuation of our advertising and the opening of the railway companies, combined with the conventions to be held in Portland and the Coast, next year there is going to be a tremendous travel far exceeding anything in the past."

BRITISH COLUMBIA'S CHANCE

"There is practically no limit to the future of the tourist business of the Pacific Northwest. The great majority of this British Columbia shares in is largely up to British Columbia."

"Not having a transcontinental highway running through the Province, British Columbia must take her own auto trails and develop them, but there is no reason why she should not have a tremendous travel, because British Columbia, coastwise, is the most attractive, and they are all reached by gateways along the borders of Washington and British Columbia, Lower Mainland, Victoria and the Island."

"I have found during the last year that British Columbia is the favorite Summer resort for the people of Portland, and I think that field should be cultivated by advertising in the daily papers in the cities of the coast. To a certain extent that applies to Washington also."

"I am still convinced, after twenty-five years' experience, that the need with this tourist travel, that the Pacific Northwest for all time is going to be the great Summer playground of the American people, and that they have only just commenced to come to us."

TOURISTS WILL SWAMP COAST NEXT SEASON

"The extent of this travel is almost limitless and beyond the ordinary concept of the mind. The ordinary estimate of about 110,000,000 people in the United States, less than 8,000,000 have traveled."

"When you consider the increase in the mileage of hard-surfaced and other highways, the increase in the number of automobiles, and in their comfort and equipment, and the fact that there is a much greater tendency than ever before for people to spend their vacations in the outdoors, and the enormous attitude of the people making to bring people this way—when you consider these things the vision becomes so big that it is hard to realize that the Pacific Northwest has been served on this part of the continent may be."

WAY MADE CLEAR

Virtually all of the numerous categories of provisional currency which bobbed up during the inflation period have been reduced to nothing, and the clear for the issue of a securely founded gold currency."

Mr. Young has gained the impression from Finance Minister Luther that the government is leaning toward a transition to a genuine gold standard.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

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Portsmouth 1, Derby C. 1. The Wednesday Football Association. Stoke 0, Manchester United 0. Wolverhampton 2, Bradford C. 0.

THIRD DIVISION NORTHERN SECTION

Barnley 1, Southport 0. Bradford 0, Grimsby 1. Chesterfield 1, Accrington 0. Darlington 2, Hartlepool 0.

THIRD DIVISION SOUTHERN SECTION

Bournemouth 2, Luton 1. Brighton and Hove 3, Millwall 3. Bristol C. 2, Norgwich C. 0.

Charlton 1, Newport 0. Gillingham 0, South End 1. Plymouth 7, Brentford 1. Queens Park 1, Bristol R. 2.

Reading 2, Swansea 0. Swindon 2, Exeter City 1. Merthyr 0, Exeter City 1.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

First Division Aberdeen 0, Celtic 4. Hearts 5, Morton 1. Rangers 2, Dundee 1.

Second Division Albion Rovers 1, Kings Park 1. Alloa 0, Arthurlie 0.

East Stirling 1, Arbroath 2. Dunbarton 2, Forfar 0. Dundee 1, Brechin 4.

Third Division Arbroath 2, St. Bernard's 1. Armadale 2, East Fife 1. Stenhouse Muir 1, Boness 0.

Dundee 3, Johnstone 1. Clyde vs. Clydebank, played.

GLASGOW CUP

Glasgow, Sept. 6.—The first round of the Glasgow Cup played to-day resulted as follows: Queen's Park 0, Third Lanark 1. Clyde 0, Rangers 1.

IRISH ASSOCIATION

Belfast, Sept. 6 (Canadian Press Cable)—Soccer games played in the Irish Football Association to-day resulted as follows: Linfield 0, Larne 0.

Glentworth 2, A. G. L. 1. Cliftonville 2, Celtic 2. Distillers 1, Barn 1.

Queens Island 2, Glenavon 1. Queen's Park 1, Newry 1.

RUGBY LEAGUE

London, Sept. 6 (Canadian Press Cable)—Results of games played in the Rugby Union to-day were: Leicester 14, Bath 11.

Plymouth 18, Bridgewater 2. Cardiff 13, Bristol 3.

Swansea 7, Pill Harriers 8. Pontypool 20, Bargod 4.

RUGBY UNION

London, Sept. 6 (Canadian Press Cable)—Rugby fixtures in the Northern Union League resulted to-day as follows: Dewsbury 12, Hunslet 10.

Featherstone 25, Hull 12. Hull Kingston Rovers 10, Wakefield 2.

Keighley 8, Batley 4. Leeds 12, Rochdale 0.

Leigh 6, Huddersfield 12. St. Helens 7, Widnes 5.

Swinton 13, Bradford 3. Recs. 20. Warrington 0, Wigan 0.

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FOG INTERFERED

The delay of a day in reaching Boston was due to unfavorable weather conditions which caused the fliers to alight yesterday at Merz Point after setting out from Pictou, Nova Scotia, for Boston.

The fliers started at Pictou yesterday morning with good weather, but as the planes came down from the Bay of Fundy and headed along the Maine coast fog began to gather about the fliers, and they were forced to fly low most of the way, at times not more than 150 feet above the water.

"We ran into fog most of the way down the coast," said Lieut. Smith. "When we reached Casco Bay it was dense, but we hoped we could make our way along a little farther in the thought that we might strike clear weather. It couldn't be done and we looked around for a landing place."

"After circling about the bay for a while we discovered a good place near Merz Point. We made an easy landing at 5.10 p.m. yesterday time, and anchored so near shore that we had no difficulty in getting on dry land, our first actual touch with United States soil since we left Seattle."

MAN WAS KILLED WHEN AUTO PLUNGED

Car Went Over Embankment at Chilliwack and Landed on Railway

Chilliwack, B.C., Sept. 6.—Charles Armstrong, proprietor of the Richmond Restaurant, Bellingham, Wash., was instantly killed here last night when an automobile in which he was riding plunged from the Vedder mountain road to the B.C. Electric Railroad tracks. Charles Hatch, Chilliwack, the other occupant of the car, escaped with only a slight cut.

An inquest will be held. Armstrong, driving the car, is said to have gone down a fair edge of the road and the car plunged over an embankment to the railway right-of-way within ten feet of a camp of workmen of the company.

PREDICTS SURPLUS FOR C.N.R. SYSTEM

W. D. Robb, Vice-President, Makes Optimistic Statement to London Newspapermen

London, Sept. 6 (Canadian Press Cable)—"We do not only think, but we know that, given a fair opportunity, we shall be able to turn the deficit into a surplus and show the Dominion that its investment in the Canadian National Railways is one of the best the Government has ever made," declared W. D. Robb, vice-president of the Canadian National Railways, last night when he met a considerable number of English newspapermen at a dinner here.

Mr. Robb gave his hearers a candid review of both the railway position and Canadian conditions generally. He frankly told them Canada was a place for hard work, but he also made it clear it was not a place for continual drudgery.

FINDS REQUEST IS REASONABLE

Chief Engineer Hears Plea for Deeper Channel of Courtenay River

Courtenay, B.C., Sept. 6.—Meeting the Courtenay-Comox Board of Trade last night, K. M. Cameron, chief engineer for the Department of Public Works at Ottawa, heard and made his plea for a five-foot channel up the Courtenay River at low tide, and pronounced the request as reasonable.

Ex-Mayor Charles Simms stated that in ten months the traffic on the river had risen from practically nothing to 2,000 tons, and it was continually increasing. The Board of Trade was now asking that the river's course should be straightened at its mouth, and a five-foot channel dug.

Mr. Cameron said that he had been struck by the reasonable attitude taken by the board, and by the great progress that had been made in river traffic in a short time, and he would have a good case to lay before the minister at Ottawa on his return.

Mr. Cameron who is accompanied by Mrs. Cameron is making a tour of the B. C. Coast. He has been a month out of Prince Rupert now, and will be in Victoria and Vancouver in a few days.

SIR H. GREENWOOD VISITING CANADA

Predicts Return to Two-party System in British Politics

He Will be Honored in His Native Town of Whittby, Ontario

Quebec, Sept. 6.—A return to a two-party system in Great Britain and the formation of right and left parties were predicted this morning by Sir Hamar Greenwood, K.C., who with Lady Greenwood and the rest of the party were on board the liner Empress of France.

Sir Hamar expressed the opinion that political affairs in the Old Dominion had reached such a pass that the country was ready to return to a two-party system. ELECTION IN SPRING

SAYS SCANDINAVIANS ARE BORN PIONEERS

Hard Working Workers Would Make Good Canadians, Swedish Editor Claims

Before leaving Victoria for Vancouver Reimar Remidav, B.A., editor of the Swedish Canada News, who is gathering material for articles on Swedish and Norwegian settlers in British Columbia and the prospects for successful emigration for articles for circulation in Sweden and other countries expressed appreciation of the courtesy shown him by the Provincial Government and other offices at which he has called in Victoria.

"I will not attempt to describe the impression this beautiful and magnificent country has made on me," he said. "A country like this ought to turn everybody into a poet and only a poet of high class would be able to do justice to it. I have seen some few parts of our old little world but nothing that can surpass British Columbia. In saying that I am not knocking my native country Sweden or the Land of the Midnight Sun. Sweden and British Columbia have the same beauty of nature to offer—only British Columbia has it on a much bigger scale."

"My intention is to revisit both Vancouver Island and the mainland of British Columbia as soon as possible. This fall I am glad to say that I have found many friends here and have loads of information for the articles I am going to write in the Scandinavian papers about British Columbia. But I still need some more and that's the reason I am coming back and another reason is I have fallen in love with this paradise."

HAD MONEY IN BANK WHEN APPLICATION FOR CITY RELIEF WAS MADE

An adjournment until Tuesday for the production of the record of defendant's application to the City Council for relief, which prosecution alleges contains fraudulent representations, was ordered by City Prosecutor Claude L. Harrison in the City Police Court this morning, and granted by Magistrate George Jay when Henry W. Barnes appeared on remand charged with obtaining \$1,000 from the City of Victoria. Stuart Henderson, K.C., appeared for the defendant. Defendant was arrested Wednesday on a two-year-old warrant.

H. B. Whittier, manager of the Victoria West branch of the Royal Bank, was called this morning and stated defendant opened an account at the bank in October, 1918. It was still running at the time the application for relief was made, March 11, 1922, when there was a credit balance of \$132.36.

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AT THE THEATRES

SURGEON ALLOWED HIS WIFE TO TAKE LOVE FOR GRANTED

It may be difficult to get passports to certain parts of the world on occasions, but a trip to the Tyrolean Alps is in store for the spectator who attends a performance of "Blind Husbands" at the Playhouse Theatre this week.

"Blind Husbands" was filmed under the direction of Eric Stroheim, and stars the actor-director in his own story.

The story concerns a famous surgeon who allowed his beautiful wife to take his love for her granted. Stroheim is seen as Lieutenant von Steuben, an Austrian officer, who avails himself of an opportunity to fill the void left in the heart of the young wife.

What happened when the famous surgeon realized that he must heal the wound in his wife's heart is vividly depicted in the unusual climax of the production.

Eric Stroheim is best remembered

AT THE THEATRES
Pantages—"Blind Husbands."
Columbia—"Old Bill Through the Ages."
Playhouse—"And Old Sweetheart of Mine."
Capitol—"Lily of the Dust."
Dominion—"Her Love Story."

for his portrayal in "The Heart of Humanity."

Supporting the star-villain in the beautiful Francelia Billington and a strong cast of Universal players, among them Sam DeGrasse, H. Gibson, Gordon, Valerie Geronzi and Jack Perrin.

ARTIST OF PROMISE HEARD TO-NIGHT AT CAPITOL THEATRE

For the last time to-night patrons of the Capitol Theatre will be able to hear musical studies Belle McEwan, the charming soprano who has always delighted audiences during her all too few appearances in this city.

On the termination of her present contract with the Capitol circuit, Miss McEwan will return to New York and Europe to continue her musical studies. Belle McEwan will be heard at the Capitol before the 10 o'clock screening of the big Negro film, "Lily of the Dust." Other notable plays on the circuit are Ben Lyon, Noah Beery and Raymond Griffith. The story of an adaptation of the immensely popular novel and stage play, "The Song of Songs." It is the story of a young girl and her fight against life—a girl whose beauty and appeal to men is a liability rather than an asset to her. Here's the greatest emotional star on the screen to-day in what is destined to be the most talked about picture of the current season.

ELLIOTT DEXTER, AS A BOY, BARED HEART WITH POEM

James Whitcomb Riley's "An Old Sweetheart of Mine," which is now at the Playhouse Theatre, has a particular strong appeal for Elliott Dexter, who plays the leading male, because, he admits, he once tried to enact the part of the poem in real life.

"When I was a little shaver," Mr. Dexter related recently, "there was a little girl who struck my fancy. I was in love with her, and she was in love with me. I was a little boy, and she was a little girl, and we were in love."

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PLAYHOUSE-ALL WEEK The Stage The Playhouse Players Present "Believe Me Marcus"

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TO-DAY DOMINION TO-DAY Gloria Swanson in "Her Love Story"

Adapted From Mary Roberts Rinehart's Successful Novel "Her Majesty the Queen"
Lloyd Hamilton in HIS LATEST COMEDY "Good Morning"
International News Usual Prices

liked her and wanted to tell her so, but I couldn't quite bring myself to do it.

"Then, one rainy day when I was browsing among some books at home I came across 'An Old Sweetheart of Mine.' I was captivated. And immediately I had an idea. I memorized it, and the next Friday afternoon when we had to 'speak pieces' at school, I mounted the platform with great confidence. I aimed my recitation right at little Mary, who played with her pigtail and tried to appear nonchalant. But I knew she knew."

"As we walked home I whispered: 'Remember that poem, Mary?' She imparted the knowledge that she had some slight recollection of it, and then I breathed heavily: 'Well, you're the girl in the poem, and I'm the boy.' Thus began a furious youthful romance, that was broken when Mary moved away. It didn't end like Riley's beautiful poem. Mary was happily married now, and so am I. I saw her not long ago, and we both had a glorious laugh over our childhood romance."

"OLD BILL" DESCRIBED AS ENGLISH HISTORY WILDLY BURLESQUED

"English history wildly burlesqued" is a fair description of "Old Bill Through the Ages," showing at the Columbia.

The action of the story ranges, through some ten periods, from the time of William the Conqueror, to the present day. Needless to say, no attempt is made to deal realistically with historical facts and figures, since the whole picture has the nature of a farcical extravaganza. Many famous characters fit through the action in fanciful form. They include William the Conqueror, King John, Shakespeare, Drake, Queen Elizabeth and Charles II.

The idea of the picture is that Old Bill, falling asleep over a volume of English history, dreamed himself back in the past. His adventures in various periods constitute the incidents of the story. Thus he is shown consulting the Domesday Book in Norman days; playing an aggressive part in the signing of Magna Charta; "bombing" a refractory William Shakespeare at Queen Elizabeth's court; sharing the fortunes of the "Civil War" with both Royalists and Roundheads; and so forth.

COLONEL'S LADY AND JUDY O'GRADY SISTERS UNDER SKIN

Gloria Swanson, in her latest Paramount picture, "Her Love Story," at the Dominion Theatre, furnishes ample evidence that Kipling knew what he was talking about when he said, "The Colonel's lady and Judy O'Grady are sisters under the skin."

Only in Judy's case, if not a colonel's lady but a queen who shows us that under the thin veneer of royalty she is just a woman.

Life isn't all a bed of roses, even to a queen. Her husband, the king, is a beautiful palace, she wears stunning clothes, is surrounded by servants, who are ready to fulfill her slightest wish, but all the material luxuries mean nothing when she is separated from the one she loves.

"Her Love Story" is based upon Mary Roberts Rinehart's absorbing story, "Her Majesty the Queen," adapted to the screen by Frank Tuttle. Gloria has the role of a princess who secretly marries a brave young captain of the king's guards. Her father disapproves this marriage, which was performed by a gipsy, and forces her to marry the king. A man is born to her—the son of her guardian-lover. She confesses to the king that the child is not his. The result is that the king banishes her, and the king proclaims—the boy as his own.

How her overwhelming love for her boy leads to greater sacrifices, her desperate struggle for happiness with the one man whom she has never ceased to love, and the final thrilling and satisfying ending are grippingly portrayed in a series of tense dramatic situations that tug at the heartstrings.

Never has Gloria looked more beautiful or played her part with greater sympathy, sincerity and understanding. And that goes for the entire supporting cast, which includes Ian Keith, George E. Stone, Mario Majeroni and many others. Allan Dwan has given the screenplay an extravagant production that is a delight to the eye. "Her Love Story" affords a rare and should not be missed.

Actor Killed by Lightning During a Game of Golf

New York, Sept. 5.—Raymond Crane, a young actor, who had appeared in numerous Broadway productions, was killed yesterday afternoon by lightning while playing golf on the links of the Jackson Heights Golf Club. Two others playing with him were knocked unconscious by the bolt.

Among the productions in which he had appeared were "Going Up" and "Irene."

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FURTHER EVIDENCE IN INQUEST MONDAY

Inquiry Into Death of Janet Smith in Vancouver to be Resumed Then

Number of Witnesses Heard Yesterday But Little New Light Given

Vancouver, Sept. 6.—The second inquest on the death of Janet Smith, nursemaid, in a Shaughnessy Heights home here July 24 last, is to be resumed on Monday at 10 a.m. Adjourment was made yesterday afternoon until that time.

Several witnesses were heard yesterday.

The opinion was advanced by Dr. G. F. Curtis, who performed the second autopsy, that it was probable that the wound could have been inflicted by the girl either accidentally or intentionally. Other doctors who testified in the inquest, but none of whom were called to the stand by the police officers, said it was murder.

The police were inclined to think it accidental, but they thought it was murder.

When the inquest was adjourned there still remained much uncertainty as to how it had happened.

ROME TO CHANGE ITS RULE OF ROAD Much Trouble Faces Effort to Turn Out to the Right

Rome, Sept. 6.—One of the most radical changes in the aspect of the Eternal City that will greet the eyes of thousands of pilgrims next year, Holy Year, will be the complete change in traffic regulations. The city authorities have decided to make the rules of the road to the right instead of to the left, as they have been through the centuries.

Work already has begun to change the switches on all the street car lines to conform to the new regulations, which are expected to be put into effect within a few months.

It is recalled that twelve years ago the same experiment was tried by Mayor Nathan, the only British born mayor of Rome. Traffic rules conform to those of the rest of Italy. Everywhere else, except in a few large cities, the rules of the road are to the left. The traffic rules in Rome are to the right.

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DIFFUSION OF BLOOD "How do you account for the diffusion of blood between the scalp and the forehead?" asked Mr. Craig.

"That is the disturbing factor," replied the witness. "No powder marks were found. One would be inclined to draw it to gases from the revolver unless it was the result of effect of a more or less glancing wound on the skull. It can not be satisfactorily explained, but it can be produced by a revolver wound."

The gun, Dr. Hunter demonstrated, would have had to be held upside down or, if held in a reverse position, then farther away.

"If accidental how far would the muzzle be from the point of entrance," the witness was asked.

"It can not be said," Dr. Hunter replied. "If self-inflicted it must have been fired at less than twelve inches—about ten and one-half inches."

The breaking of the bone in the head had in all likelihood been caused by the gunshot wound, he said. Mr. Craig, he said, the revolver could have been held in both hands.

OPINION UNCHANGED "My conclusion is the same as I

stated at the first inquest," he said, "if she shot herself the gun was fired in a most awkward position. Why were there no powder marks on the skin? The distance was such one would expect to see powder marks in the tissues or in the brain. I can not reconcile the fact that there were no marks inside and none outside with firing the gun in the manner stated."

NURSEMAIDS TESTIFIED

Several nursemaids who knew Janet Smith gave evidence during the afternoon to the effect that Janet Smith had been greatly frightened of the Chinese house boy, Wong Fung Sing. Two said Janet had told them the Chinese, on the Wednesday prior to the girl's death, had caught Janet by the arm and had made a remark to the girl which had scared her speechless. The girl, they said, had told them she was afraid to be in the house with the Chinese.

German Submarine Skipper on Coast Commands Holger

New Westminster, Sept. 5.—Skipper of the U-boat L 24 in the German navy during the war, Capt. Zimmerman of the German cargo steamer Holger, now in port, is back on the Pacific Coast for the first time in years, though he had made many voyages to ports of this coast on other days. The Holger, home port Bremen, is a pre-war ship of 3,675 net tons, 5,555 tons gross and 10,000 d.w. class. The skipper takes out a small lumber shipment of 100,000 feet of Great Britain as well as 3,000 tons of concentrates for Antwerp. She berthed at Fraser dock No. 1 this morning and expects to clear before the end of the week.

Sa. Diana Dollar is clearing this afternoon with 400,000 feet of lumber loaded at the Fraser Mills wharf.

WILL NOT SHARE LOSS

Melbourne, Sept. 5.—Whatever loss there may be in connection with the British Empire Exhibition at London, the Australian Government will not be involved in any loss. A statement to this effect was made yesterday by Premier S. M. Bruce.

British Trades Unions Support MacDonald's Course

Hull, England, Sept. 6.—The British Trades Union Congress in convention here yesterday, passed resolutions strongly supporting Premier MacDonald's activities at Geneva and also in behalf of the Anglo-Soviet treaty, which is considered in danger of nullification when it comes before the British Parliament at the Autumn session, through a combination of the antagonistic votes of the Conservative and Liberal parties.

The congress also discussed means of preventing wars by industrial action. In the matter of pacifist methods, one delegate voiced the opinion that the congress could trust Ramsay MacDonald as Premier because "he was certain to stand by the ideals for which he suffered in the late war."

The congress voted that a telegram should be sent to Premier MacDonald congratulating him on his speeches at Geneva in favor of arbitration and disarmament.

After discussing how a universal strike of workers could suffice to prevent wars, the congress unanimously carried a resolution emanating from the British Federation in effecting the general council to call a special congress to decide on the industrial action to be taken whenever war is threatened.

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WOMAN DROPPED DEAD Brockville, Ont., Sept. 6.—Having

declared on Thursday, when she learned of the death of an intimate friend, Mrs. Ella McKnight, that "my best friend on earth is gone and I can't live," Mrs. Lavis, an elderly widow living in Prescott, dropped dead yesterday as she was about to enter her home, to which she was returning after having taken a last walk of her friend.

TRACES OF ANCIENT CIVILIZATION FOUND California Man Says People in Sierras Lived Before Indians

Visalia, Cal., Sept. 5.—Archaeologists of the University of California are to be invited by W. H. Hart, a pioneer resident of Woodlake, Tulare County, to go with him back into the Eschom Valley country in the high Sierras, to inspect a recent discovery which the mountaineer believes indicates that some unknown race preceded even the Indians in that country.

Hart is guarding his secret and has told few people of the location of his find.

In the heavily wooded and rocky section within walking distance of General Grant National Park, Hart says he uncovered a considerable deposit of flint entirely unknown in Tulare County mountains. Flint cut into shapes and sizes somewhat resembling broken weapons of warfare from the time of some prehistoric people likewise different from that known to have been made by the Indians, caused the finder to look further and he now believes his discoveries were merely surface indications of what may be found beneath the layer of six feet of soil which covers the small area. He made no attempt to dig, confine his search to what might be seen upon the surface.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COLORED WOMEN IN U. S. Makes Suggestion

Chicago, Sept. 5.—Observance of another "Lincoln Day," September 22, has been proposed by the National Association of Colored Women, as a day upon which "colored people pay homage" to the Emancipator's memory.

On September 22, 1862, President Abraham Lincoln issued his preliminary proclamation of emancipation, directing that on January 1, 1863, "All slaves shall be free."

"We are liberty throughout the world," the association memorial says, "deservedly honor the memory of Lincoln, but he is especially dear to colored people. Let us observe his birthday, February 12 and January 1, Emancipation Day, are both holidays, hence on these days it is hard for colored people to pay sufficient homage."

"Therefore this association recommends that September 22 be annually utilized by colored people as a day to be called 'Lincoln's Day.'"

The National Association further urges all colored men and women's organizations to co-operate in this. "Let us have a success. White people are cordially invited to do likewise, both north and south. Schools are requested to participate in this section by some age-old civilization which frequented the region. Hart has lived for fifty-five years in these mountains and has made a

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FIFTEEN CANDIDATES FOR GOVERNORSHIP

Primary Election in State of Washington to be Held September 9

Olympia, Wash., Sept. 6.—While candidates of three parties are to contest for supremacy in the Washington primary election September 9, public interest is mainly centered on the activities of the various candidates seeking the Republican nomination for Governor. Of the fifteen candidates who have filed their declarations for the gubernatorial office, ten are Republicans, the majority of whom claim the positive support of the bulk of the Republican vote.

Until the last minute filing of former State Senator W. H. Paulthum, of Sumner, political forecasters were divided in according to the advantage of four different men. E. L. French of Vancouver is said to have the support of the administrative element. Clifford of Seattle has been pledged the support of the State Federation of Labor and various veteran organizations. Roman Hartley of Everett, a lumberman, ran strong in the contest for Republican nomination for Governor four years ago and George B. Clifton of Skagit County is bidding for labor and veteran votes.

DEMOCRATIC TEST

Ben F. Hill of Wall Walla seeks the Democratic nomination, opposed by E. F. Blaine of Granger, Edward T. Mathes of Bellingham and Walter J. Robinson of Spokane.

J. R. Oman of Tacoma is the Farmer-Labor candidate for Governor. Five Republicans, one Democrat and one Farmer-Labor candidate will seek the office of Lieutenant-Governor.

The present representatives in Congress are all seeking re-election. An initiative measure, said to be backed by the administration, will make attendance of children compulsory in public schools and would eliminate private schools in the state.



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OLD WARSHIP WAS SUNK BY JAPANESE

Tokyo, Sept. 6.—Stirring events of nineteen years ago were recalled this week by the sinking of Yokosuka of the old battleship Iwami, doomed under the Washington Naval Treaty. The old sea fighter was used as a target for practice by the naval air forces. Six bombing planes took part, sending the Iwami to the bottom in less time than was anticipated.

As was expected the Iwami would provide two days' practice for the bombers and naval attaches of foreign countries were invited to witness the second day's operations. The invitations, however, were recalled because the Iwami was sent to the bottom the first day.

The Iwami, formerly the Russian battleship Orel, was a unit of the Baltic fleet. She survived the battle of the Sea of Japan May 27, 1905, only to be captured by Admiral

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CROP OUTLOOK

EARLIER predictions that Canada's crop this year would be little more than half of that of last year evidently were wide of the mark.

In a dispatch to his paper from Edmonton, Mr. T. Stewart Lyon, editor of The Toronto Globe, says that crops in Manitoba—especially in the northwestern sections of the Province—promise to be the best since 1915 and the yield will be profitable to growers.

Mr. Lyon, after conversing with most of the leading authorities, is convinced that the harvest throughout the West will be fully as profitable as that of last year to everyone except the railways and those harvesters who depend upon bulk rather than upon per-bushel value.

Reduced to simple figures it means that while last year's crop of 474,000,000 bushels sold on the average at between ninety cents and a dollar a bushel, the 1924 harvest may go into the market at something like a dollar and one-half a bushel.

CANADIAN CREDIT

THE speed with which the two recent Canadian National loans have been subscribed in New York is convincing evidence of the stability of Canadian credit.

While this attitude of the financial world towards Canadian securities is a complete answer to the howls of pessimism which go up to high heaven from certain quarters from time to time, it is certain that the distribution of American money in Canada is at the bottom of the healthy condition of the Canadian dollar on Wall Street and reflected in the practical interest which American investors are showing in this country's bonds.

One has only to refer to the business which tourists bring into British Columbia to realize the amount of American gold which comes into Canada in increasing amounts by the holiday route.

And the holiday exodus from the United States to Europe is an international factor of large proportions. One day last week no fewer than 11,000 American tourists left for the other side of the Atlantic.

KEEPING UP THE FICTION

HIGH protectionist newspapers in this country are assisting high protectionist newspaper readers to make up their minds that the repeal of the McKenna duties is causing serious industrial dislocation and additional unemployment in Great Britain.

The so-called McKenna duties were introduced in 1915 by Mr. Reginald McKenna.

Their principal object was to conserve tonnage for war supplies and also to uphold exchange rates by restricting imports.

Canadian high protectionists are using the McKenna duties and the alleged effect of their repeal in an extremely loose fashion.

ticles taxed under the 1915 proposal: motor cars, motor cycles—other than commercial vehicles—musical instruments, watches, and cinematograph films.

A study of this comparatively small collection of articles suggests that the automobile industry would be the hardest hit. What are the facts in this connection? Examination of trade figures shows that there are 198 different makes in Great Britain or very considerably more than there are in the United States with its much more extensive automobile-buying capacity.

Is the effect of the repeal of the McKenna duties in respect of this industry as serious even as it might appear to be at first sight? The answer is found in figures which already have been made public by more than one political commentator.

Nobody need be seriously alarmed at the suggestion that musical instruments, watches, and cinematograph films are flooding the country in the guise of cheap goods to the growing detriment of the British manufacturer and his employees.

MAKING JOBS

WHEN the provincial Government purchased a large tract of land in the Okanagan Valley and prepared to irrigate it and make it a quick producer there were many who turned up their noses in disgust and pointed to the difficulties the orchardists of that section were already having to find an adequate market for their wares.

These new settlers to whom the Government has disposed of the land were not asleep; they investigated the market and its requirements. Cantaloupes were coming into British Columbia from California in very large quantities.

Opponents of immigration seldom stop to consider the jobs that the energetic and enterprising individual can make for himself.

The war in China is now beginning to assume serious proportions. Somebody is getting hurt. "Few casualties" are already reported.

The Argentine world flier has halted his journey in China because of the war. All he has to do is to ask the rival commanders to call a truce for an hour or so and he would no doubt find them willing to oblige.

No doubt the electors of Nelson are experiencing a sense of satisfaction over their decision to return Premier Oliver as their representative.

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Dr. Frank Crane on "Liberty"

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LIBERTY is like everything else. It can be carried to extremes. When Mrs. Roland, on her way to execution, exclaimed: "O Liberty, what crimes have been committed in thy name!" she had in mind liberty carried to an extreme.

There is no liberty, of a practical nature, in the world, that is not limited by the demands of others. And only those who experience the delights of liberty who are the readiest to admit those demands.

The only way to establish a lasting government is first to see that it stands for equality of all before the law and, secondly, to recognize that, in most things, the people are to be free to do as they please.

America stands on the same thing and, in its way, England recognizes the same truth, that the peace and prosperity of a government depend upon the peace and prosperity of its people.

Both the French and the Americans revolutions constituted a warning to all governments that the inevitable effect of tyrannical governmental incompetency, is revolution.

The effect of tyranny, whether it is that of the Bourbons of France, of the reactionaries in England, or the tyrants in Russia, is always the same.

RURAL EVENING

The whip cracks on the plough-team's flank. The thresher's flail beats duller. The round of day has warmed a bank of clouds to primrose color.

At the North Pole

ON September 6, 1909, there shot around the world the thrilling news that Commander Peary of the United States Navy had at last reached the North Pole.

That great northern waste of ice and sea and barren rock has, for centuries, been the scene of untold misadventure and should the Arctic find it habitable in any way (an eventually not at all impossible) what treasures of romance and heroism will form the background of the local history!

THE DARK HOUSE

See this House, how dark it is Beneath its vast-boughed trees. Not one trembling leaflet cries To that Watcher in the skies— "Remove, remove thy searching gaze, Innocent of Heaven's way, Brood not, Moon, so wildly bright, On secrets hidden from sight."

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Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and readable. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion.

NERVE

To the Editor:—The lumbermen of British Columbia have enjoyed many privileges not granted to any other industry in the Province.

AN APPRECIATION

To the Editor:—When told that I was to leave Victoria on September 1 my friend asked "Are you tired of Victoria already?"

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THE CITY LIBRARY

To the Editor:—Now that the business meetings of the delegates to the Pacific Northwest Library Association are over, and the delegates have departed bearing the one deep desire in their hearts to return to Victoria as soon as circumstances will permit, we are at liberty to consider a few simple suggestions with respect to the administration of our own city library.

Experienced librarians believe it shows wise foresight to secure a site for a library building providing room for future extensions. The building should stand on a site surrounded by a well-kept lawn, and a reasonable number of suitable shade trees.

From an architectural point of view the City Library Building is all that could be desired, and every effort should be made to avoid impairing its excellence by the misplacing of shelving, desks or tables.

Another very simple suggestion is to remove entirely the very clumsy round counter which occupies valuable space, and in proportions fails to provide adequate service.

I am sure this letter has exceeded the usually allotted space, so another time, with the Editor's consent, I shall take the reader with me to the upper floor of the City Library.



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Liberal Women to Hold Musicales For Mrs. John Hart

The Liberal Women's forum will resume its monthly meetings on Friday next at 3.15 at the Liberal headquarters, Broughton Street, when the gathering will take the form of a musical tea in honor of Mrs. John Hart, who is leaving shortly for Vancouver.

Local Council of Women—The Local Council of Women will resume its monthly meetings on Monday at the Island Arts and Crafts Club, 292 Union Bank Building.

Kumtuku Club—The Kumtuku Club will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Alexandra Club, 418 Pemberton Building.

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Announcement of Office Changes Made at Provincial Executive Meeting

Vancouver, Sept. 6.—A gracious letter from H.R.H. Princess Mary, Viscountess Lascelles, in which she graciously accepted the gift of an Indian tray, which was sent this Summer to be placed in Canada Cottage, Foxlease, was read at a meeting of the provincial executive of the Canadian Girl Guides, held on Thursday morning at Hotel Vancouver, with the provincial commissioner, Mrs. Walter C. Nichol, in the chair.

These present were Mrs. Tyrrell Godman, divisional commissioner for Vancouver Island; Miss E. Frances Mara, deputy provincial commissioner; Mrs. M. E. Kinloch, commissioner for Victoria; Mrs. R. W. Brock, commissioner for Vancouver; Mrs. John Hespeler, commissioner for New Westminster; Mrs. C. E. Carter, commissioner for Burnaby; Mrs. J. Fyfe Smith, commissioner for Vancouver South.

W.C.T.U. HOME POUND PARTY TUESDAY

On Tuesday next the W.C.T.U. Home for Friendless Women, an institution somewhat unfamiliar to the public owing to the nature of its work, will hold its annual Home POUND Party when donations of cash and kind will be very gratefully received.

PRETTY VICTIM OF MAINLAND TRAGEDY

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IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

VICTORIA'S BONNY CHILDREN



This happy little fellow is Master George Wilson Beck, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Beck of 1311 Minto Street.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Forsyth of Seattle are registered at the Angela.

Miss Marjorie Broley has returned to this city after a six weeks' vacation in Fernie.

Mrs. O. M. Jones has gone over to Vancouver on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. M. Bell-irving.

Mr. Arthur Fell and Mr. Royden Morris are leaving to-morrow for Kingston, via Chicago.

Mrs. Garrard of Duncan has been a visitor in town for a few days, returning home yesterday.

Mrs. Tice Bastedo of Toronto is the guest of Mrs. H. J. Wilson at the Empress Hotel for the week-end.

Miss Ethel Rhodes, who has been visiting in Vancouver and Bellingham, has returned to the city.

Miss Janet Doyle of New Westminster is the guest of Mrs. Chisholm Fraser, Denison Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooke Stephenson have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Worthington of Chicago.

Mrs. Dillon Costa, who has been spending the past week in Vancouver, returned to Victoria yesterday.

Miss Gertrude Reynolds of Victoria is the guest of Mrs. J. E. Noel, Marpole, Vancouver, for a few days.

Mr. Norman Fell, who has been spending the past two months at Fort George, has returned to the city.

General Sir Percy and Lady Lake and the Honorable Mr. and Mrs. Parson returned to-day from a motor trip up the island.

Miss Helen Prestwich and Mrs. Ernest Webster of Vancouver are the guests of Col. and Mrs. S. Gray for a few days.

Mrs. Norman Hart, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Trench of Salt Spring Island for the past week, has returned.

Captain Norman, who has been spending the past week at the Empress Hotel, left last night for the East.

Miss Pauline Ross and Mrs. Priestley Sheldon of Nanaimo arrived in the city on Thursday and are guest at the Strathcona Hotel.

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Mrs. P. Jackson and small son who have been occupying Mrs. C. Gordon Stuart's house at Cadboro Bay during the Summer months will leave on Monday for her home in Westport.

Mrs. George McCurdy and children, who have been the guests of Mrs. McCurdy's mother, Mrs. Rowley Heyland, Richardson Street, for the past month left to-day for their home in Chicago.

The Misses Doris, Athalie and Janet Gibson are leaving to-morrow for the East, where Miss Doris will attend college at Guelph and the

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3. Hudson's Bay Company's store policy permits of no misrepresentation of merchandise by its salespeople or exaggeration of statements in its advertising. The following instructions appear on every sheet of advertising copy submitted by the buyer to the advertising department: "Buyers and salespeople must not under any circumstances misrepresent merchandise in the advertising, neither when discussing goods with customers nor when making a sale."
4. Because we have a store which is the last word in architecture and equipment—a store which is as thoroughly up-to-date as any on the American continent. Everything has been planned for the comfort and convenience of our customers. Shopping at Hudson's Bay is no irksome duty but a very definite pleasure.

Our Objective -- 5000 More Satisfied Customers by December 31

How do we expect to reach that objective? By offering to the public of Victoria and Vancouver Island the most dependable quality merchandise at lowest possible prices.

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The great new drydock at Esquimalt, the largest in the British Empire, will accommodate the biggest ship afloat and when completed next year will be a fitting companion for the big Government wharfs at Ogden Point and will make a memorable step forward in the extension of the port facilities at Victoria.

POWERFUL SALVAGE BOAT

The Pacific Salvage Company will shortly be operating from Victoria the most perfectly equipped and the most powerful salvage craft on the Pacific Coast. It is also claimed to be the largest and fastest in the world. This in conjunction with the new dry dock will undoubtedly prove a great attraction to Pacific shipping, resulting in additional industries and a big increase in employment.

TWO BIG NEW COAST LINERS

The new C.P.R. steamers, the Princess Kathleen and the Princess Margaret, now under construction

on the Clyde, will be ready by next Spring and will make provision for an increased passenger capacity of 75 to 100 per cent.

DEVELOPMENT OF DOCKS

The Dominion Government is to construct next year an assembly plant at the Ogden Point Docks. Car ferries which will probably be built in Victoria will bring lumber intended for ocean shipments from the C.N.R. terminal.

The proposed elevators, the establishment of which is almost assured, will still further aid in the development of the big docks.

AMUSEMENT CENTRE

Providing employment for hundreds of men during the coming Winter months will be the beautiful Crystal Garden, construction of which is to be commenced almost at once.

This new C.P.R. undertaking will represent an investment of at least \$400,000 and will be ready by May 24. It will prove a big added attraction to tourists and incidentally

make a big addition to Victoria's payroll.

BANK CLEARINGS

The steady increase in Victoria's bank clearings over figures of previous years indicates a healthy state of business in our city.

B.C. RESOURCES

The natural resources of British Columbia, and particularly of Vancouver Island—lumber, agriculture, minerals and fisheries—are comparatively only in the early stages of development. Yet in the year 1923 the total production from these four principal sources amounted to over \$200,000,000. Compare last year's figures with those of ten years ago and see how we have progressed:

	1913	1923
Lumber	\$33,650,000	\$86,674,000
Agriculture	36,222,325	59,159,736
Minerals	30,294,398	41,304,320
Fisheries	12,891,295	18,848,658

Of the total amount of standing merchantable timber in British Columbia two-thirds is on Vancouver Island, and of the actual production the Island is responsible for more than half.

5. Because it is a store constructed on perfectly hygienic lines. The fresh air that is constantly being pumped into the building is first passed through a washing process, warmed in the Winter and cooled in the Summer, ensuring perfect comfort for shoppers at all seasons of the year.

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The Electrical O.K. Credit System makes for convenience and rapid service for the charge customers, while the National Cash Registers with which the store is equipped throughout, ensures quick service for cash customers.

7. Because we have one of the finest Dining-rooms on the Pacific Coast, where splendid meals are served at all hours during the day at extremely low prices.

In addition to the Lounge at the entrance of the dining-room are the Rest Rooms on the second floor, where writing materials are provided free of charge. The Rendezvous on the mezzanine-floor is a convenient place for meeting one's friends. Here you will find comfortable seats from which you may view the interesting activities of the main floor.

Conveniently situated on the Mezzanine Floor are the modern Hairdressing and Manicure Parlors, the Information Bureau as well as the Circulating Library. These are service features, thoroughly in keeping with our many other modern methods.

8. Because we have a prompt, efficient and thoroughly satisfactory Delivery Service with a fleet of speedy delivery autos in charge of capable and courteous drivers.

Orders received both by phone and over the counter before twelve o'clock are delivered the same afternoon in the city and immediately surrounding districts. Frequent deliveries are made to outside points within a radius of twenty-five or thirty miles.

9. Because it is a friendly store. Our customers and friends tell us there's something different about Hudson's Bay. It is so homelike and comfortable; the salespeople are pleasant and happy, always glad and willing to do everything to make shopping a pleasure.

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DUTCH LOOK TO B.C. FOR FUTURE

Amsterdam Resident Says South Africa Competing For Hollanders

That there is a desire on the part of a large number of people of the agricultural and industrial classes to come to Canada from the Netherlands is the statement to The Times of B. Bierman, a young Amsterdam resident who is registered at the Strathcona Hotel.

Mr. Bierman, who has come here with his wife to locate on the island, says that four of the chief cities of the Netherlands have united with the government to establish an emigration loan fund for the purpose of sending out trained help, under the first cost of emigrant movement to the newer parts of the world.

The Dutch colonies, both in the East and West Indies, are tropical and semi-tropical, and apart from government employees and a limited number of planters and merchants, there is not much encouragement here for the Hollander of limited capital.

MORNING STARS SOLD BY AUCTION

Little Steamer Goes to the Highest Bidder at Seattle

Seattle, Sept. 6.—The freighter Morning Star was sold here yesterday by Deputy United States Marshal A. B. Millet to the Sound Ferry Lines for \$5,050 in order to satisfy claims for not having papers for lawful entry into the United States.

Sale of the Morning Star was the culmination of troubles of the ship which started nearly two months ago, when she listed suddenly in Active Pass and nearly turned over.

FREIGHTER COLONIAL BRINGS PLANT FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW FACTORY IN VICTORIA

Harrison Ship Shortly Due Here With Machinery Which Will be Installed in Carton and Paper-box Manufactory to be Operated in City.

On board the Harrison Line freighter Colonial, due here September 29 from the United Kingdom, has aboard a complete plant for a carton manufacturing plant in the city.

Davis and Schmeck, Limited, carton and paper-box manufacturers, printers, book binders and rubber stamp makers, will have their Victoria plant operating by the end of October, it was announced by Robert T. Williams, vice-president and managing director of the firm.

As soon as the manufacturing equipment reaches Victoria the company's agents will immediately begin putting it into place in the new factory. The temporary offices and factory are at 642 Yates Street. Here will begin what promises to be a thriving business.

MADE IN ENGLAND

In the holds of the Colonial is an up-to-date manufacturing plant of British make, bound for the firm here. It is made by the firm of William Crossland Limited of Bradford, Cheshire, England, and is the first of its kind to reach Victoria. It will be operating at full speed by the end of October.

The departure of Messrs. Davis and Schmeck is somewhat novel, for they cover a great amount of ground in their various lines of output.

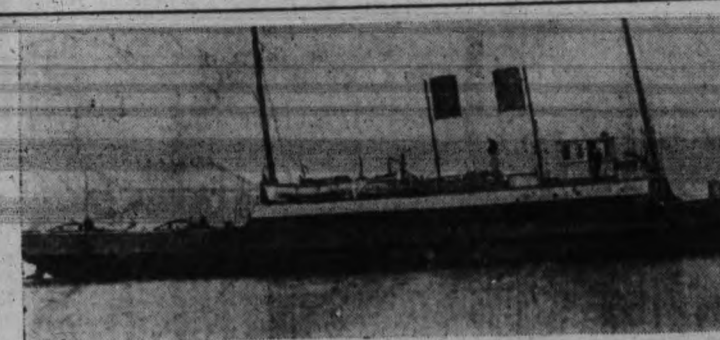
The officers of the firm are as follows: President, Peter B. Schmeck; vice-president and managing director, Robert T. Williams; second vice-president, M. L. Davis, and secretary-treasurer, Alfred H. Steer.

Mr. Schmeck stated this morning that although the firm was not starting in a pretentious way, yet there was an opening and opportunity for a decidedly big trade on Vancouver Island particularly. The firm intends to supply candy dealers, and various tins, fruit sellers and various other retail stores with paper and cardboard boxes.

The machinery coming here on the Ss. Colonial is replete with every modern convenience. It will be capable of turning out large supplies of material for selling within a very short time and was simple and inexpensive to operate. It will be installed by experts and operated by trained men.

C. Copeland, president of the District Trades and Labor Council, is leaving the city shortly to attend the convention of the Canadian Congress at London, Ont., which starts on September 15. He plans also to visit various points in the United States, and on his return journey from London, which begins on September 21, will travel to Chicago and then to Mooseheart, Ill. Mr. Copeland is dictator of the Royal Order of Moose, Victoria Lodge No. 1255.

SALVAGE CHIEF WENT OUT TO ASSIST



Pacific Salvage Company's steamer Salvage Chief, formerly known as the Nitinat, commanded by Capt. J. Hewison, steamed out of port to lend assistance which might be needed by the German steamer Martha Hemsoth, which was ashore near Race Rocks this morning. The Salvage chief will stand by the Hemsoth until she is out of danger.

GEORGE BUCKLIN, NEW CONSUL HERE, TAKES UP TASK

Is Senior Member of American Consulate Service

With the appointment of George A. Bucklin as American Consul in Victoria, the United States Government has paid a tribute to the importance of this city, the new official being one of the senior men of the consulate organization, while Victoria, on the classifications used hitherto, has been graded as a third class appointment.

Mr. Bucklin this morning took over his duties at the Consulate offices in the Belmont Building, succeeding R. B. Mosher, who recently retired.

To The Times Mr. Bucklin stated that his appointment to Victoria has caused him great gratification, as it was considered one of the best appointments in Canada and one of the plums of the American Consulate service.

"Some time ago I applied for appointment to one of the Canadian cities, and pending the opening of a permanent post, served for three months at Seattle, Wash., where my opinions of the pleasure to be derived when doing business with Canadians was strengthened," he said.

TRAINED FOR SERVICE

Mr. Bucklin is a member of the little band of enthusiasts which, under the direction of President Roosevelt, in 1906 formed the nucleus of the present efficient professional consular staff of the United States.

In 1906 the consulate appointments were regarded by Americans as plums wherever they regard political workers. The party in power with his enthusiastic energy, took up and placed the consular service on a permanent basis. Mr. Bucklin and a handful of ambitious young men were at that time attending the larger universities, and they specialized in studies having a direct bearing upon efficiency in the Consulate service.

Mr. Bucklin took his degrees at Yale, adding to the ordinary curriculum, special courses in languages, Oriental literature and other studies having a bearing on his prospective career. Upon graduating in 1906, he entered the Consulate service, and is now one of the senior men. His first station was at San Luis Potosi, in Mexico, whence he was transferred to Guatemala City, where he attracted sufficient attention to attain appointment to Bordeaux.

After some years in that important seaport Mr. Bucklin was transferred to Paris, where his tact and experience were of great value in dealing with wartime problems.

When the American army of occupation went to Colombia, Mr. Bucklin went with the prospect of remaining there until the American troops were finally withdrawn.

Mr. Bucklin is forty-five years of age, married, and has a family, who have come to Victoria with him and are at present staying at the Empress Hotel.

RADIO GIVES NEWS TO FAR TRADERS

Missionary in Ungava Visiting Toronto Tells of Progress

Toronto, Sept. 6.—The great boom radio has become a reality in the Northland and is being used by Rev. W. G. Walton, a missionary in Ungava, on the eastern shore of Hudson Bay, who has arrived in Toronto along the shore, says Mr. Walton.

Along the shore, says Mr. Walton, many stations have been erected and although mails are delivered in Ungava only from two to four times a year, the settlers and traders are getting world news by radio as early as the readers of city newspapers.

Mr. Walton cites the case of a trader at Rupert House, a Hudson's Bay Company post, whose wife left last fall to undergo a serious operation in a United States hospital. Naturally the trader was anxious to hear how she was getting on.

In January of this year he was "listening in" and heard a Presbyterian clergyman in Pittsburgh state that he had been advised to mention that the trader's wife was getting on nicely after a rather serious operation.

Gun Practice at Esquimalt Defences

Notification is hereby given that gun practice will be carried out from the Esquimalt defences on the dates and time stated below:

Wednesday September 11, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. Range, 5,000 yards; arc of fire, Macaulay Point to William Head.

Thursday, September 12, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. Range, 14,000 yards; arc of fire, Trial Island to William Head.

A. S. WRIGHT, Major, R.C.A. Esquimalt, B.C.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

Table with columns: Steamer, Master, Ton., Agent, From, Due. Includes Deep Sea Arrivals and Departures.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of September, 1924.

Table with columns: Day, Sunrise, Sunset. Lists times for each day of the month.

TRANS-PACIFIC MAIL

September, 1924. Includes shipping schedules for various lines like Empress of Australia, Canadian Pacific, etc.

TIDE TABLE

Table with columns: Date, Time High, Time Low. Provides tide data for September.

COASTWISE MOVEMENTS

Far Vancouver: Princess Victoria leaves daily at 2:15 p.m. Princess Adelaide or Princess Mary leaves daily at 11:45 p.m.

SEATTLE SHIPPING

Seattle, Sept. 6.—With the last 1,000 miles of new cable to connect Alaska ports in her hold, the United States cable ship Delwood was en route yesterday.

ORIENT LEAVING

The Ss. Orient, loading about 1,000,000 feet of lumber from local mills, will leave tonight for Vancouver, where she will complete her cargo for New York and other Atlantic seaboard points.

MOTOR FERRY SERVICES

For Port Angeles: Olympic leaves daily at 9 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Sidney to Beltingham: Motor Princess leaves daily at 10:45 a.m. and 6:10 p.m.

CITY OF ANGLADE AND PUGET LEAVE

City of Anglade and Puget leave daily at 8:30 a.m., 2 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. Cascade leaves daily.

MARTHA HEMSOOTH WAS ASHORE NEAR RACE ROCKS TO-DAY IN FIRST FOG OF FALL SEASON

German Freighter, Inbound From South, Fetched up at Beechy Head in Thick Weather; Ship Floated After Two Hours on Rocks and Proceeded up Gulf; Scheduled to Load Lumber at This Port.

Fog was responsible to-day for the first marine mishap of the Fall season. Running into thick fog in the Straits of the Martha Hemsoth, a German freighter, at 6 o'clock this morning, went ashore at Beechy Head, two miles west of Race Rocks.

The Hemsoth later floated without assistance, although her forepeak was flooded, indicating that she had sustained damage forward.

The vessel was fast ashore for two hours and forty minutes. After getting clear the steamship proceeded to Vancouver, where she was bound from San Francisco.

The Martha Hemsoth is listed to come to this port to load lumber and was expected at the Canadian Puget Sound mills after finishing at Vancouver.

The Hemsoth was from Coos Bay, Oregon, and had made her way up the Coast until she ran into heavy fog.

The ship is under charter to J. J. Moore and Company of San Francisco. The spot where the Hemsoth struck is at Beechy Head, near Donaldson's Island in the Straits of San Juan de Fuca, off the southwest coast of Vancouver Island. News of the accident was picked up by wireless at various points, Victoria, Seattle and Vancouver, all picking up the messages from the Martha Hemsoth's captain, which told of her position and her destination.

The Pacific Salvage Company's crew were ready at their stations on the Ss. Salvage Chief as soon as the message was received. The Hemsoth, the German freighter was in danger on rocks not more than about twenty miles from Victoria. Fog lay in dense masses over the water, and here to Port Angeles and outward, through the Straits into the open water. Through this the Martha Hemsoth was steamed and piled up on the rocks.

At 11:45 a.m. the Salvage Chief, commanded by Capt. J. Hewison, cast off her moorings and steamed out to aid the Martha Hemsoth, and to stand by in case she needed assistance.

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CHIEF OF KINGSLEY LINE IN VANCOUVER

As Conditions Warrant Fleet Will be Increased, Says President

"As business conditions warrant, we will add to our fleet on the Pacific Coast, and to the company president said E. D. Kingsley of New York, president of the E. D. Kingsley Navigation Company, and of the Pacific Lime Company, Limited.

Recently the steamship branch of the organization added the steamer Rochelle to its fleet. This vessel started in service on Thursday, going alongside the Evans, Coleman, & Evans dock, to load for California.

She will complete at Rubber Bay and sail with a full cargo. The steamer E. D. Kingsley sailed Thursday night for California with a full cargo from Victoria and mainland points.

Mr. Kingsley spoke of the development of the Pacific Lime Company Limited, had made in the past few years. In addition to the regular proportion of the output, the company has developed a demand in Honolulu, the Philippines, Mexico, New Zealand, and an occasional order from Peru. In addition to this there is a sale of lime to British Columbia mines. They are using it in the flotation processes to correct the British Columbia market is also showing signs of renewed life.

The lumber interests of the company are also active. The mill at Rubber Bay is cutting one million feet of lumber monthly, the bulk of this cut going south in the company's fleet. A total of 52,000 tons of material was shipped out of Rubber Bay last year.

Speaking of the development of the company interests on the British Columbia coast, Mr. Kingsley pointed out that where five years ago the total of employees was eighty, it now exceeded 200.

He will spend several weeks on this coast, looking into the conditions of the market, the general outlook and other business aspects. He is in Vancouver at the present time.

Mariners are notified that the Sand Heads Lightship stationed at the mouth of the Fraser River, Strait of Georgia, B.C., which was withdrawn from her station on June 27 for repairs, was replaced in position September 5. The gas and whistling buoy used to mark this position during the absence of the lightship has been withdrawn.

E. & N. Ry. Effective Sunday September 7

The Sunday afternoon train from Wellington will resume regular schedule, and will leave at 1:10 P.M., arriving Victoria at 5:00 P.M.

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B. C. COAST SERVICE. VANCOUVER—At 11:15 p.m. and 11:45 p.m. daily. SEATTLE—At 4:30 p.m. daily.

ALASKA ROUTE—From Vancouver, September 16, 20, at 3 p.m. OCEAN FALLS-PRINCE RUPERT ROUTE—From Vancouver every Wednesday at 9:00 p.m.

POWELL RIVER-UNION BAY-COMOX ROUTE—From Vancouver every Tuesday and Thursday at 11:45 p.m. WEST COAST VANCOUVER ISLAND ROUTE—From Victoria 1st, 16th, 20th each month at 11:00 p.m.

GULF ISLANDS ROUTE—Ss. Island Princess leaves Belleville Street Wharf every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7:15 a.m. SIDNEY-BELLINGHAM—Motor Princess leaves Sidney 10:45 a.m. returning leaves Bellingham 2:30 p.m. daily.

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NEWS IN BRIEF
The next meeting of the City School Board will be held on Wednesday evening.
Several by-laws affecting realty sales in which the city is interested will be introduced to the City Council on Monday evening.
The annual general meeting of University School Limited will be held at 277 Pemberton Building on Saturday next at 10.30 o'clock.
The Victoria Juvenile Pipe Band, under the leadership of Pipe Major Wallace, will play at Mount Douglas Park on Sunday, from 3 to 4.30 p.m.
A call by the fire department was received last night to a chimney fire at 409 Superior Street. It was put out before further damage was done.
Building permits have been issued for alterations at 1311 Government Street, for an addition to 7633 Redfern Street and for a frame garage at 1055 Clare Street.
The case of a missing boy has been reported to the police. D. Arnsaon, 2737 Higgins Street, reports his son Thorok, sixteen years of age, has been missing since August 14. He left on a bicycle. He is tall for his age, and was dressed in a yellow sweater and khaki pants and gray shirt.
Thirty dollars in fines was collected from speeders in the Oak Bay police court yesterday afternoon. Three were brought before Magistrate Jay. One who turned out of Mitchell Street to Oak Bay Avenue at a speed of twenty miles an hour was fined \$15. Another autoist speeding towards Cadboro Bay paid a similar fine. A remand was ordered in the third case.
There was a good attendance of the Victoria branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada at the farewell luncheon held in honor of H. M. Blackwood on Friday. G. B. Mitchell presiding. E. S. Brydson made the presentation, and expressed the regret that Mr. Blackwood was leaving the city. Chief Engineer Patrick Phillip also spoke of the great regret of his fellow engineers at Mr. Blackwood's departure.
Two of four boys who were to have appeared before Magistrate George Jay in the Juvenile Police Court this morning have disappeared from their homes in Victoria. They appear in connection with separate escapades. One was partner with another lad in a theft from a slot machine at a Cook Street store from which the boys took the money that had been deposited. The other boy was seen to appear in connection with the stealing of an automobile for joy riding purposes. Two boys took the car and after riding it around left it in bad shape behind on the corner of Yates and left behind by one of the lads in which he stated he had run away until the trouble blew over. A search will be made for the lads to bring them back to the city.



Here is a Beetle Which Possesses Attributes of Unpopular Animal

A beetle which secretes a most objectionable odor, and from its small length of one-third of an inch can drive the occupants from a room, has appeared in Vancouver, and at various points along the line of the Kettle Valley Railway. It may be the same as the beetle which was further delayed by the fog off the coast.
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mologist in this district, has several specimens at his office, and in personally testing its properties has experienced the pungent smell and burning sensation when the beetle expresses its contempt for mankind. Mr. Downes states that the beetle has been reported a number of times on the Pacific coast, and can be controlled somewhat like the earwig pest, but is uncommon in this Province. He thinks the dry weather is the cause of its prevalence. Accidental squashing of the beetle creates an objectionable odor to clothing, as the use of an anaesthetic in hospital wards to any article in contact with it, but the beetle's distinctive discharge is much more objectionable.

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A new taxi company will begin operations in this city immediately under the name of the "White Owl" Taxi Company, with reduced rates. With a fleet of eighteen new and modern cars, the White Owl Company, President J. Greenwood, secretary P. G. Millin, and formed by a company of fourteen joint stockholders, will start business operations here immediately. It was announced to The Times to-day, they will operate day and night, and never close. Their stand is on the corner of Blanshard and Yates Streets. Their cars and drivers are reliable, and give a reasonable and quick service to any point on the Island. Inside the city their rates are particularly low. One or six persons travel for the same low figure. Their slogan is "Cheap rates and a quick turnover."
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STORM DELAYS SHIP
The Manila Maru, Capt. Y. Somekawa, which sailed from Yokohama at noon on August 28, is still running foul of the weather on her voyage to this port from the Orient, and the latest advices from the ship, received by her agents here, Rithet Consolidated, state that she will not be in port until Tuesday evening, two days behind schedule. She may be further delayed by the fog off the coast.

GREAT BRITAIN LEADS FOR DISARMAMENT
Geneva, Sept. 6.—At the instigation of Great Britain, the Assembly of the League of Nations, today adopted a resolution to call a disarmament conference at the earliest possible convenience.
The resolution asks the disarmament commission to study the draft of the Pact of Mutual Assistance and the covenant of the League with a view to deciding upon the necessary amendment to the covenant in connection with the settlement of disputes.
The commission also is asked to examine into the question of the revision of the status of the World Court and to make its arbitration more acceptable and thus prepare the way for the pacific settlement of all disputes.
CANADA PLEASED
Hon. Raoul Dandurand, speaking before the Assembly to-day, said Canada was delighted at the re-orientation of the Sentente Cordiale.
The Canadian representative told of the anxiety caused in Canada during the past three years by the unsettled state of the Anglo-French relations and asserted the Dominion was delighted by the work of Premier Dandurand and Premier Herriot in bringing about closer relations between Great Britain and France.

REPORTS OF MEXICAN RENO EXAGGERATED
Houston, Tex., Sept. 6.—A report that Progresso, Mexico, has become a Mexican El Reno and that divorces are easy to obtain on almost any grounds after thirty days of residence has become so widespread that the agents of a Galveston steamship line whose ships touch at Progresso have been besieged with requests for passage to that port.
Hernandez Valdes, Mexican consul at Houston, however, is not sure the information is accurate. Generally speaking, Mr. Valdes said, divorces are governed by a federal statute passed in 1917 which requires a residence of approximately one year for the divorce-petitioner.
"His must," Mr. Valdes added, "be good grounds for his action and must be prepared to submit proof of the allegations in his petition. In other words, the machinery for obtaining divorces in Mexico is much like it is in the United States."
More than 100 inquiries for passage to Progresso, one of them from California, have been received at the Galveston steamship offices.

OBITUARY
The funeral of the late Mrs. Nellie Robbins, of Glen, who passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital Thursday, will take place on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel, and interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.
The death took place at an early hour this morning at the family residence at 1330 Pembroke Street, of Mrs. Marianne Gillespie Lucas, wife of John Savage Lucas, aged fifty-one years. Born in the county of Armagh, Ireland, and a resident of this city for many years, she was the late Mrs. Lucas is survived by her husband, three daughters and one son at home, a son, Edwin Lucas, at Fort Alberni, and two granddaughters, Mrs. C. H. Walker, of Scott Street, and a daughter, Miss Evelyn, now at Revelstoke, B.C. The remains are resting at the Sands Funeral Chapel, and the funeral will be announced later.
Funeral services were held this morning over the remains of the late Rev. Frederick E. Perrin at St. Barnabas' Church, where Requiem was celebrated at 10.30 o'clock. At 10.50 o'clock the burial service was conducted by the Rev. N. E. Smith, assisted by Rev. W. Cooper of St. James' Church, Vancouver. Relatives and a large gathering of near friends were present, and the floral tributes were many and beautiful. Messrs. G. W. Knox, A. J. Dempster, U. Purand, D. G. Bristow, and J. A. Marger acted as pallbearers. Interment was made in Ross Bay cemetery.

A CROSS OF PEARLS
What are perhaps the most remarkable natural pearls in the world are being exhibited in the Australian Pavilion at the British Empire Exhibition.
This extraordinary exhibit, known as the "Cross of Pearls," is a cluster of nine pearls forming an almost perfect Latin cross. The shaft is composed of seven pearls measuring an inch and a half in length, while the arms of the cross are formed of one pearl on each side opposite the second pearl from the top downwards.
Examination under a powerful microscope shows that the gems were produced by nature in their present arrangement, probably as a result of mutual cooperation in the growth of a pearl. One of the pearls was discovered in 1874 by a pearl fisher at Roeburn, in Western Australia, but so amazed was the finder and the owner of the vessel that, believing it to be a heaven-wrought miracle, they buried the treasure and left it to be forgotten.
It remained hidden until 1878, when an Australian explorer, Alexander Forrest, passed through Roeburn and, hearing accidentally of the pearl, disclosed its existence to the world. It is now the property of a London merchant, and is valued at £10,000.
TIT-BITS

LIST OF TRIALS IN COUNTY COURT
The list of trials to have dates set for hearing on Monday is as follows:
A. Young (Cameron) vs. R. M. King (King).
Victoria Auto Livery Limited (Whittaker) vs. George Cummings (Sinnott).
F. J. Gillette (Harrison) vs. R. Thomson (Finland).
R. H. Powell (Harrison) vs. G. D. Seymour (Baugh-Allen).
Thos. Berry (Haldane) vs. R. J. Trenchard.
Western Construction Company Limited (Langley) vs. P. J. Gaynor.
MacDonnell I. Dagn (Sinnott) vs. Wm. M. Everall (Cameron).
Rex (Robertson) vs. J. A. Rithet (appeal) (Moreaby).
J. Southwell (Maclean) vs. Gorge Motor Bus Company Limited (Alkman).
W. Hall (T. M. Miller) vs. G. D. Brodie (Langley).
E. A. Fairweather (Sinnott) vs. W. S. Terry (Higgins).
Consolidated Motor Company Limited (J. R. Green) vs. R. Rowan (Maunell).
M. Barrieau (Pooley) vs. Gorge Bus Company Limited (Alkman).
G. Speed (O'Halloran) vs. J. Vaio & Sons (Higgins).
F. Burton (J. R. Green) vs. J. W. Sluggert (Shandley).
E. Spouse and R. Spouse (Sinnott) vs. K. C. Anderson (Lawson).
W. N. Scott (Cameron) vs. Union Bank of Canada (Elliot).
F. Burgess (Tait) vs. O. Lloy (Marchant).
W. D. Sheepwash (J. R. Green) vs. The Malhat Tie and Lumber Company (Walls).
E. A. Tomalin (Yates) vs. D. J. Miller (Courtney).
H. T. Paine (Marchant) vs. D. A. Fairweather (Sinnott).
J. Johnston (Alexis Martin) vs. R. W. Buller (Higgins).
Jameson Motors Limited (Shandley) vs. S. Merkoloff (Tait).
John Wood (Sinnott) vs. F. E. Grahame (appeal from small debts) (Child).

EVENTS TO COME
The Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet on Monday at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Kyrle Symons, 2178 Windsor Road, when important business will be discussed.
Pamela Fay Dormer, aged two years and eleven months, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dormer of 220 Yates Street, passed away yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital. The funeral will be held from the B. C. Funeral Chapel on Tuesday at 11 o'clock. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Overnight Entries
Vancouver, Sept. 6.—Monday's entries at Hastings Park:
First race, about five furlongs.
Little Pointer.....114
York Road.....105
Carrie Moore.....114
Skylark.....114
C. A. Comisky.....114
Royal Lodge.....107
Very Common.....109
Lucky Mack.....109
Vodka.....107
Dix Hall.....114
Irish Courage.....109
Second race, about five furlongs.
Dayton.....117
Flying Orb.....114
Angele.....114
Cornstalk.....114
Kinetic.....113
Elus.....109
Durrel J.....109
Miss Taft.....109
Also eligible:
Wiltowbrook.....109
Fernandos.....114
Third race—about five furlongs:
Pinehurst.....119
Motor Cop.....117
Dare.....114
Ivy Gray.....113
Runaway.....113
1878.....114
Miss Nantura.....113
Tolameen Kid.....112
Fourth race—six and one-half furlongs:
Vesper Belle.....109
Queen Catherine.....109
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Sheriff's Sale
Under and by virtue of a Warrant of Execution issued out of the County Court of Victoria and to me directed against the goods and chattels of W. J. York Company, 539 Fisgard Street, I have seized and taken possession of all the contents of the above premises, consisting of Cash Register, Scales, Safe, Roll-top Desk, Clock, Mirror, Bicycle, Dry Goods, Groceries, etc., and will offer the same for sale at public auction on the premises on Monday next, September 8, at 10 o'clock a.m.
Terms of Sale Cash
H. W. GOGGIN, Sheriff,
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September 4, 1924.

OAK BAY MUNICIPALITY
Tax Sale
SEPTEMBER 8, 1924
Municipal Hall, Oak Bay Avenue, at 10 o'clock a.m.
All properties on which 1922 taxes remain unpaid will be sold at the above sale. The list at September 3rd included buildings and also good lots on such streets as Beach Drive, Newport, Oak Bay, Windsor, Monterey, Currie and Cadboro Bay.

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NEW ARTICLES ON GREAT MARCHES

SALVATION ARMY TAGGING TO-DAY

"Helping Hand" Branch For Social and Rescue Work to Benefit

The Salvation Army to-day is holding its annual tag day in aid of social and rescue work. This is one of the most popular appeals placed before the public through the medium of the tag day, and whatever the opinion of the people as to the suitability of this method of raising money for other organizations, all agreed that at least the Salvation Army social and rescue work, which is so universally praised, is eminently fitted to make a general appeal by a tag day.

Thousands of people in every corner of this Province are thankful for the ministrations of the Army. The helping hand in the prisons and penitentiaries, in the police court assisting first offenders, in its rescue homes mothering the unmarried mother and her unwanted baby, in all its social operations has passed the stage of experiment, and is regarded by governments and people throughout the wide world as a sound, sincere and sane welfare organization.

The list of conveners includes the following partial list: Rev. A. de B. Owen, Empress Hotel; Staff-Captain Jaynes, Yates and Broad Streets; Mrs. Wood, Post Office, Government Street; Mrs. Cassidy, Government and Fort; Mrs. Hog, Government and Yates; Mrs. Tibbitt, Government and Yates; Mrs. Ivel, Hudson's Bay Store; Friendly Help, Public Market; Miss Irwin, Yates and Douglas; Mrs. Hillary, Yates and Douglas; Mrs. A. Price, Fort and Douglas; Mr. Frank Willard, Fort and Blanchard; Mr. W. Cracknell, Pandora and Douglas.

APPLES SCHOOL DAYS TO ISSUES OF ADULT LIFE

Rev. R. W. Hibbert to Speak on Subject at Centennial To-morrow

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SECRETARY OF BOARD PAYS VISIT HERE

Miss E. Jamieson, of Toronto, Will Speak at First Congregational Church

Miss E. Jamieson, of Toronto, general secretary of the Canada Congregational Women's Board of Missions, is traveling across Canada in the interests of the work and visiting the churches and mission stations from Halifax to Vancouver. Miss Jamieson held a series of talks with the workers in the towns and rural district on her way West and will confine her visit to the larger centres on the return trip, she will arrive in Victoria to-day and will meet the organized classes of the First Congregational Sunday School on Sunday giving an address at the morning service at the First Congregational Church. On Monday a conference will be held with the Women's Missionary Society and the Sunshine Circle, while in Victoria Miss Jamieson will be the guest of Rev. A. K. and Mrs. McMinn, at their home at 350 Robertson Avenue.

The service on Sunday evening at James Bay Methodist Church will be entirely musical, consisting of anthems, vocal and instrumental solos, etc., as follows: Anthem, "Send Thy Light" (Gounod); solo, "The Holy Spirit" (Handel); violin solo, "Cantata" (Carl Bohn); "The Silen Voice" (Caro Roma); Mrs. A. W. Stokes; duet, "Watchman, What of the Night" (Maurice Strakos); Thomas and J. W. Buckler; anthem, "Almost Persuaded" (specially arranged) male voices. Accompanist, Mrs. George Scates. Conductor, J. W. Buckler.

Leodore de Lara, composer of "The Three Musketeers" has started a campaign in London for an Imperial Opera House. One million pounds have been offered to build a new opera house, asking for 1,000,000 shareholders at one pound each. This opera house is to seat 4,000 people, and seats will cost from one to five shillings.

CHANGES HOUR OF SERVICE

After an absence from the city of nearly six months, the Dean of Columbia and rector of Christ Church Cathedral, the Very Rev. C. S. Quainton, will be the preacher at the morning service at the First Congregational Church to-morrow. The morning service at 11 o'clock will be a choral celebration of the Holy Communion. The service will begin at 7 o'clock, instead of at 7:30 p.m. The change to 7:30 p.m. was made two months ago for the summer season. The service to-morrow, choral Evensong on Sundays will be held regularly at 7 p.m.

ST. COLUMBA MUSIC

Morning-Anthem, "The Sun shall be no more thy light by day." Evening-Duet, "Watchman, What of the Night." Messrs. Donaldson and Ruffell.

Fairfield Methodist Sunday School will meet to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 instead of 3:45, as it has been doing during the summer months. It is hoped that every member will take note of the change and endeavor to be present. A special rally will be held on Sunday, September 28. A special programme is being arranged and an effort will be made to have a one hundred per cent. attendance.

The Sunday Schools of St. Barnabas and St. Alban's Church Hall will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Sunday. The evening services at both these churches will commence at 7 p.m. instead of 7:30 p.m.

It has recently been discovered that the ancient Babylonian hieroglyphs were complete musical compositions. One of these bears both words and music and is supposed to have been a hymn to the sun. The tune lacks semitones, half-tones and there are five tones to the scale. It was played on a harp of eighteen strings.

Cathedral Sunday School to Meet in The New Hall

Christ Church Cathedral Sunday School will meet to-morrow morning for the first time in the new Memorial Hall building on Vancouver Street. The membership of the school will assemble in two main divisions. The first, for the older students, will meet at 9:45 a.m.; younger children will attend at 10:45 a.m.

The senior school is provided for students attending high school, normal school or college, and for young people who are employed. Classes will also be held this year at 2:45 a.m. for pupils in entrance classes (grade eight) in the public schools. The opening service to-morrow morning will be conducted by the Very Rev. Dean Quainton.

Children in lower grades in the week-day schools will assemble in the Memorial Hall building at 11 a.m. The archdeacon of the diocese, the Ven. E. P. Laycock, will conduct the opening service for the junior and primary schools at 11 a.m.

HUSTLERS' CLUB HOLDS SPORTS

The Hustlers' Club of the Victoria City Temple held its first sports at the Willows track on Wednesday, September 3. A. R. C. Hebdon acted as announcer and starter. Leonard Cox, W. P. Bridges, Fred Parsons, John Hoy acted as judges.

The three silver prize cups presented by the City Temple as trophies to be competed for annually were won by Kenneth Bates, first prize, winning a total of twenty-seven points for all events; John Minnis, second prize, receiving twenty-five points. Third place was captured by Donald Newell, winning sixteen points.

The programme included the following events: 100-yard dash, 220-yard dash, half-mile race, putting the shot, hop, skip and jump, high jumping, broad jumping, tug of war, wheelbarrow race and centipede race.

"Hell's Millions Soon To Be Released"

Speaker, A. H. BAILEY of Vancouver, B.C. Sunday, 7:30 p.m. at The Playhouse, Yates Street. Auspices International Bible Students' Association SEATS FREE ALL WELCOME NO COLLECTION

City Temple

Broughton and Blanchard CLEM DAVIES, Pastor 8:45 a.m.—School of Religious Education 11 a.m.

WHAT IS TRUTH? 7:30 p.m.

"What is Religion's Greatest Enemy?"

DR. DAVIES Preaches Mr. Edward Parsons Sings at Night City Temple Chorus

First Congregational Church

Rev. A. K. McMinn, B.A., Pastor Quadra and Pandora Sts. 11 a.m.—MISS EFFIE A. JAMESON of Toronto will give the address. First Congregational First Baptist 7:30 p.m. Grand Rally Final Union Service. Both Pastors in Charge SPECIAL MUSIC EVERYBODY WELCOME Communion Service Next Sunday Evening, Sept. 14

UNITY CENTRE

600 Campbell Building Children's Service, 11 a.m. H. E. Hallwright, Superintendent Evening Service, 7:30. Speaker, Mrs. Gordon Grant.

Subject "Resist Not Evil" Tuesday, 3 p.m. Rest and Healing Hour Thursday, 8 p.m. Study Office hours, 2 to 4. Reading Room open 10 to 9 p.m. Noon Prosperity Service every day except Saturday

Metropolitan Methodist Church

Rev. W. J. Sippell, D.D., Pastor Corner Quadra and Pandora Streets G. A. Downard, Choirmaster—R. Parsons, Organist

10 a.m.—Class Meetings 11 a.m.

Dr. Sippell Anthem—"Te Deum" Holyday Contralto Solo—"There is a Love Embracing Hour" Lowell Miss Mabel Humphreys 2:30 p.m.—Sunday School Session A Memorial Service to the late Superintendent, Mr. T. W. Cornett

"Is Christianity the Hope of the World?" Dr. Sippell Anthem—"Look On the Fields" Macpherson Bass Solo—"Arm, Arm, Ye Brave" Judas Macpherson Mr. F. Wright Dr. Sippell resumes his pulpit work to-day. A cordial welcome is extended to the public to all the services of the Church

Centennial Methodist Church

GORGE ROAD, Near Douglas

Rev. R. W. Hibbert, M.A., B.D., Pastor. Mr. Frank Tupman, Choir-leader. Mr. Edgar Adams, Organist

11 a.m.—"SPIRITUAL BOOKKEEPING" 7:30 p.m.

"SCHOOL DAYS" 10 a.m.—Class Meeting. 2:30 p.m.—Sunday School. 2:45 p.m.—Bible Study in Auditorium. 8 p.m. Thursday—Prayer Meeting

FAIRFIELD METHODIST CHURCH

MOSS STREET

Pastor: Rev. John Robson Choir Leader and Organist: Prof. J. D. Town

11 a.m.—"THE SUCCESSFUL EVANGELIST" 2:30 p.m.—Sabbath School. 7:30 p.m.—"THE LIFE OR DEATH STRUGGLE" Let us worship and bow down

First Presbyterian Church

Corner Quadra and Balmoral Streets Minister, REV. W. Q. WILSON, M.A., D.D.

SUNDAY SERVICES 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Public Worship. REV. DR. WILSON will preach at both services. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Bible Classes and Senior Departments, 11 a.m.; Primary and Junior Departments, 2:30 p.m. Visitors will be made welcome at these services

NEW THOUGHT TEMPLE

825 Pandora Avenue Dr. T. W. Butler will speak at 11 a.m. on "WHATSOEVER THINGS ARE LOVELY" 7:30 p.m. "The Ultimate of Religion" Wednesday Evening, Healing Meeting. All Are Invited

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

Cor. Douglas and Broughton Streets Minister, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, D.D.

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School 11—Morning Service "DOES IT MATTER WHAT WE BELIEVE?" Anthems—"O Come, Let Us Sing" Solo—"Entreat Me Not to Leave Thee" Mrs. Jesse Longfield 7:30—Evening Service "THE WILL OF GOD" Anthems—"Come at Times a Stillness" Galbraith Quartette—"Thy Will Be Done" Marion Miss Beth Simpson, Mrs. Longfield, Mr. F. W. Francis, Mr. Melville A cordial invitation is extended to all

FULL GOSPEL TABERNACLE

Corner Douglas and Pandora (two doors south)

Continuous Revival Services

Conducted by H. Wesley Cooksey

Sunday at 11 a.m., Communion Service. Subject "THE CHRISTIAN'S SECRET OF POWER"

SUNDAY AT 7:30 P.M. SUBJECT "The Devil's Street Address and Telephone Number in Victoria"

Services EVERY WEEK NIGHT at 8 o'clock Come Early and Bring a Friend

James Bay Methodist Church

MUSICAL SERVICE

SUNDAY, 7:30 P.M.

Anthems by Choir. Soloists: Mrs. A. W. Stokes, Mrs. R. Chave, Messrs. Maurice Thomas, Justin Gilbert and J. W. Buckler

"The Mystery of Godliness"

A lecture will be delivered on the above subject Sunday next (D.V.), 7:30 p.m., in Hall, 1105 Wharf Street, one door from Fort Street. Seats free. No collection. You are welcome. AUSPICES OF THE CHRISTADOLPHIANS

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

CORNER YATES AND QUADRA REV. W. P. FREEMAN, Pastor. 11 a.m.—Dr. J. Willard Litch, of Vancouver, will preach. "The Lord's Supper" 7:30 p.m.—FINAL UNITED SERVICE IN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Rev. W. P. Freeman will lead the service and Rev. A. K. McMinn will preach. All are welcome

ST. COLUMBA—PRESBYTERIAN

OAK BAY 11 a.m.—"THE PILGRIM'S PSALM OF LIFE." 7:30 p.m.—"LESSONS FROM THE HISTORY AND TRADITIONS OF THE PAST." REV. J. H. WHITE, M.A. Sunday School resumes at 2:30 p.m.

The Hermetic Fellowship—F. M. H.

Dr. Craven, a teacher of the Fellowship, will address a Public Meeting on Friday, September 12, at 8 o'clock, Room 215, Pemberton Building. Subject, "THE WORLD TEACHER AND HIS TEACHING" Questions invited

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A TRIBUTE

To the Late T. Wright-Hill, Port Missionary, Victoria, B.C.

By R. G. Howell

Embered amid a wealth of Summer's loveliest flowers, and surrounded by many friends toasting with respect and homage to sterling worth and Christian fidelity, the departed has passed from human sight a few days ago, the form of one who for years has been in a peculiar sense the friend of all, and wise counsellor to very many sailor "boys" who have made this port.

Who among the observant of Victoria's citizens has not been impressed by good by sight, and contract with the perennially happy face, the cheery ringing voice, and the bluff portly form of the late Thomas Wright-Hill, Port Missionary here, under authority of the British and Foreign Sailors' Society of London, England.

In the hearts of how many of those "who go down to the sea in ships" with remembrance of this glad souled man of God, serve to recall other days when he had visited them either on ship-board, in hospital or under his hospitable roof at that home of the sailors, the Connaught Seamen's Institute or his sister hostel, the Sailors' Club at Esquimalt.

It has been the privilege of the writer to be intimately acquainted with Mr. Wright-Hill and his work ever since his inception here some sixteen years ago. To thus know him, his methods of work among men and his gentle, winsome spirit, is to have received a rich benediction.

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ANGLIAN

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL—Holy Communion at 11 a.m. and 12 a.m. Preacher at 11 a.m. the Dean; Evensong and sermon, 7 o'clock. Subject, "The Sunday School in Memorial Hall: Senior Classes 9:45 a.m.; Junior Classes 10:45 a.m. Very Rev. C. S. Quainton, D.D., Dean and rector.

ST. BARNABAS, Cook and Caledonia: Holy Communion at 11 a.m. Sunday School, 2:30 p.m.; Evensong, 7 p.m.

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BAPTIST

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH—Ferrywood car stops at church door. 11 a.m. Rev. F. T. Tapscott; 7:30 p.m. Dr. J. Willard Litch, of Vancouver, will preach. Ladies' Aid Society, 2:30 p.m. Baptist Missions for B.C. Strangers welcome. Sunday School, 2:30 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENCE—121 North Park Street. Morning worship, 10:30 Sunday School, 11:45. Testimonial meetings, Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Visitors are welcome to the services. Reading Library, 515 Bayward Building.

SECOND CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENCE—1151 Douglas Street. Morning worship, 11 a.m. and a Testimonial Meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. at K. of O. Hall, 142 North Park Street. Subject on Sunday, "Man." Sunday School classes 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. All welcome to the services and to the Reading Room, 351 Campbell Building, 11 to 2 p.m. except Sundays.

LUTHERAN

QUEEN'S LUTHERAN Church, Queen's and Blanchard. Morning worship, 10:30 Sunday School, 11:45. Evensong, 7:30.

ST. PAUL'S, Princess and Chambers. Subject, 11. "Overthrowing Jericho's Walls." Victoria. Sunday School, 10:30. "Home Coming" Day.

METHODIST

GARDEN CITY—11 a.m., "Why a Silent Heaven?" 7:30, Mr. Anderson, Lake Hill-7 p.m., "Hidden Idols." Rev. W. E. Daily, B.A., LL.D.

CHURCH OF NAZARENE

NAZARENE CHURCH—Corner Balmoral and Chambers Streets. Morning worship, 11 a.m. Rev. W. J. Knott, preacher. 11 a.m. Sunday School, 2:30 p.m. Oaklands Hall.

OAKLANDS GOSPEL HALL—Hillside

car terminus, 11 a.m. worship; 3 p.m. Sunday; 7 p.m., Gospel service. All are welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN

ST. PAUL'S, Henry Street, Victoria West. Minister, Rev. J. S. Patterson. Morning service, 11 o'clock, subject, "Signs of the Near Coming of our Lord." Sunday School, 2:30 p.m.; evening service, 7:30 o'clock, subject, "The Marks of a Pharisee." The Minister will preach at both services and the choir will render special music.

GORGE THURM Road: Sunday morning service, 11 o'clock; the Pastor will preach. Preparatory service on Tuesday evening, 8 o'clock; preacher, Rev. Patterson. We welcome you to all our services. Rev. Daniel Walker, minister.

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REFORMED EPISCOPAL

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ROBISCURIAN FELLOWSHIP

THE ROBISCURIAN FELLOWSHIP—11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. 225 Pemberton Bldg.

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS

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SPIRITUAL

CHURCH OF REVELATIONS—Developing Circle, 218 a.m. services, 7:30 a.m. messages by flowers, Mrs. E. M. Phillips, Wednesday, 8 p.m., Room 5, Surrey Block, 418 Yates Street. All welcome.

FIRST SPIRITUAL CHURCH, 724 Fort Street. Service, 7:30 p.m. Sunday. Mr. Endicott will preach and will address the service. He is a splendid message bearer. Come and hear him. A welcome to all. Circle, Monday, Thursday, 7:45 p.m.

THEOSOPHY

VICTORIA THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, 191 Union Bank Building. Sunday, 3 p.m. subject, "Metaphysical Healing."

UNITARIAN

UNITARIAN CHURCH, corner of Fernwood and Balmoral. Services, 11 o'clock. Rev. John C. Perkins, D.D., of University Unitarian Church, Seattle, will preach.

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At the beginning of every problem in Euclid a proposition is stated which is to be proved in the incident we have the proposition which the life and ministry of Jesus is to demonstrate. Characteristically He takes to the front the Jewish people and He uses it in His own way. For instance, the part he leaves out is as significant as the part he quotes. He ends with the phrase, "to preach the acceptable year of our Lord." In Isaiah this is followed by "the day of vengeance of our God" but Jesus does not quote this, for vengeance was not a part of his programme. He came in love, and His ministry was designed to heal and help.

The classes whom Christ came to help are clearly indicated in the passage quoted. He came to preach the Gospel to the poor. These are they who have fallen short of success as the world would judge. They have not been recognized; the full returns that the world gives to human effort have not reached them. On the product and the tools of the poor empires of the early days were builded. When war broke out they had to fight its battles and the sufferings that war caused they had to endure. They were overlooked by the great of their time and their sacrifices and struggles counted for nothing in the estimating of men. When one thinks of the millions that toiled themselves into the dust to build the pyramids of Egypt and the splendor of Nebuchadnezzar, he realizes the cause for the pity which wrung the Master's heart. His first task was to preach the Gospel to them; that is, to bring them the message of God's regard for them and sympathy with them, and of the high place He had for them in His Kingdom of glory. The cornerstone of the Gospel message was that each individual is of priceless worth in God's sight.

Next, Jesus was sent to heal the broken hearted. These are the ones who are crushed by circumstances. Disease, disappointment and bereavement as well as the cruelty of men, have blighted their hopes and made earth a barren waste. To them Christ came with the Gospel of hope. All is not lost. There is life and a career in His service for all who will open their hearts to Him. Life is still worth while and He comforts not only with His sympathy but by opening before them a way to that which the hearts desire.

Jesus came to preach deliverance to the captives, a slave's life was not his own. He was not allowed to choose his own ends. He was not free to live his own life, or to go his own way. All he did was to fulfill the purpose of another. The very essence of manhood was denied him. Deliverance was proclaimed to all such. In the first place there was spiritual freedom of soul that the Gospel brought. Jesus lifted a man above his circumstances and the slave was free. He made no appeal to the imagination. The enemy of slavery itself and the principles He established made its continuance impossible. These are the ones who suffered from the cruel force of circumstance.

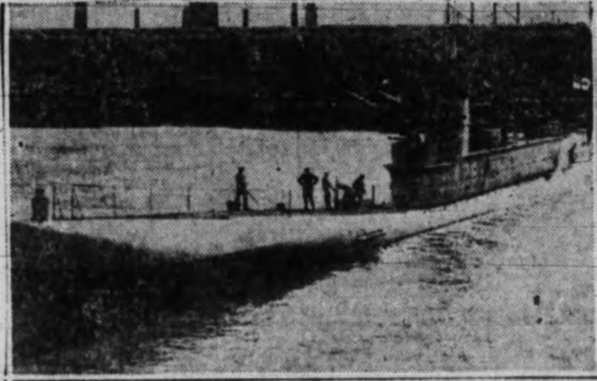
The blind and the bruised are the handicapped in life's struggle. They lack the facilities necessary to carry out their desires of their hearts. They



TAKES AFTER FATHER—Malcolm Macdonald, son of the British Premier, who has arrived at Quebec as a member of the British university debating team which will compete against Canadian and United States university debaters.

CHARLES A. MATTHEWS JR. STILL RETAINS HIS SMILE—As he appeared in police court, during the preliminary hearing of his trial on five charges arising out of his actions while he was assistant treasurer for the province of Ontario. He was called "Smiling Charley," and it is here seen that he has not lost entirely his old smile since his arrest.

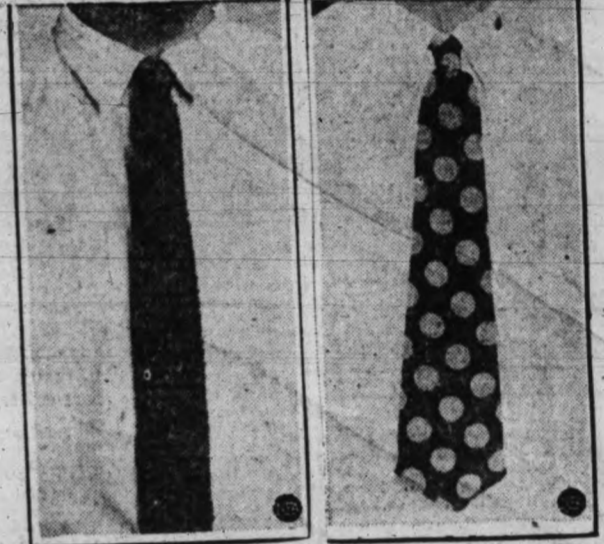
TORONTO GETS KICK OUT OF THESE—Thousands of Exhibition visitors are in Toronto, but not all of them have such distinctive personalities as those shown above. Left are Mademoiselle Londy, a native of Switzerland, who stands seven feet six inches in height, and Baron Paucki, who stands three feet two inches. Centre picture, Mrs. Clifford Splan, better known as "Miss Toronto," is shown with two diminutive tourists, Princess Marguerite and Baroness Simone. Right is Princess Olga, foremost bearded lady of the Universe. She confided to a reporter that she is contemplating bobbing both her hair and her beard.



THE LATEST IN SUBMARINES—This is Great Britain's largest and most modern submarine. It has just pulled into Portsmouth Harbor, England, after an eight-month test-cruise. In that time, it covered 20,000 miles.



BACK FROM POLE—Donald B. MacMillan, captain of the Bowditch, which expects to reach Wisconsin, Maine, on September 15, after spending the winter within eleven degrees from the North Pole.



PRINCE'S LATEST—This is the latest fashion the Prince of Wales has sprung. On the left is the Guardsman necktie which the Prince brought into vogue by wearing it on his trip from London. It is just a khaki-colored knit tie such as British officers wore during the war. The other tie, on the right, is the Prince of Wales Polo Tie which is becoming the rage in London and New York. It is a solid background with contrasting polka dots as big as a horse's eye.



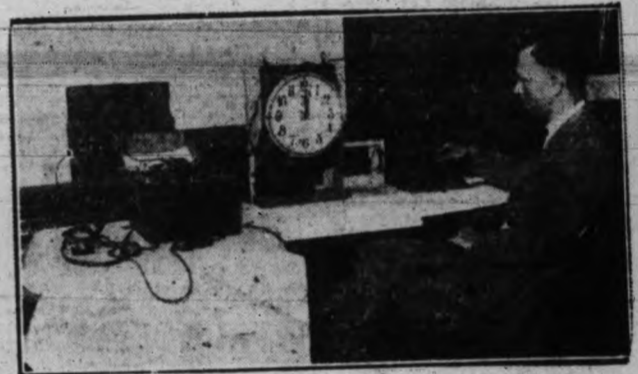
CHINESE STYLE GARDEN PARTY—A unique semi-Oriental garden party under the auspices of the Methodist Young People's and Sunday School Societies was held at Victoria College, Toronto, when missionaries on furlough from the Chinese fields and others returning to their work in the East were the guests of honor. An ancient Chinese custom of bringing garden flowers as well wishes to the guests added a picturesque touch to the gathering. Here are three of the Oriental costumes worn.



MISSING OWEN SOUND GIRL SAFE IN 'FRISCO?—Miss Margaret Boyd, formerly of Owen Sound and Toronto, who vanished from Redondo Beach, California, last November, is still alive and well in or near San Francisco, according to a letter signed by her name, which has been received by a girl friend in Vancouver. Miss Boyd states that there is no need for anyone to worry over her, but that she can say no more for the present.



NEW AMBASSADOR—James Rockwell Sheffield, New York lawyer, who has been declared acceptable by the Mexican Foreign Office as U.S. Ambassador to Mexico.



LATEST IN RADIO—You need no longer set your clock. Radio now can do it. By the same principle a new invention announced by the bureau of standards, the ether wave can wake you in the morning by ringing your alarm, or it can tell you when to quit work, or light your lights, or regulate the cooking on an electric stove while the housewife does her shopping. This is accomplished by means of a radio relay worked in conjunction with a series of retardation relays.

SCHOOL DAYS

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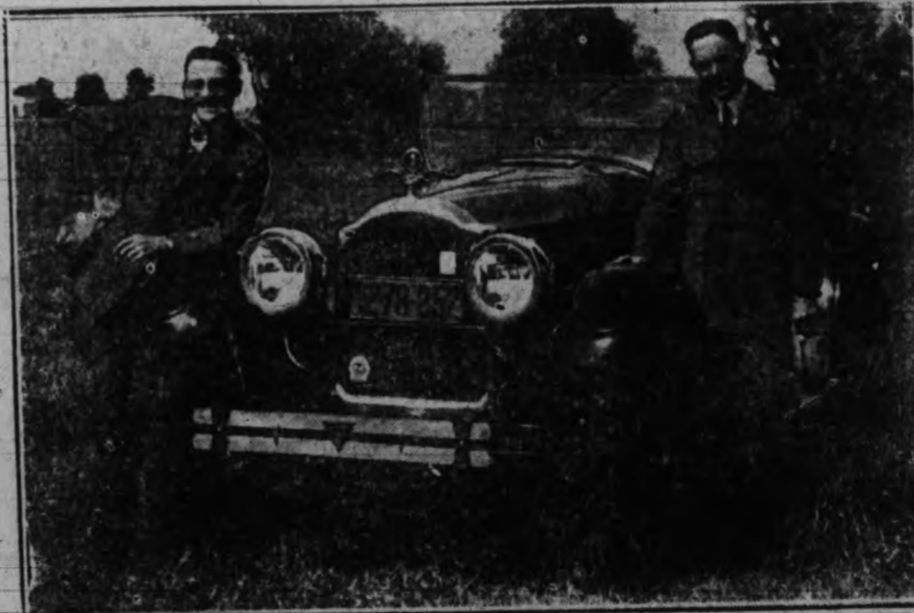
By DWIG

Cartoon titled 'THE DEADLOCK' showing a man and a dog in a rural setting. The man is holding a stick and looking at the dog. The dog is sitting on the ground. The text of the cartoon is as follows:

ALL YOU'VE GOT TO DO IS JUST ANSWER IN PLAIN ENGLISH LANGUAGE, YES OR NO, DID OR DID NOT YOUR FATHER EVER KETCH A BIG FISH THAT HAD A BIG FISH IN ITS STOMACH, THAT HAD A FISH IN ITS STOMACH, OR NOT? JUST ANSWER, DID HE OR DID HE NOT? YOU KNOW DURN WELL AND GOOD HE NEVER!

—AND HE CAN TAKE THAT THERE NOW CHUNK O' ORDINARY WOOD, AND TAKE JUST A PENKNIFE AND WHITTLE IT OUT HOLLER WITH A BALL INTO IT, THAT YOU CAN'T GET OUT NOWAY YOU TRY. WHITTLE A BALL RIGHT INSIDE THE HOLLER SPACE SO'S IT'LL RATTLE AROUND, BUT YOU CAN'T GET IT OUT. TRY HARD AS YOU CAN. WHITTLED RIGHT IN THERE, WITH JUST LITTLE PENKNIFE.

THE DEADLOCK



TWO INTREPID DETROITERS—E. S. Evans, President of E. S. Evans and Co., Inc., automobile landing experts, and A. F. Bement, vice-president and secretary of the Lincoln Highway Association, have left Winnipeg, Man., for Vancouver and Victoria, British Columbia, in an endeavor to log a route for a new all-Canadian highway. The trip necessitates conquering by motor a stretch across the highest passes of the Canadian Rockies which no human being has ever conquered other than afoot or on horseback. The distance is estimated as between 1,700 and 1,800 miles.



PLAYS BRITANNIA—Miss B. Farwell, who so ably impersonated "Cleopatra" in the grand stand spectacle at the Canadian National Exhibition last year, is this year playing the role of Britannia in the Empire pageant.

VICTORIA, B.C., SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1924

COWICHAN DISTRICT ATTRACTS MANY RESIDENTS

Is Rich Agricultural, Lumbering and Mining Area of Island

Cowichan Possesses Every Attraction for Business and Pleasure

City of Duncan and Surrounding Area is Centre of Rich Agricultural Valley; Neighboring Forest Districts Contain Some of the Finest Timber on Vancouver Island.

The Cowichan Valley, in its more restricted sense, occupies the area immediately adjacent to the Cowichan River and its tributary creeks, but the Cowichan district includes also the watershed of the Chemainus and Koksilah rivers, and of Shawnigan creek, embracing the whole coast line from Horseshoe Bay to Mill Bay, and into the heart of the island as far as Cowichan Lake, whose settlement is entirely tributary to the valley.

From the earliest days of settlement it has always been famous for the attraction it afforded for dairying, and small fruits, and while progress was for a long time very slow, the advent of improved markets, and more staple prices helped hasten the development of the district, and eventually induced the building up of the town of Duncan, in the heart of this fertile area.

PICTURESQUE AREA

While the whole district is remarkably productive, the meadows alongside the streams are the particular delight of the dairy farmers, and while there is still much timber on the upland stretches, the undulating character of the land adds much to its picturesque quality. The higher hills range up to 4,300 feet but the dominating peaks in the landscape as seen from Duncan, Mount Prevost and Mount Tzouhalem, are much lower.

Most characteristic of the flora of the country is the maple, wonderful trees gracing the meadows and roadsides of the valleys, while the fauna is characteristic of the Island, deer, bear, and cougar being the chief wild animals, mostly in the recesses of the woods. Wild life in the forests presents a myriad of forms, and adds much to the zest of solitary existence away from the settlements. Only in cold winters do the wilder animals venture to civilization in search of food.

THE INDUSTRIES

The chief industries of the district are agricultural and lumber occupations. Sheep raising has been stimulated by a flockmasters' association, cattle raising by various testing associations, and the dairy herds are among the best known in the province. The organization of the fruit industry in the district has followed the lines of the older established bodies in Southern Vancouver Island. One of the finest co-operative efforts in the province is the Cowichan Creamery, a co-operative association for dealing in dairy and similar products, and buying feed supplies for its members. Some quarter of a million pounds of butter were handled last year, 244,949 dozens of eggs were marketed, and 3,837 tons of feed were supplied by the association.

Seed growing has become quite an industry, and is occupying an increasing number of producers. The soft fruit industry promises to be one of the most promising in the island.

The lumber industry is the chief payroll feature. The camps at Cowichan Lake, which produce for mills on tidewater, are among the most important in the province, and while their activity is measured largely by the fluctuating export demand, the fact that the mill equipment is steadily expanding should be regarded as proof that the operators are looking for a long period ahead.

The great Chemainus mill, now being rapidly rebuilt after the fire, is on the northern fringe of this territory and another important mill is that of the Genoa Bay company at Cowichan Bay.

The mining activity of the Tyeve district was once a remarkable one, and while attempts are now being made to re-open Mount Sicker as a copper camp, there is hope that the activity of former years may be restored in that section.

At Cowichan Lake copper and manganese have been mined, but with the low price of the former, and the limited demand for the latter, the properties are at present dormant.

THE HUB OF THE VALLEY

The city, apart from its two banks, has a number of important business blocks, including a fine post office block, a new telephone exchange erected by the B. C. Telephone company last year, and also possesses several good stores. Some of the streets are paved, and the city council has recently been giving considerable attention to its water supply, and supplementing its limited electric lighting service. The proximity of hydro-electric energy is an encouraging

feature, but development is expensive.

RAILWAY COMMUNICATION

Communication with the outside world is effected by the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway which runs through the whole territory north and south, together with a branch line from Duncan to Cowichan Lake, opening up not only a famous tourist centre noted for its fishing and hunting attractions, but piercing one of the most famous stretches of big timber. The Island Highway, and a network of roads intersect the valley, which has one of the largest road mileages in British Columbia. In addition to the standard lines several logging lines are in operation for the extensive lumbering activities of the district, connecting the camps with tidewater mills and with booming grounds for export purposes.

The Canadian National Railways enter the district on the west shore of Shawnigan Lake, and runs northwesterly to Cowichan Lake, being largely a service line to the lumbering activities west of Duncan, giving direct communication with Victoria over the national system. It has now been decided to build a connecting link with tidewater to this system, running to Cowichan Bay. Tenders for this line have now been invited. The district is also very thoroughly served by motor busses running to all points of interest.

The business facilities of Cowichan have long been equal to those of a community of the size on the Coast. Both Duncan and the surrounding districts have good schools, and part of the area was the first to try out in this province the consolidated school plan, which in a modified area still prevails.

In addition to the high and public schools, the district has residential schools, and every class of sport is engaged in, the climate being most agreeable, with good records of sunshine, and absence of the severe weather of the West Coast.

One of the finest community efforts of the district is the King's Daughters Hospital, situated on a commanding site, and well equipped.

Few small towns in British Columbia, with a population of 1500, possess so many attractions while the total population of the valley is set at about 5,500.

The number of telephone subscribers, now past the 500 mark, makes it the third largest exchange of the B. C. Telephone service on the Island, while it is in close contact with the district exchanges north, south and west.

In addition to the city of Duncan, the municipality north of the river, known as North Cowichan, is one of the oldest in the province. South of the river the area is unorganized and is under the direct control of the Provincial Government. In the city and municipality all administrative boards function fully, and the district has contributed some prominent citizens to the life of the province.

TEMPERATURE

The temperature maximum in Duncan over a period of years has been 86 degrees, and the average minimum 11 degrees. The average mean temperature is 55 degrees. Of an average rainfall of 38.31 inches, four winter months account for 24.5 inches.

Of the places in the immediate vicinity of Duncan, Cowichan Bay is best known on account of its magnificent waterway, ideal for yachting and boating. Cowichan Station for its farming possibilities, and for its social attractions, Somers and Westholme for poultry and seed production, and Maple Bay for its popularity as a resort.

Character of Population

The Cowichan Valley is unrivalled in Canada for the fine type of its residents, many of whom are former officers of the Imperial services, who have retired to the district to bring up their families. Men with distinguished war records are to be found giving a lead to civil and social affairs. Their interest in sport has sustained the high character of athletic events which has existed from the earlier days of settlement, and which give to Cowichan an unrivalled character, distinctive of country life at its best.

These residents are among the most active to encourage newcomers of a similar educated class, who come here annually from the Old Country, the Orient, and other parts of the world to reside.

SOME POINTS OF INTEREST

The Cowichan Valley, with its tributary streams, and auxiliary waters cover an area about twenty-five miles wide by twenty-six miles long.

It embraces about one fifth of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway land grant, which is 3,297 square miles, less 109 square miles occupied by lakes and rivers.

The population of the valley is about 5,500.

The chief industries are agriculture, lumbering, and mining. Mining has been subject to varying prices for production, making the copper and manganese deposits at present dormant, though some copper mining is being resumed.

Brick making is the chief non-metallic industry carried on in the area.

Dairying, stock raising and mixed farming are the chief agricultural occupations, with seed production and small fruit growing becoming of increasing importance.

The Cowichan Lake timber area is one of the finest in Canada, Douglas fir being the predominating type in the area, comprising two-thirds of the standing timber.

Famous Society

One of the oldest societies engaged in aiding the agricultural development of the valley is the Cowichan Agricultural Society. The show is a most representative one which draws exhibitors from a wide area, the fair in September being one of the chief events of the year. It is the parent society of other organizations having the welfare of the community as their objective, and is practically the centre of the social life, its hall being widely used for gatherings of all descriptions throughout the year, when not occupied for its primary purpose.

The society is aided in its effort to stimulate agriculture by the presence in Duncan of a representative of the Provincial Department of Agriculture, who acts as a field supervisor.

Seed Industry in Duncan Offers Room For Big Development

Seed Growing Has Taken Definite Place With Horticultural Activities on Vancouver Island; Soil is Good for Cultivation Purposes.

One of the most attractive, as well as encouraging of the newer industries of Vancouver Island is the industry of raising flower and vegetable seeds, an industry at present largely confined to the immediate vicinity of Victoria, and also the Cowichan Valley, although allusion should be made to one very successful effort which has been expanding on Salt Spring Island.

Best known of the efforts undoubtedly, due largely to sustained and continuous progress, are those in the vicinity of Duncan.

TWO LARGE GROWERS

Messrs. Crosland Brothers, Duncan, and Messrs. A. and S. Matthews, Westholme, are perhaps the largest growers at the present time. Crosland Brothers have about eleven acres in sweet peas, and many other residents in the district also grow for them. They raise sixty varieties, and during harvesting employ about sixteen girls to pick for them. Each seed is planted in sandy soil and then transplanted to the open ground. The average yield per acre is 300 to 400 pounds on high land, and 500 pounds on low or bottom land. The seed is of better quality grown on high land, and harvesting is more certain, as on low land they develop later and the weather is apt to be against the crop.

Sweet peas are all grown from stock seed imported from Great Britain, and are all really good. A large proportion of the vegetable peas and sweet pea seed, sold in Canada, is grown in the United States, notwithstanding the fact that a better quality can be grown on Vancouver Island. If buyers would ask for B. C. grown seeds, this new seed industry would be encouraged.

Fall planting can be carried out on the Pacific Coast if one requires very early flowers, but Messrs. Crosland do not recommend it as a general rule, the climate being too uncertain and severe, resulting in too many failures.

VEGETABLE SEEDS

Messrs. Crosland Brothers also grow commercially, vegetable peas, vegetable marrows, runner beans, tomatoe potatoes, besides other flower seeds.

South Cowichan Makes Its Appeal

Districts South of River Have Special Attractions

South of Duncan, across the Cowichan River, are a number of places of considerable attractiveness, embraced in the general name of South Cowichan, and comprising Shawnigan Lake, Cobble Hill, Cowichan Station and Cowichan Bay. Shawnigan has long been the popular lake resort of Victoria residents, notable for its regatta, while the fine lumbering area around the lake supplies the Shawnigan Lake Lumber Company. The company operates a line of railway to its limits on the west side of the lake.

Cobble Hill is the next settlement immediately north of Shawnigan Lake, through which runs the Island Highway, and is a highly productive area.

Hillbank and Cowichan Station lie between Cobble Hill and the Koksilah River, where level and productive fields stretch out between low-lying foothills. This section is well known for its stock-raising advantages, and for small fruits. The beautiful waterfront at Cowichan Bay adjoins, probably to see considerable industrial development when the Canadian National Railways system reaches tidewater.

An Early Organization

The municipality of North Cowichan was formally gazetted as a municipality on June 15, 1873, by proclamation comprising the whole of the North Cowichan land district and the district of Chemainus. The first meeting of the council was held at the courthouse, a log building at Tzouhalem on July 15, 1873.



PICTURES ON THIS PAGE

Upper: (left) Scene on sweet pea plantation of Messrs. Crosland Brothers; (right) logging train, Somers.

Second row: (left) B.C. Telephone Company's new exchange, Duncan; (right) the town, from across the tracks.

Third row: (left) The public school, Duncan; (right) dairying scene in Cowichan valley.

Bottom row: (left) Post Office, Kenneth Street; (right) Station Street, Duncan.

BRITAIN HEARS TALK OF ELECTION BEFORE CHRISTMAS

PRIME MINISTER'S TRIBUTE TO HIS WIFE



In sight of the home at 3 Lincoln's Inn fields where Ramsay MacDonald and his wife spent their married life together, the man who is now Britain's Prime Minister has erected this handsome seat in her memory.



On a tablet on the back of the seat these words are inscribed: "This seat was placed here in memory of Margaret MacDonald, who spent her life in helping others."

LONDON TO BAR PETTING; TURNS TO CHAPERONES

Worried Parents in Revolt Over Freedom of Young; Dances to be Watched

London, Sept. 6.—Is the little-appreciated, much-maligned, frequently pestiferous chaperone to come into her own again? Have mater and pater families decided to resume control over their fractious feminine progeny and give the chaperone an opportunity to recede? If one may judge by appearances in London, she is and they have. Petting parties, which are reported to have become a popular British indoor sport, now are on the wane. Ma and pa are on the warpath. The royal ukases, has been issued, the trumpet of battle sounded and the army of chaperones is rallying to the colors. But, nevertheless and notwithstanding, all indications point to the recrudescence of the chaperone. Already she has become a familiar figure at the night clubs. Some times she is young, quasi-attractive—a woman of experience, who has reached the age of discretion, might say, in whose company Phyllis might be safe from the wiles of Cedric. More often she is a matron of mature years, a motherly sort of person, fair, fat and fifty, who, from a comfortable point of vantage, inspects the camel-walking of Imogene and Harold, then observes, in tones denoting outraged modesty, that no chaste young maiden would ever have thought of dancing such a dance when she was young. The upper strata of London society is admittedly a "closed corporation." What transpires within the sacred precincts wherein dwell those who are "manor born" is of no interest to those who dwell outside. The chaperone may never again enjoy popularity in that region, for those inside consider that because they can do no wrong neither can those with whom they associate. But outside this attitude is beginning to be viewed with suspicion, hence the growing tendency to re-visit her, to resent her on the once impregnable throne she occupied as the Cerberus of maidenly virtue.

LONDON'S GALLERIES DRAW CANADIANS

BY PANTON HOUSE

LONDON. (By Mail).—The National Gallery is one of the half-dozen London sights (the others being Westminster Abbey, St. Paul's Cathedral, the Tower, the British Museum and the House of Parliament) which no visitor from the Dominion can omit from his programme with a clear conscience, even if his interest in pictures "as such" is slight. Comparatively few turn the corner to go into the adjoining National Portrait Gallery, which contains a collection of about 2,000 portraits of people who have made their mark in the history of England. Here we come face to face with people hitherto unknown only as names in a history book, sovereigns since Richard II, other royals, statesmen, sailors, soldiers, men of letters, scientists and engineers, painters, musicians and actors. The collection is always, though slowly, growing. Quite lately a portrait was acquired of the Rev. George Walker, D.D., a country parson who collected his parishioners and neighbors and marched them into the city of Londonderry in time to take part in the famous defence of 1689, after the garrison had been withdrawn and the military governor had deserted his post. He was elected "Joint-Governor and Commissioner, with the temporary rank of Colonel" by the grateful citizens. At the time he was over seventy years of age, but the portrait represents him as a soldier in the prime of life, wearing full armor and carrying an object which appears to be the baton of a field-marshal.

FELL FROM NUT TREE AT 140

A still more romantic personality whose portrait has recently come into the Gallery's possession is that of a Countess of Desmond who died in 1604, having survived her husband seventy years. This sturdy and gallant old lady could walk ten miles a day until the week before her death, at the reputed age of 140. It is recorded of her that "in the course of her long pilgrimage she renewed her teeth twice"—and advantage that had been content to take care of herself as young things of seventy do, she might have attained a really ripe old age. As it was, at 140, (says her biographer) "she needs must climb a nut tree to gather nuts, so falling down, she hurt her thigh, which brought on a fever, and that brought death."

DICKENS TREASURE HUNT

One of the favorite pastimes of the Canadian in London—and there are an unusual number this year—is to look out places associated either with Dickens or with his characters. Of these there is no lack. David Copperfield's London rooms, for instance, have been located at No. 11, Copperfield Street, Strand, and Bob Sawyer's in Lamb Street, Southwark. The journey of Mr. Scrooge and Nicholas Nickleby on the Yorkshire coast is commemorated by busts of them, with one of their author, in Snow Hill, near the site of the "Saracen's Head," whence the coach started. In Southwark Central Library is exhibited the very copper in which Oliver Twist's inadequate supper of gruel was cooked; at any rate, the copper came from old St. George's Workhouse, which is connected with the scene of the "asking for more" episode. About thirty members of which set out one evening recently to search for Dickens' treasure, or landmarks. Much of the London that Dickens knew has been rebuilt, and the pilgrims were unable to locate the houses of Mr. Dombey and Mr. Boffin, both somewhere in the neighborhood of Harley Street. However, they were gratified to find Manette Street, in the original Soho, named after Dr. Manette of the "Tale of Two Cities"; the original of Turveydrop's Academy at 24 Newman Street; and the novelist's lodgings in Somers Town (13 Johnson Street), now a children's library.

LONDON'S FOUNTAINS

In London's streets there are now nearly a thousand drinking fountains, all of which have been acquired since 1859, when the first (presently owned by Samuel Gurney, Quaker, banker and M.P.) was erected outside St. Sepulchre's, Holborn. It was removed when Holborn Viaduct was built (1867-69) and only restored after spending many years in a private garden, about 1922. There are, besides the fountains for humans, 400 drinking troughs for horses and 1,000 for dogs.

MUSEUM ON SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The British Museum is so vast that the unlearned, who attempt to see everything in a few hours, find it rather overwhelming, although individual collections are of the greatest human interest. On a recent Sunday it had 2,053 visitors, the London Museum 1,588, and the Victoria and Albert 3,433. People are beginning to find it most satisfactory to restrict themselves to one or two galleries—say the Egyptian section—at a visit. The London Museum, contained in a big private house, can be seen with much less fatigue, and is especially popular with children. This collection illustrates the history of the capital from the earliest times. Here one sees realistic models of London-Before-the-Fire; Old St. Paul's, with its great steeple, and London Bridge with its burden of shops and houses. It holds samples of the clothes, weapons, garments and household gear of Londoners from the earliest times. In the costume gallery are the Coronation robes of King George and Queen Mary, and of King Edward VII and Queen Alexandra; with several of Queen Victoria's gowns and the baby clothes and queer little tartan frocks worn by her children.

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TREATY ISSUE MAY FORCE LABOR TO POLL

Anglo-Russian Agreement, And Irish Pact, Two Stumbling Blocks Before Premier

Liberals and Conservatives Object to Terms; Warning of December Vote Reported

London, Sept. 6.—Will a general election be held in Great Britain this Autumn? While it is too early to forecast with any certainty, there nevertheless exists a widespread belief that before Christmas Premier Ramsay MacDonald will appeal to the country for a new mandate. The Labor leaders themselves naturally remain uncommittal, and the confident prophecies in certain sections of the press may be discounted, but beyond this there are several issues developing, any one of which might decide the Labor Government on calling for a verdict from the electorate. Two of the most obvious stumbling blocks before the MacDonald Government are the Anglo-Russian agreement and the Irish question. Although all the British parties included recognition of Russian in their 1923 election platforms, there has been much objection among Conservatives and Liberals to the terms of the treaty draft recently signed, and more particularly to the governmental guaranty of a loan to Russia. Snowden opposes Russian loan. Even the Liberal press opposes the Pensonby-Rakowsky treaty, while the Conservative papers, in addition to the two powerful newspaper combines, daily turn their guns of attack on the treaty. Philip Snowden, Chancellor of the Exchequer, has come out in open opposition to the Russian loan. The bestial speeches of the Russian politician, who have been claiming that resumption of the interrupted pourparlers was due to pressure exerted on the Labor Government by the British proletariat, have done more harm than anything else in current politics. As a matter of fact, the reopening of the negotiations was due to urging on the part of Ed Morel, George Lansbury and a few other Labor extremists. The Russians' charge, however, coupled with the Government dropping its prosecution for addition of the editor of a Communist newspaper—another action, for which credit was immediately claimed by the Communists—has received wide publicity and finds considerable credence. The big British financial houses uniformly oppose Russian credits. Unless Labor is willing to see the treaty much amended, there is hardly any chance of its being ratified by Parliament. The Irish question in its implications for British politics is somewhat simpler. If the House of Lords throws out Labor's boundary bill, or if either Irish faction starts hostilities, it would be a signal for dissolution of Parliament. Another trouble before Labor is the domestic reaction to the London conference. Philip Snowden already has expressed dissatisfaction with some of the conclusions reached. More important is the opposition which comes from the trades unions, one of them the Miners' Federation, which is perhaps the most powerful union in the country. The Federation has declared flatly that it is not prepared to allow the mining industry further to be jeopardized by the Dawes plan. Premier MacDonald has countered this move to some extent by appointing a special committee to watch the effects of the Dawes plan on British trade. He likewise has sacrificed the industrialist group by replacing the twenty-six per cent tariff on German imports, but much of his future policy must be determined by the form that the Franco-German trade agreement takes when and if it is signed. Nevertheless, the successful conclusion of the London conference was a distinct triumph for the Brit-

FAVORED LAKES CLOSED, BRITISH SPORTSMEN SUE

Yachtsmen and Oarsmen go to Court to Assert Rights to Norfolk "Broads"

London, Sept. 6.—A new clash between public privilege and sporting rights has come to a head in this country, due to the action of certain sporting owners in barring the public from "Broads," a string of large shallow lakes in Norfolk connected by channels—a favorite pleasure ground for amateur yachtsmen and oarsmen. The owners justify their action on a forty-year-old legal decision, to the effect that the waters which rise and fall with the tides, if they are not salt, are not tidal waters, and therefore not public property. The defenders of the freedom of "Broads" claim, in answer, that long usage of these waters by the public has established the right of access. The question will be fought out in the courts, and if the decision against the public, the Labor government will be asked to declare "Broads" to be public property. This action would be taken by Parliament, which already has before it a bill giving the public free right of access to mountains and moors.

Chalk Line Test Fails Motorist in Drunkenness Charge

London, Sept. 6.—Herbert Morris, a London motorist, skidded and drove his car into some iron railings around Clapham Common. "You're drunk," said the police surgeon when Morris was taken to the police station. "Prove it," challenged Morris. The doctor then asked him to balance himself on one leg, walk the chalk line in a circle and finally pick up a coin from the floor. Morris passed all these tests perfectly, but the doctor still insisted he was intoxicated. In court the physician explained his diagnosis by saying, "There are many degrees of drunkenness. A statesman doubtless could make a speech when in a drunken condition, but he could not find the keyhole of his own front door." As Morris admitted having had "six whisky-and-soda drinks" before his accident, the magistrate accepted the doctor's version and fined him £3.

STONEHENGE TO BE SCENE OF BURIAL

British Government Gives Permission to Society of Druids

London, Sept. 6.—(Canadian Press Cable).—A society that prehistoric mysterious pile on Salisbury Plains, is now under Government supervision under the Ancient Monuments Act. The MacDonald Government has given permission to the Society of Druids, which is merely a working class benefit society, to bury the remains of one of its members within Stonehenge.

ENGLAND'S CHAMPION BLUE-BLOOD



Gigandra is the picture of "pop." He's the champion blue-blood horse of England. At any rate, he won first prize at the Royal Agricultural Show three years ago and expects to win it again this year. Look at his mane. When Gigandra begins to cut up, he cuts up all over. Horse fanciers tell us that he gets that way because of his blue blood.

20,000-MILE UNDERSEA TRIP MADE BY SUB

Achievement of Giant K-26, Depending Solely on Bases, Says Admiralty Record

Voyage to Singapore Made; New Ideas Gained For Marine Builders

By LINTON WELLS

London, Sept. 6.—Great Britain's experiment with the world's largest submarine, the K-26, has exceeded the Admiralty's fondest expectations, according to reports here. This craft is accorded the honor of being the first undersea boat to make a protracted cruise depending solely upon regularly established bases for supplies and repairs.

Ordered on a short trip to the Mediterranean, the super-submarine left Portsmouth on January 2. She covered 20,000 miles before she returned to her base recently, for the Admiralty issued further instructions which took her to Singapore. These movements, it might be remarked, were viewed with deep suspicion by the Japanese Government, as the voyage was performed during a period when the proposed Singapore naval base, strongly opposed by Japan, was being urged.

That the K-26 completed her cruise of eight months and ten days without mishap and without losing a single member of her crew, has won the praise of marine experts. The achievement is looked upon as particularly significant in view of the frequent predictions that the next war will be fought under water and in the air.

The huge undersea boat really is a monumental effort at submarine construction—a maze of complicated machinery fitted into every possible cubic inch. Duty aboard her, as aboard any submarine, means discomfort plus for the space assigned to officers and crew is the irreducible minimum. Yet almost invariably men who serve in undersea boats transfer to other craft only under pressure, which very seldom is brought to bear. And they view with ill-concealed disdain those who show the least respect for the minute regulations of battleship life. The crew of the K-26, judging by appearances, is no exception to the rule.

In June the K-26, the K-25 head-on as she lay alongside a sea wall in Keppel Harbor, Singapore. Even though it was late afternoon, the heat was oppressive, and a few minutes recall remarking to a friend that life in a submarine in the tropics was not my idea of a quasi-enjoyable time. He nodded agreement, a few minutes later calling my attention to the fact that the vessel was a submarine and not a gunboat. But head-on the K-26 resembles a gunboat more than anything else.

I proceeded to express my views on submarine duty in the tropics, but as we drew abreast of the giant boat it appeared that I might be mistaken. On the forecastle a select tea party was in progress, while hammocks had been stretched between available stanchion and upright, and the crew, in singlets, was taking life easy—sleeping, reading, smoking, chatting. Later, over drinks at a Raffles, an officer imparted the information that the K-26 was the "world's best," and that every one was proud to be attached to her.

In July I saw her again in Aden Harbor, after passing through the Red Sea and enduring stifling heat and body-wearing storms, which must have caused every man back to suffer. It was bad enough on a liner, but on the K-26 it was necessary to cruise for days with all the hatches closed. Otherwise the minute particles of sand which inflamed the eyes and made breathing an effort, would have worked almost irreparable damage to her machinery.

An opportunity to use her heavy guns was presented to the K-26 on her outward cruise. The Pilgrim ship Franqueton had caught fire and been abandoned, becoming a menace to navigation. Well-placed shots sent her to the bottom, and the K-26 proceeded onward to battle frequent monsoons, to bask under the tropical sun.

Now that the boat has returned, the Admiralty naturally is reluctant to reveal the important technical information which admittedly was gained by the cruise.

WORLD'S LARGEST SAPPHIRE FOUND AS OLD PAPERWEIGHT

London, Sept. 6.—Still another attraction has been added to the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley.

This is the world's largest sapphire, a jewel weighing ten ounces and valued at more than £5,000. This stone was discovered recently in the home of a Mahommedan official in Hyderabad State, who had been using it for many years as a paper-weight. In fact, so little value did this man attach to the curious-looking stone,

which is intricately carved in the form of an ear ornament, that he frequently gave it to his children as a pretty plaything.

The stone has a long and romantic history which has been traced from the twelfth century, when it was an ornament on a Buddha belonging to the Ballala kings of South India. It was handed down from generation to generation until it came into the possession of a white man, who eventually gave it as a present to the ancestors of its present owner.

ish Premier, and constitutes the outstanding achievement of his six months in office.

It was announced on Wednesday that the Labor party had warned its agents throughout the country to prepare for a general election the first week of December. This does not mean necessarily that an election will be held then, but rather that the labor chiefs believe there is a good chance it may be necessary by that time.

In the opinion of political observers here, the party's best chance for increasing its representation in Parliament would be to fight on the issues of the Irish settlement and the Dawes report. The British public in general is absolutely uninterested in Irish politics, but would be certain to oppose violently any project involving the sending of troops to Ulster, a procedure which would be implied in rejection of the boundary bill.

The general public believes that adoption of the Dawes report was a big step in the right direction, and, moreover, any results detrimental to the interests of British trade, if there should be such, would not be evident this year. On issue such as the Russian treaty, unemployment or housing, Labor's chances would be less bright, as the party record on the last two items is nothing to boast about.

Since there no longer is any question of a Labor-Liberal pact, the election this year again would be a three-cornered one, with many seats and perhaps the final decision depending upon slight variations in opinion, in perhaps one-sixth the total number of constituencies, rather than on issues on which the entire country could take sides.

NOT SO EASY



It's more difficult than it looks. Benjamin Watkins, like knights of old, hunts a tiny target. In the old days the target was a human body.

HERE'S A NEW GAME



The next time you have a picnic and no water, hold a hand "boat race." Teams straddle a pole and race backwards as they hold it, under the direction of a coxswain. The race pictured above was held at a police field day at Ilford, London.

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TRANT TELLS OF FORMER PRINCE OF WALES WITH INDIA

Unable to Meet the Prince of Wales
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Story of the Girl, Loved Flowers and Cherished Gazelle
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The Soul Transmigration Theory

Written by the Late William Trant

Noted International Journalist of the Last Half of Last Century and Now a Resident of Victoria

Mr. Trant Was Superintending the Publication of These Reminiscences at the Time of His Death Early Thursday Morning

THE next event of importance with which I was associated after the Baroda incident was the visit of the Prince of Wales (Edward VII) to India.

I was selected as special correspondent of The Times of India and a syndicate of British newspapers to accompany His Royal Highness. On the morning of November 8, 1875 the Serapia with its accompanying squadron was signalled and I began to dress for the reception of the distinguished party when I was taken ill with congestion of the liver with the suddenness and virulence common in tropical climates.

I was placed in bed so was unable to witness the ceremonies and festivities that celebrated the visit of the immediate heir of England to the second city in the British Empire.

I was unable to accompany the Prince to Baroda for which mission I had been specially chosen by reason of my residence there during the events recorded in previous chapters.

PRINCE'S PERSONAL INTEREST

My failure to join the party made me the recipient of one of those gracious acts of thoughtfulness and kindness which were characteristic of this Prince of Wales. I had been ordered a short sea voyage by my physician and His Royal Highness caused me to be made member of the wardroom mess of the Undaunted, the flagship of the squadron, which was to advance leisurely to Ceylon while the Prince and his party proceeded to Goa and Pondicherry, respectively the Portuguese and the French portions of the Indian Peninsula.

I was propped amid pillows in a bed and left the Undaunted, I was daunted, amid farewells from friends

who afterwards told me I looked like a corpse.

I experienced the recuperative power of sea air in a way that surprised me. The Undaunted set sail within two hours after I was aboard. The very next morning, so far from "looking like a corpse," I was on the deck (after a hearty breakfast—the first for a fortnight) and was as lively and well as any man on board the ship.

MANNERS ON SHIPBOARD

When we arrived at Colombo about eight days afterwards my bronzed cheeks created an impression that I was a "striffin" or new arrival from England. Ever since then I have sworn by the sea as a general restorative. Life on board the Undaunted was interesting from its novelty. Two sturdy man-of-war men were told to look after my comfort, and they rigged me up a natty little and fully equipped bedroom between two cannons.

I found a great deal of special manners on board this ship. Admiral Macdonald had his own quarters, his own cook, servants, etc., and lived in solitary grandeur. Then came the officers' or wardroom mess, of which I was a member, presided over by Commander Fanshawe. After us came the "Middle" mess, the Warrant Officers' mess, and other assemblages for feeding the rest of the ship's company.

EACH MINDING HIS BUSINESS

Politeness was the order of the day. Courteous and respectful recognition prevailed everywhere. To such an extent was this carried that the first morning on board I was initiated into the duty of "saluting

the quarter-deck" by raising my hat. My first appearance on that portion of the ship which seemed ever to be treated with respect amounting to reverence.

I found the officers a fine set of fellows, transparently brave, gentlemanly, cheerful and courteous. One could easily recognize the stuff our sailors are made of by the texture of the men who command them. On one occasion as we were at lunch, there came an alarm "Fire in the bread room." A few of the officers left the table and quietly proceeded to the deck.

"Is the ship on fire," I said, "I would rather be on deck," and I rose from my seat.

"Better stay where you are," I was assured, "as all the hatchways are closed."

"But," I persisted, "if the ship is on fire why do we not all go and help to put it out?"

"We do not belong to the fire drill," was the cool reply.

"SUCCESSORS OF NELSON"

I realized what a splendid thing discipline is. There was no fire either in the bread room or anywhere else but none of us knew that. The alarm was given by the captain's whistle. Those whose duty it was to move to the ship were on fire, quietly went about their work, the others remained at their various and several stations as though nothing was happening.

On another occasion there came the alarm "Enemy on the larboard bow." We naturally realized that this was a "drill," but the ship's company, from officer to powder monkey, went about their respective duties in the same steady, diligent manner, as on the previous occasion. Every gun was manned, my sleeping apartment demolished, and the gunners stood awaiting orders to fire at the enemy on the larboard bow.

Another incident was that a midshipman (I think his name was Foljambe) fell from aloft and broke a few ribs. There was the same quiet way of giving him attention as he was gathered on and taken to hospital as there had been on the two other drills. The only fear felt was that in future the young fellow might be nervous about working aloft. I saw the officers of the ship some months afterwards and they informed me that the midshipman had lost no nerve, but was just as nimble and alert as he had ever been.

Such are the brave little successors of Nelson.

WITH PRINCE OF WALES AGAIN

Immediately after arrival at Colombo I was presented to the Prince of Wales. I then joined the other correspondents who were to be my fellow travelers for the next few months. Doctor W. H. Russell represented The Times, and Mr. Sidney H. Hall was the special artist to illustrate a book of the tour that he and Dr. Russell were to produce. These two were members of the Prince's suite and were not therefore members of the "chummers" (if I may coin a word) in which we

LOST THRONE



This is the terrible Mulharoo, who as a result of the alleged diamond dust poison plot against one of the British officials was deposed from the office of Gaekwar of Baroda. Mr. Trant got this picture of the Gaekwar during the inquiry into the charges concerning him. The deposed Gaekwar languished for about twenty years in captivity afterwards, before he died.

OTHER "SPECIALS" HAD BANNED OURSELVES

Archibald Forbes represented The Daily News. He was a man of mixed qualities, sometimes pleasant, at others disagreeable. He held the doctrine I have denounced, that the end justifies the means, the end in his case being to get the better of all the other "specials." His attempts at "do" us, however, were frustrated, chiefly through the instrumentality of J. Drew Gay of the Daily Telegraph, who "knew Forbes of old," he said, and was aware of his artful dodges. In many respects, however, Forbes was a good fellow. He never allowed his personal feelings to influence his judgment about a man's worth and performance. I have known him to go out of his way to befriend a man whose work he admired, though he hated the man himself with all the hate of the devil has for holy water.

SOME NOTED JOURNALISTS

One of the party most respected was George H. Henty of The Standard, a man lovable from his boots up to his head. There was a strong contrast between him and Forbes, showing two distinct styles of special correspondence. Forbes was permitted by Sir John R. Robinson of The Daily News to write as much about himself

as he liked, and his letters were thus sprinkled with "I's" as though from a pepper box. They were all about Forbes with occasional reference to the Prince of Wales. Something similar has been said about John Foster and his life of Dickens. Henty, on the other hand was always impersonal, and wrote about the Prince of Wales, whatever about himself.

J. Drew Gay was a wild sort of a fellow with a scattered brain manner, and was not a favorite until well known, when it was found that he was a much better man than his unfortunatly mannerisms indicated. Major Meekin, of The Echo, was a quiet, retiring man, full of reminiscences of the past that made him an entertaining companion. George S. Wheeler, a bright young barrister, represented the Central News. He was a special favorite with the Prince. Wheeler was a grandson of General Wheeler of Cawnpore fame, and on his return home was rewarded with an appointment in the office of the House of Lords.

A CLEVER ANSWER

Malcolm Macpherson, of the Bombay Gazette, had a strong personality, and was described by me as clever but uncouth. He was a "brav Scottie" and was certainly the least conventional of us all. He was quite ready to recant anything he said with him at an hotel in Colombo, when we were accosted by a gentle white-haired gentleman who, with many apologies and excessive politeness, said that as we were literary persons we could probably recall to him a passage from Thomas More respecting the girl who loved flowers that faded and cherished gazelles that died.

PLANS AT COLOMBO

We were joined later by two other Mr. (a second) John Robinson, a sarcastic man, father of Phie Robinson, later well known in London journalistic circles. The reverend gentleman represented an Allahabad newspaper, The Pioneer. The other was Major Fenwick, of The Civil and Military Gazette, of India, a man rich in humor and good nature, who was the raconteur of the party.

It will be imagined, that these chance-acquainted acquaintances, these chummers, I "chummed" chiefly with William Simpson, and the Count of Alvielli. My friendship with the former lasted until his death, and my memory is cherished yet. The latter I lost sight of when he returned to his native Belgium.

At Colombo there were the usual functions that characterized the Prince's arrival at all the cities, towns and villages visited throughout the tour—levies, durbars, presentations, banquets and balls. The second day we were notified to accompany the Royal party to a pilgrimage to Buddha's Tooth at Kandy. The invitation to accompany the Royal party to Kandy was a most modern capital of Ceylon to Kandy, its ancient capital, to see Buddha's Tooth, reached me along with an intimation that punctuality must be the order of the day, as there was much to do and to see, and little time for the work.

THE BUDDHA AND HIS TOOTH

I had looked forward to the pilgrimage to this celebrated shrine with very great interest. In the first place, there is a sort of mischief-joy in being permitted to see what is denied to most men. There are, too, the extraordinary adventures of the wonderful tooth, that have made it the most remarkable relic ever seen in the world, excepting of course the "invisible hair of the Virgin Mary" and the "Shadow of Buddha" that, so far as I know, has been seen only by Fa Hian, the Chinese traveler.

Then, too, the sublime grandeur of the Buddha himself, seen dimly through misty ages in the glitterance of the world's dawn, drew me irresistibly to the grand reformer, of the past. His mythical birth, his great sacrifices, his meditation for seven years, his profound sympathies all lend attractiveness to everything and every incident associated with his name.

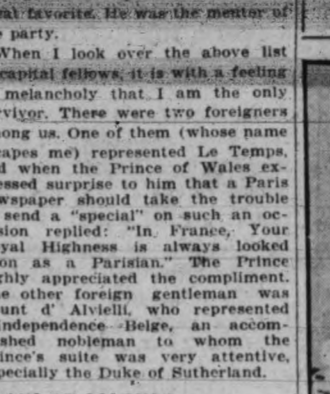
Above all, his "exceeding great love," that prompted him to request: "Let all the sins that have ever been committed fall upon me, in order that the world may be delivered," places him in the first rank of men; especially as he was not a prophet. He pretended to no inspiration or personal contact with God.

"I have heard these truths," he said, "from no one; they are self-revealed; they spring only within myself."

IMPORTANCE OF BUDDHISM

Still further, the fact that out of the thousand millions of inhabitants which it is computed people this earth, no less than two hundred and fifty million of them are Buddhists—more than belong to any other religion—should attract one to the shrine which contains all that is most sacred in the religion of the East. It is an odd relic, and in this is in keeping with its owner's teaching. The conception of Nirvana, a "blowing out," an "extinction," is hardly satisfactory even when it is euphoniously styled "absorption into

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Such were the views from the railway carriage, but the scene was slowly wound its way on the mountain side, now on a narrow ledge overhanging a steep precipice, and now crossing a waterfall, during which it was necessary to hold on to the railing, lest one should fall. At length Kandy itself was reached, buried in the bosom of the hills, a mountain city, high engirdled, and seemingly so secure in its mountain fastness that one is not surprised that it was long the impregnable home of the Kandyan kings.

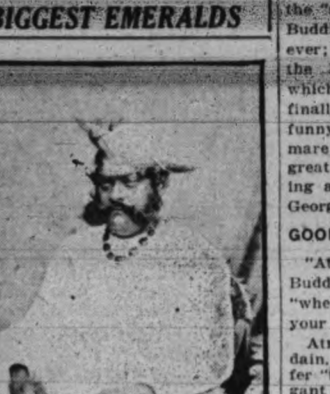
WOODS AND CLIFFS

At Squally Reach, with the wider waters of Spanish Arm beyond and the blue hills of the peninsula in the distance. At the second point, a remarkable panorama very difficult, I should think, to excel anywhere, in which the northern Spanish district lies spread out like a map with the neighboring ways and islands and a quite bewildering vista of distant mountains, the snowy peaks of the Cascades with the wooded peaks of the Andes. It is true that on this particular day the east was scarcely clear enough for the discernment in clear vision of the distant horizon. The atmosphere was hazy, and the haze of atmosphere at times.

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OVER THE MALAHAT ON THE ISLAND HIGHWAY



and looking at the body of Colonel Escargot, now on the carpet—Alas! Josephine, all my victories cannot give me back the life of one brave man. I might have known it at the start.

He remains in reflection. "I should have chosen at the beginning. Tranquillity or conquest, greatness or happiness—Des Deux Choses L'Une."

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NEXT WEEK—Bringing the Message to the Consumer.

UP THE LONG HILL

As the road rises from sea level the view of the Finlayson Arm opens out. The hills on either side descending steeply to the water's edge show the characteristic history of the Finlayson Arm has been in part elevated since the retreat of the last glacier. Conspicuous across the water stands Mt. Finlayson, whose huge bulk the valley has cut through so that the western side is boldly precipitous. The base consists of volcanic rocks, but the upper portion is of the granitic is formed of diorite gneiss. Along the Malahat volcanic rocks are shown in the cuttings until a point just beyond the Hamsterley Place the railway above is reached. The Ramberton gneissic rocks prevail. Here just under Mt. Jeffrey the volcanic rocks are again encountered as they extend in a broad strip across the north-east face of the hill. The two outstanding points for view on the Malahat are undoubtedly from near the Seventeen Mile Post and at the Hamsterley Place, or a little beyond. At the first there is a striking prospect of the sharp bend in Finlayson Arm

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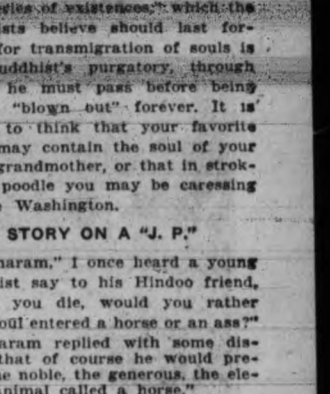
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Such were the views from the railway carriage, but the scene was slowly wound its way on the mountain side, now on a narrow ledge overhanging a steep precipice, and now crossing a waterfall, during which it was necessary to hold on to the railing, lest one should fall. At length Kandy itself was reached, buried in the bosom of the hills, a mountain city, high engirdled, and seemingly so secure in its mountain fastness that one is not surprised that it was long the impregnable home of the Kandyan kings.

WOODS AND CLIFFS

At Squally Reach, with the wider waters of Spanish Arm beyond and the blue hills of the peninsula in the distance. At the second point, a remarkable panorama very difficult, I should think, to excel anywhere, in which the northern Spanish district lies spread out like a map with the neighboring ways and islands and a quite bewildering vista of distant mountains, the snowy peaks of the Cascades with the wooded peaks of the Andes. It is true that on this particular day the east was scarcely clear enough for the discernment in clear vision of the distant horizon. The atmosphere was hazy, and the haze of atmosphere at times.

WE ENTER THE LOWLANDS

After passing Hamsterley's and the Ramberton Works the road falls quickly to the sea. We drop a passenger at the new motor slip and for some three miles follow the sea past Mill Bay with its pretty red-roofed inn and cosy homes. Just after crossing Shawngin Creek and leaving the hills behind, we descend to the north through a district well sprinkled with farmhouses and cultivated fields. After running through Cobble Hill we continue through mingled farm and forest, a part of the same lowland which extends from Mill Bay north to the relatively low; its average height is about 250 feet above sea-level. Whereas the Cowichan Valley is unbroken by the sandstone and conglomerates of the Cretaceous coal measures, this Shawngin lowland is the base of the old volcanic rocks and intrusive igneous. It is indeed shown by a thick sheet of glacial drift, it furnishes a somewhat drier type of agricultural land than the lower districts to the north, but its fertility is shown by the forest trees, which are here denser than on the Malahat and set in a more luxuriant undergrowth. Cedar is a conspicuous element in the woodland, and the large-leaved maple is a striking feature in the forest here and at the Hamsterley Place, or a little beyond. At the first there is a striking prospect of the sharp bend in Finlayson Arm

STEPHEN LEACOCK

NAPOLEON IN A ONE-NIGHT STAND

How the Historical Drama Turns Out the Great Emperor Among the Sticks

"DES DEUX CHOSES L'UNE"

A Drama of the First Empire Adapted from the French of Dumas, Sardou, Higo, Racine, Cornelle, and all others who ever wrote of Napoleon.

The opening part of the play is intended to show the extraordinary fidelity towards the Emperor on the part of the marshals of France whom he had created.

Scene—The ball room of the palace of the Tuilleries. Standing around are ladies in diaphanous dresses, brilliant as rainbows. Up right beside them are the marshals of France. There is music and a buzz of conversation.

Enter Napoleon followed by Talleyrand in black, and two secretaries carrying boxes. There is silence. The Emperor seats himself at a little table. The secretaries place on it two black dispatch boxes.

The Emperor Speaks—Marshal Junot.

The Marshal steps forward and salutes.

The Emperor—Marshal: I have heard strange rumors and doubts about your fidelity. I wish to test it. I have here—he opens one of the boxes—a vial of poison. Here—Drink it.

Junot—With pleasure, sire.

Junot drinks the poison and stands to attention.

MAKING MARSHALS HAPPY

The Emperor—Go over there and stand beside the Comtesse de la Polissonerie till you die.

Junot (saluting)—With pleasure, sire.

Napoleon (turns to another marshal)—Berthier?

Here, sire!

Berthier steps out in front of the Emperor.

The Emperor (rising)—Ha! Ha! Is it you?—he reaches up and pinches Berthier's ear.—Vieux paquet de linges sale!

Berthier looks delighted. It is amazing what a French marshal will do for you if you pinch his ear. At least it is a tradition of the stage. In these scenes Napoleon always pinched the Marshals' ears and called them—Vieux paquet de linges sale, etc.

The Emperor turns stern in a moment.

Marshal Berthier!

Sire!

Are you devoted to my person? Sire, you have to be put me to the test.

Very well, here, Marshal Berthier (Napoleon reaches into the box) is a poisoned dog biscuit. Eat it.

Berthier (saluting)—With pleasure, sire.

ASPECTS OF MASSENA

The secretary unfolds a vast map on the table. The Emperor stands in deep thought regarding it. Presently he speaks:

Napoleon, what is this? What does it mean? Tell me it is not true. You could not dare?

Napoleon (timidly)—I think there

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AUTOMOBILE NEWS



Here is the car in which Percy Hewett and his son R. Hewett crossed the continent from Montreal, with but two detours into the United States. The Hewetts arrived here August 23 and are camped at the Auto Park at the Gorge. The distance covered was 5,036 miles. R. Hewett is seen sitting on the running board of the car.

HAS PLANT REPLETE WITH ALL MODERN ELECTRICAL MACHINES

Harry F. Davis, Exide Battery Dealer Has Service Station Which is of Greatest Efficiency and Reports His Battery Sales Will Have Trebled by End of Year.

In the home of the Exide Battery in Victoria, the machine shop and garage operated by Harry F. Davis, a prominent motor mechanic and battery expert in this city, is a new installation known as one of the latest test benches for generators, starting motors and magnetos. It is an electrical appliance, and saves time, labor and a great amount of money for the man who wishes tests or repair work done on his machinery.

The test bench is approved by the United Motors Service Corporation, for which Mr. Davis has the agency here on Gordon Street, next door to Plimley's garage, and as this company is very conservative in its approval this fact in itself is proof of the dependability of the machine which Mr. Davis is installing at the present time.

Services stations throughout the West, and in fact all of the continent where the United Motors representatives are placed, have been lately authorized to make use of these machines and Mr. Davis is the first man in Victoria to make the purchase. He put the machine into place in the beginning of this week, and has only just completed its arrangement.

The machine turns a generator at the rate of from 300 to 3,000 revolutions per minute, and can put a unit of a car at the same speed which it would be under if it were actually running in the automobile itself. In this way, through a registration of revolutions, volts and amperes, certain tests can be made which will prove the fault or lack of usefulness in the unit in question. Tests can be made which would otherwise have to be made by lengthy process of experimentation, and which now only require a few minutes before the base of the fault can be found.

So sure is the work which the machine does that the company guar-

antees all its work for a period of three months after its repairs have been effected.

Besides this Mr. Davis has a new coil and condenser—new in type, that is, for the machine has been installed since immediately before the war—with which he is enabled to give still better service. In fact his entire electrical plant is replete with every modern achievement known to the electrician for work with cars and the company is in a position to give the highest grade of service and satisfaction to its clients.

Mr. Davis himself is a man of twenty years experience as a mechanic and twelve years' training as an electrical expert. He caters to an ever-growing trade and has the most optimistic views regarding the future of his business in Victoria. As an indication of the better business which he expects, Mr. Davis says that his sale of automobile and radio batteries is already double that of last year and that before 1925 it will have been trebled.

HARRY F. DAVIS



Prominent electrical expert of Victoria, whose up-to-date establishment offers good service for motorists here.

NEW BOLT THREAD STANDARDS ADOPTED

Engineering Experts in U.S. Approve Work Completed By Committee

New York, Sept. 5.—The American Engineering Standards Committee has approved as American standard a thirty-two-page document, constituting the finished work of the sectional committee on standardization and unification of screw threads, in the field of threads for bolts, machine screws, nuts and commercially tapped holes. The committee has done this work under the joint sponsorship of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and the Society of Automotive Engineers, and includes in its membership many of the most distinguished experts on this important and difficult subject.

By the adoption of the report of this committee, screw threads are narrowed down to, and standardized upon, two series, an "American Course Series" for general work, and an "American Fine Series" for work in which a finer thread is desirable. The same form of thread is used in both.

The adoption of standard screw threads, the committee says, is perhaps the most important single advance in American industrial standardization, certainly in the mechanical industries, since screw threads are fundamental to design and manufacture in every field, and enter into almost every kind of manufactured product and machine.

Different classes of fit—"loose," "free," "medium" and "close"—are established with corresponding numerical tolerances to provide for unavoidable inaccuracies of workmanship under practical conditions.

WISCONSIN MAN MADE CHIEF BY TRIBE OF INDIANS

Kilbourn, Wis., Sept. 5.—A ceremony unique in Indian history took place in the Wisconsin Delta here when Glen Parsons, manager of a local boat company, was christened a member of the Winnebago Indian tribe and then made a chief of all the Winnebago. Parsons' title among the Indians is Chief Thunder Bird, the Indian word for which is Zazamanga.

The honor was given Parsons chiefly because of his interest in the Indian tribes and activities with them. Chief Thunder Bird Parsons was christened by Chief Little Bird, 101 years old and said to be a direct descendant of Chief Thunder Bird who was a warrior of the tribe 200 years ago.



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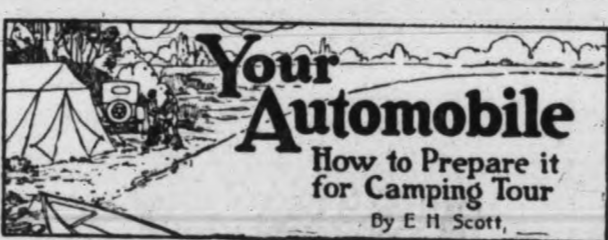
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Your Automobile How to Prepare it for Camping Tour

By E. H. Scott.

Inspect to See that Running Gear and Engine is O. K.

If you are going to make an extensive tour, it is absolutely necessary, if you wish to avoid trouble on the road, that every part of the car be properly lubricated. Before you start, you should make certain that every grease or oil cup is clear and is actually allowing the lubricant to reach the bearing.

Very often the hole in the bolt or pin through which the grease reaches the bearings gets blocked. Clean off all old-dried grease that may have accumulated about the bearings, then screw down the grease cups and see that the grease oozes out at the ends of the bearings. If you find you cannot force the grease out, then the hole in the bolt is blocked. If you have a pressure greasing system, fill the grease gun with kerosene or a light oil and see if it can be forced through. If the grease fails, remove the grease cup and poke a piece of wire through the hole in the bolt. If this does not clear it, then the bolt will have to be removed and the hole cleaned out.

If you notice that any of the grease or oil cups are broken off at the shank, you will be wise to have them removed by a mechanic, then new cups fitted. If a bearing is not lubricated it will only be a short time before the bushing and pin will have to be renewed, a more expensive operation than simply replacing a grease cup.

Be particularly careful to see that all steering gear and front axle connections are properly lubricated. These connections are so exposed that unless they are properly lubricated they wear rapidly. Full instructions on inspecting and adjusting the steering gear and wheel bearings were given a few weeks ago.

Just before you start on your tour, drain all the old oil out of the crankcase and fill up with fresh oil. Do not flush out with kerosene, for unless you intend removing the oil pan after, some of the kerosene remains in the oil pockets and dilutes the fresh oil. If you drain the crankcase while the engine is warm, you will draw off most of the grit and sediment that is in circulation. When you are out on the road, don't forget to drain off the old oil every 500 miles. You will find the engine will run cooler and better.

BALLOON TIRES ARE HARD TO GET WHILE DEMAND IS GROWING

Goodrich Manufacturers Cannot Supply Western Dealers Although Pressed

General Tire Business in Victoria is Good, Dealers Report

"The sale for balloon and semi-balloon tires continues in the same encouraging manner," says W. C. Hembroff, head of the firm of Mitchell and Hembroff, agents for the Goodrich Tire Company here. "The tire business here is good," he continued, "and although balloon tires are scarcely past the experimental stage they enjoy widespread popularity even here."

A. McEvin, agent for the Goodrich Tire and Rubber Company, reports that the demand for balloon tires is exceptionally good. Owing to the tremendous demand for them in the East the Goodrich people have not been able to supply their western representatives with tires, but have contented themselves with satisfying the demand of the eastern markets.

"I have tried in every way to get a supply of balloon and semi-balloon tires for automobile owners of Victoria, but so far my efforts have been unavailing," Mr. McEvin stated today. "Vancouver has not yet received any Goodrich balloons either, and Seattle cannot send me any although I have tried my hardest in that quarter. The only thing to do is to wait until my orders are complied with from the factory, and meanwhile my patrons will have to wait for the fulfillment of their orders."

Dealers everywhere have reported the falling off of the sales of fabric tires, even more since the balloon and semi-balloon came on the market, and the cord has been the popular tire up to now. It promises to retain its lead for some time to come. The reason for this is that old model automobiles are not equipped with rims which will fit balloon tires, and expense is considerable in the outfitting of the average car with new wheels throughout. This appears to be the one objection which car owners have in purchasing balloon tires. The semi-balloon, at present, is more popular than the balloon type. This tire closely resembles a cord but has lower pressure. It is the step between the cord and the balloon, as a matter of fact, and is hence a product containing all of their good qualities.

MOTOR TAXES TOWARD ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

Hartford, Sept. 6.—One-quarter of the cost of road improvements in New England is paid by motor vehicle owners, a statement prepared by the bureau of public roads of the Department of Agriculture, in co-operation with the state highway department shows. In a comprehensive outline of highway taxes covering the entire country the Federal Government has compiled statistics revealing a substantial increase in the relationship of motor vehicle revenues to the total highway income of the United States. Motor vehicle owners throughout the country contributed about 19.5 per cent toward the cost of road improvements, as compared with 1914, when it was only 5.1 per cent.

The total income for all rural highway purposes in 1921, the Government report shows, was \$1,149,437,898. This was derived from general property taxes, licence fees, sale of bonds, etc.

In the six New England states it is shown that the total highway income in 1921 was \$46,455,284, or \$6.25 per capita. Of this amount \$11,629,091, or 25.1 per cent, consisted of license fees contributed by the motor vehicle owner.

The average per capita income for the whole country for highway purposes was \$10.90, while in New England the per capita tax income is found to be \$6.25, the lowest of any group of states.

The survey gives a definite view of the demand for highway construction and improvements throughout the densely populated sections of the country, particularly in New England, and shows how the increased life of the automobile has stimulated the development of the surfaced highways in all sections.

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By PROFESSOR W. T. ALLISON

In "The Garden of Folly" (S. B. Gundy, Toronto) his new contribution to the safety of nations, Professor Leacock, the Montreal humorist, steers clear of nonsense novels, literary lapses, frenzied fiction, and literature generally. This is an evidence of wisdom on his part, for he has played on that burlesque string too long. In this book he laughs at contemporary fads, such as the worship of success, the new thought in his passion for psychology, the new science of food and care of the body, the extravagant teachings of correspondence schools on salesmanship, and the write-ups of self-made men. In addition to these merry chapters, which will appeal specially to the tired business man, Dr. Leacock offers other attractions such as "The Perfect Lover's Guide," "The Leading Exponent of Whiskers," "Glimpses of the Future in America" and "Letters to the New Rulers of the World."

Leacock's usual standard, it is not as clever a book as "My Discovery of England" but it has greater variety, and I fancy that it will carry a wider appeal than anything that he has written. It will amuse and increase his reputation as the Charley Chaplin of letters, a complimentary name bestowed upon him by the New York Times. There is no question but that Professor Leacock is the leading exponent of caricature and exaggeration among contemporary humorists.

Professor Leacock is perhaps wholly serious when he philosophizes on the nature of true humor. He thinks that it can be possessed only by the man who sees the sadder side of life; in other words humor is closely allied to pathos. "If a man has genuine sense of humor," he asserts, "he is apt to take a somewhat melancholy, or at least a disillusioned view of life. Humor and disillusionment are twin sisters. Humor cannot exist alongside of eager ambition, brisk success, and absorption in the game of life. Humor comes best to those who are bowed and out, or who have at least discovered their limitations and their failures. Humor is essentially a comforter, reconciling us to things as they are in contrast to things as they might be."

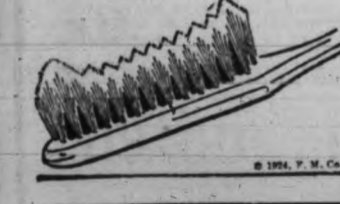
This is why I think such a great number of people are cut off from having any very highly developed sense of humor. "If I had made list of them I would put at the head all eminent and distinguished people whose lofty position compels them to take themselves seriously. The list would run something like this: 1. The Pope of Rome. I doubt if he could have a very keen sense of fun. 2. Archbishops and the more dignified clergy, sense of humor—none. 3. Emperors, Kaisers, Czars, Emirs, Emus, Sheiks, etc., etc.—absolutely none. 4. Captains of Industry (I mean the class that used to be called "nation makers" and are now known as "profiteers")—atrophied. 5. Great scholars, thinkers, philanthropists, martyrs, reformers and patriots—petrified. As against this I would set a list of people who probably would show a sense of humor brought to its full growth: 1. Rejected candidates for election to a national legislature. 2. Writers whose work has been refused by all the publishers. 3. Inventors who have lost their patents, actors who have been hooded off the stage, painters who can't paint, and speaking broadly, all the unemployed and the unsuccessful. In this suggestive preface is the author's justification of overstatement, of caricature and exaggeration. "I have no doubt," he says, "that this theory, like most of the things that I say in this book, is an overstatement. But I have always found that the only kind of statement worth making is an overstatement. A half truth, like half a barrel, is always more forcible as an argument than a whole one. It carries further."

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LEACOCK'S USE OF MALAPROPRISMS In his celebrated comedy, "The Rivals," Sheridan called one of his characters Mrs. Malaprop, a lady who had the habit of blundering in the use of words. This humorous device was not original with Sheridan, in fact it can be traced back to antiquity, but his Mrs. Malaprop is now the classic example of this form of mirth. In several of the chapters in this book with distinctly happy results. Professor Leacock goes Sheridan one better by making himself a Mr. Malaprop. Making fun of the middle-aged man who is funny about his health, he says that this person will get a watchful eye turned on his inside. Notice the skill with which he winds words into his paragraphs. "Are his ducts functioning? How is his great colon? And the shorter, or semi-colon, what about that? Is this an easy flow of mirth acid from the Oesophagus to the proctoderm? If not, what is stopping it? Has perhaps a lot of sand or mud made its way into the auditing? Are the sebaceous glands in what one might call efficient working condition, and are the valves of the liver revolving as they ought to? Are the eyes opening and shutting properly, and is the lower jaw swinging out in hinges as it should? In short, the man of discretion will go over himself each day

and tap himself with a small hammer to see that his body is functioning as it ought to." THE COOING COMMERCIAL MAN Merchants and commercial travelers will indulge in gales of laughter when they read "The Perfect Salesman." They all know what a lot of rot has been written on the art of salesmanship, especially on the method of approach. "As a way, as a mountain antelope," at the least, alarm he will leap from his counter top into the air and rush to the door. He will burrow his way among barrels and boxes and become completely hidden. In such a case with some merchants are even crafty enough to have an assistant or sentinel posted in such a way as to give the alarm of the salesman's approach.

"How then can the salesman manage to get his interview with the merchant or, to use a technical term, to get next to his prospect? The answer is that he must 'stalk' his prospect as the hunter stalks the mountain goat or the wild hog. Dressed in a becoming way he must circulate outside his prospect's premises occasionally taking a peep at him through the window and perhaps imitating the song of a bird or the gentle cooing of a dove. "Leacock's prospect will presently be seen to relax into a smile. Now is the moment for the salesman to act. He enters the place boldly and says with a confident air, "Mr. Nut, you thought it was a bird. It was not. It was I. I am here to show you my line."

It was a wise act on the part of the author to place "Letters to the New Rulers of the World" last in his book. He would have been wiser to have left them out altogether. When the author makes Canadians suspect that he is making a cheap play to the American gallery. His "Letter to a Prohibitionist" shows that the Montreal professor is not a good deal better than the average Canadian. He is a Barleycorn in every book he writes. W. T. ALLISON.

The Surprising Sex

By MILDRED BARBOUR—Author of "Love Stakes," Etc.

Jimmy Phillips arrived with flattering promptness and tried to lure Julie to ride, but she declined. "John may need me. He's back, you know." Jimmy glowered. "He'd better have stayed away," he muttered. "Why, Jimmy?" she asked, surprised. "Nothing." But after a minute, he said with seeming irrelevance, "Is the old lady back yet?" "She shook her head." "In her last letter, she said she was coming next week." "Then Jimmy meditated, gulped, "see here, if you can't stay here alone since Blake's back." Julie stared at him as if he had taken leave of his senses. "Why not?" He looked at her curiously. His ears reddened. He mumbled something just before Blake's callers left, a small archer arrived with a note. Julie took it to him and flushed crimson under the silence and curious glances her entrance occasioned from the men who sat wreathed in tobacco smoke.

When they had departed, leaving Blake a prey to disquieting emotions, he tore open the note. "I must warn you, my dear John, of the furor of gossip which is circulating about you. No doubt it has already reached you at Washington through your own faithful informants. But, in case it has not, you must be prepared to combat it before it does serious harm to your career. "I could not bring myself to set forth in this memorandum in letters which are sacred to me; and moreover, the real scandal has only burst into fury within the last few weeks. Apparently it has been reversed by a political coup de etat. "Come to me immediately when you receive this. I shall be waiting at the old place under the willows." Blake crumpled the note angrily in his fist. But, after all, he reflected, it was only a reiteration of the very thing: Adams and Phillips and the others had been dining into his ears all the evening. He thought of her and what this marriage of his would mean to her. He had forgotten that he was bound by a subtle promise to Anna. But it was too late now, he reflected. Anna couldn't marry him while her mother lived, and this quell all the vicious gossip concerning her relationship with Julie. Moreover, only by marriage to Julie could he wipe away the stigma against her reputation, so far had the ugly innuendo gone. There was also Horace Latimer's dying wish to convince him that he was taking the right and proper course. "I can see no particular reason why we shouldn't be married very soon," he told Julie. "I shall have to travel about during the campaign. Perhaps you would care to accompany me?" "Oh yes," breathed Julie rapidly. Her emotions were in such a jumble that she scarcely comprehended what he was saying, as he went on outlining his plans for the immediate future.

Finally it was arranged that the marriage should take place within the next fortnight, and that they should go away together immediately, and thereafter, if the gods were good, proceed to Washington for the winter. It sounded like a picture of paradise to Julie. She tried to comprehend it, this magical good fortune that had befallen her. To go away into a brilliant unknown world, to meet people whose names spelled bliss, best of all to go—not as a casual traveler—but as the bride of a man whom she had always regarded as a sort of god!

"do you like Jimmy Phillips?" She raised her eyes. "Why—yes—I like him," then, as she gleaned the significance of his question, her color rose, "but—but not the way you mean." "Do you care about any other boys?" She shook her head, the rose deepening in her cheeks. "I don't know anyone but Jimmy." It was a pitiful confession which touched Blake. It seemed to emphasize her complete dependence on himself. He took a turn or two up and down the hearth rug, came back to her. "Have you reached the age to think of marriage, Julie?" "Yes," it was scarcely a whisper. She was painfully embarrassed with Blake on a subject which she had treated with poise, even coquetry, with Jimmy. "Would you—will you marry me, Julie?" An instant of tense, poignant silence. "Marry you—?" words failed her. "Your father wished it," he told her reassuringly, and then, before her glance, raised appealingly and as quickly lowered, he hastened to amend, "And I wish it." "Oh, it would so softly breathed little mossy-syllable. "Of course I know I'm not a romantic figure," he went on matter-of-factly. "I'm old enough to be your father, but I'd be very hard to make you happy, Julie." "She was crimson to the tips of her ears and her fingers twisted in their embarrassment. "You—you care—about me?" "Yes," he told her steadily, thankful that she hadn't used the word "love." He wouldn't have liked to lie to Julie. But of course he cared about her. She was a charming child, sweet and appealing. He had treasured her father's friendship. How could he help being fond of her child?

After a while, he went to a cabinet where he kept valuable papers. A long time ago, he had locked in the letter Latimer had written before his death, asking him to make Julie his wife. But, after all, he had the unfinished manuscript. Julie had never known the contents of that letter. Blake had told her simply that it concerned some business interests of her father's which she was to attend. She had asked no questions. At the time, Blake had thought with cynical amusement, what a treasure of a wife she would make someone some day. If maturity came in her no greater sense of curiosity. Blake read Latimer's letter again, slowly. A while, he went to the door and called to Julie.

"THE WAY OUT" Julie sat in an arm chair beside the library table, looking absurdly young and pretty and helpless. Blake roamed the library with a restlessness unusual in him, an uneasiness that came between his lips. Julie had come from the front steps at his call, bidding Jimmy a brief good night. She sat awaiting Blake's pleasure. Her eyes were lowered as he came to a halt in front of her, his hands thrust deep into his pockets. "Julie," he addressed her suddenly,

AN OFFICIAL AUDIENCE

Seeing a Cabinet Minister is a Mighty Difficult Business, Mr. Wobble Discovers; He Also Finds Out Why the Government Overlooks so Many Valuable Schemes

David Wobble, M.P. elect, has never shared the common illusion that anyone becomes Great by calling a Great Man by his first name; he has never felt, like most of us, that one imbibes Greatness by slapping a Great Man on the back so hard that his false teeth rattle, and addressing him as "old bean."

In pursuit of these principles, Mr. Wobble has always treated Cabinet Ministers with a respect which they are usually accorded only by delegations which want something pretty badly. And from the time when a be-whiskered statesman of the Old School leaned over his perambulator, trailed a cigar-flavored mustache over his defenceless face and remarked to his parents that he had never seen such a fine child before, and that they had better vote for the Grand Old Party at the next election, and then proceeded to favor all the other defenceless babies within a large radius with similar cigar-flavored attentions—since his first experience with Statesmanship Mr. Wobble has yearned to become a Cabinet Minister himself. He has yearned to attach "Hon." to his name in telephone directories and on calling cards, as Cabinet Ministers do. He has yearned to press a button and summon a score of clerks and stenographers from all corners of the Parliament Buildings, as Cabinet Ministers do, and—though send them back again, with the curt explanation that he has made a mistake in calling them, as Cabinet Ministers do. He has yearned to stand before a hushed Legislature, as Cabinet Ministers do, and explain how, through his efforts, the interior tur-



The stout lady continued to wave her umbrella

nip crop has increased 5.33 per cent in ten years, as Cabinet Ministers do. And so Mr. Wobble has always held, what could be finer, what could be more elevating than to attend a Sunday school picnic or a Y. M. C. A. dinner, as Cabinet Ministers do, and be the only man present with a frock coat. And so it was with feelings of the utmost deference that Mr. Wobble entered the anteroom of the only Cabinet Minister whom he knows to urge him to support the application of the Society for the Creation of a Memorial to the Spirit of Victoria for Government grants to aid his laudable project. Mr. Wobble had never been in a Cabinet Minister's anteroom before, and he was not prepared for what he found there.

A PERFECT LADY Before the ralling which shielded the Cabinet Minister's secretary from assault stood a lady with a checked suit and a face as pleasant as a young wasp's sting, who waved aloft anything else said the eminent lawyer, lighting another pungent cigarette. All this time a huge gentleman with a large black hat, a large red nose poked up and down the room, chewing tobacco and making good use of the receptacle placed there for gentlemen who indulge in that elevating practice. Every two minutes or so the stout gentleman sidled up to the railing, shielded his face with a large hairy hand, as if that could possibly diminish his thundering voice, and informed the secretary that the Minister would be mighty glad to see him.

THE MYSTERIOUS STRANGER "Just tell him it's Bill—hell, know, ha! ha!" said the stout gentleman. "He oughta, too. 'Cause" (and the stout gentleman sank his voice to a hoarse whisper, which could be heard all over the room, and glanced out of the corner of his eyes to see that no one was looking), "cause he wouldn't be here if it wasn't for me. Jus' tell him that, will yuh?" And when the secretary replied for the twentieth time that the Minister was engaged, the stout gentleman turned away resentfully, checked his tobacco more vigorously than ever, and decorated the receptacle with remarkable artistry. For more than an hour the barbed-wire lady continued to shake her umbrella; the owl-like person continued to grumble about the "World Fair," starting April 1, 1927; the eminent lawyer continued to smoke pungent cigarettes and insist that he had nothing personally to gain from any lawsuit which the Government might conduct; and the stout gentleman

continued to chew tobacco and assure the secretary that the Minister would be glad to see him. Just as the delegation from the Minister's own constituency filed out and everyone in the anteroom stepped forward to claim the next interview, an old gentleman with a white beard, an ample front and a voluminous bundle of papers, wandered in. He marched on into the Minister's office without knocking. "It's the Premier," the secretary explained. "A most important matter."

"Well, I'll be blowed!" said the stout gentleman. "Say, how do they do that? They can run a country that way, eh?" "A dashed outrage!" said the owl-like little man. "Footing around with little things and here I have a scheme which would make this Province!" "But typical of these politicians!" said the eminent lawyer. "Bah!"

IN FIELD AND WOODLAND NATURE NOTES BY ROBERT CONNELL OAK APPLES On the slopes of Mt. Shepherd overlooking Sooke Basin I found the other day a small oak tree much infested with galls, or, as they are more commonly called, oak apples. These were about three quarters of an inch in diameter and were in groups of from four to six on the underside of the leaves. Their exterior was of a pale creamy yellow with darker spots and the covering about the thickness of paper, inside at the time of finding them was a small whitish caterpillar surrounded by fine hair-like fibres which radiated from the central cavity occupied by the insect. The female acorn was completely gone and the caterpillar was evidently ready for the pupa stage. While the larva did not answer to the description of that of the common gall fly, for this was the possessor of both ordinary and prolegs and not a footless grub," no doubt the formation of the gall is similar. The female acorn was laid by the deposition of some irritant causes an abnormal growth of the cellular tissue of the leaf. This not only produces the globular "apple" but the fibrous threads within which for the nutriment of the larva. Under the microscope each thread appears as a long slender tube. As far as I could see no masses seemed to be done to the leaf by these curious appendages. From the British oak galls, gallic acid used to be obtained for the manufacture of ink. They had also a curious historical connection, for on May 29, was observed Oak Apple Day when English boys wore the "apples" in memory of King Charles the Second's concealment in an oak tree after the battle of Worcester.

ROSE GALLS The sweet brier rose which has become a thoroughly naturalized member of our local flora has been increasingly subject of late years to a different form of gall, caused, it is believed, by a species of gall fly which resembles a sponge rather than a fruit. Here the fibres are outside and in the midst of the matted mass lies the larva. This gall has an odor something like that of the "moss" of a moss rose and except in its irregularity and brownish color there is an abnormality of growth caused by some initial irritant. So far it is not known to affect any rose but the sweet brier. Evidently the fly is attracted to it by the scent of the leaves

LATE BLOSSOMING OF DOGWOOD At Ladysmith a fortnight ago, I was shown a small dogwood tree well covered with "flowers." These, so far as the showy white parts are concerned, are colored leaves and not parts of the true flowers which are quite inconspicuous and grouped together in the center of four or five large bracts. In the case of the Ladysmith tree a curious thing was that the floral bracts were distinctly cup-shaped and not flat as is customary. The dogwood occasionally manifests this tendency to flower in the Fall, and trees with this peculiarity are every now and then reported. I have heard of one in the Metchosin district and a few years ago I saw one a little later than this by the side of Elk Lake. It would be interesting to know if these individual trees are more or less peculiarly blooming thus late if not every year, at least at intervals, and if such trees also bloom in the Spring. The habit, if it is such, is a strange one. Were it more general it might be classed with the second flowering of roses. At any rate it seems quite distinct from the second leafage of trees which have lost their leaves by abnormal conditions (such as caterpillar ravages) in the Spring.



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CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE By Uncle Ray

HOW THE THEATRE BEGAN

The Athenians prayed to a god of wine, whom they called Dionysius. Quite often, great festivals were held in his honor. People would go to some central spot where there was an altar to the wine-god, and there



Masks like these were worn when the Greeks produced serious plays.

would be singing and dancing by special performers.

By and by, it came to be the custom for some men to come before the crowd and tell about the virtues of Dionysius. Later two or three came and spoke together so everyone could hear.

At first the crowd stood up all this while, but they got tired of that and wooden seats were built in a half-circle around the speakers. From this



Here are masks such as were used for light or comic plays in Athens.

beginning arose the Greek theatre. The most noted one in the country was built in Athens, beside the great hill near the centre of the city. It was called the Theatre of Dionysius, and it would seat more than 16,000 persons. There was no roof but the sky.

Tickets were required for anyone to come. Usually a charge was made for the tickets, but sometimes they were passed around free. The festivals in honor of the wine-god lasted several days. Theatre plays began at dawn and lasted until dusk. There were never more than three actors with speaking parts before the audience, but there were fifteen or twenty men in the chorus. Actors wore masks such as those pictured. Women were not allowed to take any part in the plays, but on certain occasions they could watch.

SCHOOL DAYS IN ATHENS

Boys went to school in olden Athens—if their parents could afford to send them. The boys were usually taught by three teachers. One taught them to read and write. Another gave lessons in music and poetry. The third taught "leaping, running, wrestling and other gymnastics." There were no public schools. The lads were sent to the houses of men who made a business of teaching. The fathers had to pay money to the teachers. The classes were very small, perhaps only a half a dozen pupils. The schoolmaster was severe—he often beat his pupils so cruelly that



A lesson in poetry is here pictured. At the right is the slave who has brought the lad to school.

large welts were raised on their backs. The parents did not interfere, for they thought beatings were needed for the best results.

It was very hard to learn to read because the letters were all bunched together and only capital letters were used. There were no punctuation marks. Try to read the following English words:

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It is not easy to read words all bunched together like that even after



A writing exercise is being corrected by the teacher.

you know how to read ordinary writing and printing. Suppose you had been told to learn to read such crowded letters when you were just entering school! That was what the Greek boys were forced to do.

To learn to write, they traced or copied letters written by the teachers on wax "tablets." The tablets were flat pieces of wood covered on one side with wax. The writing was done with a "stylus," a pointed metal pen. One end of the stylus was blunt. This end was the "eraser." It was used to smudge the wax when a mistake was made. Older boys sometimes wrote on papyrus with ink.

Girls did not go to school in ancient Athens. They were kept at home and taught the "household arts." If they learned to read and write, it was by the aid of their mothers or nurses. Some girls were taught to spin, weave, sew and embroider.

There were many places in Greece where marble could be obtained, and the marble was some of the finest men have ever known. It was of several colors and many shades. Statues were cut from this marble by



This is the "Statue of Victory" as it has been restored.

Greek sculptors. Unhappily, most of their statues have either been crushed to pieces during the ages or else have been broken so that we can see only the bodies or heads. Enough has remained, however, for us to know that the art of the Greeks has never been excelled, and perhaps never equaled.

An amusing story is told about one of the broken Greek statues. It is called the Statue of Victory. A man who did not know much about sculpture gazed at this statue and noticed



This is the statue of the "wounded Amazon" made by one of the greatest sculptors in Greece.

that the arms were broken and the head was off. "Why," he exclaimed, "if that is Victory, I'd like to look at Defeat!"

Some of the broken statues have been pieced together and missing parts put in by artists of the present day. That is called "restoring." In other cases, statues have been left as found, but pictures have been painted of them, as they probably looked when Greece was at the height of her glory.

Another noted statue is of a "wounded Amazon." It was carved to illustrate a fable the Greeks were fond of telling about a race of people in Asia Minor. These people were called Amazons. Very little was said about the men of that race, but the women were supposed to be tall and strong. They went out and fought as soldiers.

A MAN WHO DIED FOR TRUTH

If you were in danger of being put to death, but could escape, what would you do? That question was faced by a great Greek thinker in the city of Athens. He chose to stay and face the trial, which resulted in his death. The name of this man was Socrates, and he was one of the noblest men who ever lived.

Socrates was the son of a poor stone-cutter. When he grew to manhood, he did not follow his father's trade. Instead, he became a teacher—and what an unusual teacher he was. Wearing shabby clothes, and barefooted, he strolled about the market place and stopped to talk with anyone who wished to hear him. Sometimes, he even halted men who did not care to talk to him. Many were the times they flinched under his keen questions.

We have before us a likeness of this man. We must admit he was homely, very homely. Homely, ragged and poor—but a man of men.



Then, alas, some of the older citizens became alarmed and angry. "This man," they said, "is teaching our sons to doubt what we have always believed. Down with him! Put him to death!"

This is a picture of a statue of Socrates.

Younger ones gathered about him eagerly. They loved to hear what he had to say. What did it matter if he cast doubt on what everybody had believed—before? They wanted to know the truth. Socrates showed them the way. Most of his teaching was done through questions. He asked them about things, and they had to think hard to find good answers. For some years it continued thus.

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The thinker was tried before a jury of 500 persons. A godly number wanted him to go free, but there were more who said: "Let him die!" Before this trial, Socrates had been urged to flee from Athens, but he had spurned the idea.

In prison he awaited the day of death, talking calmly with his friends. Never did he speak a word of regret. He was glad to die for what he believed right. On the last day, he raised a cup of poison hemlock juice to his lips and drained it to the dregs. Socrates died many years ago, but he still lives in our minds and hearts.

ANOTHER GREAT THINKER

There was another great man at Athens whom I want to tell you about. His name was Zeno. He used to walk back and forth on a porch near the city market place. The Greek word for porch was "stoa." The men who liked the ideas of Zeno were called "men of the porch" or Stoics. This name has been kept and



Zeno.

many persons of the present time call themselves Stoics. One of the chief ideas of Zeno was

that we should not let our minds be troubled by unhappy events.

"Always keep yourself free from worry," he said to his pupils. "A calm spirit is worth more than silver and gold."

A drawing of a statue of this noted thinker is shown. When the statue was made, he was advanced in years. His face contained creases which made him look a bit stern, but which also marked his strong character. There was a time when he looked very different from this. That was when he was a young man, trying to find what he should do in the world. His father was a merchant who lived on the island of Cyprus. From time to time he visited Athens. One day he brought some Greek books to his son.

If it had not been for that event, the world might never have heard of Zeno. The youth would doubtless have taken up the work of his father, spending his life buying and selling goods. As it was, the books caught his interest. He decided to go to Athens and talk with the men who had written them. He sailed there when he was about thirty years of age, and met the authors.

For some years he listened and learned. Then he decided to become a teacher himself. His figure became familiar on the porch near the mar-

ket place. Zeno wrote many books, but almost all his works have been lost. In most cases, we have just the names of the volumes, but the main things he taught have come down to us through the Stoics who have lived since his time.

GOOD-BY, OLD GREECE

Now comes the time for us to bid farewell to ancient Greece. We shall mention this little country now and then during the rest of our history, but no longer will it hold the centre of our stage.

What are some of the great things to remember about Greece? First of all, the Greeks proved themselves the most bright-minded on earth during a period of three or four hundred years. In some way no people before or since have equaled them.

The Greeks did not go far toward making power-machines, but they did invent many things (such as a



This is a statue of Pericles, the highest official in Athens when some of its finest buildings were erected.

toy engine and a pipe organ). These inventions were usually treated as playthings. The story of mankind would have been different if they had used their brains to make machines of use for work.

There were scientists among the Greeks. They kept watch on nature and put down records which have been kept for us. They did not know the shape of the earth, but some of them thought it must be round.

Other Greek thinkers spent their time pondering on the Good, the Beautiful and the True. One was named Plato. He was a pupil of Socrates. His writings are still studied by thousands of college students.

The buildings put up at Athens are among the finest the world has ever known. A temple called the Parthenon (now in ruins) was the most famous. The Greeks made progress during times of peace. It often happened, however, that cities fought against each other. A long war between Athens and Sparta helped end the greatness of both.

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SHE KNEW!

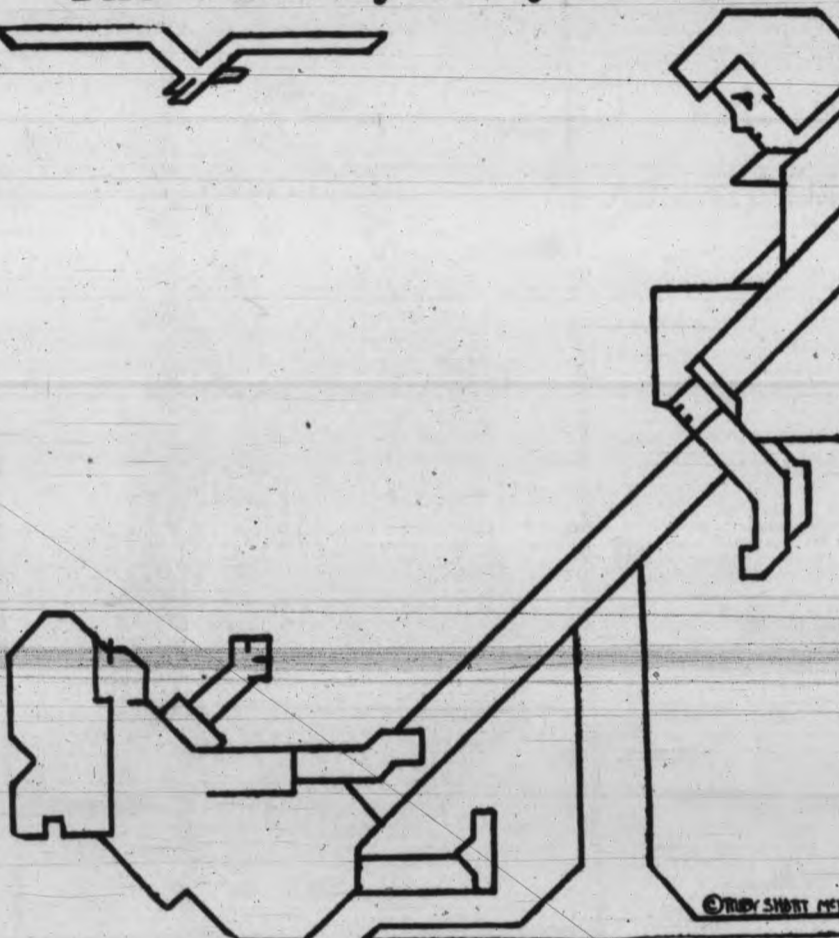
A little girl from town was staying with some country cousins who live on a farm. At breakfast one morning she saw on the table a dish of honey, and regarded this as an opportunity to show her cousins that she knew something of country life after all.

Looking at a dish of honey, she said carelessly: "Ah, I see you keep a bee."

"Begorra, she must weight a ton."

FEATURES FOR SMALLER FOLKS

The Nursery Rhyme Quiltie



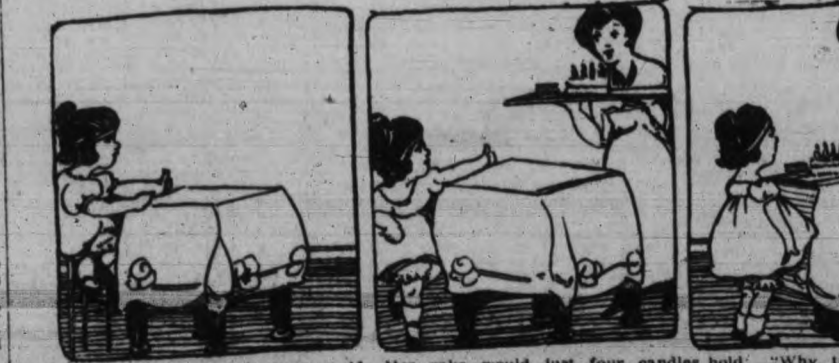
NUMBER 3
See-saw, Margery Daw,
Jenny shall have a new master;
She shall have but a penny a day,
Because she can't work any faster.

A HANGING BOOKSHELF
A wall shelf is useful and not at all difficult to make. Half-inch stock is thick enough if the shelf is not more than two feet long and that is large.

WAS CANADIAN NEWSIE
One of the most brilliant of recent scholars at the Royal Academy of Music, London, is Mr. Ben Loban, a young violinist who was once a newsboy in Canada. He gained a three years' scholarship at the Academy, and he has not only won bronze and silver medals and a final certificate of merit—the Academy's highest award—but he actually completed his course in two and a half years, six months less than the time allotted.

Service to others is the only true road to happiness—Lord Leverhulme.

Little Folks' Limericks



When Betty Jane turned four years old, Her cake would just four candles hold. "Why treat me so scanty?" "You'd forty for auntie—"

Last Week's Who



DISCOVERY OF GLASS

A galley with some Phoenician merchants on board was skirting the Syrian coast with a cargo of natrium, that is natural carbonate of soda, doubtless mixed with lime. Dinner-time came and, it not being safe or handy to build a fire on board the boat, they tied up to the shore at the mouth of the River Belus. But where they landed was a sandy beach and not a stone was to be found on which to set the kettle. So one of the men went back to the boat and got some blocks of the natium and with them built up a rude stove on which to support the cooking utensils.

The fire must have been a hot one, for when the merchants packed up they found that the sand and soda had fused together to form a new and pretty substance—glass. Having a keen eye for marketable curiosities, they started in the glass business, and on this chemical industry was founded the city of Sidon.

THE TON RUN

"Thwat's that noise, Mrs. Mulchahy?"
"It's me daughter, Maggie, runnin' up and down in scales."

"Begorra, she must weight a ton."



HOPE FOR ALL

If you took the children who are successes later on, the majority are the mediocre. Dullness is very often only another name for slow development.—Sir Maurice Craig.

BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggly and the Dolls' Eyes

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(By Howard R. Garis)

Susie Littleall, the cute rabbit girl, who was a sister to Sammie, hopped over the seashore sandy beach to the driftwood bungalow of Uncle Wiggly Longears. The rabbit gentleman was just starting out to seek for an adventure.

"Oh, Uncle Wiggly! Uncle Wiggly!" cried Susie. "Look! See! Isn't it terrible!" She held out her doll toward Mr. Longears.

The rabbit gentleman tilted his head to one side, shook a little sand off one paw, smiled and said:

"Um, yes, Susie. I guess she is terribly pretty, if that is what you mean," said Uncle Wiggly. "Only I wouldn't use such a word as 'terribly,' if I were you. You shouldn't say your doll is terribly pretty! It isn't good form."

"I didn't say she was terribly pretty!" and by this time Susie was sobbing.

"Then perhaps you meant she had on a terribly pretty dress," proceeded the bunny gentleman. "That is almost as bad. The red dress on your doll is quite stylish, I should say, but hardly terribly pretty."

"Oh, you don't understand at all!" and Susie cried out loud. "I didn't mean the dress! I mean something terrible and dreadful has happened. Look! My dollie hasn't any eyes!"

Susie fairly shouted these words, and Uncle Wiggly gave a jump, he was so surprised.

"Your doll has no eyes?" exclaimed Uncle Wiggly. "What do you mean?" for he could now see only

Look! My dollie hasn't any eyes!

two holes where the bright blue china eyes of the doll had formerly been. "My dollie's eyes fell out when I was giving her a little shaking," answered Susie. "Here they are," and in her paw she held out the doll's eyes.

"Why did you shake Claribell Janet Macgillicuddy?" asked Uncle Wiggly, for Claribell Janet Macgillicuddy was the doll's name.

"I shook Claribell Janet Macgillicuddy because she was naughty," cried Susie, "but she wasn't naughty enough for me to shake her eyes out, and I'm so sorry—oh dear! Boo-hoo!" and Susie nearly cried her own eyes out.

"Never mind," said kind Uncle Wiggly. "I'll get some glue and glue back in Claribell Janet Macgillicuddy her fine china eyes. Then she will be as fine as ever."

"Oh, goodie, goodie, goodie!" cried Susie, now smiling. So Uncle Wiggly bought a bottle of glue at the drug store, and he sat down beside a woodland path to fix the doll's eyes. Susie sat beside him, and the bunny gentleman put the bottle of glue on a flat stump near by. The bottle began to tip over while Uncle Wiggly was working, but he didn't mind that.

Then, all of a sudden, when the doll's eyes were almost glued back in her face, the old Sea Lobster came crawling along, howling:

"I want to nibble some ears!"
"Just sit down on that stump until I finish fixing Susie's doll, and maybe—maybe," said the bunny, slowly, "you can nibble my ears."

So the Lobster sat down on the stump, where the bottle of glue had been upset. And he sat there and sat there, until Uncle Wiggly handed Susie her doll, with the eyes in as good as ever. Then Uncle Wiggly and Susie hopped up and ran off down the path.

"Here! I thought you said I could nibble your ears!" howled the Lobster.

"I said maybe!" laughed Mr. Longears. "Anyhow, if you want them, come and get them!" But when the Lobster tried to get up, he couldn't, for he was glued fast to the stump. And there he had to stay until after dark, when his wife came with a teakettle of warm water and thawed him loose.

So the bunny's ears weren't nibbled, the doll's eyes were mended, and if the clothe-line to the little dog's tail, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggly and the bathtub.

FISH FARMING

At Hibury, in the Cotswolds, there is a farm where every year are bred in hundreds of thousands of the stocking of rivers and lakes all over the country. The eggs are collected in the Autumn and Winter and, after being allowed to rest for some weeks, are washed in a current of pure water and placed in glass hatching boxes.

From the time they are a week old the young fish are fed continuously on finely-minced raw meat. The water in which they live is made to run for some distance through water-cress beds and other forms of aquatic vegetation before entering the ponds. In this way a supply of natural food, such as flies and small animals, is assured. After every artificial meal the water is carefully changed, as dirt almost infallibly spells disease. In a short while the young fish learn to keep their quarters clean, sweeping all impurities away with their tails.

The greatest care has to be taken to ensure that the water is not only clean, but that the temperature is just what is required for the growth of the fish. It must also contain the requisite amount of iron and lime.—Tit-Bits.

Betty, who Blundered



When Betty Jane turned four years old, Her cake would just four candles hold. "Why treat me so scanty?" "You'd forty for auntie—"

Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

PRESSURE AGAIN IN EVIDENCE

New York, N.Y., Sept. 6 (By R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)—The week-end trade review...

DEMAND SLACKENING OFF IN GRAINS

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 6 (By R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)—Wheat: Lower cables heavy receipts...

Montreal Stocks

Table of Montreal stock prices including Wheat, Corn, and other commodities.

WINNIPEG GRAIN

Winnipeg, Sept. 6.—While the trade maintained its waiting attitude...

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

Table of exchange rates for various countries and currencies.

VICTORY BONDS

Table of Victory Bond prices and interest rates.

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, SEPTEMBER 6, 1924

(Supplied by two local stockbrokers over direct New York wires)

Large table of New York stock prices including various industrial and financial stocks.

Wholesale Market

Table of wholesale market prices for various commodities like sugar, flour, and oil.

Racing

Vancouver, Sept. 6.—Going to the post at 2:25 p.m. H.P. J. Colman's entry...

Fourth race, \$400, three-year-olds and up, about five furlongs—She...

HELEN AND CASEY WIN

Berkeley, Cal., Sept. 6.—Helen Willis and Mrs. May Sutton Boyd...

FOUGHT TO A DRAW

San Francisco, Sept. 6.—Joe Miller and San Francisco, and Ed...

AT WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Sept. 6.—Racing at River Park yesterday was practically without incident...

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VICTORIA STOCKS

Table of Victoria stock prices including various local and regional stocks.

Retail Market

Table of retail market prices for various goods like flour, sugar, and oil.

MAN CHARGED WITH MURDER AND BIGAMY

J. A. Jordan Held in California; One of Seven Wives Found in Toronto

THREE GOVERNMENT SHIPS COMING HERE

The Government Merchant Marine steamer Canadian Skirmisher, which is loading lumber in Vancouver...

E. G. WHITE DIES

Montreal, Que., Sept. 6.—E. Gerth White, assistant commissioner, Department of Colonization and Development, Canadian Pacific Railway, died at the Western Hospital here yesterday after an illness of several weeks.

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German Coal Syndicate Hopes to Revive Industry in Area

New York, Sept. 6.—Negotiations have virtually been completed for the extension of a \$10,000,000 credit to the German coal syndicate by a group of eight or ten United States banks...

Security for the loan will be provided by coal mines in the Ruhr and stored coal by the guarantees of the German syndicate itself, which is a joint contributing agency, and by a number of German banks.

Toronto, Sept. 6.—Detective-Sergeant A. H. Smith of the Federal Department of Justice of the United States came to Toronto yesterday to interview a woman living in the east end of the city who was stated to be one of the seven wives of John A. Jordan, a former Toronto man, who was recently arrested at Long Beach, California, on a double charge of murder and bigamy.

The Toronto wife expressed surprise when told by the United States officer that Jordan, a man forty-eight years old, also had wives in Newark, N.J., Pasadena, California, Long Beach, California, and Afton, Oklahoma. She has consented to accompany the detective back to California to act as a witness for the state.

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Public Works Engineer, Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., August 29, 1924.

NEW YORK COTTON

Table of New York Cotton prices and market data.

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Vancouver Island News

FINE SHOW AT ALBERNI CLOSING FLORAL SEASON
Special to The Times
Alberni, B.C., Sept. 4.—The last show of the season of the Alberni District Horticultural Society was held in Clarke's Hall, Alberni, on Friday, when a very excellent display of gladiolas, dahlias, annuals and perennials were on exhibition by the various exhibitors. They were of a very high order, considering the extreme drought experienced during the season. The judge, Mrs. J. F. Preston of Sproat Lake, had considerable difficulty in placing the winners in a number of classes, the competition was so keen.

The following are the winners in the various classes:
Sweet Pea, table vase, with any foliage—1, Mrs. A. G. Freese; 2, Dr. C. T. Hilton.
Sweet Pea, basket, with any foliage—1, Mrs. A. G. Freese; 2, Dr. C. T. Hilton.
Asters, 6 blooms—1, Mrs. A. G. Freese; 2, Mrs. H. H. Browne.
Asters, 6 blooms—1, E. M. Whyte; 2, Mrs. F. H. Swayne.
Asters, collection, not less than 12 blooms—1, E. M. Whyte.
Carnations, 3 blooms—1, E. M. Whyte; 2, Mrs. A. G. Freese.
Carnations, 6 blooms—1 and 2, E. M. Whyte.
Dahlias, peony or decorative, single bloom—1, Mrs. H. H. Browne; 2, Mrs. A. G. Freese.
Dahlias, peony or decorative, or both, 2 blooms—1, Mrs. H. H. Browne; 2, E. M. Whyte.
Dahlias, single, star or collarette, or both, 2 blooms—1, Mrs. A. G. Freese; 2, Mrs. H. H. Browne.
Dahlias, cactus or show, single bloom—1, Mrs. A. G. Freese; 2, Mrs. H. H. Browne.
Dahlias, cactus or show, or both, 3 blooms—1, Mrs. H. H. Browne; 2, E. M. Whyte.
Dahlias, display, with or without added foliage—1, Mrs. H. H. Browne; 2, Mrs. A. G. Freese.
Hollyhocks, 3 stems—1, Mrs. H. H. Browne.
Pansies, 12 blooms—1, Dr. C. T. Hilton; 2, Miss Alice Clegg.
Pansies, 24 blooms—1, Mrs. C. J. Spratt; 2, Miss Alice Clegg.
Petunias, collection, not less than 6 blooms—1, Miss A. Clegg.
Stocks, 10-week, side branches to be removed, not less than 4 stems—1, Mrs. J. M. Thomson; 2, Mrs. H. H. Browne.
Gladiola, large flowered, A class, 1 stem—1 and 2, Mrs. C. J. Spratt.
Gladiola, large flowered, B class, 3

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COWICHAN ATHLETES PREPARE FOR WINTER
Duncan, Sept. 5 (Special to The Times)—The hockey and rugby sections of the Cowichan Cricket and Sports Club recently held their semi-annual meeting. Rugby was poorly represented, but quite a number of hockey enthusiasts attended. Miss Dawson Thomas was elected captain of the ladies and C. E. Bromilow of the men. Miss D. Rice, Miss L. Rice, Miss Evanda Roomie, Miss Elsie Roomie, Miss M. de Labilliere, Miss R. de Labilliere, Miss A. Willock, Miss W. Dawson Thomas, Messrs. C. E. Bromilow, L. A. S. Clegg, C. M. Curtis Hayward and A. E. S. Leggart.

YOUTH ENDED LIFE
Leader, Sank, Sept. 5.—Ehard Wenzel, nineteen, committed suicide on his father's farm near here yesterday by taking gopher poison. No reason is known for his action.

ASK HALF-HOLIDAY FOR METCHOSIN SHOW
(Special to The Times)
Metchosin, Sept. 5.—The appeal of the management of the Metchosin District Fair to the trustees of all schools in the districts concerned, for a half holiday for the children on the day of the Fair, Sept. 17, has been granted by the majority of the boards. It is confidently expected that the remaining two or three who have not yet replied to the appeal will fall into line. This will give all children an opportunity to visit the district and for those interested to take part in the essay competition on goat raising to be written by kind permission of the Colwood School Trustees, in the Colwood School House. The educational value to the children of an agricultural project such as an exhibit from the district of which they form part of the community, is fully recognized by the boards of trustees as well as the parents, as proven by the spirit of co-operation shown in their communications from the various boards, and the encouragement of the parents to enter in the different children's classes.

DAILY RADIO PROGRAMMES
SATURDAY, SEPT. 6
KGO—General Electric Company, Oakland, 423 Metres.
From 1 to 5:30 p.m.—Concert Orchestra of the Hotel St. Francis, San Francisco, V. La Ferrera conducting. The grand opera "Carmen," under the direction of Carl Armann.
From 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.—Henry Hallstead's Hotel St. Francis Dance Orchestra, San Francisco. Assisted by soloists.
KFI—Earle C. Anthony Inc., Los Angeles, 469 Metres.
From 6:45 to 8 p.m.—Dance orchestra and Wendell Hall.
From 8 to 9 p.m.—Vocal recital.
From 9 to 10 p.m.—Fullerton program, arranged by Dr. George McClelland.
From 10 to 11 p.m.—Packard popular programme.
From 11 to 12 p.m.—Ambassador Cocoman Orchestra.
KHJ—Los Angeles Times, Los Angeles, 395 Metres.
From 6 to 6:30 p.m.—Art Hickman's

RADIO NEWS

CONSTRUCTING A FOUR-TUBE SET USING AC TO SUPPLY POWER

Proper Rectification and Filtering Reduce Current Hum to Minimum

By J. E. ANDERSON

We are always in quest for greater efficiency in radio circuits. Our aim is to get the greatest possible value out of the set for the least amount of effort or money expended. We want distance selectivity, volume, quality, with nothing but a cat-whisker if we can; but if we can't, we want them with as simple a set as possible. We do not want to mess around with storage batteries, and chargers and hydrometers. We want to plug in here, pull a switch there, turn a dial in some other place, lean back in the Morris chair and enjoy the programme. We want to do that without the necessity of making frequent and ruinous raids on the pocketbook.

The battery operated receiver does not meet all the requirements. It especially falls down on the point of economy. If the set is sensitive and capable of operating a loud speaker it is a good thing, but quite a number of hockey enthusiasts attended. Miss Dawson Thomas was elected captain of the ladies and C. E. Bromilow of the men. Miss D. Rice, Miss L. Rice, Miss Evanda Roomie, Miss Elsie Roomie, Miss M. de Labilliere, Miss R. de Labilliere, Miss A. Willock, Miss W. Dawson Thomas, Messrs. C. E. Bromilow, L. A. S. Clegg, C. M. Curtis Hayward and A. E. S. Leggart.

CONDENSER CAPACITY
The grid condenser in the detector should be a mica dielectric instrument controlled with an obtained through the grid leak should be about five megohms, and the resistance element in the accompanying drawing, Fig. 1, that is, it should be sealed in a glass tube. This precaution will eliminate a multitude of noises. The by-pass condenser C-4 across the primary of the first audio-frequency transformer should also be a mica dielectric instrument, and its capacity should be about .001 microfarad.

ALTERNATING CURRENT SUPPLY
One radio receiving set in which alternating current is used for supplying both the plate potential and the filament heating current is shown in the accompanying drawing, Fig. 1. The circuit consists of a radio-frequency amplifier, a regenerative detector, two stages of audio-frequency amplification and a power supply set. The latter device is composed of a specially wound transformer, a two-tube, push-pull rectifier and a filter. The input to the first, or muffler, tube is by means of the excitation transformer L-0 and L-1, the secondary of which is tuned with condenser C-1. The primary coil L-0 should consist of fifteen turns and the secondary of course be 4.5 volts. Both turns, both wound on the same piece of bakelite tubing of three-inch diameter, using No. 24 double cotton covered wire. Simply put sixty turns on the tube and bring out a tap at the fifteenth turn for the ground connection. The condenser C-0 should be a good variable air condenser having a maximum capacity of .0005 microfarad.

The second tube, the detector, is coupled to the muffler by an oscillation transformer similar to that described above. L-2 consists of fifteen

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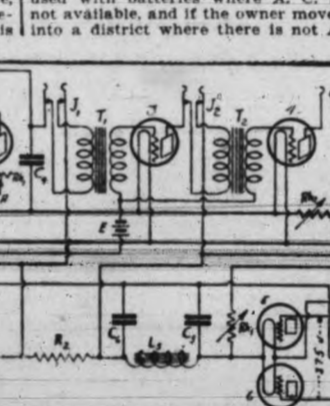
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winding. The steel should be the highest grade silicon steel and the number of turns should be high.
The filament rheostat Rh-2 is common for all three of the amplifier tubes in the receiver. It should have a resistance of about 10 ohms. The potentiometer P connected across the filaments is used to balance out the of the grid with respect to the filament is always zero as far as the alternating current is concerned. If a negative bias battery is inserted in one or more of the filaments the balance will not upset.

The exact electrical circuit is best found experimentally. When there are many tubes to balance with one potentiometer it may happen that the position can be found where the hum disappears, but then there is a point where it is a minimum is usually very low, so that the hum is not noticeable in the signal.
A negative grid biasing battery is shown at E in the grid leads of the two audio-frequency amplifiers in Fig. 1. The value of this battery depends on the plate voltage on the two tubes, and this in turn depends on what is delivered by the power supply set. It must either be adjusted experimentally until the best signals are obtained, or with the aid of a voltmeter. A voltmeter is connected across the plate and filament terminals of the tubes and the value of the grid bias adjusted according to the reading of the meter. Nine volts of bias for a plate voltage of 120 is about right. To get the approximate values for other plate voltages, subtract 45 from the reading of the voltmeter and divide the remainder by 8, the amplification constant of the tube.

RECEIVER ASSEMBLY
Before proceeding with the description of the power supply set, which is shown in the diagram, it may be well to say a word about assembling the entire circuit. Two methods may be followed: First, the receiver proper and the supply set may be built in the same cabinet. The latter, the receiver proper may be built in one cabinet like any other receiver, and the power supply set in another. The first method will require a larger cabinet than the second, but, on the whole, it will make a neater receiver and it will be more convenient to operate. The second method has the advantage that the circuit may be used with batteries where A. C. is not available, and if the owner moves into a district where there is not A.



required and a small dry cell battery will be sufficient. This does not add greatly to the cost of operating the circuit and it pays well in the amount of noise it keeps out of the signals. Since a separate battery is used for this tube it is necessary to use a separate rheostat Rh-1 to cut down the excess voltage of the battery. A 30-ohm instrument should be used. If it is desired to eliminate this extra control from the set, a fixed resistance of 25 ohms might be used, or an Amperite 4V-159 might be substituted. The voltage of the battery should be about 120 volts.

In selecting the two audio-frequency transformers T-1 and T-2 which go into the circuit care should be exercised to get the very best for the purpose that can be obtained. Only transformers which have been designed for quality should tempt the prospective purchaser.
TRANSFORMER CHOICE
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CO-OPERATION KEY-NOTE
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When you prepare their luncheon see that the predominant food is good bread—Shelly's Bread. There are so many ways to make attractive, appetizing sandwiches that the noon day lunch requires little else—fruit perhaps, and an occasional slice of cake or pastry.

By giving them an ample supply of Shelly's you give them the energy they need, for a pound of Shelly's contains 38% of all the energy the body needs.

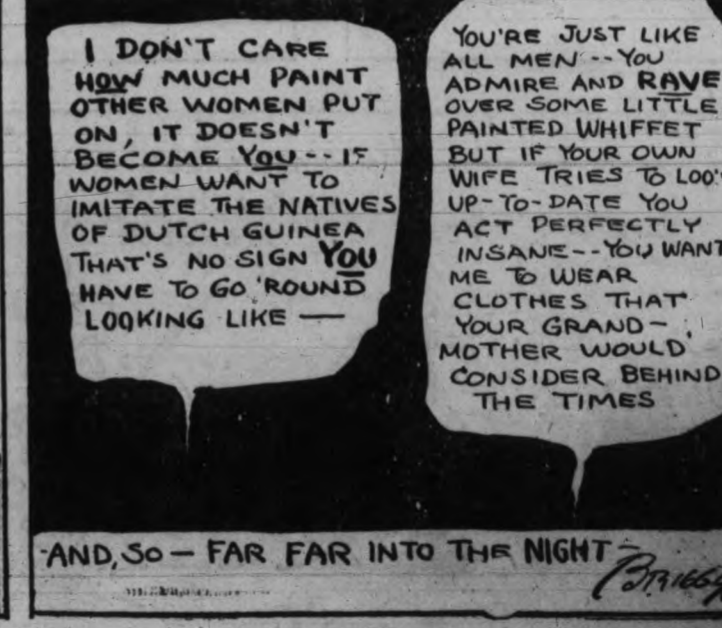
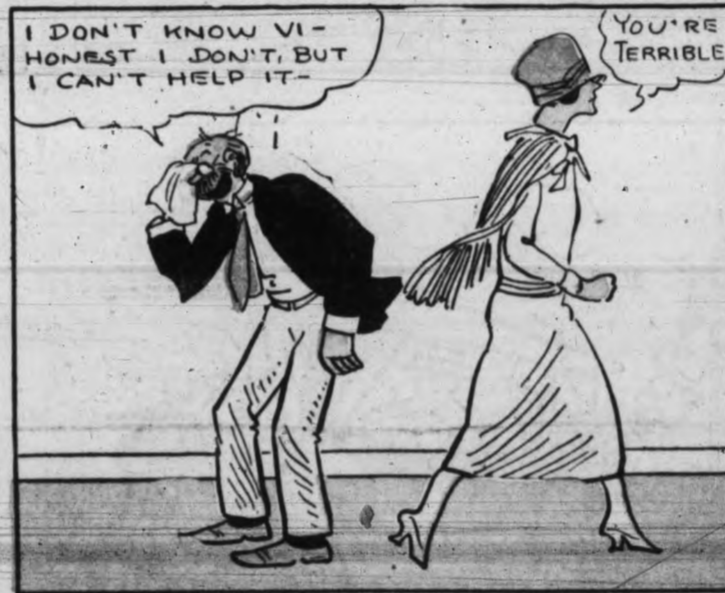
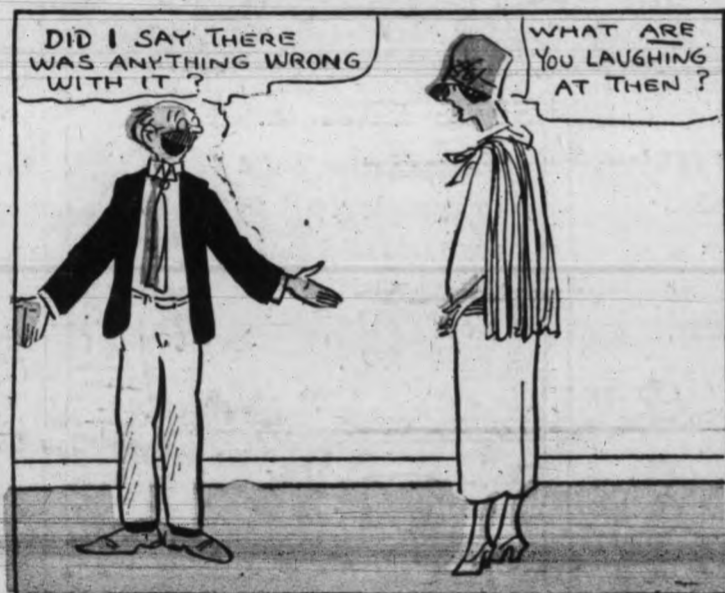
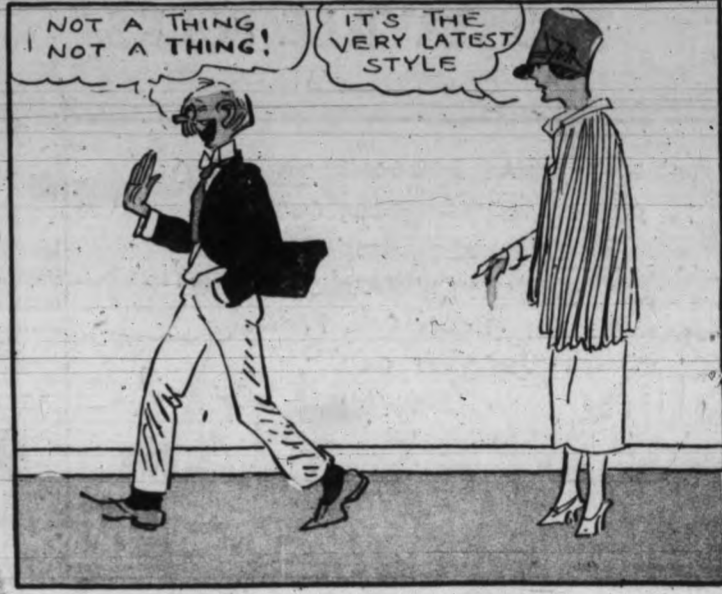
But, remember "There's a difference in bread,"—select yours wisely and be sure of high food value. Don't say "Bread"—say Shelly's

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TOONERVILLE FOLKS

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A Bird of Ill Omen to the Taxi Man.

By Fontaine Fox

"YOU KNOW, THAT DOGGONE TAXICAB IS RUININ' MY BUSINESS! OUTA FIVE PEOPLE WOT GOT OFF THE LAST TRAIN I DIDNT GIT EVEN ONE FARE! THAT TAXI GOT 'EM ALL!"



"THATS NO. 7 BLOWIN' NOW AND THE TAXI AINT HERE YET! IF IT DONT COME BEFORE SHE GITS IN MAYBE I CAN DO SOME BUSINESS EH! OSWALD! OL' BIRD!"



"STEP RIGHT ON! GENTS! THE CAR IS ALL READY T' START."



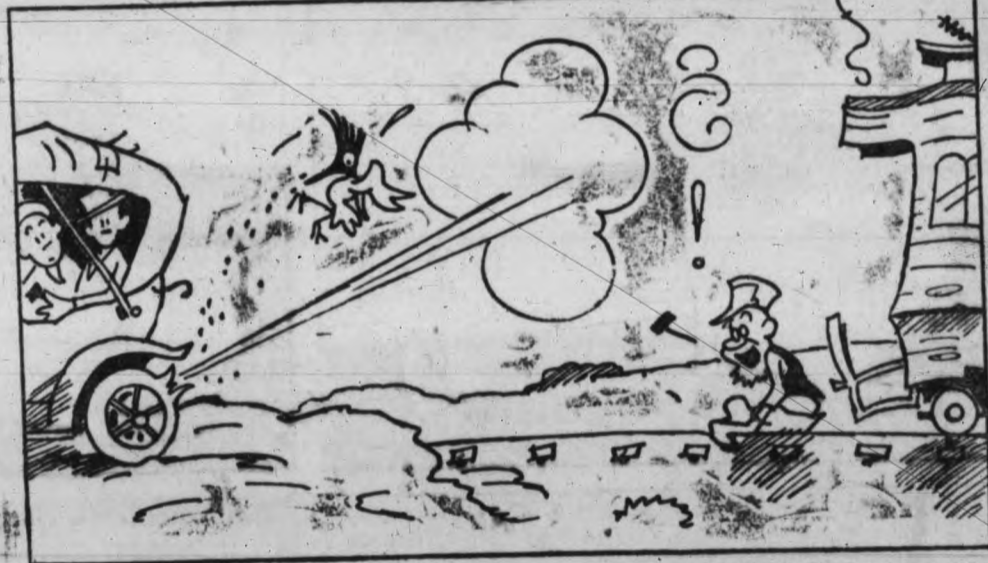
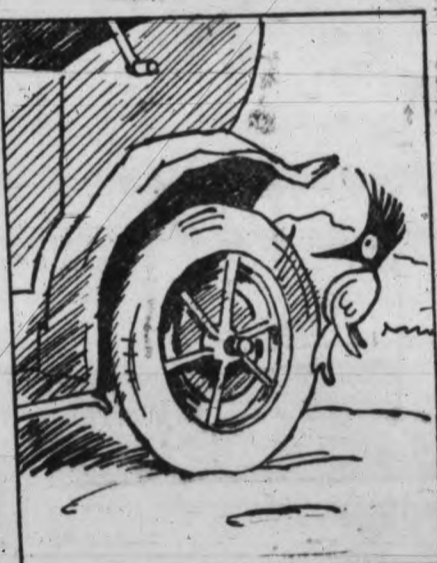
"HEY! GIT OUTA THE WAY THERE SKIPPER!"



"HOW'S BUSINESS! SKIPPER! THEY TELL ME IF I HADNT COME UP YOU MIGHTA HAD SOME PASSENGERS!"



"OSWALD, IT SURE IS TOUGH TO LOSE PASSENGERS LIKE THAT! AINT IT NOW OL' BIRD?"



BLOWOUT?



"HOW'S BIZNESS! HANK! HOW'S BIZNESS!"
"D..."
"C'MON! LET'S GO IF YOU WANT US TO RIDE WITH YOU."



WHICH WOODJA RUTHER HAVE ME GITCHA OSWALD? A NICE FISHIN WORM OR A CATER PILLAR





ONLY ONE MORE DAY AND THE PALATIAL STEAMER CARRYING LITTLE CHESTER TO AUSTRALIA WILL HAVE REACHED PORT. CHESTER HAS HAD A WONDERFUL VOYAGE BUT HIS EYES ARE ACHING FOR A SIGHT OF LAND AND UNCLE BIM-



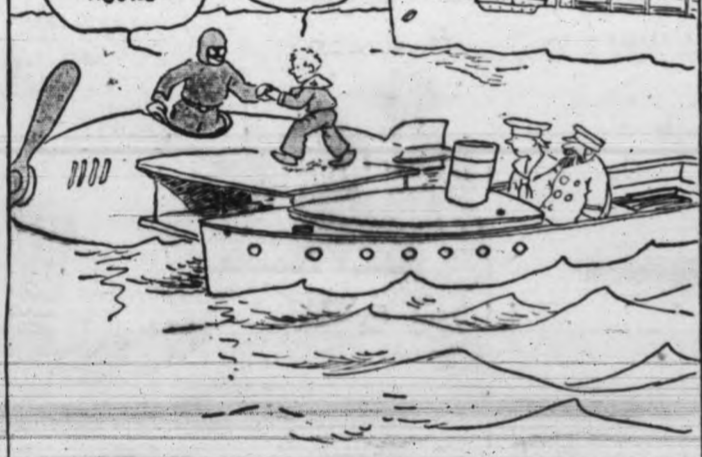
IT'S A HYDROPLANE-
IT SEEMS TO BE STEERING FOR THE SHIP-



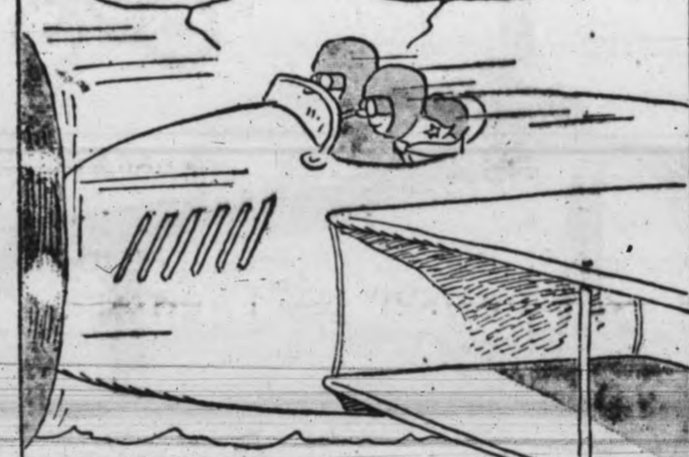
I HAVE ORDERS TO CARRY CHESTER GUMP TO PORT-
HIS UNCLE BIM CAN'T WAIT FOR THE SHIP-
HURRAH- I'M GOING TO RIDE IN AN AIRSHIP-



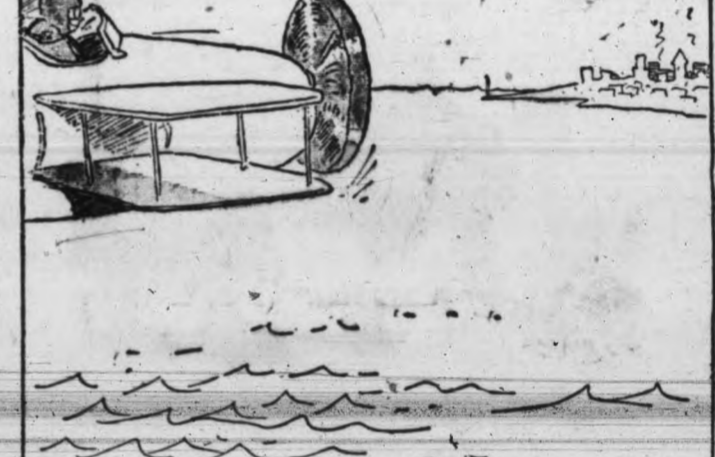
YOU'LL SEE YOUR UNCLE BIM IN LESS THAN TWO HOURS-
OH BOY! I WISH MY PAPA AND MAMA COULD SEE ME NOW-



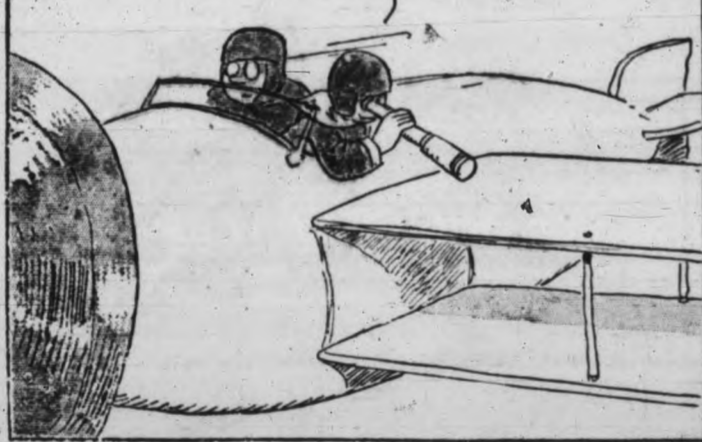
WE ARE TRAVELING 150 MILES AN HOUR-
I'M GOING TO ASK MY UNCLE BIM TO BUY ME AN AEROPLANE-



OH BOY- IT FEELS GOOD TO SEE LAND AGAIN-



GEE WHILLIKINS WHAT A CROWD- OH, THERE'S DEAR OLD UNCLE BIM- HE IS LOOKING RIGHT AT ME-



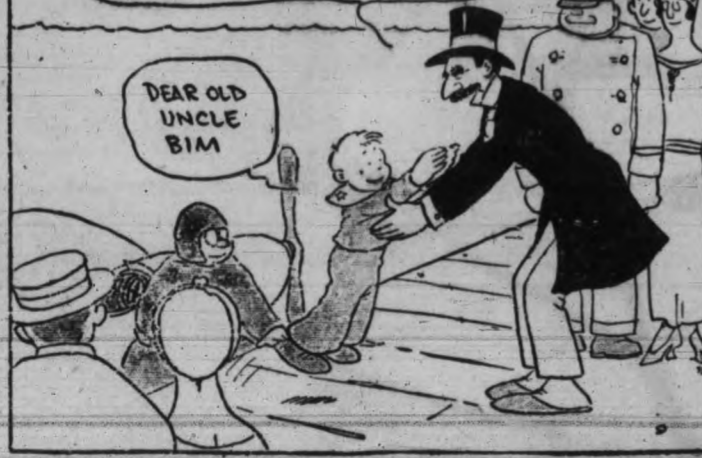
THIS IS THE HAPPIEST MOMENT OF MY LIFE-
HURRAH- HERE THEY COME-
HE MUST BE A VERY REMARKABLE BOY-



HOW HAPPY I SHALL BE TO GIVE THAT LITTLE CHAP EVERYTHING A BOY CAN WISH FOR- ILL BET HE WILL BE SURPRISED WHEN HE HEARS OF ALL THE SPLENDID THINGS I HAVE IN STORE FOR HIM-



WELCOME TO AUSTRALIA- YOU'RE AS WELCOME AS CHRISTMAS- DID YOU HAVE A PLEASANT TRIP? HOW ARE YOUR PAPA AND MAMA? YOU MUST TELL ME ALL ABOUT YOUR HOME-



MY OWN LITTLE CHESTER BIM- A REAL GUMP COME TO CHEER UP HIS POOR LONELY OLD UNCLE-



LITTLE CHESTER GUMP'S ARRIVAL WAS THE BIGGEST AUSTRALIAN EVENT SINCE THE FIRST KANGAROO LEARNED TO HOP- UNCLE BIM'S BIG HEART IS READY TO BURST WITH PRIDE AND JOY AS HE HEARS THE ADMIRING THROG CHEERING HIS BELOVED LITTLE CHESTER.



Regular Fellers

by Gene Byrnes

ONCE UPON A TIME THERE WAS A KIND-HEARTED TRUANT OFFICER! AND...

AW DONT TELL ME ANY FAKE STORIES LIKE THAT POP! TELL ME THE TRUE ONE ABOUT THE FOUR-HEADED BULLDOG OR SUMPTIN.

DONT FAIL TO SEE **JUMBO** THE ELEPHANT WITH ONE TUSK DO HIS FAMOUS DOUGHNUT ACT AT THE **BLA BLA CIRCUS**

I WONDER WHAT THEY DO WITH THE DOUGHNUTS WHEN THE ACT IS OVER?

I'LL BET THAT'S A HARD TRICK FOR A NELEFANT TO DO!

AN' THE HARD PART OF IT IS HE ONEY HAS ONE TUSK

LOOKA THE BILLYGOAT WITH ONEY ONE HORN! CAN YOU BEAT THAT? A NELEFANT WITH ONE TUSK AN' A BILLY GOAT WITH ONE HORN!

AN' HERE COMES WILLIE STOKES' DOG WITH **ONE EAR!** HE HAD THE OTHER ONE CHEWED OFF IN A FIGHT LAST FRIDAY!

LOOK! A CAT WITH NO TAIL!

MISTER DUFFY GUESS WHAT? I BETCHA CANT GUESS! WE SAW A NELEFANT WITH ONE TUSK AN' A BILLYGOAT WITH ONE HORN AN' A DOG WITH ONE EAR AN' A CAT WITH NO TAIL!

HONES 'N' TROOLY WE DID **HONES!**

GO WAY WITCHA! DONT TRY TO FOOL AN OLE MAN LIKE ME THAT WAY!

HONES AN TROOLY WE SAW 'EM WITH OUR OWN EYES! **HONES!** ALL CEPTIN' THE ELEFANT AN' WE ONEY SAW HIS PITCHER!

OH JIMMIE! BETCHA CANT GUESS WHAT WE SAW! BETCHA CANT! WE SAW A NELEFANT WITH ONE TUSK, A BILLY GOAT WITH ONE HORN, A DOG WITH ONE EAR AN' A CAT WITH NO TAIL!

THAT'S NUTHIN! I KNOW WHERE THERES A HORSE WITH **THREE LEGS!**

LIKE **FUN** Y'DO! OH WHATTA FAKE! **HA HA!** AN' A COUPLE MORE **HA HAS!**

IF YOU DONT BLEEVE ME— **C'MON!** I'LL SHOW YA!

THERE!!!

GUS TRACECHAIN PLAIN AND FANCY **HARNES**