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Victoria Daily Times

VICTORIA, B. C., TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1923

EMMANNED WOMAN APPEALS FOR LIFE

Cabinet Making Decision in Lassandra Case

No Lassandra Execution Set for To-morrow

May 1.—Sir Lomer King, Minister of Justice, yesterday afternoon, stated that his decision of the Cabinet regarding the Piccarillo-Lassandra case would not be announced until late this afternoon.

The original decision commuted to stand.

The Lassandra case is before the court as the result of a statement in the version of the killing of A. O. Piccarillo, made by Mrs. Florence Lassandra.

The condemned woman, with Emilio Piccarillo, was sentenced to hang on May 2.

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MORE THAN 5,000 PRIESTS AND BISHOPS IN RUSSIAN JAILS

Riga, May 1.—The Soviet prisons in Russia contain more than 2,000 orthodox priests and bishops as well as 3,000 priests of other confessions and laymen in prison for religious reasons, it is said in Soviet circles.

DAMAGE BY FLOODS IN NEW BRUNSWICK IS ABOVE \$5,000,000

Fredon, N.B., May 1.—With damage estimated to amount to between \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000, the St. John River is still continuing to rise this morning.

Millions of feet of lumber are floating down the river unchecked, the boom companies being unable to swing booms.

Reports to the Provincial Government here say that so far twenty-one bridges have been carried away in this province.

SHIPS CONTINUE TO BE "BONE DRY"

No Early Liquor Change on U.S. Government Merchant Craft

Officials Studying U.S. Supreme Court's Ruling

Washington, May 1.—Definite indications were given by Chairman Lasker of the United States Shipping Board after a conference to-day with President Harding that Government-owned ships would be kept "bone dry" for some time at least, although under yesterday's Supreme Court decision they legally could carry and serve liquor on the high seas.

OIL INTERESTS REPORTED IN DUEL

Standard and Independent Concerns Struggle in U.S.

Financing Strengths \$592,000,000 and \$489,200,000

New York, May 1.—A struggle for domination between opposing elements in the petroleum industry is seen by Wall Street, The New York World says to-day, with the Standard Oil interests and a few other big refiners aligned against independent companies operating chiefly in the mid-continent field.

SEATTLE FIRE TO-DAY CAUSED \$100,000 LOSS

TWO COMMUNISTS KILLED IN CLASH IN MILAN, ITALY

PLACE FIRE LOSS AT \$20,000 NOW

A PIANO RECORD

BONAR LAW GOES TO DUTCH EAST INDIES

COCHRANE, ONT., TYPHOID DEATHS MORE THAN FIFTY

Cochran, Ont., May 1.—Although no new cases of typhoid were reported in Cochrane yesterday, the disease continues to take grim toll and the death list is now over fifty. W. S. Carter, pioneer merchant of the town, and once its Mayor, died.

Manitoba Will Be Represented At Rate Hearing

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ALBERTA DOCTOR STUDIES NEW CURE



DR. J. B. COLLIP

of the Department of Biochemistry, of the University of Alberta, states recent experiments by him tend to show a new cure for diabetes may be obtained from many plants by the discovery of a new hormone which he calls Glukokinnin.

MAKE DECORATIONS GOOD FOR PERIOD

Appeal by Frolic Manager for Substantial Form

Three Conventions Will Immediately Follow Carnival

When the people of Victoria are decorating their houses and stores for the Maytime Frolic, says Manager Fred Marsh, "it would be well to remember that there is the Washington State Bankers' convention in this city a few days later, and that this will be followed by the Northwest Moose convention on June 7, and also that of the King's Daughters of British Columbia on the same date.

Quebec Monument Will Be Unveiled

Erected by C.P.R. in Memory of Abraham Martin

Montreal, May 1.—It is announced that the Hon. A. David, Provincial Secretary of Quebec, will officiate at the unveiling of the monument to Abraham Martin, which will take place the morning of May 12 at Quebec.

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Weather forecast and other news.

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Maytime Frolic Needs More Real People

Three hundred voluntary enthusiastic workers find that this Maytime Frolic has grown beyond them.

It has, through its own popularity and momentum, attained possibilities of which Victoria may be proud. If these possibilities are to be fully realized we must have two hundred people, real people, with us. Men and women. Working people. Business people. Retired people. Leisured people. Any kind of people—provided they are real people, not "promisers," full of "ifs" and "buts."

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One job calls for 40 minutes in fancy dress amid dignified surroundings. Another is the making of telephone calls. And so on.

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MERCHANTS ARE IN TAX COLLECTION

Counsel Will Hold Watching Brief in Pending Trial of Baker

At a meeting of the local executive of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada held at noon to-day in the Hudson's Bay Co. luncheon rooms the meeting went on record as being heartily in support of the Maytime Frolic scheme, and promised all aid in the individual power of the members. No joint float will be entered, it was decided.

The meeting favored the Moose convention here shortly, and promised support to the organizations making arrangements for that gathering.

It was decided to appoint counsel to hold a watching brief in the prosecution of A. H. Hunter, baker of Fort Street, against whom the Federal authorities have commenced suit for the collection of an excise tax. The R. M. A. counsel will have no part in the proceedings other than watching the course of the law in the test case, Vice-Presidents Taylor and Humphrey were appointed a committee of two to act with the special committee of the Tourist Trade group of the Chamber of Commerce on Summer touring. The stand taken by the executive on the Oriental question and the sales tax matter was endorsed, and communication will be kept up with Ottawa over both matters.

PROSPECTORS' ASSOCIATION CLOSES SESSIONS

The closing meeting for the season of the Vancouver Island Prospectors' Association was held yesterday, and A. S. Felton gave an interesting address on "Prospecting in the Boundary twenty-Five Years Ago," supplemented by some valuable remarks on the geology of the district by Mr. Winkler. A vote of thanks was moved to the speaker of the evening, and appreciation was expressed for the valuable series of lectures made available to the public by the efforts of the Association.

The following motion was unanimously carried: "That the Vancouver Island Prospectors' Association commend the efforts that have been made by the Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, to open the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway lands to prospectors on the same terms as those applying to Crown Lands, and that the secretary be requested to communicate with the Minister of Mines expressing our appreciation of his efforts and enquiring as to the progress of negotiations being carried on with the Canadian Pacific Railway having that end in view."

FRIENDLY HELP

Better Conditions in City Reduce Calls for Relief

The regular monthly meeting of the Friendly Help Association was held at the rooms in the Market Building this morning, Miss Spencer, the president, presiding, and twenty-two members were present.

OBITUARY

Robert Lincoln Foxford, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie D. Foxford, of Walnut Street, passed away this morning at the home of his grandparents. The little boy was born in this city four years ago. There is still a sad need of clothing among the children, and any donations of boys' or girls' clothing will be thankfully received at the rooms in the Market Building.

WELL-KNOWN TELEPHONE OFFICIAL DIES

The funeral of the late Charles Barry McDonnell, husband of Mrs. Evelyn Leys McDonnell (nee Vantreight), who passed away last Sunday at St. Joseph's Hospital, will take place to-morrow morning, the corpse leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 8:50 o'clock. Ten minutes later mass will be celebrated at St. Andrew's Cathedral by Rev. Father Wood and interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery. The late Mr. McDonnell had been for the past five years district sales manager for the B. C. Telephone Company, coming here from the Vancouver office. He is survived by his widow, formerly Miss Evelyn Vantreight, of Gordon Head and Ivy Street, Victoria; his father, Dr. McDonnell, "Eastwood," Glin, County Limerick, Ireland; a sister, Miss Carrie, of London, England, and three brothers, Gerald B. and William H., of Vancouver, and John Henry, of Fairmont, West Virginia.

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Many men suffer from irritation of the skin as a result of shaving. With some it assumes a form of eczema most annoying. By using Chase's Shave Lotion the irritation is prevented or relieved.



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Regular shampoos with Cuticura Soap and hot water, preceded by touches of Cuticura Ointment to spots of dandruff and itching, keep the scalp clean and healthy. Proper care of the hair during childhood is the basis for healthy hair through life.

UNIVERSITY OF B.C. PLAYERS AT KIWANIS CLUB

Officials Thank Them for Aid to Jubilee Hospital

The B. C. University Players' Club members were the guests at the Kiwanis Club luncheon to-day. The party included Dean and Mrs. Coleman, Prof. Wood and the entire cast. The members of Kiwanis showed their appreciation of the occasion by turning out in large numbers to greet them. The Kiwanis Glee Club surpassed itself in the enthusiasm with which a number of choruses were rendered, and the event was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. There was no regular speaker scheduled but the program of entertainment was varied and excellent. "Pal o' Mine" was rendered as a solo by Thomas Morrison, Jack Trace obliged with "Forever is a Long Time," Carl Stocker and Jack Trace gave a turn filled with good jokes which were much appreciated. Sam Scott rendered a solo, and Carl Stocker and Jack Trace, celebrated "You Tell Her I Stutter." "Say, Mr. Morrison," asked Carl, "Do you see Joe Clearhue?" "Yes, I see him."

Mark Graham extended to the University Players the thanks of the Kiwanis Club for their assistance in helping to raise funds for the Jubilee Hospital. He assured them that the play last night was a delightful presentation which was enjoyed by everyone present. He assured them that when they came again next year they would be even more highly appreciated.

IMMIGRATION OF CHINESE DEBATED

Ottawa, May 1.—The Government's proposals to restrict Chinese immigration were discussed at some length in the Commons yesterday afternoon and last evening, when the bill reached second reading.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Advertisements under this heading 3 cents per word per insertion.

Dr. Price's sermon, Second Coming of Christ, for sale this week. A. D. Weir, Y. M. C. A.

Rummage Sale, Christ Church Cathedral Schoolroom, Wednesday, 10:30 a.m.

Rummage Sale.—Anti-vivisection Society, Thursday, Fort Street, seven doors above British-American Trust Co. Leave articles Wednesday, 10 to 4 p.m.

Camuson Chapter.—The regular monthly meeting of Camuson Chapter, I. O. D. E. will take place to-morrow (Wednesday), in the I. O. D. E. rooms.

Miss Hanman (cert. London specialist), 15 years experience in treatment of superfluous hair and moles. Absolute cure guaranteed; 22 Winch Bldg.

Hair Cuts, 25c.—Four chairs, quick service.—Wells-Arcade Bldg.

Figure Drawing and Painting Classes: Saturdays, 9:30 to 11:30; Mondays, 7:30 to 9:30. Will Menzies, Instructor, 202-3 Union Bank Building.

Miss Griffith, Dressmaker, is temporarily conducting her business on top floor Woolworth Building, Suite 202. Phone 6559.

Dr. Tolmie Spoke

Hon. S. F. Tolmie urged that the people of Canada must wake up to the gravity of the Oriental invasion. In 1821 no fewer than 1,145 Chinese had come to Canada as merchants. There were now 35,000 Chinese in British Columbia. In the present bill, the section dealing with merchants was indefinite, and most stringent regulations must be made under it.

Endorsing of Passports

During discussion in committee, Clause Three of the bill, which empowers the Governor-in-Council to appoint officers in countries other than Canada for the purpose of endorsing passports of Chinese, evoked some discussion.

International Relations

Premier King said that in dealing with the question of Oriental immigration international relations had to be considered as well as the economic and labor questions. If the international aspect were lost sight of, it would be impossible to create a situation which would have serious future consequences.

Internal and External Pains are promptly relieved by DR. THOMAS' ELECTRIC OIL

THAT IT HAS BEEN USED FOR NEARLY FIFTY YEARS AND IS TO-DAY A BETTER SELLER THAN EVER IS A TESTIMONY TO THE FACT THAT IT IS THE BEST.

Interpretation of "Merchant"

Mr. Stevens said there was danger of a wide interpretation being placed upon the term "merchant." The Chinese had a habit of claiming that persons whom Canada would class as clerks were in the merchant class. Unless the definition was very clear, Chinese were liable to evade the regulations. Prior to the Fall of 1922 the records showed that two or three merchants a month were admitted in Canada. Suddenly when Canada introduced regulations which prevented a large number of Chinese coming in as students, the number of merchants rose until 390 a month were entering. He thought exclusion was the only way of dealing with the matter.

For Discussion Later

Premier King intimated that the Government would be willing to accept the amendment if it were changed to read "Merchants, including sales agents and purchasing agents engaged in the import and export trade with China," but both the amendment and suggested substitute amendment went over.

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BRACKEN MINISTRY SUPPORTED ON VOTE

Conservative Attack on Manitoba Government Failed

Winnipeg, May 1.—Led by Major F. G. Taylor, Conservative attacks were made on the Bracken Government last night in the Legislature for failure to resign as a result of defeat of the Wheat Board Bill, and claims were made that the situation should be officially reported to the Lieutenant-Governor, to whom a broad hint was thrown out that he should demand the resignation of the Ministry.

The motion made by Major Taylor for adjournment of the House was voted down by 25 to 6, however, only the Conservatives voting for it.

TO BE HANGED.

Birmingham, Ala., May 1.—Willie Golson, a negro, was sentenced to be hanged following conviction last night on charges of having attacked two Birmingham white women. The jury reached a verdict after an hour and fifteen minutes' deliberation.

LAVAL ANNIVERSARY

Quebec, May 1.—Yesterday was the 300th anniversary of the birth of Monsignor de Laval, first Bishop of Quebec. The birthday of the famous dignitary, who was the first bishop in Canada, was observed last evening by a solemn benediction.

SEED COMMISSION.
 Ottawa, May 1.—The Government had not intended abolishing the Seed Commission in Western Canada, although there was very little distribution of seed in the West this year.

Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, told Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, Opposition Leader, in the House yesterday afternoon, when a bill respecting sale and testing of seed was reported and given third reading. The Seed Grain Commission's services had not been dispensed with, he said.

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NO MORE FEDERAL HIGHWAY FUNDS

No Further Grant After \$30,000,000 All Paid Out

Government's Policy Stated by Hon. G. P. Graham

Ottawa, May 1.—(Canadian Press)—There will be no further grant by the Federal Government to the provinces for road construction after the \$30,000,000 granted under the Canada Highways Act is exhausted. This was made clear in the House last evening by Hon. G. P. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals, when moving a resolution which provided for an extension of two years in the time in which those provinces which have not earned their proportion of the \$30,000,000 may do so. Mr. Graham declared the Prime Minister already had pointed out that Federal obligations had become so great that it was time for the provinces to assume the responsibility for those things which were strictly provincial in their nature.

Mr. Graham gave a brief review of the amounts earned by the various provinces up to the end of 1922. The total amount paid to the provinces to the end of that year was \$27,448,498. The provinces which would not be able to earn their proportion by the end of 1923, when the time expired, were Alberta, Manitoba, Prince Edward Island and Saskatchewan. Mr. Graham told W. G. McQuarrie, Conservative, New Westminster, that British Columbia should be paid \$1,116,383 out of \$1,251,955, to which she was entitled. Albert had as yet not earned anything.

Mr. McQuarrie urged further Dominion aid for British Columbia with a view to road construction across the province east and west. After this ventilation of views, the resolution was carried, and the bill passed upon first reading. At the instance of Mr. Meighen the second reading was deferred.

118 RATTLESNAKES KILLED IN A GROUP

Unusual Incident Near Yakima, Wash., Reported

Yakima, May 1.—W. B. Gunnoe, deputy game warden, accompanied by his son, yesterday afternoon killed 118 rattlesnakes in a den on Coviche Creek, about twenty miles from here. The killings were accomplished with 22 calibre rifles until the ammunition gave out, when the job was finished with clubs. The snakes ranged in size up to four feet in length. Gunnoe took a picture of a heap of the reptiles to verify his statement.

PRAIRIE FARMERS' PROBLEMS DISCUSSED

Ottawa, May 1.—(Canadian Press)—Seventy-five per cent. of the present difficulties of the prairie farmers are personal matters and the other twenty-five per cent. are largely due to rapid deflation in the prices of the farmers' products, in the opinion of Charles Bowman, chairman of the executive committee of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, who made a statement to the House Special Agricultural Committee yesterday afternoon.

"The farmer to date has got the raw end of the deal," said Mr. Bowman. He believed the urban residents suffered also "from the headache consequent upon the general economic apnea." Manufacturers also had suffered deflation, but the costs of distribution, which were entirely too high, had not yet been cut to normal. Mr. Bowman believed the prairie farmers would in the future take better care of their machinery and would make it last much longer.

Witness said his company was not concerned over arrears in its principal repayments as long as interest payments were kept up. In Manitoba, at the end of March this year, the arrears on farm loans were about 64 per cent. On city loans arrears were a little more than 1 per cent. A total of 777 farm loans had been made in Manitoba. Repayments in the other provinces had also been satisfactory.

Evidence.
 Hon. W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance, will endeavor to place at the disposal of the committee the evidence gathered by the tariff commission which toured the country under the late Government.

TELEPHONE RATES NOT INCREASED

Tacoma, May 1.—Failure yesterday met the attempt of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company to obtain through an injunction from the Federal District Court increased telephone rates denied it by the States Department of Public Works. By a memorandum decision of three federal judges who heard the arguments of the Pacific Company and the Home Telephone Company of Spokane in the Federal Court here, the temporary restraining order issued by United States District Judge E. E. Cushman last week at Seattle to prevent the State Department of Public Works from interfering with an increase of telephone rates effective May 1 was dissolved, and the injunctive injunction asked for was denied.

ESTIMATES OF ONTARIO GROW

Toronto, May 1.—A summary of the main estimates of the Province of Ontario for the year ending October 31, 1923, tabled in the Legislature last night, totals \$26,990,778, or an increase of approximately \$2,700,000 over last year for similar services.

DAYLIGHT SAVING
 Montreal, May 1.—This city went on unofficial daylight saving time yesterday and there was comparatively little confusion. The post office, finding its work seriously hampered, announced that Summer time would be observed as from May 2.

WOMAN GOES TO JAIL SIX MONTHS

Chicago, May 1.—Miss Goldie Skelnik, convicted of conspiracy in the federal prosecution of officials of the Consumers' Packing Company, was secretary to Edward A. Aader, former president of the company, who recently began serving a prison sentence. She was alleged by the Government to have had knowledge of what the Government considered unlawful practices of the company.

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Women's and Misses' Knitted Wool Dresses, in all the wanted colors. Made with round neck, short sleeves and narrow belt. A splendid frock for sports wear at each \$10.50	Clearing Odd Lines and Broken Sizes of Ribbed Top Lisle Hose, in black, white and brown. Good quality and good value at, per pair . 39c
Chamoisette Gloves to Clear at 69c Pair	Waistband Aprons 50c
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GERMANY MAKING A NEW OFFER?

While most of the nations are looking forward to a settlement of the reparations question and the normal resumption of trade in Continental Europe, the fact remains that if Germany really desires to get rid of her unwelcome visitors she will have to make an offer that will be acceptable to France and give such guarantees as she may require.
It is not a bit of use the debtor nation conferring with the representatives of other countries in the hope that their influence will be brought to bear on France irrespective of the nature of the offer that may be made. The Quai d'Orsay has made up its mind to a condition in the Ruhr that may not be giving the French people half as much in kind as they might have obtained if the army had not commenced its Eastward march, but which is serving to remind the average Frenchman that the Allies actually came out of the war in a position to dictate to Berlin. In other words the French Government and people, for the time being, prefer to ignore certain economic anomalies and enjoy a position which only a French mind may appreciate. And very few people will blame France for the course she has taken in an endeavor to make Germany, by pressure, pay something towards the damage that her armies wrought.

So far it is not known what the offer which Germany is contemplating will mean. Rumor has it that the Berlin Government will offer 30,000,000,000 gold marks as the limit of the country's capacity to pay. How this will strike France may not be known until the negotiations in respect of this sum and its conditions, or any other offer, have proceeded along official channels. If the sum mentioned should form the basis of a new discussion of the whole question of reparations it will serve as an interesting comparison with the original claims included in the Treaty of Versailles and the reduction of two years ago. The original figures were 216,105,352,035. Of this amount France was to receive 28,741,663,845 and the British Empire £2,846,700,658. Italy, Belgium and Japan were to share the rest. This amount was subsequently reduced to 26,600,000,000 and a similar percentage of allotment was duly agreed upon between the five Allies above noted. Some time after this reduction had been decided Germany made an offer of something like one-third of the sum and declared it to be her maximum. It was promptly rejected as outside the pale of reason and not worth considering.

Thirty billion gold marks is the equivalent of 1,500,000,000. In other words the original bill and the revised statement no longer would play any part if this offer should be made and considered by the Allies. Incidentally, it is another reminder of the manner in which Germany has wriggled out of her obligations and how the Allies have helped her through permitting division in peace to replace co-operation in war.

GET BEHIND THE CHAMBER.

Ever since it assumed a somewhat altered role and increased its working force the Victoria Chamber of Commerce has been well served by its officers. But it can be said again that the most energetic and enterprising executive officials in the world must be able to draw upon the whole-hearted assistance and co-operation of the rank and file of the organization over which they may preside if their work is to attain the full value of practical achievement.

The inaugural address which President Cross presented at yesterday's luncheon should be taken as a call to new and even more active efforts in the service of the community as a whole. It should be regarded as an appeal to every individual in the city and neighborhood as well as a sort of clarion call to the membership of the Chamber. Just as the President and his colleagues on the directorate must be assured of the warm support and co-operation of every member of the organization, so must the body itself be just as emphatically assured of the practical sympathy and assistance of the general public. Without that full measure of mutual understanding local progress will not be as rapid as it should be.

It will be obvious to the most casual observer that the Chamber of Commerce has a good deal more in its favor, as far as an improvement in local conditions can facilitate its functions, than it had when it commenced its more ambitious task a couple of years ago. It has a record of achievement behind it that cannot fail to inspire its officers and members.

FEDERAL REDISTRIBUTION.

How to delimit the constituencies in the different provinces so as to be as fair as possible, but at the same time to give no advantage to the Opposition, is a problem with which the Parliament of Canada has to deal after each decennial census. A committee of the House of Commons is struggling with the matter now and, needless to say, opinion among the members is not unanimous.

In the hazy Conservative days that followed the elections of 1878 the trick of "hiving the Grits" was practised with cynical efficiency. Largely as a result of this political knavery the Conservative party managed to hold power until 1896, by which time public feeling against them had grown so strong that no device could save them any longer.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, urged particularly by his Ontario followers, made an effort in his first years

of office to correct the most glaring of the then existing inequalities, but the measure having this in view was thrown out by the Senate.
Following the census of 1901 came his opportunity. Many Liberals all over the country were in favor of doing as they had been done by, but Sir Wilfrid would have none of it. He insisted upon the appointment of a committee which went over the whole list of constituencies, treating both parties as justly as circumstances and human nature would permit. The bill thus drawn up, went through Parliament with little debate, nor was it ever subsequently subjected to any basic criticism. It was everywhere recognized as an honest and, on the whole, successful attempt to deal with a difficult business in the best manner.

With the passage of time redistribution became once more necessary. Robert Rogers was then "Minister of Elections" but, whatever his own inclinations, he had the good sense to recognize that the people at large approved the example set by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and would insist upon having it followed. The consequent bill came within quite measurable distance of achieving the impossible. It almost satisfied everybody. The only complaint was from a few whose political fortunes were injuriously affected. They grumbled, but submitted.

Following the census of 1921, redistribution is to be fore again. Meantime the system inaugurated by Sir Wilfrid has been so universally endorsed among the people that it is practically part of the constitution. The ridings are being delimited now, as on the two immediately previous occasions, by a committee before which each proposed change is considered on its merits. The Government, of course, keeps in its own hands the ultimate decision in disputed cases but, in the sunlight of publicity, there is no disposition to perpetrate gross political jobs. There is a perception that the electors wish to see all parties treated decently. The factions of the committee may manoeuvre for position but in the end they must make an arrangement reasonably fair to everybody concerned.

OTTAWA ACTS.

There was jubilation in British Columbia when the Panama Canal was opened for business. Blessings would flow to this Province because the great saving of water haulage between the East and the West would result in bigger exchanges of commodities and the attendant development of this youngest part of the Dominion.

There has undoubtedly been a larger movement of trade by reason of the facilities provided; but British Columbians naturally do not see the force of paying duty on Canadian-made goods because they have been shipped from East to West through the waters of the Panama Canal, through what must be designated in tariff parlance as foreign territory. The case of a shipment of steel rods from Nova Scotia to Vancouver has been placed before the Prime Minister of Canada and he has instructed the Customs Department to refund duty that had been paid because the vessel which carried the goods had called at New York for routing purposes. What is more important still is the fact that the Dominion Government has under consideration a set of new customs regulations that Mr. King hopes will satisfactorily dispose of this curious method of collecting revenue.

It was only to be supposed, of course, that a Liberal Government at Ottawa would not permit such a condition, so diametrically opposed to its own policies, to remain any longer than it took to remedy it. The Premier of this Province drew the Prime Minister's attention to the matter with apparently successful results.

NOTE AND COMMENT

May Day throughout the world seems to have been the to-morrow that some people worried a good deal about yesterday—and it didn't happen.

Citizens who are interested in the progress of this community and are not members of the Chamber of Commerce have a splendid opportunity to follow the President's advice. The membership roll is nothing like full and application for admission will be received with pleasure.

We wonder if Germany would have tried to pay the two and a quarter billion pounds with which she offered to settle her reparations bill more than twelve months ago. While it is easy to be wise after the event, it looks as if it would have been good business to have proceeded on that basis in the light of a suggested offer of one billion pounds less at this stage.

Attorney-General Manson has warned L. R. Steel investors not to part with any more money on lines proposed by the Stockholders' Committee in Buffalo. If any of these unfortunate victims part with additional hard-earned dollars after recent experiences we should imagine that medical science ought to be given an opportunity to discover what is wrong.

Cape Breton's May Day celebration parade at Glace Bay was headed by a huge red flag surmounted by the communists' emblem—the hammer and the sickle. If these individuals are really looking for the international Utopia, why on earth do they not go over to Russia and help to make a real good job of the Soviet system—Lenine and Trotsky seem to be failing all along the line!

OUR CONTEMPORARIES

POLITICAL WEEDING.
The Toronto Globe—The Canadian Council of Agriculture insists on weeding out the politically minded instead of broadening out the Farmers' movement.

IT GETS THE MONEY THOUGH.
The Toronto Globe—Over fifty million dollars in customs and inland revenue were collected in Toronto during the fiscal year that ends to-day, yet Toronto has no Customs House and there is no indication that one is to be provided. The business of the Federal Government is done largely in rented premises.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and to the point. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, and for publication unless the owner wishes. The publication or non-publication of the paper for the Editor. No responsibility is assumed for the paper for material submitted to the Editor.

OUR ANIMALS.

To the Editor:—As special attention is focussed this week upon the protection of animals, may we draw attention to the needs of the S. P. C. A.—an organization which has undertaken to defend them as far as possible.
It must be understood that this work depends wholly and solely upon voluntary contributions. Our needs, which are many, are limited to the amount of support received and our sphere of action could be greatly extended if funds were forthcoming. At the same time, we are not unmindful of the fact that this work has been generously sustained in Victoria for more than 23 years.

In order to plan the work as satisfactorily as possible the committee requires to see a year's income statement in advance sufficient to pay the inspector's salary and to cover all extra expenses. In short, we need quite \$1,500 a year, and only a portion of this is covered by donations and contributions. Hence our earnest appeal for adequate support on Tag Day, May 5, to cover the deficit.

Speaking recently at a meeting in Durham, Bishop Welton voiced the opinion of all ethically-minded persons when he said that humanity towards animals was the one test of civilization.

We ask the loyal co-operation of all animal lovers on May 5, in order that the cause may be worthily sustained.

SOCIETY FOR PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

Victoria, B. C., May 1, 1923.

OAK BAY PLANS FOR MUNICIPAL PARK

Harvey and O'Farrell Win Prize Contest With Elaborate Drawing

The plans for the proposed new municipal park at the terminus of the Oak Bay branch of the B. C. Electric Traction, were carefully considered by the Oak Bay Council last night. It was decided that the plans submitted by Walter Harvey and F. R. O'Farrell would be the prize winner for the \$250 offer, and that of K. B. Spurgin would be the second on the prize list. The plans for the park which the Council considered most to its liking, are complete and elaborate in every detail. The grounds are set out to include a large central stadium for rugby, cricket and other such games, while at one end six tennis courts, and playgrounds for children are placed. The roller track which now runs around the park will in all probability remain and be put in good condition. If the park is laid out along the lines of the plans submitted for inspection to the Council, Oak Bay will be the possessor of one of the finest parks in British Columbia. The municipality is eager to make the park in good condition and make a few changes. This, they intend to carry out as soon as possible.

BIG BUSINESS DONE BY MODERN LAUNDRY

Economy Wet Wash Owners Have Valuable Plant and Faith in City

Victoria possesses some of the cleanest and most up-to-date laundries in the Province, according to inspectors, and the Economy Wet Wash Laundry is one of the most outstanding in these respects. The proprietors of this company, who have been in the business here for eleven years, but have only lately moved into their new location at Bridge Street and Avenue, are now possessing one of the finest plants in the city, and with their valuable and excellent machinery are able to work with very great speed.

This machinery is of British make. Glasgow and Toronto companies have supplied the massive floating roller irons, the ten-compartment washers, and the spray wringers. The boilers and fifty horse-power engine, giving the power to the plant, are noteworthy. One hundred and twenty-five pounds are kept up in steam pressure, and every machine in the factory is run with a hundred pounds of steam. The drying compartment is an interesting feature of the plant. Here tremendous heat is maintained by steam pipes, and kept in by asbestos and sheet metal walls.

The laundry authorities have set the average output of clothes per day at two hundred bundles. The bundles weigh close to twenty pounds each, and the weight of laundry work done daily counts up high. Every employee is white.

J. E. and C. H. Jones, owners of the plant, have every faith in the city of Victoria. They have built a plant worth \$30,000, and have put a great deal of time and money into their business. They hope for steady growth, and since they are giving their customers satisfaction, they promise to reach soon their climax of achievement.

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THE WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, May 1—5 a. m.—The barometer remains abnormally low over Northern B. C., and unsettled, cool weather is general. Snow is reported in Alberta.
Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, maximum yesterday, 49; minimum, 30; wind, 20 miles S. W.; rain, .04; weather, fair.
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.74; temperature, maximum yesterday, 44; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles S. W.; rain, .65; weather, fair.
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.56; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 30; wind, 4 miles E. rain, trace; weather, cloudy.
Barkerville—Barometer, 29.55; temperature, maximum yesterday, 42; minimum, 28; wind, calm; rain, .14; weather, cloudy.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.44; temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 26; wind, 12 miles E.; rain, .25; weather, fair.
Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, maximum yesterday, 48; minimum, 30; snow, .29 in.
Edmonton—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 38; minimum, 30; snow, 2 in.
Qu Appelle—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 44; rain, .24 in.
Winnipeg—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 73; minimum, 50; rain, trace.

Table with 2 columns: Location, Temperature. Locations include Nanaimo, Port Moody, Grand Forks, Lillooet, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, St. John, Halifax.

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MAY DAY CELEBRATION.

Special to The Times. Duncan—The May Day celebration, crowning the May Queen, which the children of the Duncan consolidated schools are preparing to give in the Agricultural Grounds, has been postponed until Thursday afternoon, May 3. Should that day be wet it will take place in the Agricultural Hall.

The Cowichan Cricket Club will open their season on Saturday, May 5 weather permitting, with a match between teams chosen by captain and vice-captain. The club are waiting to see the result of the drawing for the league games in Victoria before formulating their own card of fixtures.

Mrs. R. H. Whidden leaves on Sunday next for Nelson. She has been chosen as a delegate to the Grand Lodge, Pythian Sisters of B. C., to represent the Maple Temple, No. 29.

Miss Ethel Garrard leaves on Saturday for Japan, where she will visit her uncle for the next few months.

Miss Kathleen Powell leaves shortly for the East, where she will spend the summer.

Mrs. Tagg and her children have arrived from England, to visit Mrs. Tagg's parents, Lieut.-Col. Collard, C. B. and Mrs. Collard.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Dykes are visiting Duncan, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Peterson.

TO HOLD FINAL MEETING.

The St. John's Church Men's Society will hold its regular monthly meeting to-morrow evening in the St. John's Sunday Schoolroom. This will be the last meeting of the season for this organization, and a large attendance of members is expected. The men's society is keenly interested in the welfare of St. John's Church, having co-operated with the A. Y. P. A. recently in presenting a mock trial, the proceeds of which were allocated to the new parish hall fund, a fund which is gradually growing. It is expected that the mock trial will be repeated in the near future, but no definite arrangements in that respect have yet been made.

ALL READY FOR ANNUAL JAMBOREE

The annual entertainment of the Boys' Division of the Y. M. C. A. will take place next Friday and Saturday evenings, and Saturday afternoon. This year it will take the form of a "Jamboree" or medley programme, which will enable the friends of the boys to see the various types of training which the boys of the "Y" enjoy. At 8 o'clock there will be an hour's programme in the gymnasium, consisting of special apparatus work on the parallels by the Employed Boys' Leaders Corps, an athletic dance by the Senior School Boys, pyramids by the Junior School Leaders, tumbling, tilting, boxing, several clown stunts, and a pageant "The Promise of the New Day." At 9 o'clock there will be an exhibition in the swimming pool of swimming, diving, life saving, relay races between the various boys' clubs, and several novelty events.

In the early part of the evenings and Saturday afternoon, the Boys' Radio Club will provide an interesting programme, including a radio concert, through the courtesy of the Western Canada Radio Co., and an exhibition of sets made by the boys. There will also be a demonstration of how simple radio sets can be made at home, with the boys actually at work.

On Saturday afternoon, the ladies' committee will serve afternoon tea in the lobby, when it is hoped that a large number of friends will patronize this feature.

About 150 different boys will take part in the "Jamboree," and they have been working hard in preparation for some time. They will be greatly encouraged by the attendance of all parents and friends, who will be assured of a good time.

LIBERALS TO HOLD MEETING

Wards One and Four of the Victoria Liberal Association will hold a joint meeting at the Liberal rooms to-night. Ward Four will hold a business session at 7.30. Hon. A. M. Manson, Attorney-General, will speak at 8 o'clock. This will be followed by a musical programme and a dance under the auspices of the Ward One Association. Refreshments will be served. Members of the Equilateral Association have been invited.

APRIL WEATHER

Rainfall Last Month Was Much Below the Average

Although Victoria broke no weather records last month, the rainfall was unusually low for April. The total precipitation was only .70 inch, as against an average for the month of 1.25 inches, and the rainfall covered a period of ten days only. Bright sunshine was experienced over a period of 191 hours, or fifteen below the average for the month. The mean temperature was 49 degrees, with the highest, 70, on the 15th, and the lowest, 39, on April 9, according to Superintendent Denison of Gonzales Heights Observatory.

Advertisement for Brunswick Phonograph. Features a large image of a Brunswick gramophone. Text includes 'A New Model of the Brunswick', '\$115.00', 'On view now at KENT'S PHONOGRAPH STORE', '1004 Government St. Phone 3449'.

Advertisement for Williams & Harte, Ltd. Paints - Stains - Varnishes. Text includes 'LOWER PRICES', 'BETTER QUALITY', 'Made in Victoria', 'WILLIAMS & HARTE, Ltd.', '1302 Wharf Street Phone 987'.

Advertisement for Big Shoe Sale Modern Shoe Co. Text includes 'See Bargains in Windows', 'BIG SHOE SALE', 'Modern Shoe Co.', 'Vates and Government Streets'.

Large advertisement for The Imperial Life Assurance Company of Canada. Headline: 'Who'll Pay That Mortgage?'. Text discusses mortgage options, interest rates, and the benefits of life insurance. Includes contact information for the Toronto head office: 'Kenneth Ferguson, Island Manager, 208 Belmont Bldg., Victoria Stanley Henderson, Manager for British Columbia, Vancouver'.

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Babies' Wool Coatees, knitted and crochet, odd lines clearing, each, **\$1.00**
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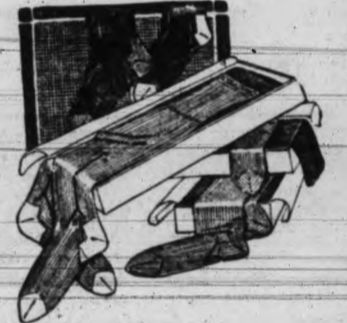
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BARONESS HEADS JAPANESE BIRTH CONTROL MOVEMENT
Tokio, May 1.—Birth control and anti-birth control societies are coming into existence throughout the country following the visit of Mrs. Margaret Sanger to this country last year.
Sonia after her departure birth control advocates began to organize under the direction of Baroness Ishimoto, and they have been steadily enrolling members, particularly in the industrial centres. An organization composed entirely of women has been formed to fight the movement.

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WOMAN'S DOMAIN SAYS AMERICA IS WOMEN'S PARADISE

KING'S DAUGHTERS CONVENTION TO BE HERE JUNE
Tentative plans for the Provincial convention of the King's Daughters were made at the district meeting yesterday afternoon in the rest room, Mrs. L. H. Hardie, district president, being the chair. The convention will be held in Victoria on June 6, 7 and 8 at a place to be decided later. The registration of delegates will take place on June 6 in the rest room. Yesterday's business also included preliminary arrangements for the tea room at the Fall Fair, which concession has again been granted to the Order. The annual meeting of the district branch will be held on May 23 at 8 p.m. Circle reports were given and proved most gratifying. Some disappointment was expressed at the financial result of the recent Spring flower show, only \$48 being realized for the work of the Order. This sum will be applied to the maintenance of the rest room, including the purchase of linen. The Daughters are keenly desirous of public support in their venture, which was launched with the real community spirit and to which they gave generously of their time and gifts. At the tea room at the Fair will be the next and only occasion this year on which they will appeal to the public for support, they are hoping that this venture will meet with greater success.

Mr. E. M. Martyn, of Toronto, is registered at the Empress Hotel. Vancouver registrations at the Empress Hotel include Messrs. C. H. Gordon, W. H. Raikes and A. A. Ross. Mrs. Herbert Dawson and Miss Jean Dawson, of Edmonton, are spending the next three months in their cottage on Gonzales Heights. Mrs. L. R. Kent, of Linden Avenue, is leaving to-day for an extended visit in England. En route she will visit friends in Montreal for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. P. Coleman (nee Mary Clare Neary), of Sidney, B.C., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter. Dr. and Mrs. Panton (nee Doris McLagan), of Vancouver, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of an infant son, born in Vancouver on April 24. Mrs. J. McDiarmid and her two daughters, Iona and Grace, left by the Ruth Alexander on Sunday for Los Angeles, where she will join her husband. Captain Clarke, who has recently come from India to reside in Vancouver, spent the week-end in Victoria as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hotham, Pemberton Road.

Lady Sadler and Miss Gilpin were guests of honor at the musicale at Government House on Saturday afternoon, when Mrs. Walter C. Nichol presided at the piano. Musical Club. The affair was one of the most delightful of the season, from both the social and musical standpoint. Mr. Stanley Griffiths with a party of nine came over from Seattle on his father's yacht, "Sueja" on Saturday. Mrs. Griffiths, who has been visiting Mrs. C. E. Thomas, Rockland Avenue, joined the yachting party on Sunday on its return to Seattle. Mrs. Cowan, of Windsor Road, entertained in honor of the twelfth birthday of her son, Sidney, on Saturday evening, when her guests were twelve of his fellow-students of St. Michael's School. After games and supper, the young host and his guests attended the performance of "Robin Hood" at the Capitol Theatre.

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Chicago, April 30.—The poorest woman in the United States is infinitely better off than the poor women of South America, Bishop W. F. Oldham, of Buenos Aires, declared at a meeting of the employees and staff of the Committee on Conservation and Advance of the Methodist Episcopal Church here. Bishop Oldham has just returned from South America and Mexico. He said: "You can rate civilization from the place that women hold in that particular country. There used to be an idea that woman had no real place in the world. "If there are any young women here who are discontented and wishing that they were rich, think of the mass of women in the open class in South America who are not as respected as the women of the United States. The poorest of you is rich when compared with these." The Bishop said that the ownership of millions of acres of land by rich landlords was detrimental to the advancement of the peons. The poor women, especially in South America, he declared, live in little shacks in small villages and are degraded specimens of humanity, depressed with absence of all hope, ambition and aspiration. "There should be no discontented women in America because they are well cared for, and have good homes," Bishop Oldham concluded.

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PROF. WOOD WINS MORE LAURELS WITH HIS U.B.C. PLAYERS
Prof. Fred C. Wood has had quite a reputation in Victoria to live up to, but he strengthened it even more last night when he brought his University players over from U. B. C. on their annual show, "You Never Can Tell" at the Royal Victoria Theatre, under the auspices of the Kiwanis Club of Victoria.

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Following the performance of "You Never Can Tell" at the Royal Victoria Theatre last evening, Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Education, and Mrs. MacLean entertained about fifty members of the Players' Club of the University of British Columbia at supper at their home on Victoria Avenue. The table was attractively arranged in the U.B.C. colors of gold and blue.

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YOUR HOME AND YOU By HELEN KENDALL
The Arched Garden Seat
The city couple had gone out to the pretty suburb to spend the week-end, expecting to find a house set in ample grounds and dotted with a tree and garden spreading lawn. What was their surprise to find that the quaint little low-lying cottage was set upon quite a narrow plot of ground—no room of their own city lot. A fat little line of hedge separated the house from the neighbors in similar cottages on either side, and there was no room on the patch of grassy earth between the house and the pavement for anything more than a few bright annuals up against the porch.

MISS BELL IS MEDALLIST Wins Honors at Ontario Musical Competition Festival
Miss Winnifred Bell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bell, Linden Avenue, yesterday won the silver medal for the soprano solo in connection with the Ontario Musical Competition festival at Massey Hall, Toronto. The competition was judged by two British musicians of note, Granville Bantock, M. A., and Harry Plunkett Greene. Her selections were "Angels Ever Bright and Fair" and "Snowflakes." Miss Bell was well known as a vocalist here before proceeding to the Toronto Conservatory of Music to complete her education. She was for three years engaged in teaching at the North Ward School. Dr. J. C. Lawson will lecture in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium, Thursday, May 3, and Friday, May 4, at 8 p.m., on various health matters.

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Victoria Women's Institute—The fortnightly meeting of the Victoria Women's Institute will be held in the institute rooms, Surrey Block, Yates Street, on Friday afternoon next at 2:30 o'clock. The committee in charge of the programme is Mrs. Wm. Pedden, Mrs. Tooke, Mrs. McCoubrey and Mrs. P. Taylor, and a very interesting time is promised.

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At the Theatre

FIRST PERFORMANCE OF FAMOUS FILM

"Game of Life" Will Be Presented at Royal

Some opinions of "The Game of Life," now at the Royal—*London News of the World:* At last we have an English super-picture, "The Game of Life," which opened at a west end cinema theatre last night is on the whole probably greater than any of the big American productions that have met with so much success in this country.
Birmingham Gazette: The story deals with three girls all born on the same day as Queen Victoria and destined for very different stations in life. Of course, the English critic is liable to be prejudiced on account of this cinema being laid in England in the days of Queen Victoria and of Dickens and Thackeray. Nevertheless, we maintain that the English Derby of 1850, the coronation of Victoria and the Charge of the Light Brigade in this picture excel anything we have ever seen in American productions.
Liverpool Echo: From the scene of

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Royal—"The Game of Life."
Capitol—"Robin Hood."
Dominion—"Bella Donna."
Columbia—"The Woman Conquers."

Stephenson's first steam engine that tore through England at eight miles an hour on Coronation Day, 1827, to the Queen's jubilee procession fifty years later, we are so carried away by the wonders of Victorian England that we actually live with the characters in the story.

Brighton Standard: The thing most striking to our eyes was the master touch of Dickens or Thackeray which is felt when the characters—made their own from the same spot from which, fifty years earlier, they had viewed the coronation. Every London cobbler's stone under their feet sends a pang of reminiscence to the spectator's heart.

London Sunday Sports Telegram: The English Derby and the cock fight in the sporting days of the fifties give the present-day sportsman the thrill of his life. Every bookie and jockey is a treat to the eye. And a remarkable innovation in this cinema is that one jockey's cap is hand-colored red so that

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the Emperor Henry VI. Not until this latter monarch had received the handsome ransom," he specified with much avidity did Richard regain freedom enough to suppress a rebellion incited by his brother John.
One of the darkest chapters in the life of this regal gentleman of "Lion-Hearted" proclivities was the manner in which he ascended to the throne. He joined the league with his elderly brother, Henry, in 1183, subsequently acting with Philip II of France against his own father, thus succeeding to the crown, the duchy of Normandy, and the County of Anjou in 1189.
The daring exploits of Robin Hood, recorded more as legendary than actual, seem to typify some of the worst begetting Richard during his reign and to give eloquent demonstration of the spirit prevailing among his subjects.
The rich to give to the poor, he literally exemplified the spirit of chivalry which all authorities agree flourished in that Twelfth Century as it never did before.
Douglas Fairbanks in portraying the character of this hero of those times is said to attain a very exalted pinnacle of artistic triumph as an exponent of romantic drama.

COLUMBIA

The predicament of a New York society girl who suddenly finds herself in the power of a man who has every reason to hate her is a man accustomed to dealing in human life, in the wilds of the Hudson Bay country, is one of the thrilling situations which Ninon LeCompte encounters. In "The Woman Conquers," the First National attraction starring Katherine MacDonald which holds the screen at the Columbia theatre today, Other Attractions—"The Radio Boys," English Comedians, direct from the old country. Ninon LeCompte, played by Miss MacDonald, has gone to the Far North to take personal charge of the fur trading interests which she has inherited from an uncle. Lazar, a French-Canadian, and that her uncle's possessive distant attitude is explained when Ninon finds that he is wanted for murder and that her uncle's knowledge of this fact may have led to his death.
When Lazar finds out that Ninon, too, knows his secret he becomes more dangerous than ever.

MUSIC LOVERS' NIGHT AT ROYAL

The programme of music selected this week for Music Lovers' Night at the Royal, contains numbers that will be familiar to almost all music lovers. The following are a few of the numbers which will be played:
Orchestra—March "Austrian"; Wagner: Cello Solo—"Evening Star"; Wagner: Soloist—Mr. Belgano. Prelude to act 3, Lohengrin.

DOMINION

When Pola Negri, star in "Bella Donna," administers poison to Conrad Nagel, playing the role of Nigel Armine, her husband, whom she aims to destroy, she does so from an agate box which originally belonged to the Sultan of Makhuliah, an ancient port of still more ancient Ophir.
The box was presented to an English officer by the Sultan for services rendered and was subsequently presented to Pola Negri for use in the Paramount picture of "Bella Donna," which will be on view at the Dominion theatre all this week.
According to Arabian superstition, agates give to the possessor courage and fortitude. For this reason they are widely used for decorative purposes on such articles of luxury as the box of the Sultan of Makhuliah.
But the box was not originally a poison container. Arabs, according to the authorities, are not poisoners, preferring the gun or knife for murderous purposes. The agate studded box was used by its Arabian owner as a "poison carrier."
"Bella Donna," in addition to being Pola Negri's first American made picture boasts of a notable cast, which includes Conway Tearle, Conrad Nagel, Lois Wilson, Clyde King and Macey Harlam. Ouida Bergere wrote the scenario, and it was produced by George Fitzmaurice, producer of "Kick In" and "To Have and to Hold."

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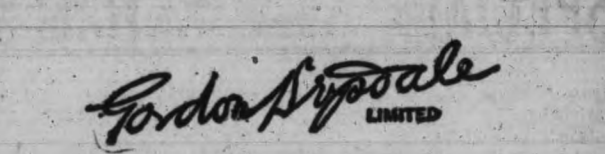
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DOMINION

When Pola Negri, star in "Bella Donna," administers poison to Conrad Nagel, playing the role of Nigel Armine, her husband, whom she aims to destroy, she does so from an agate box which originally belonged to the Sultan of Makhuliah, an ancient port of still more ancient Ophir.
The box was presented to an English officer by the Sultan for services rendered and was subsequently presented to Pola Negri for use in the Paramount picture of "Bella Donna," which will be on view at the Dominion theatre all this week.
According to Arabian superstition, agates give to the possessor courage and fortitude. For this reason they are widely used for decorative purposes on such articles of luxury as the box of the Sultan of Makhuliah.
But the box was not originally a poison container. Arabs, according to the authorities, are not poisoners, preferring the gun or knife for murderous purposes. The agate studded box was used by its Arabian owner as a "poison carrier."
"Bella Donna," in addition to being Pola Negri's first American made picture boasts of a notable cast, which includes Conway Tearle, Conrad Nagel, Lois Wilson, Clyde King and Macey Harlam. Ouida Bergere wrote the scenario, and it was produced by George Fitzmaurice, producer of "Kick In" and "To Have and to Hold."



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CAPITOL

The advent to the magic world of entrancing visualization—being a wondrous way of calling attention to the coming of a new play to the screen—of "Douglas Fairbanks in Robin Hood," a United Artists release, and which will be shown all this week at the Capitol theatre, has caused a widespread revival of interest in the spectacular and picturesque career of King Richard I, who ruled England eight hundred years ago when that country was enjoying



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WANTED A SMOKE, SO 33 MINERS LOST THEIR LIVES

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of ignition, in the location of Jung Tow's body. This was the last body recovered. In this connection the report continues:

"No Excuse for Lightness of Mind." There can be no legitimate reason advanced for his being working on the track five days in the return airway on the high side of the packwall, and also on the return side of the accumulation of explosive gas reported. There was absolutely no reason why he should be there, except for some illegitimate purpose, and it is just the place, where, it would be expected to find a person who had some illegitimate act in mind, such as smoking, as he was in a place where no one except the fireboss could be expected to see him.

"The fireboss or any other person coming in the level, would have seen him, and would have seen them, as they went along the level, and he would have ample warning of their approach. His position behind the pack wall, and the fact that he was carrying a small amount of smoke would have been carried into the old workings of No. 1, east section, where there would be a likelihood of detection."

Final Evidence at Last.

"There was no incriminating evidence found on Jung Tow's body, or by a cursory examination of the vicinity of the body. The writer was so impressed with conditions surrounding this body that he requested that a thorough and complete search be made, and in compliance with this request, a gang of men were put on to move and thoroughly search among all the larger pieces, and putting the smaller after a sieve, with the result that after three men had worked for two days and had sifted three tons of material, with just the head burnt off, and a piece of paper, similar to a cigarette paper, was found, about ten feet from the body of Jung Tow.

"None of the lamps in this section were damaged, except the one found with the body of Jung Tow, and this one had been damaged, by the cave, which fell on him, the cord being severed, and the headlight glass broken."

Officials' Views.

The report adds: "In the evidence given at the inquest, it is apparent that the officials, actually in charge of operations at the mine, prior to the explosion, thought as to the dangers existing by allowing miners to continue at work at the face, when accumulations of explosive gas are present in the vicinity. This was brought out very plainly at the inquest by the cross-examination of the firebosses in charge of the working shift, on the night and morning shift, prior to the explosion, and given in another part of this report. The evidence of the fireboss on the morning shift was that there was about 235 cubic feet of methane, the inner end of which was within twelve feet of the working face, present when he went to work, and he admits in his evidence he allowed the man to remain at work. The conditions were such after the explosion that it was not possible to be ascertained.

"If the evidence of the two firebosses is to be credited, it is very apparent they are not making reports showing the actual conditions, and the superior officers, as to what the conditions are at times. And some of them are not carrying out the provisions of the 'Coal Mines Regulation Act,' at times, regarding blasting."

More Smoking Going on.

In regard to the carrying of matches, and smoking material in coal mine workings, Mr. Wilkinson observes that a package of cigarette papers, two boxes of matches, and later a burnt match, were found in the mine, on and during the time of rescue operations. One of the boxes was picked up by Inspector Jackson. Both, however, were discovered at points that had no bearing on the explosion.

Mr. Wilkinson adds: "The practice of employees taking matches and smoking material into the different mines in British Columbia, is getting so serious that some drastic measure will have to be taken, if the maximum penalty was a fine of 10 dollars and costs. Six of these eight were caught on one day—November 10, 1922. In addition to these at Cassidy, there were the two mentioned at Cumberland, three at Coal Creek, and one at Nanaimo. When odd searches result in finding

no many carrying matches and smoking material, it is safe to assume that on the many that were not caught in the year, there would be a great deal more of the same material carried."

The report proceeds to give in detail the various figures of the prosecutions and penalties for the offense in question, recorded during 1922. It is shown that in that period there were 14 convictions, one being against an oriental, one against a colored man, and 12 against white men. In 1923 up to date, it shows that there have been 12 convictions against the terms of the 'Coal Mines Regulation Act,' most of them having to do with the carrying of smoking material and matches while at work in a coal mine. Three orientals and eight whites were convicted.

Increase Penalty.

"The maximum pecuniary penalty allowed is too small for serious offenses, and it would appear, an amendment to the act should be made, fixing a fine of one to ten dollars, seems to almost condone an offense," Mr. Wilkinson goes on.

"When the fact is taken into consideration that many of the offenders are ignorant or careless persons, it would seem provisions should be made for the infliction of stiffer pecuniary penalties."

Urges Gas Masks.

"In regard to mine rescue apparatus, it is pointed out that mine rescue apparatus, which has been used in the aftermath, some being within seventy feet of safety, when over-crowded, it would be very effective. It would appear that if any large effectual life saving is to be done, it will have to be through some type of portable apparatus that can be carried around by a miner and donned quickly by them after an explosion occurs, in a manner similar to that employed by the soldiers at the front, in using gas masks, or gas attacks. An apparatus of this kind would be ineffective in an atmosphere where the oxygen content is completely destroyed, or where there is a high percentage of carbon dioxide. But in the case of the escape of men from districts that have not been affected, except possibly by a limited quantity of smoke, or carbon dioxide, the use of such apparatus would be very effective. With some portable apparatus of this type, it is highly probable that nineteen of these men would have escaped from this explosion. It is not to be doubted that the oxygen content was sufficient to sustain life. Good work is done by rescue crews equipped with a large type of rescue apparatus, but the time crew is organized and equipment transported to the scene of the accident, valuable time was lost, and employees who have been injured by the explosion, with the result that many are overcome by the deadly aftermath. In rare cases rescue is effected where men have been rescued in their working places near the face."

Laxity Really to Blame.

"It is given as an illustration that the men in the Cumberland accident, who were overcome and lost their lives, probably reached the working face within five minutes after the blast; while to get the rescue apparatus from the station, organize the crews, and reach this point, which was some 2 1/2 miles underground, about two hours were required. If the portable mask, called the 'Self Rescuer,' which is now being thoroughly investigated by the Department of Mines, can be perfected, and it will last, say, for one hour in an atmosphere containing afterdamp, but with sufficient oxygen to sustain life, a similar loss of life might be avoided. Mr. Wilkinson observes that the British Columbia Department of Mines is to be commended for its prompt action in investigating the possibilities of this mask."

Mr. Wilkinson commends the Canadian Colliers for employing a safety engineer with twenty-seven years' experience and the efficiency committee which devotes their time to safeguarding operations.

"The largest percentage of accidents in mines of British Columbia are readily traceable to laxity or indifference on the part of the officials locally in charge of the workings, or the employees themselves," he adds, before recommending the increase in the penalty for violations of the law. He urges the standardization of fireboss reports on inflammable gas so that they will have to give in cubic feet the quantity of explosive gas found and gas caps down to a fraction of an inch.

VESEL MOVEMENTS

Victoria, May 1.—Arrived: Shidzuka Maru from Seattle; tug Humacoona and Dolly C. from Seattle. Sailed: Shidzuka Maru for Yokohama and Hongkong; Coolcha for Seattle; Humacoona and Dolly C. for Seattle.

Tacoma, April 30.—Arrived: Quinalt, San Pedro. Sailed: Thomas Crowley, San Pedro; Griffen, B. C.; Santa Barbara, Sound ports.

San Francisco, April 30.—Arrived: Persian Prince, Seattle; W. S. Porter, Astoria; Cuba, Portland; Wapama, Astoria; Mine, A. Caine, Porterville; Dollar, Port Allen; Melville Dollar, Port Allen; Bahndon, Sailed: Commercial Traveler, New Star of Iceland, Nushagak.

Seattle, April 30.—Arrived: Admiral Faragut, R. H. Alexander, San Francisco; Mundelet, Portland; Libby Maine, Southwestern Alaska; Brookdale, San Pedro. Sailed: Alabama Maru, Yokohama; Kewanee, Avon; Santa Flavia, Bering Sea; Admiral Rodman, Port Angeles.

San Francisco, April 30.—Sailed: La-touche, southbound.

Juneau, April 30.—Arrived: Evans, northbound.

Portland, April 30.—Arrived: La Purisima, Admiral Schley, San Francisco. Sailed: West Keats, Orient.

Astoria, April 30.—Arrived: Daisy, 29th; Columbia, San Francisco; Sable Cell, 29th; F. S. Loop, 29th, Los Angeles; Williamette, San Francisco.

Christiana, April 29.—Arrived: United States, New York.

London, April 29.—Arrived: President Garfield, New York.

New York, April 30.—Arrived: Mount Carroll, Hamburg; American Legion, Rio de Janeiro.

Queenstown, April 30.—Arrived: Carmania, New York.

New York, April 30.—Arrived: Dillwyn, San Pedro; Robert Luckenbach, San Francisco; John Worthington, San Pedro.

Yokohama, April 27.—Arrived: Morse, San Francisco.

Hongkong, April 28.—Arrived: Ka Maru, Seattle.

Palmouth, April 27.—Sailed: Crown, San Francisco.

CANADIAN PACIFIC COASTWISE SHIPPING

KOHNAI MARU WILL LOAD RAILWAY TIES FOR JAPAN

The Canadian Pacific steamer Island Princess resumes her summer schedule to-morrow when she leaves the Belleville Street wharves at 7 a.m. for points in the Gulf of Mexico.

It was announced to-day at the C. P. R. offices that the Island Princess would leave at 7 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturdays of each week.

CAPT. E. LANDY NOW MASTER OF MELITA

Skipper of C. P. R. Atlantic Ship Has Excellent Record

Capt. Edwin Landy, the new commander of the Canadian Pacific liner Melita, rose rapidly in his profession.

He was born at the little seaside town of Skerries, Co. Dublin, Ireland, and after passing his junior years at the local school, he finished his education at Belvedere College, St. J., in the city of Dublin.

The call of the briny was in his veins, descending as he did from a family which for generations was numbered amongst "those that go down to the sea in ships." He commenced his sea career in the little Scotch sailing vessel, "R. K. P." of Wigtown, trading between Liverpool and the Shetland Isles, and in this little vessel he spent, on many occasions, a year at a time.

After a strenuous twelve months in this small craft, where he received his first training, he sailed over deeper waters in the Aberdeen clipper ship Brucklay Castle, on voyages embracing places as remote as the Falkland Islands and New Caledonia.

After four years at sea he qualified for a second-class mate's certificate, and joined in that capacity the full rigged ship Apollo, of Liverpool. When that vessel was built at Glasgow in January, 1904, steam, he was its twenty-first year.

On qualifying for first mate he entered the service of Messrs. Poirava Murphy & Co., of his native city, in January, 1907, where he was promoted to chief officer of the City of Berlin and City of Stockholm, where during several years he obtained considerable experience of the North Sea and the British coast.

On obtaining his extra master's certificate in 1906, he was appointed second officer of the Dominion liner Manxman, which position he relinquished in January, 1910, when he entered the service of the Canadian Pacific as a junior officer of the steamer Montfort.

His advancement in the service was rapid and in January, 1917, we find him serving as chief officer of the Mount Temple, receiving his permanency in this rank the following year.

War Service.

Shortly after the outbreak of war he received a commission as lieutenant, R.N.R., and while on Admiralty service commanded the German prize ship Henriette Woerman, after that vessel was captured in the Canary Islands, and brought her to Liverpool. On the fulfillment of this duty he was released by the Admiralty at the company's request and appointed a sub-master of the company's service, when that vessel was busily engaged in carrying Canadian troops to England. It was in September, 1915, when Captain Landy was promoted to a command in the company's service and he was appointed to the Monmouth. This ship was in her command when she struck a mine while en route from North Virginia to Dunkirk, and although the ship was heavily laden with steel ingots and so severely damaged that the forecastle was under water, she was eventually brought safely into the harbor of Cherbourg and beached. On this occasion the captain had only on board three Frenchmen, and he himself manipulated the main engine. For the energy and skill displayed on this occasion he received the thanks and appreciation of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty.

His next command was the Hellopolis, now the Borden. He joined this vessel when it first came into the company's ownership. He had several escapades in this and on one occasion when bound from Montreal to Barry with a cargo of 33,000 quarters of wheat he only evaded a sinking by the skillful handling of the ship. The chief officer, Mr. Hunter, received the Thornycroft award for being the first to sight the submarine.

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LACK OF RETURN CARGOES HELPED TO SWEEP DEFICIT

C. G. M. Report Outlines Some of Redeeming Features of Marine Service

Ottawa, May 1.—It is admitted by shipping authorities, says the report of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine, Ltd., showing a deficit of \$9,448,840 for the year 1922, that the worst in recent shipping annals. Tonnage offering increased, but commodities were of lower value and earnings fell off considerably. Outward tonnage was well maintained, but inward business, particularly from the United Kingdom and Australia, fell away. The deficit was increased by the fact that it was not possible to obtain return cargoes. On this account many of the voyages resulted in losses.

Railway Business.

"The operations of the company, while showing a loss during 1922, have proved to be a decided advantage to the Canadian National Railways," the report states. "Shipments turned over to the railway for the eleven months ended November 30, 1922, amounted to 172,575 tons, of which should be added 29,645 tons of import freight handled over the Government docks at Vancouver from December 1, 1921, to November 1, 1922. His next command was the Hellopolis, now the Borden. He joined this vessel when it first came into the company's ownership. He had several escapades in this and on one occasion when bound from Montreal to Barry with a cargo of 33,000 quarters of wheat he only evaded a sinking by the skillful handling of the ship. The chief officer, Mr. Hunter, received the Thornycroft award for being the first to sight the submarine.

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CUNARD-CANADIAN SHIPS

The Cunard liner Ausonia is due at Halifax to-morrow. The liner Athenia is announced to-day by the Cunard Line will sail from Montreal May 9. The Ausonia was originally scheduled to sail from Montreal May 5 and the Athenia from Montreal May 4.

WHALING SEASON OPENED TO-DAY

The whaling season officially opens to-day. During the past week or so the steam whalers have put to sea from Point Ellice and the majority of the vessels are now at their stations ready for the annual hunt. Whales are reported at various coast points. "Killers" are operating in Massett Inlet.

The Johnson, Pickett Company, of Manila, will supply the whale line used this year by the Consolidated Whaling Corporation in its operations on this coast, it is reported, the order having been placed through F. Lamont, of Vancouver, Canadian agent.

About 14 miles of lines are used in the harpooning of whales during an ordinary season.

SUGAR SHIP WILL RETURN FOR LUMBER

SS. Margaret Coughlan Coming to Take on Lumber for Montreal

Number of Sugar Carriers Are Heading for Vancouver

After she has discharged her sugar cargo at the Vancouver refinery, the freighter Margaret Coughlan, which passed up the Gulf yesterday from Cuba, will come to Victoria to load part of the lumber for Montreal. The Canadian Puget Sound Lumber Company will supply the local cargo for the Margaret Coughlan.

The Margaret Coughlan arrived yesterday with 7,500 tons of sugar aboard from Cuba.

The steamship Jephtha, of the General Steamship Corporation, is due here to-day from South American ports with 2,000 tons of Peruvian sugar for the Vancouver refinery.

The Jephtha will first go to Powder Point, Nanaimo Bay, to discharge a shipment of nitrates. It is estimated that the Jephtha will have about five tons of sugar to give to the refinery.

The Latin-American freighter Regulus left the Peruvian coast late in April with 3,000 tons of sugar for Vancouver and the Japanese freighter Ryokai Maru left Honolulu April 29 with 6,500 tons of Fiji sugar.

All told, these ships have over 40,000,000 pounds for the B. C. Sugar Refining Company, enough to give about five pounds of sugar to each inhabitant of the Dominion of Canada.

CANNERS LOOK FOR BIG SALMON RUN

According to reports from along the waterfront from men whose interests lie with the fishing fleet and the canneries, this year will be a profitable salmon season.

Salmon are expected to run thickly this year.

The Seabe Hooker Fishing and Packing Company has set out six new traps with a view to increasing their output. In fact almost every company on the coast has been making preparations on a large scale for the big "run" and they will meet the fish with a maze of traps.

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TUGS ARRIVE TO TOW COOLCHA ACROSS STRAIT

Motorship Which Has Been at Esquimalt Since Being Salvaged From Albert Head Reefs, Expected to Leave To-day for Seattle

Under orders to tow the patched-up motorship Coolcha across the Straits, the American tug Humacoona and Dolly C., arrived in port this morning from Seattle. With the "white caps" running outside the tugs were not in a hurry to take hold of their tow, but it is expected that the Coolcha will get away this afternoon, unless the blow gets worse, for Puget Sound.

A complete settlement has been reached in connection with the salvage and temporary repair of the Coolcha. This was after a survey of the Coolcha leaving port on this occasion.

Several weeks ago the tug Sea Monarch slipped into port with the object of taking the Coolcha to Seattle, but unexpected difficulties intervened and the salvaged vessel remained at Esquimalt.

Ashore in February.

The Coolcha went ashore off Albert Head in February during a heavy snowstorm and after negotiating with her owners, the Ocean Motorship Company, the Pacific Salvage Company undertook to salvage the craft. This was done, and the vessel was taken to Esquimalt, where temporary patches were fitted by Yarrow, Ltd., to stem the water finding its way into the hold.

This was after a survey of the ship had been made in drydock and the decision reached that she was beyond repair. Since that time the Coolcha has been lying in Esquimalt Harbor. The tugs will tow the vessel to Seattle, where, it is expected, the engines will be taken out and transferred to another ship.

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Up to an early hour this afternoon the tugs were still moving alongside the Rihel Pier and the Coolcha was still inside Esquimalt Harbor.

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neither was the service in which it is to be used made public.

The steam schooner Hartford, of the Hartwood Lumber Company, which was tied up here for about 35 hours when the members of the crew walked out yesterday, sailed yesterday for Gray's Harbor.

CUTTER BEAR BOUND FOR POINT BARROW

San Francisco, May 1.—The coastguard cutter Bear will sail to-day for Point Barrow, Alaska. The ship makes an annual cruise to the Arctic Circle. Its fractional crew and under command of Captain C. S. Cockeran, will administer Justice, distribute medicine, transport school teachers and attend to other Government business among Alaskan outposts.

DESTROYER ON PRACTICE CRUISE

H.M.C.S. Patricia, Lieut. Oland, R.C.N., left her base in Esquimalt Harbor to-day on a practice cruise which will take her as far as Comox. She will remain at Comox until May 7 for gunnery and torpedo practice. The destroyer will make calls at Dray Harbor and Nanaimo, returning to Esquimalt May 15.

LUCKENBACH LINE HAS TAKEN OVER ANOTHER FREIGHTER

San Francisco, May 1.—It was announced here to-day that the former Shipping Board steamer Edelyn now the Dorothy Luckenbach, has left the Bethlehem yards at Baltimore, after being entirely reconditioned, and is at once entering the service of the Luckenbach Steamship Company. This is the third Shipping Board steamer taken over and reconditioned for this line recently at an expense of more than \$1,000,000.

Members of the fishing fleet continue to leave port daily. Yesterday the Alaska Packers Association barquentine Star of Iceland sailed from Bristol Bay. The motorship Mount Baker, operated by E. M. Peterson, has cleared for Bristol Bay.

F. M. Stark has purchased the five-masted barquentine Montaleone, which is now loading at New Orleans for Pacific coast ports. It was announced to-day. The amount paid for the vessel was not disclosed.

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NEWS IN BRIEF
Chow Kee and 33 other Chinese, charged on remand with being inmates of a gaming house, were remanded until Wednesday for hearing, in city police court to-day.

Conservatives of Saanich will meet next Saturday night at Royal Oak Hall. Addresses will be delivered by W. J. Bowser, K. C. and other prominent members of the party. Steps will be taken to reorganize the Association.

The regular monthly meeting of the Gonzales Chapter I. O. D. E. was held this morning. All members of the chapter are very busy with preparations for the Festival of Art. Miss Wigley addressed the chapter in the interest of the candidate of the Kuntuku Club for Queen of the Maytime Frolic, making a strong plea for the support of all women's organizations, and especially the I. O. D. E. One new member was elected.

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PAY FOR BRIDGE OUT OF TAXES IF BY-LAWS REJECTED
City Would Have to Levy for \$175,000 if Money Measures Were Killed
But Council Confident That Ratepayers Will Approve Loans

If Victoria ratepayers do not approve money by-laws to be laid before them May 12 to raise \$175,000 more for the Johnson Street Bridge project they will have to pay the money anyway out of general taxes this year, it was explained by City Council members to-day, following the preliminary reading of these by-laws before the Council yesterday.

The bridge, aldermen are agreed, must be finished, and the bridge will be used without a road connecting it with Esquimalt. If the ratepayers will not vote the money needed for this work then necessary funds will have to come from general taxes. As all the money is needed this year this would cost the electors \$175,000 in the current budget and would raise the tax rate by a corresponding amount.

It is estimated that, on the present assessment, payment of bridge costs out of ordinary revenue would raise the rate about four mills.

Aldermen Confident.
Mayor Hayward and his colleagues are confident that the ratepayers will endorse the bridge and paving by-laws May 12, but they feel that the electors should know now that the money must be borrowed or paid out of general revenue, so they may decide the question intelligently for themselves.

"I have no doubt that the ratepayers will endorse the money by-laws," the Mayor declared in discussing the bridge question. "The project has been in the air for some time now. It is in talking about turning back now. The money must be spent."

VANCOUVER TO GET N. SHORE BRIDGE
Government to Grant \$100,000 if Plans Are O.K.

The North Shore Bridge for Vancouver was advanced another step this afternoon when Premier Oliver announced that the Government would have all the plans and the whole proposition thoroughly examined by engineers of the Public Works Department, and if the reports are sufficiently favorable will recommend the grant of \$100,000 for the bridge at the next session of the Legislature.

The announcement was made in the executive chamber to a delegation from Vancouver and North Vancouver headed by G. S. Hanes, M.P.P., of North Vancouver, and Ex-Mayor R. H. Gale, of Vancouver.

"The decision of the executive is entirely satisfactory and is greatly appreciated," Mr. Hanes said after the Premier made the announcement. Members of the delegation explained that the Dominion Government had voted \$400,000 and the former Provincial Government had voted \$250,000 annually for several years and \$400,000 in its last two years of office, but none of these votes had been used.

Ex-Mayor Gale's recent delegation to Ottawa had resulted in the Dominion agreeing to grant \$100,000 for the bridge. It was a matter of changing the drawbridge to a bascule, members of the delegation said. Now only \$120,000 is needed above what is guaranteed by the municipalities.

Others in the delegation were: Acting Mayor Bridgman, North Vancouver; Reeve Jack Loster, North Vancouver; Reeve Proctor, West Vancouver; Brigadier-General Victor Odium, A. R. Mann and Engineer Small of the Northern Construction Company.

SCOTTISH FAMILY PUTS BIG DENT IN BRITISH QUOTA
Among the passengers arriving at New York on the Anchor liner Cameronia were the Hendrys, Mrs. Malcolm Hendry, her daughters, Sarah, Mary, Rebecca, Nellie, Jean, and Ruby and her sons, Malcolm, John and Watson—a family of seven daughters and three sons.

Mr. Hendry left Hamilton, Scotland, five months ago and went to work as a miner in Farmington, West Virginia, where he earned \$10 a day and averaged five days a week. He took steps to secure United States citizenship papers and then sent for his wife and family, at the same time putting a great dent in the British quota.

There is another daughter who will follow in July after graduating as a trained nurse in a hospital in Paisley.

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Nine people in ten, when food upsets the stomach causing distress, think they have indigestion. In reality, they are suffering from "acid stomach." An excess of acid in the stomach causes gas, heartburn, bloating and sourness. To have a strong healthy stomach capable of easily and normally digesting three hearty meals a day you simply must keep these stomach acids neutralized and the stomach contents sweet.

No artificial digestants are necessary. Just get a few ounces of Bisurated Magnesia from any good drug store and take a teaspoonful of the powder or two tablets in a half glass of water right after eating or whenever the slightest pain is felt. The result is amazing and you will be delighted with the almost instant relief it brings. This famous stomach sweetener combines Magnesia and Bismuth in desirable proportions and is not only splendidly effective, but perfectly harmless. Its regular use keeps the stomach sweet, strong and healthy all the time.

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TOO TRUSTFUL
The police are looking to-day for a man who fell heir to an unexpected slice of the "rave offering" tendered to Rev. Dr. C. S. Price by the thousands at the Willows Arena on Sunday. Standing in the crowded ranks of the overflow gathering outside the arena a well dressed sober looking individual, took off his hat and solemnly announced that he was collecting for Dr. Price. Eagerly supporters of the evangelist thrust bills and silver into the hat. As the man continued his rounds the hat became full to the brim. Then he disappeared.

QUEEN CONTESTS STANDING AT NOON
Committee Reverses Policy and Reverts to Figures

Destined by the committee in charge of arrangements to yield \$4,000, the sale of photo-tickets in the May Queen contest already total nearly \$3,000 up to noon to-day, according to figures issued by the official committee at that hour. Over 250,000 votes have been sold.

The largest single vote was that of the Hudson's Bay Company's candidate, Miss Victoria Arnall, whose supporters to-day rose to 120,000 votes. The Navy entered newly in the contest, took second place, with 29,500 votes; Rotary third with 24,000, and the Civil Service a close fourth with 23,650 votes.

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Navy	29,500
Rotary	24,000
Civil Service	23,650
C. P. R.	20,500
B. C. E. R.	20,400
B. A. Paint	12,100
Ex-Service	10,800
Ku Klux	8,800
Stevenson's	8,470
City Hall	7,100
Gyro	5,500
Army	No returns in

PAGEANT WILL TAKE FORM OF MUSICAL PLAY
Major Taylor, Director of the Pageant, on May 25, stated to The Times to-day: "I should be glad, if through the medium of The Times, you will permit me to make it clear that the entertainment will be in the form of a musical play. The performers will assemble behind the scenes, where they can leave their cloaks and hats in suitable shelters, and they will come on to the stage in the same manner as they would in any theatre."

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TODAY I AM REAL WELL
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Jamesstown, N. Y.—"I was nervous, easily excited and discouraged and had no ambition. Part of the time I was not able to sit up as I suffered with pains in my back and with weakness. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, both the liquid and tablet forms, and used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash for inflammation. Today I am real well and run a rooming house and do the work. I recommend your medicine to every woman who complains, and you may use my letter to help any one else. I am passing through the Change of Life now and I keep the Vegetable Compound in the house, ready to take when I feel the need of it."—Mrs. ALICE D. DAVIS, 203 W. Second St., Jamesstown, N. Y.

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WOMAN WRESTLES WITH MANIAC
Fight in Dark With Homicidal Room Mate

A desperate fight in the dark with a demented woman struggling with the fury of a maniac was the terrible experience of a Victoria resident last night.

Awakened from her bed by the cold hands of an antagonist who clasped in agonized force around her throat the lady struggled up in bed and commenced a fight for her life. In the dark the two women wrestled grimly, one with the sole idea of self preservation—and the other with the blind unreasoning fury of the mad. The noise awakened other residents of the house, and the police were called. The unfortunate victim of the maniac's most vicious attack to-day was put under medical examination with a view to discovering what could be done to correct the mental condition. Two other cases of mania were reported to the police, and in one case the unfortunate victim of mental disorder is to be removed to the Mental Hospital at New Westminster.

SOLICITOR AND CLIENT DISPUTE
Mrs. Newcombe on Box in Lawsuit

The trial of the action of Newcombe vs. Green was resumed in Supreme Court this morning before Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald. The chief witness was Mrs. Sarah Newcombe. She told the story of her various banking accounts. Her money was kept separate until April, 1911, when some property was sold, and this money was put to her account. She opened her first account in 1914 with the Bank of British North America and a year or two later with the Bank of Commerce. When the B. C. Permanent started she began banking there, and gradually transferred most of her money there as it paid four per cent. She knew the defendant J. R. Green. He acted as her solicitor from March, 1917 to July, 1922. She was in his office frequently, and he came several times to her home in Saanich. On December 15, 1920, she was served with a writ by the liquidator of the National Finance Co. She then went to Mr. Green's office. He came in and said, "I see the Yorkshire are after you," whereupon she left.

"I said, I don't want any legal advice from you, you took one case to court and lost it, and you'll not take another. I have given my word to the National Finance Co. I will pay this account in full," he said. "You are a foolish woman if you do. Take my advice and do nothing of the kind," he said. "No judge or court would under the circumstances set these assignments aside." He produced a law book from the shelf and proved to her that they could not under any circumstances be set aside, it being more than four years since they were made.

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Some Little Someone. Fox Trot. Confrey's Orchestra.
Starlight Bay. Fox Trot. Benson Orchestra.
Falling. Fox Trot. Paul Whiteman's Orchestra.
Think of Me. Fox Trot. Benson Orchestra.
University Lancers. Novelty Orchestra.
Bambolina. Fox Trot. Paul Whiteman's Orchestra.
Man in the Moon. Fox Trot. The Troubadours.
Whoa, Tillie, Take Your Time. Fox Trot. The Virginians.

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Cleveland, May 1.—What a difference \$100,000 makes! Four years ago, Willie Kamm, a slight youngster, made the jump from the sandlots of class AA ball-out in the Pacific Coast League. It was an occasion to make the youngster embarrassed and almost a victim of "buck fever."

Kamm's way, or he went to bat. The fans wanted him to do brilliant fielding. He handled his chances gracefully. The fans wanted brilliant batting. He cracked the right field fence with a double after two at-bats.

humbly hope I can fulfill the hopes Mr. Gleason has placed in me. But I am only one player—a "bush" at that—and it takes at least nine men to win a game.

SOCCER CHAMPIONS FETED IN LONDON

Lloyd George Proposes Health of Bolton Wanderers; Off With Cup London, May 1.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Carrying the Association Cup which they won on Saturday at Wembley, the triumphant Bolton team were entertained at luncheon at the House of Commons restaurant yesterday by Sir William Edge, the National Liberal member for Bolton.

VICTORIA LACROSSE PRACTICE TO-MORROW

The practice of the Victoria Lacrosse Club which was set for this evening at the stadium has been changed until to-morrow night. All players are asked to be at the stadium at 6.15 o'clock and a good workout is planned.

COLWOOD GOLF MATCH

The monthly medal competition of the Colwood Golf Club will be held to-morrow. There will be one round of 18 holes.

NEW REGULATIONS ARE EFFECTIVE AT COLWOOD LINKS

Local golfers who are not members of the Colwood Golf and Country Club are reminded that the new regulations governing playing facilities at this popular course went into effect to-day.

SIKI ACCEPTS CARP'S CHALLENGE FOR BOUT

Paris, May 1.—Batting Siki has accepted Georges Carpentier's recent challenge for a return bout, says L'Auto. The fight is likely to take place next September.

COLLEGIAN TWIRLS PERFECT BALL GAME

Athens, Ga., May 1.—Fred Sale, diminutive right-hander of the University of Georgia, pitched a perfect game against the University of Virginia here yesterday afternoon. Not a man hit safely, not one reached first base, and only 27 men faced him. Georgia won the game 4 to 0.

MARQUESS AS FIGHTER A JOLLY GOOD SPORT

Rivetter From Clyde Shipyards Wins Decision in Amateur Middleweight Glasgow, May 1.—The Marquess of Douglas and Clydesdale, the Duke of Hamilton's heir, has just missed winning the Scottish amateur boxing middleweight championship, having been beaten on points by J. J. Robinson, of Leith Victoria Club.

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The marquis has true fighting spirit, and all he lacks is condition. Physically he was only partially trained, and this may account for his defeat.

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The light went to a decision by the judges, and both agreed that Robinson had won on points. There were some who thought the marquis had done enough to earn the verdict.

Cricket Teams Play

Six Clubs to Perform in Victoria and District League and Another Half-Dozen in Wednesday League, With Winners Meeting For Championship of This City; Former League Will Stage Opening Games on Saturday, May 12

Before the middle of this month cricket will be in full swing in Victoria, with twelve first-class teams seeking the city championship. Six elevens will play in the Victoria and District League for the Virtue Cup, while another half-dozen clubs will seek the Payne Trophy, emblematic of the Wednesday League title.

Coveleskie Turns Back Tigers' Rush

New York, May 1.—Sixth, seventh and eighth places in the National League standing, and seventh and eighth places in the American League were unoccupied to-day, indicating that hard and close fights are being made in both circuits. The New York Giants had a clear two-game lead in the National over Chicago and Cincinnati, who were tied for second place, just a notch above Boston and Philadelphia dwelling together in third place, crowded by Pittsburgh and St. Louis, who were tied in fourth place.

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Old Country Football

London, May 1.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Results of Association football games played yesterday were: Second League. Coventry 2; Southampton, 0. Southern Division—Second League. Bristol Rovers, 1; Brentford, 1.

International Chess

Carlsbad, May 1.—Alexander Alechine, of Russia, defeated A. Rubenstein, of Poland, in the feature match of the international chess congress yesterday. Richard Reti, of Czechoslovakia, defeated J. Brnstrlik, New York; Alexander Alechine, Russia, defeated E. Gruenfeld, Austria; A. Niemowitch, Denmark, defeated P. D. Yates, England, and Sir George Thomas, England, defeated R. Spielmann, Germany.

Victoria Dogs Did Well in Vancouver

Victoria dog fanciers did very well at the Vancouver Dog Show last week in the mainland city. Charlie Goodwin's pointer won the special and Mr. Talbot's pointer won the winners. Mr. Turner's English setter did very well. Mr. McGrew and Gharry's Irish setter won the special.

Australian Riflemen May Visit Dominion

Melbourne, May 1.—(Canadian Press Cable)—It is announced that an Australian rifle team will shoot at Blaisy in 1924 and may later also visit Canada.

Golfers of Renown Enter Competition Set for Sandwich

Sandwich, Eng., May 1.—The entry list for the St. George's Challenge Cup competition which takes place on the Royal St. George course to-morrow and Thursday, embraces names renowned among the British amateurs. There are 121 entries in all. The members of the United States Golfing Expedition to England will all compete in this event.

"Explosion" Shot From Sand Trap Calls For Tremendous Blow, Says Sarazen

By GENE SARAZEN World's Champion Golfer

In making the "explosion" shot out of the trap I here again use the interlocking grip. In making a clean shot from the trap I employ the overlapping grip. The reason for the shift is that the "explosion" shot calls for a tremendous blow in which there is a great demand upon the strength of the wrists and arms.

Another glance at the picture will reveal that I am gripping the club at least eight inches from the end of the shaft, with the right hand on the wood. In this position the ball is played on a centre line of the stance. The clubhead should be two inches above and just behind the ball on the address, just as in making a clean shot. But the backswing for the "explosion" is higher and firmer than for the clean shot.



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Dempsey Will Get \$300,000 For Next Bout

Chicago, May 1.—Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight pugilist champion, will defend his title against Tom Gibbons, St. Paul challenger, at Shelby, Montana, on July 4, in a fifteen-round bout to a decision, Loy Molmby, State Commander of the Montana American Legion, announced last night. Molmby said that an agreement was reached last night over long distance telephone with Jack Kearns, Dempsey's manager.

Nice Fat Sum for Meeting Tom Gibbons in Shelby, Mont., on July 4

Earlier in the evening before the Chicago report arrived, however, Kearns freely discussed terms for the proposed match, and said he expected a telephone call from Loy Molmby, Montana Commander of the American Legion, who made the announcement in Chicago.

Quits' Handicap

Twelve players took part in the handicap of the Victoria Quits Club on Saturday. The usual good play was seen, D. McMillan taking first place by beating his opponent by a few shots.

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On Sale Wednesday Morning

Do not fail to take advantage of this special offering of Hudson's Bay Furs. A wonderful assortment to choose from, and all specially priced for our May Anniversary Sale.

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| Grey Coney Chokers | \$6.00 | Mink Chokers | \$20.00 |
| American Opossum Chokers | \$7.50 | Squirrel Chokers | \$18.50 |
| Sable Opossum Chokers | \$12.50 | French Seal Ties | \$14.00 |
| Ermine Chokers | \$12.50 | Beaver Ties | \$30.00 |
| Skunk Chokers | \$16.50 | Fox Scarves, black, brown, taupe and natural red | \$55.00 |
| Fitch Chokers | \$16.50 | Platinum Grey Fox Scarves | \$65.00 |
| Wolf Chokers and Scarves, in black, brown and taupe | \$23.75 | White Fox Scarves | \$80.00 |
| Platinum and Beige Thibet Chokers | \$20.00 | Mole Scarves | \$80.00 |
- Second Floor

25th ANNIVERSARY SALE

In Addition to the Remarkable Values Already Advertised We are Offering Another Page of Extra Special Bargains for Wednesday Morning ∴ ∴ SHOP EARLY

Women's Silk Gloves At \$1.15 Pair

Women's Silk Gloves, good wearing quality, with 2 dome fasteners, and fancy embroidered points, in black and white only. Size 6½. May Anniversary Sale Wednesday Morning, at, per pair \$1.15

Scarves and Silk Nets At Special Prices

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| Colored Silk Scarves, with drop-stitch designs, in self colors, in wine, nigger and mauve. May Anniversary Sale, each | \$2.50 |
| 36-Inch Net, in all the fashionable and staple colors, suitable for scarves, dress foundations, dresses and trimmings. Extra good value. May Anniversary Sale, at, per yard | 79c |

Notion Department Specials

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| Nick-Rack Braid, in variegated colors, 3 and 4-yard lengths, suitable for house-dresses, children's dresses and other trimming purposes; in pink and white, green and white, gold and white, blue and white, red and white, etc. Special Wednesday, at, per piece | 10c |
| English Made Safety Pins, best nickel plated brass, with guarded coil, small sizes only. May Anniversary Sale, special, 3 cards for | 20c |

Sale Specials in Women's and Children's Hose

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| Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose, with lisle tops, heels and toes; have slight imperfections; in colors of black, white, brown, navy and beige. All sizes, 8½ to 10. May Anniversary Sale, special, per pair | \$1.25 |
| Children's All-wool Golf Hose, with fancy roll tops, in Lovat and heather shades. Sizes 6½ to 9½. May Anniversary Sale, special, per pair | 59c |

Savings in Drug Sundries

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| Cuticura Soap, 75c value | 63¢ | Sponge Bags, 50c value | 37¢ |
| Robinson's Patent Barley, 50c value | 43¢ | After Shave Lotion, 50c value | 37¢ |
| Peroxide, 75c value | 58¢ | Ingram's Cold Cream, 35c value | 23¢ |
| Painkiller, 50c value | 37¢ | Liquid Shampoo, 50c value | 37¢ |
| Phosferine Tablets, 50c value | 37¢ | Williams' Turkish Bath Soap, 35c value | 23¢ |
| Floermond's Face Powder, 45c value | 37¢ | Pure Coconut Oil, 25c value | 18¢ |
| Mercuric, 50c value | 35¢ | Pure Green Soap, 25c value | 18¢ |
| D'Orsay Face Powder, \$1.15 value | \$1.15 | Pure Castor Oil, 4 ozs. | 18¢ |
| Pine Egg Shampoo, 35c value | 23¢ | Pure Olive Oil, 3 ozs. | 18¢ |

Groceries Specially Priced for a Busy Morning

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| Clarke's Assorted Soups (excepting chicken). Anniversary Price, 3 tins for | 37c | Nabob Brand Beans, including Vanilla, Raspberry, Strawberry, Orange, Rose Pink, or Lemon. Anniversary Price, 2 pkts for 25c | 25c |
| Ameux Freres Brand French Sardines, in pure olive oil. Anniversary Price, per tin | 30c | Sankey's Sudz, the Super Yellow Soap. Anniversary Price, 3 pkts for | 25c |
| Choicest Quality Boneless Kipper Snacks. Anniversary Price, 3 tins for | 25c | Patterson's Royal Burgh Afternoon Tea Oatcakes. Anniversary Price, per tin | 35c |
| Hudson's Bay Co.'s Special Breakfast Tea. Anniversary Price, per lb. | 47c | Finest Quality Bulk California Seedless Raisins. Anniversary Price, 3 lbs. for | 46c |
| 3 lbs. for | \$1.35 | Hudson's Bay Co.'s Pure New Zealand Honey, in 13½-ounce bottles. Anniversary Price, per bottle | 30c |
| 5 lbs. for | \$2.25 | (Note, 10c refund on return of empty bottles.) | |
| 10 lbs. for | \$4.45 | | |
| Del Monte Brand Fancy Quality Dri-Pak Prunes, 5 lb. tin. Anniversary Price, per tin | \$1.00 | | |
| Clark's Ready Lunch Beef Ham Loaf, Veal Loaf, Beef Loaf, or Cooked Corned Beef. Anniversary Price, 2 tins for | 37c | | |
- Lower Main Floor

PIPE SMOKERS!

During our May Anniversary Sale we are offering special reductions on several lines of Pipes. Prices \$1.75, \$1.50, \$1.00, 75¢ and 50¢. All shapes and styles included.

Women's Wool Jumpers

A Special Bargain at \$1.98

Smart Jumpers of pure wool, in a novelty weave, with round shaped neck, long sleeves and narrow girdle. Come in pretty combination colorings and plain shades. May Anniversary Sale \$1.98 |

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Underwear Specials

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| Women's Vests, Special 45c
Cotton Knit Vests, ribbed or flat knit, tailored top or finished with beading, opera top, strap shoulders or short sleeves. Sizes 34 to 44. Anniversary Sale | 45c |
| Women's Cotton Knit Bloomers, Special 45c
Well made garments with gusset. Come in pink and white. Sizes 34 to 44. Anniversary Sale | 45c |
| Sanitary Aprons
Made from pure Para-rubber, nice light weight, upper portion of marquisette. Value 95c. May Anniversary Sale | 69c |
| Corsets at \$1.00
Made from strong quality coutil in pink or white. Some with semi-elastic top, others in medium bust line. Sizes 20 to 28. May Anniversary Sale | \$1.00 |
| Bandeau Brassieres
Made from pink or white granite cloth, also from novelty batiste, for slight, medium or full figures, front or back fastening. Sizes 32 to 44. May Anniversary Sale | 59c |

Extraordinary Values in FOOTWEAR

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| Women's Grey Polo Cloth Shoes, \$2.50
In the popular one-strap style fastening, with two buttons. Made in a smart last with trim Cuban heel. Sizes 2½ to 7. May Anniversary Sale | \$2.50 |
| Women's Street Oxfords at \$3.95
For Wednesday selling only we have grouped a number of high-grade Oxfords, in a varied range of styles, but in broken sizes. Included are semi-dress and street styles, with light welted soles and smart Cuban heels. Sizes 2½ to 8½ only. Values \$2 to \$5.00. May Anniversary Sale | \$3.95 |
| Children's Boots, Reduced to \$3.00 a Pair
Included are button and lace Boots, in black and brown kid, patent leather and combinations of grey and black, brown and black, and black and white. Sizes 4 to 10½. All our regular Hudson's Bay Quality Shoes specially reduced for Wednesday morning. May Anniversary Sale | \$3.00 |
- Main Floor

ANOTHER GREAT SHIRT SPECIAL Men's Negligee Shirts With Silk Fronts and Cuffs—Special \$1.79

These Shirts have the appearance of being made from all silk; the fronts and cuffs are silk and the body made from soft quality percale of the same colorings and pattern. Choice selection of novelty stripes. Well made Shirts cut on good generous proportions, comfortable fitting. All sizes from 14 to 17. Just about 300 in the lot. Shop early to secure a good choice. May Anniversary Sale \$1.79 |

—Main Floor

A Wonderful Value Sports Dresses

—AT— \$5.95

Smart, serviceable dresses, suitable for beach or sports wear. Made from good quality home-spun cloths in shades of henna, blue, orchid, rose with a white cheek design and plain shades of Paddy, henna, China blue, fawn and others; neat fitting style with shawl or Peter Pan collars, with tie girdle or belt of self material; elbow length sleeves finished with cuff; all sizes. Many Anniversary Sale



\$5.95 —Second Floor

See Our Oddment Table in the Children's Section

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| Bibs, Novelty Feeders, Baracoats, Diaper Covers, Jiffy Pants, Buggy Covers, Yokes, Silk Jackets, Gertrude Slips, Rompers, Bonnets and Infants' Novelties—
ALL GREATLY REDUCED | |
| Children's 100% Pure Wool Slip-On Sweaters, Special \$1.00
Smart little Sweaters of soft quality wool, in white, trimmed with dainty touches of pink or turquoise; others in pink, trimmed white or turquoise. Anniversary Sale | \$1.00 |
| Children's Bathrobes, Value \$2.98, Special \$1.49
Bathrobes of lovely soft eiderdown, made with round collar, long sleeves and silk cord girdle. Come in sky, and pink. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Value \$2.98. Anniversary Sale, each | \$1.49 |

75 Boys' Bloomer Suits \$10.95 Each

The season's smartest models in Boy's Bloomer Suits. Bought at a special price and passed on to you at the same substantial savings. Made from long-wearing tweeds in light and dark colorings. Sizes 25 to 35. Shop early for this exceptional value. May Anniversary Sale \$10.95 |

The Staple Section Offers Some Very Special Values for Wednesday Morning Shoppers

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| Tray Cloths, 69c
Nice quality Tray Cloths, neatly hemstitched all round, also suitable for using on Princess dressers. Anniversary Sale Price, each | 69c | Tea Napkins, \$4.50 a Dozen
A beautiful quality Afternoon Tea Napkin, in very fine linen, neatly embroidered design on one corner. Size 12 inches. Anniversary Sale Price, per dozen .. | \$4.50 |
| Asbestos Mats, 19c Each
The ideal Mat to save your cloths from being spoiled by hot dishes. Covered with white leatherette, which is easily cleaned. 7 inches in diameter. Anniversary Sale Price, each | 19c | Colored Turkish Toweling, 22c a Yard
A splendid absorbent quality Turkish Toweling; in brown, with red stripes; very suitable for roller or small hand towels. 18 inches wide. Anniversary Sale Price, per yard | 22c |

Figured Cotton Crepe, 39c Yd.

Here is the Crepe you need for your Summer Kimona or Negligee. Comes in fancy designs on pink, blue, mauve and grey background. 28 inches wide. May Anniversary Sale, per yard 39c |

English Worsteds at Half Price

Here is your opportunity to cut down your Dressmaking expenses. Real English worsteds in plain grey and herringbone and pinhead effects, also navy with a hairline stripe. 56 inches wide. May Anniversary Sale, per yard \$2.25 |

Special Savings in Floor Coverings

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| Feltol Floor Covering 42c Sq. Yard
Positively the best value in an inexpensive Floor Covering on the market. Wide selection of good patterns suitable for any room in the house. 6 feet wide. May Anniversary Sale, per square yard | 42c | 50 Reversible Wool Rugs Value \$3.50 for \$2.29
Just enough of these Rugs to last a morning's brick business. Size 27 x 48 inches, heavy quality, with fringed ends. Pleasing patterns. May Anniversary Sale, each | \$2.29 |
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Drapery Special

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| New Filet Curtain Nets, \$1.00 Value for 50c Yard
Extra good quality Scotch Filet-Nets, in white, cream or ivory. 40 to 50 inches wide. Value \$1.00. May Anniversary Sale, per yard | 59c |
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Window Shades—69c

Size 37 inches by 6 ft., to fit any average size window. Green opaque cloth of good wearing quality, mounted on easy running rollers. Complete with fittings. May Anniversary Sale, each 69c |

—Third Floor

Electrical Goods at Big Savings

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| Electric Irons
Do your ironing in comfort during the Summer months and get one of these guaranteed Electric Irons. Standard size 6 lbs. weight. Value \$6.00. May Anniversary Sale | \$4.50 |
| 50 Electric Disc Stoves, \$2.95 Each
A hundred uses may be found for this convenient little stove. No need to light up the range when you want to boil the kettle or heat baby's milk. Value \$2.95. May Anniversary Sale | \$2.95 |
| Electrical Percolators
Beautiful Panel Side Aluminum Percolators; make your coffee right at the table without fuss or bother. May Anniversary Sale | \$10.95 |

ELECTRIC LAMPS

500 Electric Lamps, 25 and 40 watt, fully guaranteed. Special Wednesday morning, each

25c

—Lower Main Floor

Croquet Sets—\$5.95

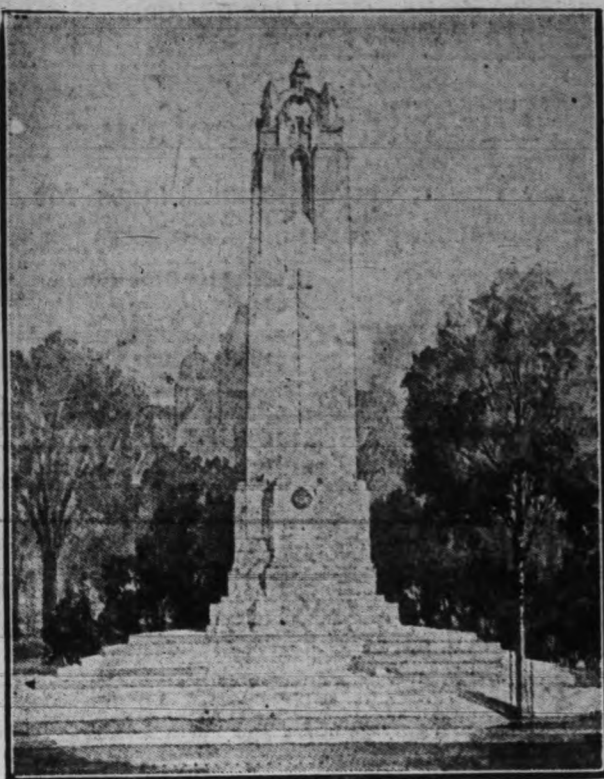
Standard Croquet Sets, complete with strong wood box. Buy a set now at this special price, and enjoy the pleasures of this most delightful Summer pastime. May Anniversary Sale \$5.95 |

—Lower Main Floor

Specials from Toyland

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| Kiddies' Garden Spades, 25c
Wood and Metal Garden Spades, specially grouped to sell Wednesday morning at the Anniversary Sale Price of | 25c |
| All Wood Toy Blocks, 39c
Lettered and Pictured Blocks, with round corners, 12 in a box. Value 50c. May Anniversary Sale | 39c |
| Novelty Balloon Sets, 35c
Five Balloons in a box, valve and whistling balloons, 5 different styles. May Anniversary Sale, per set | 35c |
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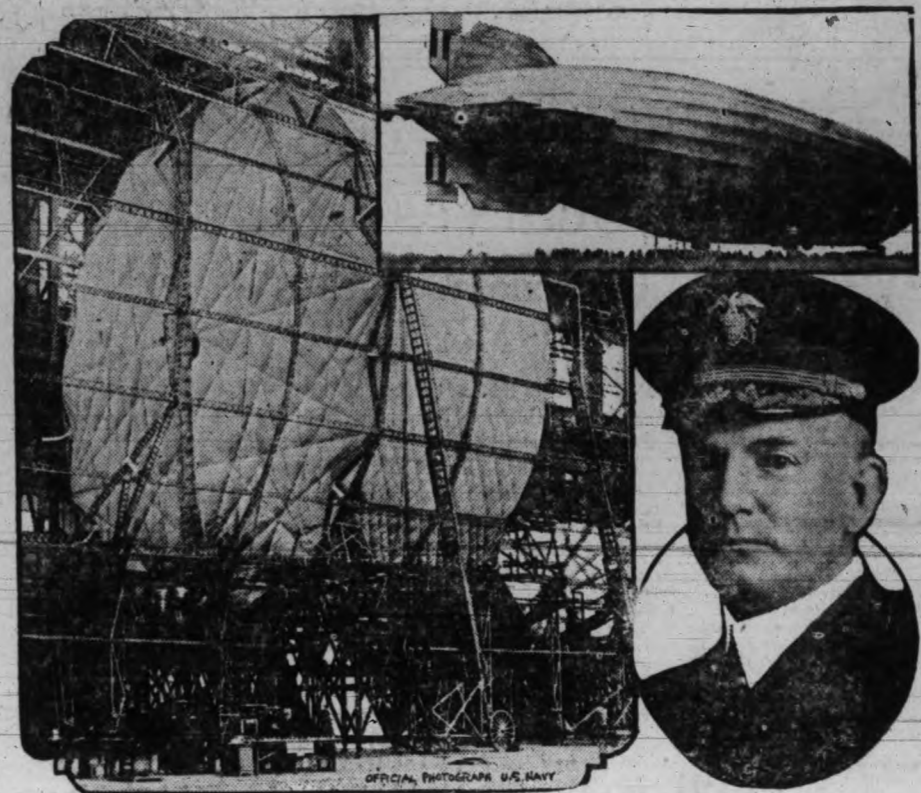
War memorial to be erected in Queen's Park, Toronto, by the 48th Highlanders.



Miss Maudeone puts all her energy into one great leap and wins the broad jump at the Women's Olympiad at Monaco, with her pigtail flying in the wind and the British flag on her uniform.



Tradition has decreed a beautiful girl must reign every year as queen of the Fresno, Calif., raisin festival. Marie Gerard, Delano, Calif., has been chosen this year. Does she uphold tradition? Look at her picture above and decide.



Construction work on the ZR-1 at the naval aeronautic station, Lakehurst, N. J., is shown at left, right, the ill-fated ZR-2. Inset, Rear-Admiral William A. Moffett, Chief of the Navy Bureau of Aeronautics.

Oh, For Indian Days!



This "Indian princess" is Josephine Iva Rider, daughter of ex-Senator T. C. Rider, Muskogee, Okla. She's been four years on the concert stage taking a leading role in the Indian opera "Natoma."



Congressman A. J. Volstead who makes Americans drink water, snapped as he left Washington to retire to private life in Minnesota.



Cardinal Mercier Roman Catholic Primate of Belgium, advocates a world-wide crusade against the Russian Soviet.



Frank A. Murray western editor of the Wall Street Journal, and veteran newspaperman, is dead, aged 53.



Dr. George Badgerow formerly of Toronto, is treating Premier Bonar Law of Great Britain for his throat trouble.

But Where's His Sea Hoss?

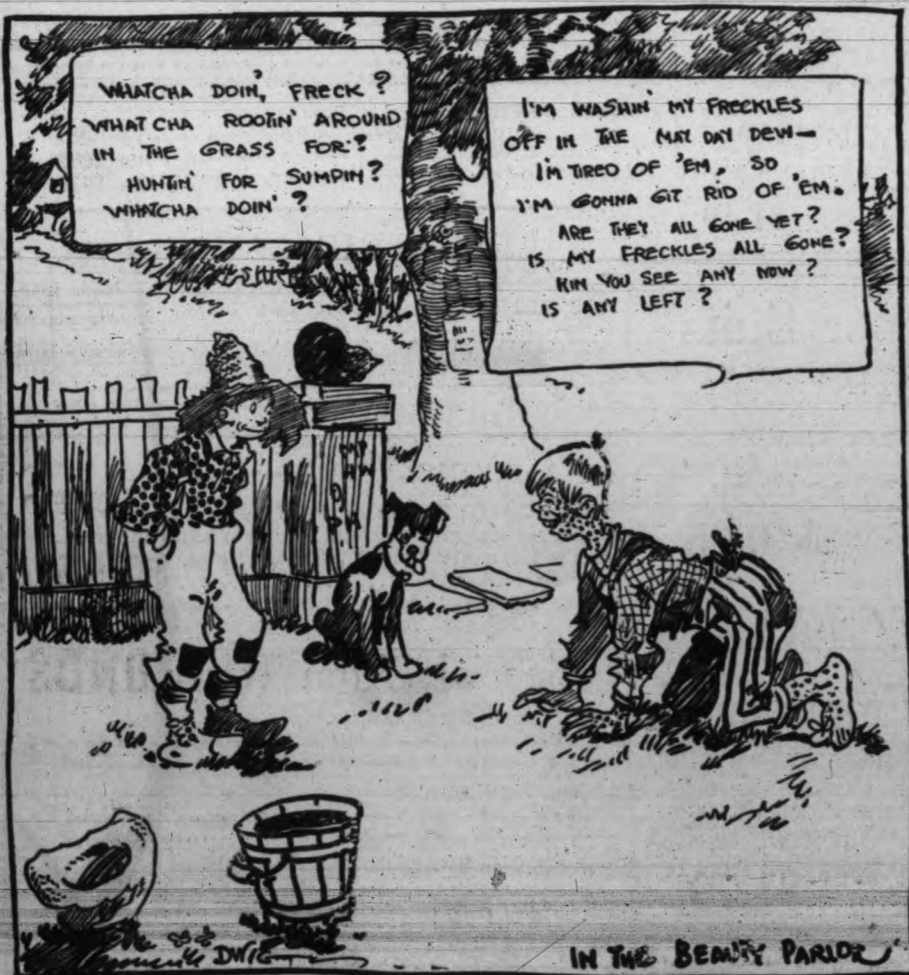


Though the wife and daughter of Tom Mix, movie actor, are suitably attired for cruising on their new \$40,000 yacht, Tom apparently thinks he can navigate just as well in the wild west garb that gained him fame.

SCHOOL DAYS

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By DWIG



Miss Norma Niblock chosen as Toronto's most beautiful girl, by Rudolph Valentino, of whom you've probably heard. He used to play in the movies, and has been married to his present wife, several times.



Two prominent labor members of the Ontario Legislature, who will seek re-election in the coming campaign, are K. K. Homuth (left) of South Waterloo, and Chas. F. Swayze (right), of Niagara Falls, who is whip of the labor group.



This is the parade at Dallas, Tex., of the Order of American Women, supposed to be a feminine auxiliary to the Ku Klux Klan. More than 7,500 masked men and hooded women took part. They were led by the woman rider you see in the foreground.

Acts in Grandsire's Play



This is Lillith Owen. She's dancing and taking a part in the play "Peer Gynt," written by her illustrious grandfather, Henrik Ibsen, and now playing in New York.

LASTEST NEWS OF THE MARKETS

COMPILES OIL FACTS

Oil City Derrick issues Booklet Review of Industry on This Continent...

SEATTLE-VICTORIA AIR MAIL SERVICE TENDERS INVITED

Seattle, May 1.—Bids to carry mail between Seattle and Victoria, B. C., by seaplane, for the twelve months commencing July 1 will be received at the Postmaster-General's office in Washington, D. C., until 4:30 o'clock, May 19, it was announced today by Postmaster Charles M. Perkins.

MAN ACCUSED OF KILLING TWO TAKEN IN NEBRASKA

Scotts Bluff, Neb., May 1.—After a fight in which Sheriff Hessler of Ogallala, Neb., was slain, Harold Albert Peterson of Scotts Bluff, was captured north of Kearney, Neb., early today according to word received here today. Allen may die if his wounds, it was stated.

Meeting of the Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie, No. 12, Wednesday, May 2. Business of importance. All members requested to attend.

W. W. LAING, Secretary.

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The goods are in excellent condition, much never having been used, and should be seen to be appreciated. The goods will be on view on Friday from 10 to 5, also on morning of sale, or by appointment.

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EXCHANGE SUMMARY

New York, May 1.—Foreign exchange irregular. Quotations in cents. Great Britain—Demand 463 1/2; cables 464; 60-day bills on banks 462. France—Demand 673 1/2; cables 674. Italy—Demand 4.88; cables 4.88 1/2. Belgium—Demand 5.80; cables 5.80 1/2. Germany—Demand .0033; cables .0033 1/2. Holland—Demand 39.00; cables 39.12. Norway—Demand 17.00. Sweden—Demand 26.70. Denmark—Demand 18.88. Switzerland—Demand 18.07. Spain—Demand 15.23. Greece—Demand 1.20. Poland—Demand .0021. Czechoslovakia—Demand 2.98 1/2. Argentina—Demand 36.50. Brazil—Demand 10.70. Montreal 92.1-16. Call money easier; high 5 1/2; low 5; ruling rate 5 1/2; selling bid 5; offered at 5 1/2; last loan 5. Call loans against acceptances 5. Time loans former: mixed collateral 60-90 days 5 1/4 @ 5 1/2; 4-6 months 5 1/2. Prime commercial paper 5 @ 5 1/4.

GRAIN TRADE IS TO BE INVESTIGATED

Mr. Justice Turgeon, of Saskatchewan, Chairman of Federal Commission

Ottawa, May 1.—Mr. Justice W. F. A. Turgeon of Saskatchewan has been selected as chairman of the royal commission which will investigate all branches of the grain trade in Canada, it was announced by Hon. James Robb, Minister of Trade and Commerce.

The other commissioners are Dean W. J. Rutherford, of the Agriculture Department of the University of Saskatchewan; D. A. McGibbon, Professor of Economics in Alberta University; and J. G. Scott, of Quebec.

Mr. Robb stated that the commission has been given the very broad powers. It will make thorough investigation of the grain trade within Canada. It is appointed on the recommendation of the Special Parliamentary Committee on Agriculture, which asked that "a full and searching inquiry be made into all aspects of the grain trade in Canada, and that for this purpose a royal commission be appointed clothed with full powers, not only from the Dominion Government but also from all provinces desiring to co-operate in such inquiry."

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SOUTH BERRY MARKET

Retail Figures Show a Few Changes To-day

Victoria has received the initial shipment of strawberries from the California farms. The second shipment will come in during the latter part of this week. The price has been set for fifty cents per box. May 15 is the date for berries from Washington, and Ollala will be at least among the foremost districts with its production. If not the first, according to C. J. Kallgren, of the North Pacific Co-operative Berry Growers, who has just returned to Seattle after a trip over the different producing sections in order to check up on the situation. Van Diemen will be the first berries on the market. Gold Dollars and Marshals will follow.

Cysters and smelts are now off the fish market, having gone out of season. Salmon stands at 35c. for red and 25c. for white fish per pound. With the opening of the salmon traps within the week will come a quick reduction in price. Local dealers are satisfied that Thursday will see a cut in the salmon, and that the trap fish will speedily fill the market.

Feed corn meal, cracked feed and whole corn have all taken a jump of one dollar in price per ton, and are now standing at \$47 and \$45 respectively.

Retail prices are as follows:

Table with columns: Vegetables, Fruits, and various items like Turnips, Carrots, Spinach, etc.

TOBACCO PRODUCTS GET CONTROL OF TACKETTS

Montreal, May 1.—Control in Tuckets, the Hamilton, Ont., tobacco company, has been sold to the Tobacco Products Corporation of Canada, Ltd., subsidiary of an American concern, according to The Star.

Current rumors in the street place the amount, however, will be offered shareholders of Tuckets at \$70 to \$75 per share for the common and \$100 for the preferred.

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Also at 11 o'clock in Our Stockyard, usual lots of Poultry, Rabbits, Wire Netting, Grindstone, etc.

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FURTHER REACTION IN STOCK MARKET

New York, May 1.—The market opened about unchanged from last night, and after a period of relative inactivity, representative chiefly of short covering by some of the professional element, the list again turned reactionary. The weakness became more pronounced in the late dealing and bid prices were at or around the low levels of the day. Many issues showed very low conditions for the rest of the day's turnover. Outside demand was again absent and it was noted that when the latter demand for shorts had spent its force, the list began to sag in the absence of an aggressive sustaining power. In spite of trade news coming to hand, which are of a constructive nature, the stock market continues reactionary. We do not believe that the fluctuating movement has had any effect on the generally anticipated further adjustment of quotations at the expense of values.

Ally-Chalmers ... 42 1/2

Am. Beet Sugar ... 48 1/2

Am. Can. ... 117 1/2

Am. Ice Corp. ... 112 1/2

Am. Locomotive ... 112 1/2

Am. Smelt & Ref. ... 59 1/2

Am. Sugar ... 122 1/2

Am. Wool ... 91 1/2

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TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE (Burdick Bros. Limited.)

New York sterling, \$4.63-7. France, 67 1/2. New York funds, 2 per cent.

TO-DAY'S TRADING IN WINNIPEG MARKETS

Winnipeg, May 1.—Deliveries through the clearing house featured today's session of the local wheat market. The deliveries of wheat were extremely heavy, amounting to 15,750,000 bushels, which established a record for one day's deliveries on the exchange here. The direct cause of the large Winnipeg deliveries was the late opening of Lake navigation. The market opened a little firmer, following higher cables and the unsettled weather in the Canadian West, but trade was not large and, following an easier trend in Chicago, prices slumped here and October at a decline of 1/4 cent yesterday.

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CALIFORNIA FRUITS FILL LOCAL DEMAND

Strawberries and Cherries Plentiful; Onions and Potatoes May Take Jump

Although butter and fresh made cheese have declined in price on the wholesale markets, the well-matured September-made cheeses remain steady. These are the only changes in the dairy line. But fruit, coming from the California farms, is changing almost daily in value.

Another shipment of California strawberries has just arrived, with twenty boxes to the crate. Today's selling price is \$6.75 per crate, just one dollar lower in price per crate than last week's shipment. California cherries will be on the market in time for the twenty-fourth of May trade.

Navel oranges have advanced in price, but as the season is nearly over, the supply is limited. The price may go even higher, for particular buyers insist on securing Navel as long as possible. The first carload of new Valencia oranges is due to reach Victoria within the next few days. These oranges keep better than the Navels but are of slightly smaller size. Hence they will be lower in price.

In the vegetable line, local asparagus, hothouse cucumbers and tomatoes are now arriving in large quantities. The prices on these commodities will gradually decline with the increase of the supply. Rhubarb, radishes and green onions are now selling freely. These latter and potatoes need a great deal of attention at this time of the year, so it is reasonable to suppose that the price to these commodities will advance.

The wholesale prices have been revised as follows:

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SIGNING OF HALIBUT TREATY DISCUSSED

Cape Town Times Refers to "Tempest in Teacup"

Position of Canada; the Empire Conference

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THIS HOME of 6 rooms has hardwood floors, beaming and built-in features...

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the required sum to create the Sinking Fund amounting to the payment of the principal of the debt at maturity...

the manner provided for in the "Municipal Act" and the "Municipal Act, 1922."

He had little time to think for only a short distance away he saw her on the broomstick...

for ten pounds. Jeremy Pitt went for the sum of twenty pounds. (To Be Continued.)

BUSINESS DIRECTORY. GARDENING. GARDENS laid out and kept in order.

EDUCATIONAL. CHERRY SCHOOL, cor. of Fairfield and 16th St.

A BY-LAW. To provide for borrowing the sum of Five Hundred and Eighty-Five Thousand Dollars...

WHEREAS the indebtedness of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to the Bank of Montreal...

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken...

Sealed tenders are invited for the construction of two six-foot Diesel power launch for the Department of Marine and Fisheries...

THE WIZARD led Retsam out of the cave and, going to the pot which was still boiling...

spirit of this sort of people, what a villainous and devilish one it is.

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MORAL SUPPORT FOR BUREAU ONLY

Esquimalt Gives Promise for Future to Publicity Bureau

Headed by Ex-Alderman Joseph Patrick a delegation from the Victoria and District Publicity Bureau waited on the Esquimalt Council in session last night to urge a substantial grant to the bureau of that body. In former years, intimated the delegation, Esquimalt had not paid its way in the work that made for progressive and co-operative efforts to settle the southern section of Vancouver Island. After hearing all speakers the Council thanked the delegation, and through the Reeve extended a promise of better consideration next year and moral support in the present term. Its money, said the Council, was not only all earmarked, but nearly thumb-marked. The Bureau was anxious to raise \$5,000 by subscription so that it could claim the outstanding \$5,000 from the City of Victoria, with a budget of \$31,000 it was trying to operate on a \$15,000 income, stated President Joseph Patrick.
The purpose of the Bureau was to lure industries as well as encourage tourist travel, urged J. D. O'Connell. The cut in the city grant at this stage when advertising should be redoubled to get results was false economy and little short of disastrous, he continued.
The taxpayer would get his money back one hundred fold was the plea of Alderman R. H. Ken. Expense now meant returns in the immediate future and without co-operation the southern section of the Island would be bereft, he contended.
Practical Value to Realty?
As representing the Hudson's Bay Company which paid one-third of the taxes in Esquimalt, he realized the Bureau work as the best of good business, stated E. H. Wilson. With much land in Esquimalt the company had been unable to make anything of it at the present stage of the municipality's development. As a heavy taxpayer his firm realized the Bureau work as invaluable and a donation as good business.
The Bureau had done untold work in attracting attention to Victoria and the surrounding districts, was the claim of G. I. Warren, who cited a long list of actual accomplishments by which this result had been achieved. Esquimalt could not afford to stand aloof and prosper, he would urge.
The municipality was a small one, and its assessment had been cruelly cut by the Court of Revision to lighten the burden of taxpayers, contended Councillor Anderson. At the all money now provided for was earmarked.
The expenditures of the municipality were not only earmarked but were marked now, remarked Councillor Nicol. If it were a matter of distributing money in hand the distribution would certainly favor such a wise investment as the publicity Bureau; but there was no money in hand.
Better Next Year.
The request for funds and the reply of the Council was almost a yearly function, commented Reeve-Lockley. While he held every sympathy with the Bureau and a full realization of its value to the municipality, yet the best he could say was that Esquimalt offered his hearty moral support and would try to do something better next year.
Promises for next year were not of much cash value now, commented the chairman of the delegation, Esquimalt was in a better financial position than the city with its \$5,000,000 worth of reverted property on its hands. He would urge upon the Council the desirability of reconsidering its opinion. With this parting advice the delegation left.

NO HURRY WITH BY-ELECTION

Esquimalt Will Consider Matter at Next Council Meeting

That until the Council declared the seat vacant there was no vacancy on the board in the eyes of the law, was stated by Reeve-Lockley. The Esquimalt Council in special session last night, urging that the matter of a by-election to fill the vacancy be tabled for discussion at the regular meeting on Monday next. Through the sudden death of Councillor George Bridle the Council finds itself one member short and eight months of the year run. The vacancy was formally declared the by-election must follow within ten days, it was stated. The question was tabled until Monday. At that time the Council will again be in regular session. The session was held to transact business tabled from the adjourned meeting of the previous week.
Audit.
A quarterly audit of the books of the municipality, conducted by Albert Griffiths and Frederick C. Holden reported all in order. Monthly reports to a total of over \$5,000 passed by the finance committee were ratified. The question of a new sidewalk for the Lamson Street School area was left to the engineer. That School Board discussion, held due shortly, and would have to be met, was reported by G. H. Pullen, municipal clerk, who suggested the sale of land to local bond firms of Victoria last night. The matter of a by-election to fill the vacancy was tabled for discussion at the regular meeting on Monday next.
Miscellaneous Matters.
The alleged infringement of copyright in connection with a map of the municipality was referred to the engineer and solicitor jointly for report. A domain asked by the Victoria School Sports Committee was referred to the School Board for action. A resolution passed by the Nanaimo City Council urging that the Federal Government take over and administer the Soldiers' Better Housing Scheme was tabled by the Council. The work was one of rehabilitation, and would function more equitably with less cost through modern channels, urged the resolution.
A request from Mayor Hayward that Esquimalt take part in the May-time Frac occasioned the formation of a committee, and the Reeve, and the Council as a whole to act at once on the matter. The committee will see the School Board this evening, and will urge co-operation on the part of the Women's Institute and the children in putting up a float, a baid or some other fitting contribution.
New Court House.
A resolution passed by the Victoria Bar Association urging a new Court House for Victoria was endorsed by the Council. A new seat of justice was badly needed, commented the Reeve. G. H. Seder's account as taxed by the registrar was ordered paid at \$283.33. A reduction of \$23, wrote municipal solicitor E. V. Finland in forwarding the account.
A petition signed by 250 residents of the district urging the passage of the Swine By-Law as suggested, was tabled. The firm of Messrs. Yarrow, Ltd., was awarded a contract for repairs to a rock crusher at \$185.

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TAX REBATE IS DUE OAK BAY RESIDENTS

Council Finds Surplus of Over \$5,000 From Sinking Fund

That rebates of taxation, due to the surplus in the local improvement sinking fund, will be given to taxpayers in the Oak Bay municipality was last night decided by the Council. The treasurer reported that the total of the rebates is \$5,109.07. Of this amount \$516.14 rebates to property now owned by the corporation. The streets affected by this rebate run in order from Beach to Yale. These rebates are additional to those already authorized under By-law 162. The total of these rebates is as follows: 1922, By-law 142, \$4,007; 1923, By-law 162, \$10,952; 1923, By-laws 97, 99, 140, 142, \$5,109.
The present property holders are the only ones who will benefit by the rebate, and they will benefit materially inasmuch as the amounts due them will be credited to their taxes and not paid in actual cash, so it was explained by the Council last night. The taxes in the Oak Bay municipality are below those of 1922 this year, \$16,063 standing as difference. They are \$30,124 below those of 1921. These reductions are due to the cessation of local improvement levies and to rebates to local improvement taxpayers rendered possible by favorable investments of sinking funds.

DOES ESQUIMALT WANT STORE?

Question of Liquor Premises Ventilated in Council

Esquimalt, if the word of Reeve-Lockley and the Council is to be taken as the voice of the district, does not want a branch of the Government Liquor Store. Broached by Councillor Nicol who stated he saw an article in the press about a petition to the Attorney-General for such a convenience, the liquor branch store question precipitated the only split in the Council meeting in session last night.
The will of the meeting finally boiled down to a motion that the Attorney-General be communicated with in writing to the effect that Esquimalt did not want a liquor store until at least its people had been given an opportunity to state their views on the matter. The motion carried with Councillors Anderson and Head voting in the negative.
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Ottawa, May 1.—The rate of exchange in connection with shipments of freight between points in Canada and the United States from May 1 to 14, inclusive, will be 1 1/2-3/4 per cent, and the surcharge on the said traffic will be 1 per cent, for the same period. The rate of surcharge on international messenger business will be based on 2 per cent. exchange.

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