

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Sunday: Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong winds, generally fair and colder at night.

Dominion—Bought and Paid For: Royal Victoria—Pay Day: Palace—Punch: Princess—Three Live Ghosts: Variety—A Riddle: Romeo: Cantor—Find the Winner

MICHAEL COLLINS MEETS OPPOSITION

Armed Irish Republican Delays Killarney Meeting

Wants an Explanation Before Leader Speaks

Belfast, April 22.—Michael Collins, upon his arrival this afternoon at Killarney to deliver an address, was met outside the depot by an officer of the "Irish Republican Army," armed with a revolver, who warned him he would not be allowed to speak until an incident at Lisowel, County Kerry, where the officer alleged one of his men was fired at, had been cleared up.

SHIP AT DUBLIN SET AFIRE BY RAIDERS; SAVED

Dublin, April 22.—Fifty men today raided the steamship Rathlin, anchored here, shot and wounded the watchman, sprinkled the decks and fittings with gasoline, set the vessel afire and made off. The crew, with the assistance of regular "Irish Republican Army" troops, extinguished the flames before serious damage had been done.

ANOTHER DEATH ADDED TO LIST IN BELFAST

Belfast, April 22.—This city returned to comparative quiet today after the series of grave disorders ushered in with the Easter holidays. The only incident reported early today was the wounding of a special constable, who was struck on the leg by a bullet fired from a window in Dock Street.

IRISH RAIDERS TOOK SMALL GUN OFF A VESSEL

Dublin, April 22.—Six men were seen at midnight last night boarding the gunboat Helga in Kingsboro Harbor, says a dispatch to the Central News. A party of regular troops rowed out to the Helga, but the raiders had disappeared, taking with them the barrel of a three-pounder gun.

WAR MEMORIALS ARE ERECTED

C.P.R. Puts Up Three Statues and Tablets

Montreal, April 22.—The war memorials which have been erected at the Windsor Station here by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, as a tribute to those who at one time were in its service and who paid the supreme sacrifice during the Great War, will be unveiled next Friday afternoon by the Governor-General.

LENINE STILL TAKING A REST

London, April 22.—Although official statements by the Russian Soviet Government have reported Premier Lenin's health satisfactory, he continues to keep away from public life, says a Reval dispatch to The Times.

SAVE THE CHILDREN FUND TO CLOSE

Victoria Committee Will Wind Up End of Month

The Victoria committee which has been carrying on the Save the Children Fund will probably close the fund at the end of the present month. Up to date over \$5,000 has been contributed by Victoria and district.

NO PROTEST RECEIVED

Ottawa, April 22.—Hon. James Murdock, Minister of Labor, has not yet yet received a reported protest of the Hamilton Trades and Labor Council regarding the alleged action of the Dominion Power and Transmission Company in reducing employees' wages prior to investigation by a board of conciliation.

TORONTO POLICEMAN TO VANCOUVER TO IDENTIFY GIRL

Vancouver, April 22.—Clarence Lee Lloyd, accused of being a second Svengali, is still held by the police here awaiting the arrival of a police officer from Toronto. He is believed to be the man who abducted a girl named Marion Duncan of Toronto some months ago and taking her on his wanderings under an hypnotic spell.

Brisk Building Movement Is Now Under Way Here

Contracts Awarded and Construction Operations Recently Started Total In Value Over \$100,000; Hospital Electrical Contract Is Let; Residences Going Up.

Building operations amounting in value to over one hundred thousand dollars have been started in Victoria during the past few days. The board of the Royal Jubilee Hospital has awarded a contract for the electrical work and fixtures to be installed in the new east wing of the hospital to the local electrical contracting firm of Hawkins & Hayward.

MIGHT ATTEND NEW CONFERENCE

Soviet Expects Another Meeting If Genoa Fails

Responsibility Is Allies, Says Leo Kamenoff

Moscow, April 22.—Even if the Genoa Conference should break up, Soviet Russia does not expect war as a consequence, but considers that a new conference would follow, probably within six months, declared Leo Kamenoff, President of the Moscow Soviet and Acting Premier, in an interview today with the Associated Press.

BIRDS BURNED

Montreal, April 22.—Four hundred hens, 200 ducks and 200 pigeons were burned to death by a fire which damaged a henhouse belonging to the Sulpician Fathers in the rear of the Grand Seminary here last night.

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SOVIET DECLINES OFFER OF HELP FROM STEINMETZ

Moscow, April 21.—(Associated Press)—Dr. Charles Steinmetz, consulting engineer of New York, wrote to Premier Lenin offering his services to help Russia in her electrification plans and expressing approval of Russia's reconstruction efforts.

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CANNIBALISM IN WESTERN ASIA

Secretary of Near East Committee on Visit

Says Armenia "Is Land of Living Nightmare"

Driven insane by long and continued persecution, by the loss of their homes, and by appalling starvation, refugees from Armenia and other points in the former Ottoman empire are in some instances eating their children, stated Charles V. Vickrey, general secretary of the Near East Relief Committee, to The Times today.

CHILDREN DIE IN THOUSANDS

Countless thousands of children are dying from lack of food and clothing, he states. Adults are starving themselves to death and trying to migrate to lands where there is some food. Barley seed will save some of the starving populations, but barley seed will not meet the entire situation.

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DECLARES GENOA BASIS POLITICAL

British Affairs Prop for Meeting, Says Steed

American Fails to Find Economic Basis

Genoa, April 22.—Henry Wickham Steed, correspondent of The London Times, wired The Times today that an important American financial authority had confided to him Thursday that he had been trying to discover the economic basis of the Genoa Conference but had failed.

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FRENCH PROTEST GERMAN REPLY

Attitude on Russian Questions Is Suspected

Krupp Concern to Make Guns in Russia

Genoa, April 22.—The French delegation to the Economic Conference has submitted a protest against the German reply to the Allied note in which the Germans stated they would refrain from discussing Russian questions settled in the Russo-German Treaty. The French contend that under their reply the Germans may insist on discussing other questions.

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Genoa Experts at Work on a Russian Reconstruction Plan

Memorandum Submitted By Soviet Delegation Withdrawn As Result of Objections; Details of Agreement Now Being Discussed.

Paris, April 22.—Russia has withdrawn the memorandum she submitted yesterday in answer to the report of the Allied experts on Russian affairs, says a Havas dispatch from Genoa this evening. Strong objections had been made to the memorandum in Allied quarters.

SOVIET LEADER MEETS A KING

Tchitcherin and Italian King Dine at Genoa

Schanzer Is Congratulated by Victor Emmanuel

Genoa, April 22.—George Tchitcherin, the Russian Soviet Foreign Minister, gave the Italian Socialist and Communist a shock today by meeting King Victor Emmanuel on the King's visit here and accepting his invitation to a luncheon on board the Italian dreadnought Conte di Cavour.

DOYLE SHOWS HIS SPIRIT PICTURES

New York, April 22.—(Canadian Press)—Spirit pictures of women long dead, conjured up through the aid of a medium, were shown by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle to an audience which filled every seat in the big hall last night and between slight bursts of applause sat waiting the next weird manifestation of the hectic ectoplasm by which Sir Doyle explained the pictures were made possible.

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VANCOUVER STEAM ENGINEER ARRESTED

Vancouver, April 22.—Charged with the manslaughter of Henry McCoy, who died as the result of injuries received when crushed by a pile driver at the Ballantyne Pier on Thursday evening last, John P. Flesher, engineer in charge of the machine, has been arrested.

Faces Charge as Result of H. McCoy's Death

A coroner's jury, after hearing the evidence and viewing the scene of the accident, returned a verdict to the effect that from the evidence produced the jurors were of the unanimous opinion that the death of McCoy was caused through incompetency on the part of the engineer.

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Districts paralleling the river from Chester, Illinois, to Gales, a distance of 80 miles and about three miles in width, are covered with flood waters as a result of levees breaking.

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'The Footwear Centre' Special—SPORT OXFORDS A BIG VALUE With Aero Du-Flex Vacuum Cup Soles. PRICES FROM \$8.50 PER PAIR. Wm. Cathcart Co., Ltd. 621 Fort Street Phone 1122 Pemberton Building

A HAPPY IDEA! Why Not An Electrical Wedding Gift? Toasters, Percolators, Chafing Dishes, Grills, etc.—make ideal wedding gifts. B.C. ELECTRIC Showrooms, Langley Street Phone 123

'The Service Garage' Studebaker Motorists! READ THIS Without eye-strain you can face glaring headlights or you can drive directly towards the setting sun in perfect comfort with our ANTI-GLARE SCREEN price \$3.00 Fitted. JAMESON & WILLIS, LTD 740 BROUGHTON ST.

B&K Developing Food TRADE MARK B&K REGISTERED MANUFACTURED BY THE BRACKMAN-KER MILLING CO. B&K Scientifically prepared for developing bone, flesh and feathers on one to three-month stock.

MORE MEN WANTED. Cheap rates to the Prairies obtained recently by the Hon. A. M. Manson, Minister of Labor, which expired to-day have been extended to the end of April, J. D. McNeven, deputy minister of labor announced to-day. At the same time he announced that Saskatchewan has sent an order for 1,000 men, in addition to the 1,500 ordered early in the month. So far British Columbia has been able to induce only 800 men to take jobs on the Prairies.

ECZEMA Information received from the St. Joseph's Hospital last afternoon reports that ex-Mayor R. J. Porter, who is lying seriously ill in the hospital, has not improved any since yesterday, his condition being very low.

RELATIONS OF PROVINCE AND CITY EXAMINED

Shortt Sees Provincial Finance Heads; Limit Scope of Probe

To investigate the City's claim for wider powers of taxation and greater financial assistance from the Provincial Government, Dr. Adam Shortt, who is conducting an exhaustive probe of City finances, conferred to-day with Robert Baird, Inspector of British Columbia Municipalities, and E. D. Johnson, Deputy Minister of Finance, at the Parliament Buildings. With them he discussed the City's financial affairs from a provincial standpoint and ascertained just what the provincial authorities are going to assist municipal financing.

Mr. Baird explained to Dr. Shortt the local situation as he has been able to understand it as Provincial Inspector, and then gave him all the information and statistics the Province has gathered in connection with Victoria's financial affairs. Dr. Shortt showed much interest in sinking fund shortages, and spent time discussing that phase of the situation. In considering the relations between the City and the Province, Dr. Shortt is working along the lines desired by the City Council, which considers that these matters are at the bottom of the present financial difficulties. It has been learned, however, that Dr. Shortt will be unable, in the two weeks which he intends to spend here, to investigate a wide variety of matters which have been laid before him in a rough way by members of the Council. There are a number of matters which some of the Council members would like him to investigate but which, it is now apparent, will not come within the scope of his inquiry.

Dr. Shortt spent all yesterday in conference with City Controller J. L. Raymur, from whom he secured valuable information concerning the City's financial position. He will confer again with Mr. Raymur next Tuesday morning and in the meantime voluminous figures are being prepared for his consideration by officials of the Finance Department.

RECEIVES POST WITH NEW BAND

J. M. Miller to Take Charge of Canadian Scottish Band

James M. Miller has been appointed Bandmaster of the 1st Battalion (16th C.E.F.) The Canadian Scottish Band. During the past season Mr. Miller conducted the G. W. V. A. Band in their successful series of twenty Sunday evening concerts at the Capitol Theatre. Before coming to this country, over a year ago, Mr. Miller had much experience with bands in and around Newcastle, England, where he was born. He was a distinguished French horn player, with many first class aggregations. He is also a fine trombone performer, and plays besides many other brass instruments. During the war he was appointed Bandmaster of the 1st Canadian Divisional Band in France, and has been Bandmaster of the G. W. V. A. Band since his return here. It is expected that Mr. Miller will have many of the personnel of the G. W. V. A. Band, a number of members having already signed their intention of joining him in his new appointment. Owing to this fact, combined with the knowledge of much existing talent in the Canadian Scottish Band, the future of the band is bright.

The International Interpreter A NEW WEEKLY

The International Interpreter, published by the Interpreter Publishing Company, New York, is the latest weekly publication to make its debut before the reading public. The editor is Frederick Dixon who won a world-wide reputation as editor of The Christian Science Monitor and who unquestionably is one of the most illuminating writers on subjects of world interest at the present time. The quality of the first issue augurs very favorably for the future of this journalistic venture. It contains very able presentations of a wide variety of subjects, including political and economic affairs on this continent, the Irish situation; the Indian question; the Near East problem; Genoa; art, science and invention; news letters from Athens and Paris; and literary and dramatic criticism of unusual excellence. In its foreword The Interpreter says in part: 'The International Interpreter will do the watching for you; the thinking you should do only for yourself. It will interpret men and nations "what'er men do, or say, or think, or dream"; their conclusion its readers should draw individually. It will show the corn-ships coming down the St. Lawrence, as the Roman breadships once dipped their oars for the fiber; it will picture the blast furnaces roaring along the banks of Michigan, as the Saxon smiths used to sink their hammer-ponds amidst the heather moors of Wexsex; it will describe the cities of Australia spreading along shores where only the bushmen used to dwell; and take you amongst the brass-workers of Bernares, beating out their metal in streets in which fanatics once swung their tortured limbs from hooks. The world moves, it was Galileo who said it—if he did: The Interpreter will tell you how and why. The needs of its progress is continually shifting. The Interpreter will tell you where and why. But human interest has a thousand facets. The Interpreter will reveal these, as it may in turn. His readers may go with him into the concert halls, the playhouses, and the picture galleries of the world; they may delve into the depths of his finance; by his side they may listen to the debates in the Senate; view the parades in Fifth Avenue; watch the crowds wandering along the grand boulevards; or see "Mr. Vice" take the chair in Cogswell Hall. Like Falstaff, Mr. Interpreter has the world for his oyster only he will open it with the pen and not the sword.'

Completing a voyage of over 1,600 miles, Highway 1 in the Willits-Knight, W. Clack, with his wife and family, arrived in Victoria Thursday. Mr. Clack was formerly a resident of the city, where he spent twenty years in the service of the Melrose Company, eight years as foreman of the works. In 1915 Mr. Clack took up a Government lease in the Glen Ranch, San Bernardino County, California, where he is making his permanent home. He will remain in the city for a month. During their visit in the city Mr. Clack and his family will be the guests of R. Matheson, 326 Vancouver Street. Every kind of citrus fruit that can be grown in California will be found growing on the same tree as a result of the recent developments in fruit-growing following the adoption of methods of grafting discovered by Burbank, Mr. Clack says. When prohibition first went into force vineyards were torn up and orange groves planted, but to-day the orange groves are being disposed with to make room for the grapevine, says Mr. Clack. Though the orange crop this year suffered so heavily from frost, Mr. Clack says that the growers are not down-hearted. The worst winter since '61 has just been experienced by the growers but everything is in prospect despite the drawback, declares Mr. Clack. The roads are good with the exception of about 150 miles in various parts of the state. 'We experienced splendid weather on the trip, with the exception of a snowstorm which ran into it from Pass, Oregon,' says Mr. Clack.

Not long ago employees in the office of the Brackman-Ker Milling Company, on Broad Street, took a police officer in response to his warning, that the office had never been broken into yet, and that the money in the till would be quite safe. As if in response to the remark, thieves last night entered the premises and secured \$13 from the till.

1850—Ye Olde Firms—1922 You Don't Need Much Money to Own A Heintzman & Co. Player-Piano Let Us Explain Our Terms HEINTZMAN & CO. GIDEON HICKS, Manager Opposite Post Office. Phone 1217

VOTE MONEY AT LAST FOR HIGH SCHOOL GROUNDS Public Works Committee to Spend \$3,000 to Develop Campus

Convinced of the necessity of developing the Victoria High School grounds in accordance with some definite scheme, the civic Public Works Committee yesterday voted \$3,000 to be spent on the campus this year. This vote, it is expected, will be formally approved by the City Council at its meeting Monday night. The vote will be spent primarily to make parts of the big campus suitable for athletic purposes. At present athletic activities at the school are much hindered by lack of proper grounds and have been ever since the school was built. With the \$3,000 vote a considerable space will be graded and leveled off to form a proper playing ground. The work will be done in such a way that it can be carried on further next year when more money is available for the purpose. Already this year a number of trees have been planted at suitable points in the grounds, and the grounds have been developed otherwise to some extent in accordance with plans drawn up by the School Board.

VOTERS' REGISTRATION WILL CLOSE SHORTLY

The registration of voters for the Provincial voters' list will close on May 8 for Victoria and Esquimalt, and on May 10 for the rest of the province. The registration will be held on June 25. Voters who are anxious to vote at any election which may be held prior to the next registration should make it a point to get on the list before May 8. George Mahon, registrar at the Court House, Victoria, will receive applications. William Graham is registrar for Saanich electoral district.

CEMETERY TRUSTEES SEEK BURIAL SITE

The new Intermunicipal Cemetery Board started out to find a site for a new intermunicipal cemetery to-day, and spent the morning touring the country adjacent to the City. A large number of prospective sites were inspected in the Gordon Head and Shelburne Street district, but at 2 o'clock this afternoon the Board had not finished its investigations. Other land which has been offered to the Board as cemetery sites will be inspected next Saturday. The inspecting party to-day was headed by Alderman Reginald Hayward, Chairman of the Board, and included Mayor Marchant and Alderman Perry, of Victoria, and Reeve Watson, Councillor McWilliam and Clerk Cowper, of Saanich.

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OBITUARY RECORD The remains of the late James Anderson, who passed away last Wednesday, were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery yesterday. Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock at the Sands Funeral Chapel, Rev. Joseph McCoy officiating, and the hymns sung were "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "Lead, Kindly Light." Many friends and a large representation from the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks were present. The floral tributes were many and beautiful, reflecting the esteem in which the late Mr. Anderson was held. At the graveside Lester Patrick, acting Exalted Ruler of the B.P.O.E., read the committal service, and the following members of

NAVY LEAGUE BAND PLAYS AT SOOKE Delightful weather favored the Victoria Boys' Naval Brigade for their open-air concert at Sooke to-day. The affair was given in the grounds of the Sooke Harbor Hotel, Major Nicholson, the manager of the hotel, kindly loaning the spacious grounds for the purpose. A large crowd turned out for the occasion and it was a gala day at the Hotel which stands on the high ground overlooking Sooke River, the Harbor and the Straits. This evening a dance will be held at the Sooke Harbor Hotel, at which Victoria Orchestra will be in attendance. Refreshments were served throughout the function. All proceeds will go to the Navy League.



In commemoration of the Second Battle of Ypres, in which the Canadian troops won imperishable fame, the Gyro Club will hold a special luncheon at the Hudson's Bay Company store on Monday. The music numbers will all be in keeping with the remainder of the luncheon. Efforts will be made by the club to have the City School Board see that its scheme for the commemoration of many of the prominent battles in which the Canadian troops participated is fully respected. When the club presented its proposition to the School Board unanimously decided to see that it was carried out. It started out well but towards the close of last year some of the events were missed. Last Monday week the Vimy Ridge engagement should have been celebrated, but this was omitted in many schools.

SCOTS GUARDS BAND TO PLAY HERE AT CONCERTS AND BALL

Victorians will be afforded an opportunity of hearing one of the finest bands in the world on May 22 and 23, when the Band of H. M. Scots Guards will visit the city in the course of what is literally a whirlwind tour of Canada. The band will appear under the auspices of the Dominion Command of the Great War Veterans' Association and the Municipal Chapter, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, from the latter gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs. J. Phoms, H. Searle, W. Townsend, H. Davis, H. Caley and Noyce. Interment was made in Ross Bay Cemetery. There passed away yesterday after a short illness, Chadwick James Lelièvre, a resident of this city for practically all his life. He was born at New Westminister in 1867 and moved here when a child with his family. He was a painter by occupation and recently was employed by Messrs. T. Plimley & Co. He resided on Pandora Avenue, and was unmarried. He is survived by three brothers and two sisters: William, living in the Boundary district; Charles, of this city, and Frank, of Los Angeles; Mrs. Boles, of this city, and Mrs. Dunlop, of Los Angeles. The funeral will be held from the B.C. Funeral Chapel on Monday at 2:30, the Rev. A. de B. Owen officiating. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of the late John Hudson, who passed away on the 19th inst., took place yesterday afternoon from the B.C. Funeral Chapel, where service was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Maxwell, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Sippell. Many friends were present and the casket was covered with floral tributes. Two hymns were sung, "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "O What the Joy and Glory Must Be." Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

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BULGARIA DISARMS WRANGLER TROOPS

Sofia, April 22.—Bulgaria has notified the Ukrainian Soviet Government that all the troops under the command of General Baron Wrangel arriving in Bulgaria have been disarmed.

The note was in reply to a Ukrainian message declaring that, in the event of these troops attacking the Ukraine, the incident would be considered an act of war on the part of Bulgaria.

WOMAN OFFICER.

Constantinople, April 22.—A Turkish woman has been given the rank of lieutenant in the National army, earning her promotion in action against the Greeks, says an Angora dispatch. This is the highest rank ever held in the Turkish army by a woman.

Fatima, the lady in question, was a corporal when she led a patrol composed almost entirely of women in an attack on the enemy's rear and returned with twenty-five prisoners, including an officer.

Larkin Says Report He Spoke Strongly on Cattle Embargo False

London, April 22.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Hon. P. C. Larkin, the Canadian High Commissioner, authorized the Canadian Press to declare he has made no public statement whatever concerning the cattle embargo. He states that certainly he has said nothing about placing a potential weapon in the hands of the annexationists of the prairie provinces, which a cablegram from England to Canada appears to have attributed to him.

A dispatch from Ottawa last evening said there had been a sharp discussion in the Commons during the afternoon of Hon. P. C. Larkin, of Toronto, who recently was appointed Canadian High Commissioner in London. It was in reference to the British embargo on Canadian cattle. Had Mr. Larkin, as reported in special cable dispatches, it was asked, represented to members of the British Cabinet that failure to remove the cattle embargo "would place a potential weapon in the hands of the annexationists of the Prairie Provinces?"

Hon. W. R. Matherwell, Minister of Agriculture, was frankly skeptical that Mr. Larkin ever made any such statement, but eventually intimated that he would make inquiries.

Hon. W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance, observed that similar sentiments had been attributed about a week ago to an unnamed Canadian. Now they were being attributed to Mr. Larkin, and perhaps without Mr. Larkin's knowledge.

While on the question of "annexationists," Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, Leader of the Opposition, took occasion warmly to deny that he had at any time ever said anything reflecting on the loyalty of Western Canada.

"Light Pedal."

Mr. Matherwell said he had had conversations with Mr. Larkin just prior to his departure for England and they were both agreed that while they should persevere in attempting to have the embargo removed, they should use the "light pedal."

It was impossible to approach the British Government with a club and Mr. Matherwell felt confident that Mr. Larkin had not indulged in the words attributed to him. Mr. Matherwell added that he would maintain this until evidence to the contrary was submitted to him.

A. J. Lewis, Progressive, Swift Current, declared The Montreal Gazette's correspondent in London should be made to retract his report of Mr. Larkin's statement if it was found to be untrue.

T. W. Caldwell, Progressive, Carleton Place, asked the Minister that commercial fertilizers be given cheaper freight rates if possible, and then he, too, turned to the subject of the embargo on the loyalty of the West.

"No word of mine could be construed as reflecting on the loyalty of the West," said Mr. Meighen, "but when a statement gets round from the lips of men who are seeking office, are ready to fall into the very things they previously condemned, then it might be so misconstrued."

Over His Ears.

Mr. Matherwell rose to say that he had not mentioned Mr. Meighen's name in the matter of annexation talk, but the Leader of the Opposition had done this cap and pulled it away down over his ears.

Mr. Meighen retorted that Mr. Caldwell had specifically referred to himself.

The Minister of Agriculture then replied that the term had been used frequently in election campaigns, and instanced 1911 and 1919. "And now," he said, apparently closing the incident for the second time, "let's get back to artificial fertilizers."

After further discussion, the vote of \$1,000,000 for livestock was passed, and the last vote in the Department of Agriculture, \$30,000 for administration of the Agricultural Instruction Act.

Called Aid But Burglars Escaped

Vancouver Man Was Hit; Jumped Through Window

Vancouver, April 22.—Two hold-up men invaded the home of Charles Thoreson last night and struck Thoreson over the head with the butt end of a revolver. Thoreson jumped through a window and was further injured by breaking glass. He dropped twelve feet to the ground without breaking any bones. When he returned to the house with reinforcements, the burglars had gone without taking anything.

Returned.

Vancouver, April 22.—Victory Bonds worth \$1,000, recently stolen from the home of C. W. Jamieson here, were returned to the owner by mail yesterday. The total amount stolen was \$1,100.

THIRTEEN DIVORCE BILLS AT OTTAWA

Ottawa, April 22.—Thirteen divorce bills were put through the committee stage and given third reading in the House last night.

The bill to incorporate the General Missionary Society, the German Baptist Churches of North America and that to incorporate the Sisters of St. Mary of Namur were read a second time and sent to the standing committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills.

BUSINESS FAILURES.

Toronto, April 22.—Failures in Canada, according to Dun's Bulletin for the week ended April 21, totalled 49, which was the same as for the corresponding week of 1921. In last week's failures the western provinces were represented as follows: Manitoba, 7; Alberta, 1; Saskatchewan, 9; and British Columbia, 2.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Toronto, April 22.—Harry H. Meyer, who shot and killed his wife last Monday and then turned the gun on himself, died last night.

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Winnipeg, April 22.—Fair weather in Manitoba and practically throughout the Prairie Provinces has resulted in the farmers going on the land, according to telegraphic reports received from many points by local offices of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Seeding and ploughing have been started in the following Manitoba districts: Neudorf, Chaman, Keys, St. Cloud, Dufrost, Emerson, Altona, Glenboro, Pettapiece, Kenton, Killarney, Melita, Rosenfeld, Bois-Sevain, Hamiota and Arnaud. Reports from Southern Alberta and Saskatchewan are that seeding and ploughing have commenced, seeding will be general next week. Calgary, April 22.—The Calgary Herald's first 1922 crop report for the Province of Alberta indicates that, should fair weather hold, there will be much activity in seeding and farming operations early next week. In various sections of the province a start has already been made. While the storms of last week delayed work, the soil is in excellent condition and the moisture ample for germination. It is stated by some experts that there is abundant moisture to carry the crop to June, and with sufficient rain in July, the crop will be a success of a big crop in Alberta this year.

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INDEPENDENCE OF SMYRNA PLANNED

Two-thirds of Greek Army There Joins Movement

Constantinople, April 21.—The Greek National movement in Smyrna is considered to be a reality. Two-thirds of the army has already been won over by the Defence Committee, which will proclaim its independence of Smyrna the moment the Athens Government orders the evacuation of Ionia.

Volunteers are leaving daily for Smyrna in great numbers.

Positions Evacuated.

Athens, April 22.—Greek troops are occupying the positions evacuated by the Italian forces in the Meander Valley of Asiatic Turkey, says an official communique. The Turkish Nationalist forces have offered but slight resistance.

GIRL WOUNDED; MAN IS SOUGHT

Vancouver, April 22.—Blanche Beroni was seriously wounded in the head last night at a cabaret known as "Mamma's Place" near the waterfront. A Japanese named Kanda is sought by the police in connection with the brawl in which he is said to have attacked the girl with a bottle.

PRINCE OF WALES TRAVELS IN JAPAN

Visits Yokohama, Enoshima and Kamakura

Tokyo, April 22.—The Prince of Wales said farewell to Tokyo to-day, leaving for Yokohama on the special train provided for his use while in Japan.

At Yokohama the royal visitor officiated at the unveiling of the Allied war memorial erected by the foreign residents of the city in honor of the men from the foreign communities in Japan who fell during the war. The memorial is in the form of a handsome granite gateway to the foreign cemetery with appropriately inscribed bronze tablet.

From Yokohama the Prince embarked for Fujihira-Wa, en route to Enoshima and Kamakura.

OPPIUM SHIPMENT SEIZED BY THUGS

New York, April 22.—Masked men late yesterday held up a wholesale druggist's truck in the Williamsburg section of Brooklyn, took from it an opium shipment valued at \$15,000, placed the truck driver in a taxi-cab, carried him to Long Island City, and threw him into the street.

TO BE MARRIED.

Belgrade, April 22.—The marriage of King Alexander of Jugoslavia and Princess Marie, second daughter of King Ferdinand and Queen Marie of Roumania, was definitely fixed for June 1, it was announced to-day.

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TAXATION CHANGE IN AUSTRALIA

Recommendation Affects Federal and State Systems

London, April 22.—(Canadian Press Cable)—The Commission appointed by the Government of Australia to investigate complaints of inequality of taxation resulting from the double income tax system under which income tax is payable to both the State and Federal Governments has issued its report, according to Reuter dispatch from Melbourne. The commission recommends the amalgamation of the Federal state taxation with one taxing office in control and the allowance of a discount of 15 per cent on incomes derived from earnings.

NEW ORLEANS EVENT.

New Orleans, La., April 22.—Gaily decorated New Orleans was ready to-day to entertain the 25th Triennial Conclave of the Knights Templar, which begins to-day. Thirty-five thousand Knights and members of their families are expected.

FUNDS VOTED FOR FOREST PROTECTION

Wooded Areas Discussed in Commons at Ottawa

Ottawa, April 22.—(Canadian Press)—The preservation and replenishment of Canada's forests came under brief review in the Commons last night on a vote of \$1,000,000 for protection of timber in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and the Northwest Territories and the railway belt in British Columbia, tree culture in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and inspection and management of forestry reserves.

Hon. H. H. Stevens, Conservative, Vancouver Centre, said the condition of Canada's forests was becoming alarming owing to the wasteful methods of lumbering, forest fires and destructive insects. He asked whether the Government was considering reforestation and what steps were being taken to take care of existing forests.

Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, replied that reforestation was not being undertaken on a large scale as reproduction was fairly satisfactory. An efficient fire prevention service was necessary, as the forests were depleted to the danger point. Good work was being done by the air fire patrols.

Hon. Hugh Guthrie stated that over fifty incipient fires had been located by the air patrol stationed at High River, Alberta. He hoped the Government would assist this branch of the air service.

The item carried.

Veteran American Speculator Says Russia Big Factor

Winnipeg, April 22.—The Manitoba Free Press carries the following from Chicago:

"The outstanding economic factor governing the trend of the world's wheat prices is Russia, according to James A. Patten, the Chicago wheat king. Mr. Patten asserted that Russia is a great grain producing nation has been put out of business for at least three years.

"Another reason is the coming scarcity of wheat in the United States, which he says will make itself felt in May or June, resulting in higher prices.

"The battle-scarred sixty-nine-year-old retired Board of Trade operator denies, incidentally, that he is at present engaged in a grain war with J. Ogden Armour.

"Oh, I am just speculating a little," said Patten, when asked about reports that he just dip in occasionally. "I retired ten years ago," he smiled.

Out of Trade.

"You don't hear any more talk of dollar wheat," remarked Patten, "Russia—Russia is responsible," he explained. "Russia is out of the world's wheat trade. She will not be able to get back in for three or four years. We shall feed Russia for the next fifteen months. Before the war Russia was a big world factor. She used to export daily 2,000,000 bushels of wheat and 3,000,000 bushels of rye into Germany and Austria-Hungary. That's our business now.

"See those figures on the board—\$60,000 bushels for export from our market to-day. That shows Europe is economically dependent upon America for supplies. It will continue so until Russia gets back on her feet. I do not expect to see cheap wheat for quite a time. I figure, too, that farmers in the United States have been marketing their wheat heavily. They had to. They needed the money. They had borrowed money and the country banks were pressing them. They have not the wheat now, and that is another important factor."

Patten declared there was still another factor, a psychological factor. "The whole world has been in the dumps some time back," he said. "Now it is different. The world is beginning to smile. The national state of mind has made a whole lot to do with prices. Pessimistic people, low prices; optimistic people, high prices—get it?"

"That famous 'retired' trader paused. 'Now I'm optimistic,' he said."

PATTEN STATES HIS WHEAT VIEWS

OPERA SINGER SUES FOR \$26,000

Pittsburg, April 22.—H. W. Savage, theatrical producer, to-day filed an answer to the suit of Lydia Lipowska, soloist with the Chicago Opera Company, in which he alleged that the prima donna quit his cast when she was refused an increase of \$250 a week.

The singer sued to recover \$26,000, said to be due her on contract of \$1,000 a week for thirty weeks. She claimed that she was dismissed by Savage without any cause.

Savage contends that he did not give her permission to sing with other companies when she signed the contract with him. The defendant said that he owed the singer one week's salary.

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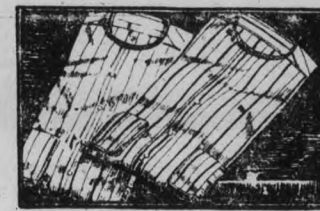
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These Dresses are of excellent grade gingham, patterned in fancy stripes and with collar and cuffs of white gabardine. Also dresses of check and plaid ginghams, with white collars trimmed with embroidery. Monday special at **\$2.98**
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For the women who are forced to spend many hours every day standing or walking the "Revelation" Shoe is particularly beneficial.

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Gingham Dresses that will wash well and do up very daintily. Made for the ages of 8 to 14 years. At, each **\$2.75**

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Light Colored Gingham Dresses, in pretty styles and all daintily trimmed, and made for the ages of 8 to 14 years. A superior washing material. Each, **\$2.50**

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Fine Knitted Ties, for men and boys, in a great variety of stripes and club colors; all full length. Special at **50¢**

Boys' Poplin Ties, in Derby style, 1 1/2 inches wide and in a variety of plain colors; these are reversible. Special value at **35¢, 3 for \$1.00**
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—Blouses, First Floor

Women's Knit Underwear Specials for Monday

Women's Knit Bloomers of excellent grade cotton, with gusset, elastic at waist and knee, in shades of white, flesh, black; sizes 36 to 44. Special at, a pair **65¢**

Women's Zimmerknit Bloomers, with elastic at waist and knee. Excellent wearing quality, in shades of white, flesh and pale blue. All sizes at, a pair **75¢**

Women's Zimmerknit Vests, of fine knit cotton. They are sleeveless and in all sizes **75¢**

Women's Fine Knit Cotton Vests, with low neck, short or no sleeves; Cumfy Cut Vests with fancy lace yokes and tailored top. Sizes 36 to 44 at **50¢**

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—Infants', First Floor

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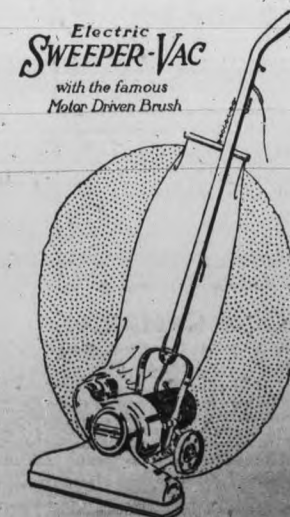
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IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

DIOCESAN W.A. PLANS ANNUAL MEETING

Monthly Session Held Yesterday at St. Matthias Mission

Ninety-eight members attended the monthly Diocesan W. A. Board meeting held at St. Matthias Mission, Fowl Bay, yesterday.

The noon hour prayers and an interesting address were given by Rev. A. W. Collins, rector of St. Matthias.

Several notices of motion and resolutions to be brought up at the annual meeting were presented at this Board meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Wood Wells, of Dunsmuir, formerly of Kamloops, have returned from La Jolla, California.

GRADUATION EXERCISES OF ST. JOSEPH'S NURSES

Graduation exercises of the nursing class of 1922 of St. Joseph's Hospital will be held in the auditorium of St. Ann's Academy on Thursday evening, April 27, at 8 o'clock.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY OF ST. JOSEPH'S DOING MUCH USEFUL WORK

The regular monthly meeting of St. Joseph's Women's Auxiliary was held yesterday afternoon in the recreation room of the hospital.

Use Cuticura And Watch Your Skin Improve
Nothing better to cleanse and purify the skin and to keep it free from pimples and blemishes than Cuticura Soap for every-day toilet use.

Parents' Golden Wedding in Year Daughters Reach Silver Anniversaries



Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Burkholder, highly-respected residents of the city for the past thirty-nine years, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary on Monday with a reception at their home, 1424 St. Patrick Street.

Social & Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Minchin and Miss Minchin, of Vancouver, are spending a short holiday in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hotham and family are visitors in Ganges, Salt Spring Island, and are guests at 'The Haven.'

Miss Victoria Phillips, of Carberry Gardens, is visiting Mrs. Jack Wood, Cardero Street, Vancouver.

Mrs. Cornwall, of Cherry Creek, and Mrs. Maxwell, of Duncan, daughters of Mrs. Wells, are in the city owing to the illness of their mother.

Mrs. Godfrey Booth, of Seattle, is spending a week's holiday in Victoria and is a guest at the Strathcona Hotel.

Mr. E. H. Heatherbell arrived in the city Friday from Eastern Canada and will spend his summer vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Heatherbell, 903 Linden Avenue.

Mr. John Davidson entertained a number of his young friends at a jolly dance on Friday evening at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Gillie Carroll Street.

The annual dance of the Nurses' Alumnae Association of St. Joseph's Hospital was held last evening in the Alexandra ballroom, which had been most artistically decorated.

West Saanich W. I.—The West Saanich Women's Institute held a military 500 drive at Sluggert on Wednesday evening, which was proved a most enjoyable affair.

PAN-AMERICAN CONFERENCE HEARS MRS. PANKHURST

Baltimore, Md., April 22.—Uplift, industrial, social and moral was the keynote of both sessions of the Pan-American Conference yesterday.

PLEASING NUMBERS FOR SONG RECITAL

Mrs. Mary McCoy Jameson and Drury Pryce to Appear Tuesday

A programme of catholic range and appealing standard has been arranged for the recital to be given by Mrs. Mary McCoy Jameson, L. C. M., the well-known soprano, assisted by Drury Pryce, violinist.

Songs—(a) 'Should He Uphold'—Old English Air (b) 'Turn Ye to Me'—Old Highland Air (c) 'My Love's an Arbutus'—Old Irish Air

Violin Solos—Transcription by Fritz Kreisler. (a) The Rosary—Nevin (b) Variations on a Corelli Theme—Tartini

Aria—Elizabeth's Prayer (Tannhauser)—Wagner Mrs. Mary McCoy Jameson. Violin Solo—Berceuse—Lor Anlin Mr. Drury Pryce.

WOMAN BARRISTER SPOKE ON B.N.A. ACT

Miss Kathryn Bradshaw Addressed Liberal Women's Forum

The British North America Act was lucidly explained to an interested meeting of the Women's Liberal Forum by Miss Kathryn Bradshaw, barrister, yesterday afternoon at the semi-monthly session held in the Liberal headquarters.

SUCCESSFUL FANCY DRESS DANCE AT ROYAL OAK

The children's fancy dress dance held in Royal Oak Hall on Wednesday evening proved a great success, a large number of the younger residents attending in original and dainty costumes.

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Before you redecorate see our booklet on the new Alabastine Opaline Effects. Something new—beautiful and economical.

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Bring in the measurement of your rooms and see how little the cost for paper is.

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A successful TEA is assured by serving BLUE RIBBON

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'Night' boys, Charlie Pimlott, 'Robin Hood.' Especially worthy of mention are the following: Audrey Cotton, 'Indian Girl'; Eleanor Van'triegt, 'Carrot'; Tony Pinhorn, 'Jack the Giant Killer'; little Miss Keane as 'Spring'; and Lora Raven as a B. C. Women's Institute, innumerable Pierrettes and Pierrots were present, perhaps the most striking of these being Jack Scruton.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Mr. W. M. Mowat, of Ganges; Dr. and Mrs. Deaver, of Cowichan Bay; Mrs. Hamner Jones, of Cowichan Bay; Miss Harriet Sorenson, of Jordan River; Mr. A. Thompson and Mrs. Thompson, of Cumberland; Mr. J. R. Dahvendahl, Capt. J. Burns and Mr. G. Strowbridge, of Seattle; Mr. J. G. Lewis, of Aberdeen, Wash.; Mr. D. S. Root and Mrs. Root, of Medina, N. Y., are registered at the Dominion Hotel.

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CAPITOL

How guiltless persons can be entangled in the meshes of the law and even be accused of murder is vividly demonstrated in "Find the Woman," featuring Alma Rubens, now playing at the Capitol Theatre. The screen version of Arthur Somers Roche's story moves with the speed of an express train, keeping the pulses of the audience tingling with one thrill after another.

Tom Ferris directed "Find the Woman," the scenario being the work of Doty Hobart. A splendid cast supports Alma Rubens, including: Eileen Huban, George McQuarrie, Norman Kerry, Harrison Ford, Ethel Duray, Henry Sedley, Arthur Donaldson and Sydney Deane.

The picture was created by Cosmopolitan Productions for Paramount.

DOMINION

The baby used in "Bought and Paid For," William de Mille's latest Paramount production, showing at the Dominion Theatre, developed a slight temperament one day during the filming of the picture and for a while everyone, including players, director, property man, and everybody on the staff, engaged themselves in getting the infant into the frame of mind to work properly. Finally it began to smile and all manifested relief.

"Camera," called Mr. de Mille, his eyes intent on the child, which acted like an old time trouper.

All of a sudden the youngster glanced at Jack Holt, who with Agnes Ayres plays one of the two leading roles, and at Walter Hiers, who supplies the comedy element. They were not even moving. So interested in seeing that the baby acted, they forgot to act, themselves. Fortunately

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AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Capitol—"Find the Woman."
Dominion—"Bought and Paid For."
Princess—"Three Live Ghosts."
Variety—"A Ridin' Romeo."
Royal—"Pay Day."

it was only a rehearsal—no film had been shot.

Next time, as the camera was turned, everybody acted, including the baby, and the scene was filmed without difficulty.

PRINCESS

"Three Live Ghosts" at the Princess will meet with its final performance to-night in the hands of the stock company. The play has demonstrated its hold on the affections of the patrons of the Princess by packing the house at each performance.

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VARIETY

Laughter and thrill are the keynotes of the Tom Mix picture, "A Ridin' Romeo," now being shown at the Variety Theatre.

ROYAL VICTORIA

With the mustache and shabby habiliments of his usual screen make-up, but with an entirely new story of which he is the author, Charlie Chaplin is making his first motion picture appearance in many months in a new offering at the Royal Victoria Theatre for the last time to-day.

"Pay Day" is the name of the new film. National attraction, which is replete with humorous gags and incidents revolving around the comedian's elation over "Pay Day" in his screen role of a horny-handed son of toil.

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YOLANDA MERO HERE RECALLED

Pianist Gave Great Performance Last Evening

During the past few days much has been written locally of the coming of the gifted Hungarian pianiste, Yolanda Mero.

Much praise has been bestowed upon her by those who have heard her since her first appearance in New York—about ten years ago.

She is a remarkable pianiste, and those who attended her recital last evening at the Empress Hotel ballroom, who were few, were present to hear such wonderful playing—were simply rapturously delighted, and experienced a great treat.

It is true the name of Mero is not so well known in the West as in the large Eastern centres. Those assembled to greet her must be assured that she is a pianiste of the highest order.

They participated in a remarkable evening, and listened to a glorious programme.

Mero is a player after one's own heart, with the faultless polished technique of the truly great; a style of recital which is a surprise in phrasing and color, a subtlety of nuance; a caressing touch as of air, yet a wrist as supple and firm as steel, and a command of the instrument of the highest order, and in all she did she seemed to revel in, and love their stupendous difficulties.

Could anyone hear her better than the "Frelude," the "Revolutionary," the "D flat Valse" and the "Scherzo C Sharp," by the great Slavonic composer, Chopin, which she played with superb precision and complete command, or in Liszt's "Rhapsodie, No. 2," of this composer's famous twenty Hungarian Rhapsodies, or again in the three encore numbers, "Etude" (Agnusky), the octave finale of Liszt's "6th Rhapsody," and the "Staccato Caprice," by Yvorris, both the latter being played with delightful crispness and magnificent finesse?

There can be no doubt that the Yolanda Mero recital will be long remembered by those present, who gave unstintingly and abundantly of their delight and complete satisfaction.

The artist appeared here at the instigation of Messrs Fletcher Bros, music house.

"MR. PIM PASSES BY"

The Players' Club of the British Columbia University will present the famous three act comedy, "Mr. Pim Passes By," by A. A. Milne, under the auspices of the C.S.M. Cleator at the Royal Victoria Theatre, on Monday, May 1, under the patronage of Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Nicholas, Hon. and Mrs. John H. Hon. and Mrs. J. D. MacLean, Hon. and Mrs. John Hart, Hon. and Mrs. A. M. Manson.

The proceeds of the performance are in aid of the Jubilee Hospital Building Fund, which was inaugurated by the Victoria Kiwanis Club.

NOTHING TO EQUAL

BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Mrs. Georges Lefebvre, St. Zenon, Que., writes: "I do not think there is any other medicine to equal Baby's Own Tablets for little ones. I have used them for my baby and I know nothing else."

What Mrs. Lefebvre says thousands of other mothers say. They have found by trial that the Tablets always do just what is claimed for them. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels and soothe the stomach, clear the bowels, induce indigestion, constipation, colds, colic, etc. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cts. a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. (Adv.)

SCOUT LEADERS NEEDED

Provincial Commissioner Will Tour Island on Behalf of Scout Movement.

The great need of the moment, in the Scout movement, stated R. Ross Sutherland, Provincial Commissioner, in addressing Scout parents at a meeting at his residence yesterday, is for more leaders. Scoutmasters and sub-masters are urgently required to carry on and extend the work of the organization. Boys could be found in numbers, but the difficulty lay in securing responsible leaders to take care of new troops that were urgently needed, he said.

Mr. Sutherland will leave on a tour up-island on Monday, when he will journey from centre to centre, speaking on behalf of the Boy Scout organization. Ladysmith, Nanaimo, Parksville, Qualicum, Errington, Port Alberni, Alberni, Courtenay and Comox will be among the centres visited. The tentative plans for the tour were outlined to the meeting last night, which was a gathering of the Oak Bay troop parents' committee.

After Ten Long Years of Suffering

HE SINGS THE PRAISES OF DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Jules Labrosse, who had Bright's Disease, travel, Dropsy and Diabetes. Tells of Benefit he got from Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Papineauville, Labelle Co., Que. April 21.—(Special).—After suffering for ten years from Bright's disease, travel, dropsy and diabetes, which included Bright's disease, gravel, dropsy and diabetes, Mr. Jules Labrosse, a well known resident here, is now fit and recovered. He is singing the praises of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"Dodd's Kidney Pills have rendered me an immense benefit for which I am happy," Mr. Labrosse says in telling his story. "I suffered for ten years and am now very well. I went down in weight to 125 lbs. Now I weigh 160 lbs."

"Dodd's Kidney Pills are purely a kidney remedy. They kindly strain all the impurities out of the blood. Pure blood carries new strength to all parts of the body."

Ask your neighbors if Dodd's Kidney Pills do not make healthy kidneys.

(Adv.)

THE LOVE PETAL

Another Big Gripping Story by the Author of "A Gambler's Beauty," Which Recently Created Such a Sensation

By NANCIBELLE HALE

Neata, unused to the court procedure, watched the other spectators some of whom were congratulating the erstwhile defendant and others crowding around Colin.

Was she dreaming, wondered Neata, puzzled. This was not the Colin with whom she had so bitterly quarrelled because she had made a friend of her who had caused the enemy of her then fiance. That Colin would never have held the broad, liberal views expressed by the lawyer who had pleaded the cause of the ugly woman, accused of crime.

The Colin of those other days had been the most sensible by Jane Dupress as selecting a young girl to marry, with the express purpose of "moulding her will," "robbing her of her individuality," and "stealing away the proprietorship of her mind and soul."

How perfectly he had to-day expressed the beliefs of all self-respecting women—women who desired to be more than play toys and clothes racks!

He seemed so well to understand the feeling of the woman with power to reason for herself and to sympathize with her desire to make use of her brain.

Had he recently acquired this understanding or had she misunderstood the beliefs of all self-respecting women—women who desired to be more than play toys and clothes racks!

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MAY ALTER BILL TO SAFEGUARD INTERESTS OF SMALLER PORTS

Washington, April 22.—Modification of the Administration Merchant Marine Bill so that it would specifically safeguard the interests of the smaller ports and shipping companies was advocated at yesterday's session of the joint congressional hearings on the measure by Matthew Hale, of Greenville, S. C., president of the South Atlantic States Association. Insisting upon the adoption of an amendment which would require perpetuation for five years, by either the shipping board or private companies of trade routes recently established from South Atlantic and Gulf ports, Mr. Hale declared that unless such a provision was added to the bill, business men and shippers in the Middle West who export their products through Southern ports in preference to a "few congested" north Atlantic ports would swing away from "conditional" support of the administration programme to a position of "effective" opposition.

BOAT RACE AT SEATTLE POSTPONED

Lake Washington, Seattle, April 22.—(By Radio Telephone to the Associated Press)—The annual crew race between Washington and California Universities, scheduled for this morning after rough water caused its postponement yesterday, was again postponed until 3 o'clock this afternoon on account of adverse weather conditions, following a conference of coaches and officials.

New York, April 21.—Arrived: Mauretania, Southampton; Rochambeau, Havre.

B.C. FLAGPOLES FOR SCHOOLYARDS OF NEW YORK

Being Shipped by Robert Dollar Freighter; Record Shingle Shipment

Vancouver, April 22.—The largest cargo of shingles that ever left a British Columbia port, several carloads of British Columbia flagpoles for the schoolyards of New York more than 1,500 tons of copper and one million feet of lumber will comprise the freight loaded here next week on the Canadian Robert Dollar Company's steamer Oriental (Melville Dollar). The Dollar Line has decided to embark active in the inter-coastal business, and the resumption of the service with the steamer Oriental on April 28 is the proof. She and the steamer Stanley Dollar are now on the New York-Vancouver run, and a third vessel shortly, thus providing a thirty-day schedule. The ship will load 20,000,000 shingles. The Dollar ships from Vancouver to New York have in the past established a very favorable impression on the shippers, and the resumption of a full service, with the assurance of permanency, is believed will be welcomed both on the Pacific and the Atlantic. The company made an especially good impression on the shippers when it took the lead in accepting freight charges in Canadian funds. It took this step when the premium was 18 per cent. The Dollar lines at present control all pulp and copper movements to the Atlantic, and in addition are in a good position to ship lumber and shingles.

BONUS SYSTEM IS NOW OPERATIVE ON COASTWISE VESSELS

Number of Pacific Coast Companies Agree to Voluntary Increase in Wages

San Francisco, April 22.—Wages of workers on coastwise vessels in the lumber and freight carrying trade have been increased by approximately forty Pacific Coast concerns, it became known today at the offices of the Shipowners' Association of the Pacific Coast. The voluntary increase will be in the form of pay bonus ranging from five to ten per cent, a month in addition to \$5 flat increase. It was said to have been agreed to at a recent meeting here of directors of the association, composed largely of San Francisco and Portland concerns. The increase, which is now effective, affects 2,000 crew members, it was said. Captain Walter J. Peterson, superintendent of the Waterfront Employees' Union, said the bonus system provided ten per cent bonus for all unlicensed crew members, and five per cent for captains and licensed officers.



Along the Waterfront

SHIPPING NEWS FROM DAY TO DAY

MORE PROSPEROUS TIMES COMING AND TRAVEL PICKING UP

P. W. Whatmough, Cunard Manager at New York, Tells of Brighter Outlook Wave of Optimism and Confidence Throughout Continent

"A genuine wave of optimism and confidence in the future appears to be sweeping the whole continent and the impression conveyed is that the period of depression is rapidly being relegated into the discard to be superseded by prosperous times."

P. W. Whatmough, general manager for the Cunard Line at New York has just completed a tour of inspection of the Cunard Line offices



P. W. WHATMOUGH

from the Atlantic seaboard to the Pacific Coast and he has sized up the general situation as highly satisfactory. This is Mr. Whatmough's first visit to the Pacific Coast and what he has seen of it compels him to hope that it will not be the last. The Cunard passenger manager arrived in Victoria by the S. S. Prin-

NIAGARA AWAY FROM SYDNEY

The Canadian-Australian liner Niagara, Capt. J. T. Rolla, is reported having sailed from Sydney, N.S.W., at noon April 20 for Victoria and Vancouver via Auckland, Suva and Honolulu. The Niagara is expected to make this port May 13.

cess Louise from Seattle yesterday afternoon, accompanied by C. A. Whitehead, British Columbia manager. The party left by the midnight boat for Vancouver.

Mr. Whatmough was sorry that he was unable to see more of Victoria and Vancouver Island, of which he has heard so much about, but he expects to be in a position to return to British Columbia at a later date for a more party. He is an ardent golfer and packs a bag of golf clubs.

On Inspection Tour.

"I am on a tour of inspection of the Cunard offices and agencies," said Mr. Whatmough, "and the most encouraging outlook, not only as regards travel, but in trade conditions generally. The adjustment of the exchange situation would improve business conditions and also give an added fillip to travel.

"I find that the agents of the Cunard Line are constantly on the alert for new business and they are equipped with every facility to handle business and give service.

"The Cunard Line is ever keenly alive to requirements, and in its determination to give up-to-the-minute service the company has created a post-war fleet of passenger and freight steamships that can only be classed as the acme of perfection in catering to the comfort and needs of the traveler."

Busy Season Ahead.

"The incentive to travel these days is noticeably keen. There is so much of interest in the world that has been brought within the means of the average pocket-book through transportation methods available to-day. The passenger ships of regular service are comfortable as the finest of hotels. The business man of to-day travels more. He is able to disassociate himself from the business atmosphere, forget business worries, recuperate and rejuvenate while on the move."

"This season is going to be a big one for travel. The inquiries for steamship space with our company have been very numerous and reservations are being made well in advance of sailing dates."

First Class Excellent.

"Even at the present time, first and second class steamship travel is excellent. Third class is poor but gives promise of an early improvement."

"We have the liner Mauretania, now burning fuel oil, on the Southampton service, and she has shown that she is still capable of speed, and retains her title as the speed queen of the Atlantic."

"The liners Aquitania and Berengaria are carrying large passenger lists in the Southampton service, giving direct connections with southern Europe."

Canadian Service.

"The Cunard Line will have a first class passenger service to Canada this season. The new liner Albania is scheduled to inaugurate the service, sailing from Montreal, May 6. The engineering strike in the United Kingdom has held up work on several of the Cunard liners, and consequently the company has been forced to cancel the May sailings of the Tyrhennia, Andania and Antonia. The Albanian will sail on June 10 sailing from Montreal and at that time it is hoped to have the remainder of the Canadian fleet in regular service."

"The ships in the Canadian service will be splendidly appointed vessels and the service will be second to none."

"Bookings are good, I understand, for the Canadian sailings. After inspecting the Vancouver office, Mr. Whatmough will return to New York via Winnipeg."

LAONIA WILL COME TO PACIFIC COAST ON WORLD CRUISE

Cunarder Sailing from New York Nov. 25 is Due at San Francisco December 14

The Cunard liner Laonia, which has been chartered by the American Express Company for a round-the-world cruise, will be on the Pacific Coast next December, according to P. W. Whatmough, Cunard general passenger manager at New York, who was in the city yesterday from San Francisco and Seattle.

The Laonia, Mr. Whatmough states, will sail from New York November 25, and after touching at Havana and other points of interest in the West Indies, will pass through the Panama Canal to San Francisco at which port the ship is expected to arrive about December 14. Three days will be spent at San Francisco before the Laonia sets out across the Pacific in continuation of her world cruise. The Laonia is a vessel of some 25,000 tons and is one of the newest of the fleet.

Mauretania to Cruise. Another item of considerable interest announced by Mr. Whatmough is a pleasure cruise early next year by the liner Mauretania to the Mediterranean. The Mauretania will be chartered by the American Express and will sail from New York February 10, 1923, for the Mediterranean. The 21,000-ton liner Samaria, has been chartered by Thomas Cook & Sons, for a four-months' world cruise and will sail from New York January 20, 1923.

SPECIAL EXCURSION TO BELLINGHAM BY PRINCESS LOUISE

C.P.R. Offer Special Rate in Connection With Tulip Festival

Orchestra Will Be Carried Aboard for Dancing on Deck

In connection with the annual Tulip Festival to be held at Bellingham early next month, the Canadian Pacific Railway will send the new passenger steamship Princess Louise on an excursion trip to the Sound on May 11. It was announced today by L. D. Chetham, local passenger agent.

The Princess Louise will be operated on a daylight schedule out of this port to Bellingham, and a special orchestra has been engaged to provide the latest music for dancing on the spacious decks of the Princess Louise. Excursion rates will be in force for the trip, and it is expected that the Victoria public will take full advantage of this splendid opportunity to visit the Bellingham area, and at the same time enjoy a thoroughly enjoyable outing at the minimum of cost.

Leaving here on the morning of May 5 the Princess Louise will return the same day, hours being allowed to visit the show at Bellingham.

Continuous Service. It is announced at the offices of the Canadian Pacific Railway that the night sailing for the mainland on Saturdays will be included in the regular schedule of the company in the future. This means that Victoria will have a regular double-day steamship service with Vancouver, with afternoon and night sailings.

In the past the Saturday night sailing has been eliminated from the schedule, although frequent special sailings have been in force since the beginning of the year.

The Canadian Pacific Railway will also in future operate its own steamship from Victoria to Seattle on Sunday afternoon, replacing the sailing of the steamship Sol Duc.

This arrangement will permit of a regular Seattle port on Sunday night for Vancouver.

LUCKENBACH COMPANY NOW AUGMENTING ITS FLEET OF FREIGHTERS

Two Vessels Have Been Purchased and Negotiations On for Two Others

San Francisco, April 22.—Purchase of two of the four vessels sur- veyed by the Luckenbach company has been consummated according to a telegram received by Zac George, assistant Pacific coast manager from the head office in New York. They are the Eastern soldier and the Poznan. The former was built in Japan for the shipping board in 1920. She is 425 feet long and 15,000 tons gross. She will be ready to enter the inter-coastal trade within ten days, George stated.

The Poznan is a former German vessel interned at Manila during the war and at that time known as the Mark. The Poznan is 13,000 dead-weight. She will be ready for service within a month. Addition of these two other vessels to the Luckenbach fleet is only a matter of days, George said.

The largest passenger list ever transported on a vessel of the 535 tons will arrive here May 10 on the Hoosier State from the Far East. She will bring 189 first cabin passengers and 401 steerage. The cargo includes 2,775 bales of silk.

The Commission to-day announced its intention to issue monthly a bulletin containing sailing schedules and other information of interest to shippers and operators. It will be issued free.

The steamer Guerrero sailed from Portsmouth, England, April 16, to join the fleet of the Mexican States line, according to a message to the Chamber of Commerce.

S. E. Duff of the Seattle offices of the Admiral Line, arrived here today to succeed H. S. Eaton, as assistant district manager for the Puget Sound. Eaton has been promoted to the management of the Portland district.

With the sailing of the motorship San Francisco from Christiania this week, announced here by P. D. Baker, manager for W. R. Grace & Co., general agents, a direct service from Scandinavian ports to Central and North America is inaugurated by the Johnson Line.

VESEL MOVEMENTS

Victoria, April 21.—Arrived: Alabama Maru, Yokohama; President San Francisco, Sailed: Hawaii Maru, Yokohama.

Vancouver, April 21.—Arrived: Curacao, Seattle, Sailed: Curacao, Seattle; Simloer, Orient.

Tacoma, April 21.—Arrived: West Island, New York; Lufina, Maui, Sailed: Hankow Maru, Yokohama; Ocean Prince, Yokohama.

Portland, Ore., April 21.—Arrived: Georgina, Roth, J. A. Moffet, San Francisco; Senator, San Diego and ways.

Rotterdam, April 19.—Sailed: Noodam, New York.

TIDES AT VICTORIA

April 22. High water, 8:24 a.m., 7.9 ft. Low water, 7:54 a.m., 5.6 ft. High water, 11:48 a.m., 6.2 ft. Low water, 5:51 p.m., 4.5 ft. April 23. High water, 12:48 a.m., 7.9 ft. Low water, 8:01 a.m., 4.9 ft. High water, 1:04 p.m., 6.3 ft. Low water, 6:38 p.m., 4.9 ft.

BARON GOTO WAS NOTABLE TRAVELER ON ALABAMA MARU

Arrived in Port Last Night En Route to Conference at Genoa

Baron Goto, prominent in the political world of Japan, was a distinguished passenger arriving here last night from Tokyo aboard the O. S. K. liner Alabama Maru. Baron Goto is en route to Italy via New York to take part in the deliberations of the Genoa Conference. He was met at the Ritz wharf here by a delegation of Japanese and was taken for an automobile drive in the city.

The Alabama Maru unexpectedly passed quarantine just before sundown last evening and came to her berth shortly before 8 o'clock. The O. S. K. boat carried 202 passengers and of this number 63 disembarked at this port for Seattle. The ship carried 24 cabins including Baron Goto and party, and a Japanese tourist party numbering 64 persons, traveled in the intermediate class.

The Alabama Maru had an uneventful voyage across the Pacific. She cleared at 11:30 o'clock last night for Seattle.

FORMER TRAINING VESSEL TO ENTER CANNERY TRADE

SS. Brookdale Chartered by Everett Packing Co. For Alaska Run

Seattle, April 22.—The steamship Brookdale, formerly one of the wooden hulls owned by the Shipping Board, and recently purchased by the Crosby Marine Corporation, will come off the Winslow Marine Railway to-day and will shift to Seattle where she will be outfitted for service in Alaskan waters. She has been chartered by the Everett Packing Company for 100 days and will be used in the cannery trade. She will be commanded by Captain W. E. Harned.

Advices received here to-day announced the arrival of the steamer J. W. Cliss at Lobitas, Peru, after a voyage of 63 days.

The Japanese steamer Mandusan Maru will sail to-morrow with a full cargo for the Far East. Included in her cargo are 100 tons of California walnuts.

Roy Lillico, Seattle tugboat operator, will leave for San Francisco to-night for a conference with Thomas Crowley, San Francisco shipping man.

The North Pacific Sea Products Company has announced the beginning of whaling operations in Behring Sea. The steam whaler Patterson, Kodiak, and Unimak were towed out of Lake Union to-day and will be overhauled and outfitted at the plant of the Seattle Shipbuilding Company.

The Japanese steamship Nankoku Maru, originally scheduled to make port at Tacoma, was diverted to Seattle by order of A. M. Gillespie & Co., agents here for the vessel, and is now berthed at the Smith Cove terminal.

HELPFUL HINTS ON SPRAYING

The manufacturers of Kero-Spray, the most effective inexpensive Spray on the market, gives the following useful hints on spraying.

Fruit trees should be thoroughly sprayed as soon as Spring weather hatches out the eggs of insects. It should be done just as the leaves break and before the bloom develops. Use Kero-Spray, applied with any good sprayer, 1/2 gallon makes 25 gallons of spray at a cost of \$1.25. In quantities the price is \$2 and special price on larger quantities.

For rose bushes, shrubs and other plants spray as soon as the leaf develops and throughout the season as the first signs of insect life appears. Thorough spraying in Spring will save constant spraying later. Apply with sprayer or a whisk being sure to get on under side of leaves and buds. Kero-Spray comes in large bottles (making 5 gallons) for garden use.

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VETERAN PACIFIC SKIPPER PROMOTED

CAPT. JOHN GRIFFITH



who has been appointed to command of the Silver State of the Admiral line in succession to Captain Barrett, who will take the H. Alexander. Capt. Griffith is well known up and down the coast, and a host of friends in Victoria will learn with pleasure of his promotion to the big mail and passenger liner.

BATTLED FOR LIFE WITH DEVIL FISH

Diver W. McCray Fought With Monster Fifty Feet Below Surface

Tacoma, April 22.—Battling for his life fifty feet below the surface of Puget Sound, Walter McCray, a diver, known in marine circles from Alaska to California, came out victorious here yesterday over a giant devilfish. When the monster attacked it wound its tentacles so tightly about McCray that the diver was unable to reach the knife he carries for protection. When one tentacle threatened to cut off the air supply McCray, through the submarine telephone, called for a short steel wrecking bar. With this weapon the diver was able to pierce the body of the devilfish and at last with man and monster still struggling desperately, McCray was drawn to the surface by the diver's assistant and other men called to help.

While Richard Burnett, a dock watchman stood by with drawn pistol, unable to shoot because the diver and devilfish were so completely tangled, others attacked with whatever weapons handy and at last the devilfish released its hold and disappeared beneath the water.

The devilfish was said to have been one of the largest ever seen in these waters and was the first, McCray said, that ever offered to attack. McCray, who suffered chiefly from exhaustion, was prepared to-night to resume diving to-morrow.

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Military Five Hundred—A successful military five hundred drive was held by the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club last evening at the Harmony Hall, Fort Street. The prizewinners were as follows: First, Mrs. E. McAllister, Miss Cousins, Mr. Youson and W. Barrett; second, E. Gough, Mrs. Paver, Mr. Buckler and P. Pitt; complimentary, Mrs. Driver, Mrs. Welsh, L. McKenzie and E. Siburn. The arrangements for the annual club dance on May 5 at the Alexandra Hall are progressing favorably under a committee convened by Mrs. Menzell.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Centennial Forum—Dr. Butler will be the speaker at to-morrow's meeting of the Centennial Forum, when he will speak on the subject: "How and Why Does the New Age Come?"

Are Visiting City—Dr. G. G. Sedgewick and P. G. C. Wood, of the University of British Columbia, are visiting this city and will attend the Examination Board meeting.

Fairfield Scouts' Parents' Assn.—The monthly meeting of the Parents' Association of the Fairfield Boy Scouts will be held on Monday evening at the headquarters, Courtney Street, at 7.30 o'clock.

Rummage Sale—A rummage sale will be held in the schoolroom of St. Saviour's Church on Wednesday afternoon, April 26, at 2.30. In the adjoining room there will also be a sale of home cooking.

Annual Banquet—The second annual banquet of the Belmont Sunday School Basketball Association was held on Thursday. There was a large attendance. An enjoyable time was spent by all.

St. Barnabas' Daffodil Tea—The Ladies' Aid of St. Barnabas' Church will hold a daffodil tea on Wednesday afternoon, April 26, at 3 o'clock to 5 o'clock. Music and afternoon tea will be arranged.

"England and the Bible"—"England and the Bible," an historical sketch, illustrated by nearly 200 slides, showing the stirring events in British history, will be given in the Reformed Episcopal Church schoolroom, Blanshard Street, on Tuesday evening next at 7.45 o'clock.

To Aid Picnic Fund—A concert will be held by the ladies of St. Mary Magdalene's in the Methodist Church, Gosworth Road, on Wednesday, April 26, at 8 p. m., in aid of the picnic fund. There will be a very good programme of music by talented artists.

"J" Unit Chapter—By kind permission of Mr. Spencer the J. Unit Chapter, I. O. O. F., will hold a home-cooking sale on Saturday, May 6, in the basement of the store. Members are requested to note the date and send donations to the store or to L. O. D. E. rooms, Jones building, on the morning of sale or Friday afternoon, May 5.

Plans Are Completed—The plans for the coming play to be produced at the Y. M. C. A. have been completed and tickets are on sale at the association building. The boys have been rehearsing the "Upper Trail" frequently during the holiday week, and a good time is assured all those who attend.

Saanich Employees' Association—The Saanich Employees' Protective Association last night at St. Mark's Hall, Boleskine Road, decided to ask the Municipal Council for a reply to their request for a Board of Conciliation on the recent salary cut. Organization details consumed most of the session.

To Give Mine Information—F. P. Hobson, who has just returned from Cedar Creek, will attend the meeting of the Vancouver Island Prospectors' Association which is held in the Board Room, 214 Pemberton Building, on Monday, and give information regarding the new gold discoveries in that district. A good attendance is hoped for.

A. & N. Veterans' Cricket—The Army & Navy Veterans' Cricket Club will practice on Tuesdays and Thursdays at the Jubilee Cricket ground. Anyone willing to play this season for the Army & Navy Club are welcomed to do so, and are requested to communicate with the secretary, 301 Hamley Building, Phone 2245.

For Mutilated Soldiers—Through the kindness of the Dominion Bank a draft of \$140 has been sent to General Pau for the Fund for the Mutilated Soldiers of France, as a result of the performance of the French play at the Little Theatre on April 8. All those who took part in the performance wish to express their sincere thanks to the patrons and helpers in this worthy enterprise.

Naval Brigade Auxiliary—Ladies Auxiliary of the Royal Naval Brigade will hold a Daffodil Tea at the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt, in aid of the Boys' Naval Brigade, on Wednesday, April 26, from 3 to 5 p. m. The tea will be opened by Mrs. Thomson and will be followed by a musical programme. There will also be a miscellaneous and flower stalls.

Oriental Home and School—Dr. J. W. Saunby, a missionary home from Japan, occupied the chair at the Easter concert given by the children of the Oriental Home and School, Cormorant Street, last evening at the Chinese Methodist Mission Hall. The auditorium was crowded with an enthusiastic audience which warmly applauded the choruses and exercises by the boys and girls of the three Mission Bands and Mission Circle. The success of the affair was due largely to the untiring efforts of Miss Martin, head of the Oriental Mission and to the three ladies associated with her, Mrs. Wilkinson, Miss Baker and Mrs. Henderson.



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Esoteric Science and Philosophy—On Sunday evening at 8 o'clock in the rooms of the Theosophical Society, 101 Union Bank Building, Will Griffiths, P. T. S., will deliver an address on "Esoteric Science and Philosophy." All are welcome.

Building Society—Mayor Marchant presided at a meeting of the Greater Victoria Building Society, held last evening in the Pemberton Building. A report on the progress of the society showed a considerable increase in the number of shares issued since the beginning of the year. The sixteenth drawing for an appropriation resulted in the right to a loan of \$2,000 being secured by James C. Lee, 410 Sayward Building, holder of shares 163 C and D.

St. Louis College Entertainment—An entertainment by the students of St. Louis College is to be held in the auditorium of St. Ann's Convent on Monday and Tuesday evenings. The programme, arranged by Brother Grangel, principal of St. Louis College, consists of songs, dances, recitations, physical culture display and a unique exhibition of "Lighting Bolts" shown for the first time in Victoria, and the play "The Merchant of Venice." Mr. James Hunter and Mr. Gillian will also contribute songs on this interesting programme.

Review Commander Honored—The second regular meeting of Queen Alexandra Review, No. 11, was held Thursday, April 20, 8 o'clock in K. of P. Hall. The commander presided. The following ceremonies were conferred: Initiation applications for membership and presentation of certificates, following which a social time was spent together singing and dancing. During the evening Mrs. Watson, a charter member of the Review, presented Mrs. Galbraith, the commander, with a silver pencil in appreciation of her services rendered to the Review. Also a huge bouquet of daffodils bearing best wishes from the officers and members of the Review and many happy returns of her birthday. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Bloor, Sr., while the Misses Ayla Ball and Marjorie Watson contributed to the musical programme.



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Columbia Musical Club—The Columbia Musical Club social is postponed from Monday, April 24, to Monday, May 1.

Lecture at Princess.—"Lasting Peace, World-Wide Soon;—Millions Now Living Will Never Die." will be the subject of a lecture on Sunday evening next at the Princess Theatre by J. B. Williams, of Brooklyn, N. Y. The lecture will commence at 7.30 p. m.

Victoria Review—Victoria Review, No. 1 Woman's Benefit Association of the Maccaebes will hold its regular meeting Tuesday evening, April 25, at the K. of C. Hall, 902 Government Street. There will be a short business session at 7.30, followed by their usual monthly social dance at 9 o'clock. Hunt's orchestra furnishing the music.

Girl Guide Local Association—Mrs. Walter Nichol, Provincial Commissioner of the Girl Guides for British Columbia, has kindly promised to attend the meeting to be held on Monday afternoon, at the I. O. D. E. Rooms, Jones Building, for the purpose of re-organizing the Victoria District Local Association. Tea will be served at 4.30.

Friendship Club Dances.—The Friendship Club will hold its usual dance this evening at the K. of P. Hall. The final dance of the season will take the form of a fancy dress carnival at the K. of P. Hall on Tuesday evening next, commencing at 9 o'clock. Ozard's orchestra will furnish the music, and prizes will be given for the best-dressed lady and gentleman, and for the best comic, lady and gentleman. Among the attractive features arranged will be serpentine and novelty dances, and a banquet supper. Tickets are obtainable at Diggon's, Clarence Cleaners, or of the secretary of the Club at the K. of P. Hall.

Spring Musicals.—Arrangements for the Springtime musicale which is to be given under the co-sponsorship of Miss Marjory Sward, by the young ladies of the First Presbyterian Church at the lecture hall on the evening of Tuesday, April 25, are progressing very favorably. Miss Della Fair and Miss Annie Stralith, supervised by Mr. W. E. Loscoe, will attend to the decorating; Mesdames Young, Fred McGregor and Creel will supervise the serving of refreshments; and the Misses Mary McKinney and Alma Fraser are arranging a delightful musical programme which will be given by some of the best artists.

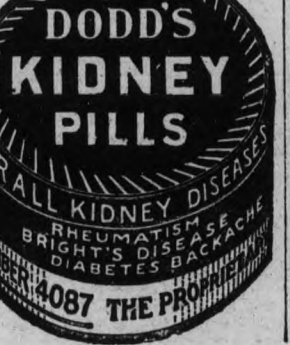
Ward Two Ratepayers.—A meeting of Ward Two, Saanich Ratepayers, will be held in the Cloverdale School on Quadra Street, on Tuesday evening, April 25, at 8 o'clock. Matters of interest to the ward will be discussed, and it is expected that Councillor Macnicol will be present. All Ward Two Ratepayers are invited to attend.

Naval Men Meet.—A meeting of the ex-naval members of the Amalgamated Veterans' Association took place last evening in the club premises, with Comrade E. S. Mitchell, a member of the executive council of the association acting as chairman. The gathering was largely attended. Matters affecting the welfare of naval men on the coast were discussed, while unemployment matters were also dealt with.

Royal Review Box Social.—Members of Royal Review, Maccaebes, are busy preparing an attractive programme for the box social which they will hold in Harmony Hall, 724 Port Street, on Monday evening, 9 o'clock. Mrs. K. Schmelz, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Ritchie and Mrs. McIntyre are the committee. Games, contests, community singing will be the rule for the earlier part of the evening, dancing to be indulged in later. A prize will be given for the lady providing the most tempting lunch box, as well as other prizes for the different contests. All friends of the new review are cordially invited to attend.

Oaklands Parent-Teachers.—The Oaklands Parent-Teachers' Association is arranging for a bazaar to be held in the Oaklands School on Wednesday, May 3, at 2 o'clock, the proceeds to be used to purchase a piano for the school. The stalls will comprise aprons and children's garments, fancywork, home-cooking, candy, flowers, superfluities and men's stall fish pond, ice cream and afternoon tea. Contributions to any of the stalls will be gratefully accepted, and may be sent to the school addressed to Mr. McInnes or Miss Vantreight, or sent to the secretary, Mrs. Brooks, 2734 Shelburne Street, from whom further information may be obtained.

New Thought Concert.—A very enjoyable affair was held at the Connaught Seaman's Institute last evening by members of the New Thought Temple, at which over 200 attended. A concert was given, followed by a dance and a delightful supper was served at 10.30. Dancing continued until midnight. The artists who assisted included Mrs. Colcott, Misses Vera and Edith Crichton, Mr. and Mrs. Stubb, Mrs. Barton, Miss Fraser, George Inglewood and Messrs. Javan, Herd, Hughes, Fraser and B. Derose. E. Blair was master of ceremonies and the committee in charge were: Mesdames E. Bailey, E. Day, J. Dakers, R. Archiman, R. Campbell and J. Masters.



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Dempsey Is Having One Grand Time in Blighty

Saw the Whole Royal Family and Dined With Lord Northcliffe—Three Women Want to Marry Him and Others Want Help—Party Off for Paris To-day

London, April 22.—Jack Dempsey, with Jack Kearns, his manager, and Teddy Hayes, his trainer, and two other members of his party, left this morning for Paris to begin a tour of the Continent which will last about a fortnight.

Hayes declared last night that when Dempsey returns to London which certainly will be before the Carpenter-Lewis bout on May 11, he probably will give an exhibition, though no opponents were named.

After a few days stay in Paris the party will go to Berlin, Vienna and Spain for brief visits.

Dined With Northcliffe.

Dempsey yesterday was the guest of Lord Northcliffe at a dinner at his residence. The champion made a brief speech of appreciation for the welcome he received on his arrival in England. Last night the party went to the theatre where they saw an American comedy with an American actor in the leading role. Since then Dempsey has been in London, he came to London the champion here on his first visit to the city, shortly afterwards taking a brisk walk. He is besieged by demonstrative crowds wherever he appears in public.

"Talk about greeting letters in America," said Hayes yesterday, "there is no comparison with the way they are getting them here—about 400 or 500 a day. A lot of them are from women and a surprising number of children are writing, usually giving their ages at from 12 to 14."

Chance to Get Married.

On Jack's return to his hotel the day before yesterday, after a walk, he found 500 letters. The second mail brought the total to 2,000, many tinted and in feminine hands, inviting him to dinner and applying for a job as social secretary. "Here lies John Dempsey," said Hayes, "and three other marriages are being offered for money, some offered tips on the races, and financial investments. Jack opened most of them, laughing heartily, but refused to let others see them. "Private stuff," he said.

The champion passed the whole afternoon writing letters home. He wrote his mother that he had seen the King.

Speaking of the sightseeing trip on Thursday, Jack said: "It was one of the biggest days of my whole life. When a youngster I used to dream of some day seeing the King. The King, I felt yesterday when I saw the whole royal family."

Jack attended a dinner Thursday night at the Piccadilly Restaurant given by Major Wilson famous boxing promoter. Georges Carpentier who is to fight Ted Lewis here next month, also was present. It was the first meeting of Dempsey and Carpentier since they fought in the Jersey City ring.

LADY GOLFERS WILL PLAY FOR B. C. TITLE

The British Columbia ladies' golf championship, which carries with it the Flumerfelt Cup, will be played this year at the Shaughnessy Heights Golf Club, Vancouver, on May 2 and three following days. There will be an entrance fee of one dollar, and the conditions are as follows: The competition is open to lady members of British Columbia golf clubs. The winner of the competition shall be entitled to possession of the Flumerfelt Cup for one year. The prize money shall be \$100. The match will be played over eight holes. A qualifying round will be played on May 2, first sixteen to qualify. Handicap limit, 20.

Entries must be in by May 6, and should be addressed to R. Silcock, secretary, Shaughnessy Heights Golf Club, Vancouver.

WEIGHTS AND ENTRIES FOR SUMMER HANDICAP

The entries and weights for the Summer handicap to be held at the Willows on May 24 by the Vancouver Island Thoroughbred Horse Breeders' Association, are as follows:

Hart handicap, six furlongs, for 115; Killarney, 116; La Bete Noire, 118; Ruth Harrigan, 116; Kio, 110; Royal Irish, 107; Darling Rose, 111; Dinnal Flower, 95; Miss Messines 101; May a While, 104; Watery Winkles, 95; George Pearson, 112; Brooklyn, 105; Tommy W., 108.

Victoria handicap, one mile, for B. C. bred, horses—Princy Direct 120; Gift, 116; La Bete Noire, 118; Ruth Harrigan, 116; Kio, 110; Royal Irish, 107; Chattan court, 114; Killarney Belle, 114; Black Spray, 115; Anne S., 114; Vic. St. John, 126; Burks's Bean, 102; Ben Levy, 111.

MRS. PHILBRICK WINS

Mrs. Philbrick was the winner in the "A" class and Miss J. MacLeod the "B" class of the ladies' monthly bogey competition, played yesterday on the Oak Bay links.

The next match between the Captain and Secretary's teams will be played on May 1.

Presbyterians and Duncan Play for the Title To-night

There is much speculation over the outcome of the basketball game between the First Presbyterians and Duncan, to be staged to-night at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. The winners will be declared champions of the Victoria and District Basketball League and will be presented with the Little and Taylor Cup. The victors will proceed to Vancouver to battle for the British Columbia open title.

The Firsts are the favorites for the game, due to their splendid showing all winter. They are in superb form at present.

Duncan possesses some very fast players who shoot well but they are up against a severe handicap in being on a strange floor. A. Tom, the big fast centre man of the up-landers, suffered most last Wednesday night when he usually found himself too far under the basket to shoot. He is a very dangerous man.

When the Firsts traveled to Duncan earlier in the season they just managed to defeat the home brew by one point. The local squad will have to be on their toes to-night to come through with a win.

A big crowd is expected to be on hand to witness the game. A preliminary game between the Royal Oak and Saanichton quintettes will be staged.

INTERNATIONAL TRACK PADDOCK CLAIMING MEETS ARE ARRANGED

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American and English Universities to Engage in Important Contests

London, April 22.—A series of international track meets between English and American universities has been arranged, according to John T. McGovern who came with the University of Pennsylvania runners for their meeting with Oxford and Cambridge at the end of the season. McGovern and the Pennsylvania team will sail for the United States to-day. Under the plan Yale and Harvard teams will meet Oxford and Cambridge in London in the Summer of 1923, while Oxford and Cambridge will visit Princeton and Cornell, then Yale and Harvard and perhaps other American schools in joint meets in 1925.

Paddock's statement was made when he was questioned by the Hawaiian branch of the A. A. U. decided not to petition the national body to recognize the marks as the exciting track did not conform to specifications. The runner said that when he left the islands the A. A. U. officials there told him they would seek to have the records recognized.

ROTARY SOCCER TEAMS WILL PLAY WEDNESDAY

Arrangements have been completed for the annual football game between the Victoria and Vancouver Rotary Clubs. The game will be staged at the Royal Athletic Park on Wednesday afternoon next. The winners will be presented with the Todd-McCormick Cup.

On the evening of the same day the two clubs will pit their basketball teams against each other. A dance will be held after the game.

COAST LEAGUE BALL

Exciting Work at Frisco.

San Francisco, April 22.—Mitchell's exploit in fanning nine men in a single inning finished here yesterday responsible for Sacramento's 4 to 2 victory over Oakland yesterday.

The winning run was made by Valla, who ran for Yelle after the latter doubled. An attempt to catch Valla between bases merely resulted in a pitching duel from Phillips, Washington and Edson, which was won by Edson brought him home. The Seals made three double plays.

Portland. R. H. E. 10 0 0
Batteries—Krause and Koehler; Crumpler and Elliot.

Beavers Find Batting Eyes.

Portland, April 22.—Portland won yesterday's game from Oakland, 6 to 2, and made the series even. The Beavers all gained their batting eyes simultaneously in the eleventh after two were out when five men in a row hit safely and drove in four runs. The game was another long drawn-out affair of more than two hours.

Oakland. R. H. E. 2 7 1
Portland 6 10 0
Batteries—Krause and Koehler; Crumpler and Elliot.

Los Angeles. R. H. E. 10 4 4
New York 1 1 0 0
Batteries—Phillips and Garrity; Shawkey and Schanz.

White Sox Come Through.

St. Louis, April 22.—Dave Danforth started his mates to victory here yesterday. The Browns finally losing, 10 to 5, in ten innings. Charlie Robertson, one of Danforth's former American Association foes, started for the White Sox. The Sox tied the score in the ninth with two forced runs and a six-run rally in the tenth settled the contest.

Chicago. R. H. E. 10 15 2
St. Louis 5 9 0
Batteries—Robinson, Wilkinson, Hodge and Schalk; Danforth, Bayne, Kolb and Seaver.

TIGERS AT LAST WIN

Detroit, April 22.—Detroit scored its first victory of the year yesterday, defeating Cleveland, 15 to 7, in a wild-hitting contest. The Indian pitchers were ineffective throughout, while Stoner, the Oklahoma City recruit, performed creditably for the Tigers after the first inning.

Cleveland. R. H. E. 7 15 2
Detroit 15 7 0
Batteries—Mails, Merton, Odenwald, Keefe, Jamieson and O'Neill; Stoner and Bassler, Woodall.

Boston-Philadelphia game, postponed—cold.

Cricketers Will Open Season Next Saturday

Victoria cricketers are now oiling up their bats and making ready for their opening games next Saturday. The Victoria and District Cricket Association has just finished the work of drafting its schedule, which will provide first-class cricket for sixteen weeks.

Seven teams have entered for the Virtue Cup competition this year. They are as follows: Victoria, last year's champions; five C's, last year's runners-up; Incogs, Albions, Garrison, Army and Navy and the Five C's second eleven.

Little is known as to the ability of the various teams. Some new material has arrived in town during the winter, but at the same time several of last year's stars will not be seen on the pitch this year. Jack Matson, Sholto Gillespie, Eden Quainton and Marshall will be among the missing.

Provision has been made in the schedule for the inter-city games. The cricket enthusiasts will be glad to note that this season has been extended and will embrace the Cowichan and Nanaimo eleven. This will provide each district with two games. The teams will be Vancouver, Victoria and Cowichan-Nanaimo.

The Wednesday League, which will be an exceptionally busy affair this summer, expects to open up with a game of hitting on Wednesday, May 3. At least eight teams will play in this league, which is double the number which competed last year.

Six grounds will be used this year, including the new pitch at Oak Bay park, which has been put into shape by the Five C's. The other grounds will be Jubilee, Victoria Park, Hill, Willows and University School.

The schedule will be as follows: April 29—Army and Navy vs. Five C's II. at Jubilee Hospital, Albion vs. Incogs at Willows, Garrison vs. Five C's I. at Work Point, Victoria a bye.

May 6—Victoria vs. Garrison at Jubilee Hospital, Albion vs. Five C's II. at Willows, Five C's I. vs. Incogs at Oak Bay, Army and Navy a bye.

May 13—Army and Navy vs. Incogs at Jubilee Hospital, Five C's I. vs. Victoria at Oak Bay, Garrison vs. Albion at Work Point, Five C's I. a bye.

May 20—Victoria vs. Army and Navy at Jubilee Hospital, Five C's I. vs. Five C's II. at Oak Bay, Garrison vs. Incogs at Work Point, Albion a bye.

May 27—Army and Navy vs. Five C's I. at Jubilee Hospital, Albion vs. Victoria at Willows, Five C's II. vs. Garrison at Oak Bay, Incogs a bye.

June 3—Inter-city match, Victoria vs. Cowichan-Nanaimo, at Cowichan.

June 10—Victoria vs. Incogs at Jubilee Hospital, Five C's I. vs. Albion at Oak Bay, Garrison vs. Army and Navy at Work Point, Five C's II. a bye.

June 17—Victoria vs. Five C's I. at Jubilee Hospital, Albion vs. Army and Navy at Willows, Five C's II. vs. Incogs at Oak Bay, Garrison a bye.

June 24—Army and Navy vs. Victoria at Jubilee Hospital, Albion vs. Garrison at Willows, Five C's II. vs. Five C's I. at Oak Bay, Incogs a bye.

July 1—Inter-city match, Victoria vs. Vancouver, at Victoria.

July 8—Albion vs. Five C's I. at Willows, Garrison vs. Victoria at Work Point, Incogs vs. Five C's II. at University School, Army and Navy a bye.

July 15—Army and Navy vs. Albion at Jubilee Hospital, Five C's I. vs. Garrison at Oak Bay, Incogs vs. Victoria at University, Five C's II. a bye.

July 22—Victoria vs. Five C's II. at Jubilee Hospital, Five C's I. vs. Army and Navy at Oak Bay, Incogs vs. Albion at University, Garrison a bye.

July 29—Army and Navy vs. Garrison at Jubilee Hospital, Five C's II. vs. Albion at Oak Bay, Incogs vs. Five C's I. at University, Victoria a bye.

August 5—Inter-city match, Victoria vs. Vancouver, at Victoria.

August 12—Five C's I. vs. Victoria at Oak Bay, Garrison vs. Five C's II. at Work Point, Incogs vs. Army and Navy at Willows, Five C's I. vs. Albion at University, Five C's II. vs. Albion at University, Five C's I. vs. Army and Navy at Oak Bay, Incogs vs. Garrison at University, Five C's I. a bye.

September 4—Inter-city match, Cowichan and Nanaimo at Victoria.

BRITISH GOLFERS AFTER U.S. TITLES

Leading Pros, Amateur and Ladies to Cross Atlantic This Summer

New York, April 22.—Many golfing celebrities will make the trip from England to the United States this season, if the tentative international programme thus far arranged is any indication.

The successful invasion of Great Britain last Summer, of United States professionals, resulting in the capture of St. Andrews most prized trophy by Jock Hutchison, the Chicago Scotsman, has prompted Englishmen to book passage for the pick of its "pro" ranks in an effort to turn the tables over here.

George Duncan and Abe Mitchell, who toured the country last year, will return in company with Sandy Herd and J. H. Taylor, and possibly Harry Vardon. Vardon and Teddy Ray are the only Britons to win the United States open title.

Amateurs Coming.

Public subscription will finance the trip of at least ten of England's leading amateurs for the national championship here.

To complete the British invasion, the Leitch sisters, Edith and Cecil, and Miss Joyce Wethered have announced their intention of entering most of the women's tournaments on this side.

BUFF HURT SO CALLS OFF THE LYNCH BOUT

New York, April 22.—The bout between Johnny Buff and Joe Lynch for the world's bantamweight championship which was to have been held in Madison Square Garden, N.Y., was called off yesterday owing to the illness of Buff, the champion. Lew Diamond, the champion's manager, said that Buff was suffering from a swollen gland in the neck which has forced him to cancel the engagement to meet Lynch as well as other matches.

CANADIAN BOXING CHAMPIONS FOUND

Rowland, of Winnipeg, Looks Like Find at Boxing Show at Calgary Last Night

Calgary, April 22.—C. C. Huckvale, the Medicine Hat boxer, took his turn at trying to solve the mysterious attack of that demon Winnipeg youth, Don Rowland, at the Canadian amateur boxing championship tournament last night when they clashed in the final of the welterweight championship, and fell considerably short of his mark, running to a second position in a battle that lasted but forty seconds.

Rowland's right mitt was the one that did the business, as he drove it straight into Huckvale's chest, and the Medicine Hat boy fell to the floor. Huckvale managed to regain his feet only to be met with another straight right. He came up the third time only to go down again when Referee Billy Stewart stopped proceedings. It was the shortest battle ever staged in the annals of amateur boxing in this city. The victory gave the representative of the Winnipeg Canoe Club the welterweight championship.

Canadian championship, Class "B" final: Gus Gideon, Victoria, A. C., outpointed J. Scott, Victoria, A. C., after an extra round.

Canadian championship, light heavyweight final: S. Kronick, Calgary, easily outpointed Lora Kesler, New Dayton.

Canadian championship lightweight final: Gus Guckie, Bankhead, decisively outpointed F. J. Noonan, Calgary.

Canadian championship welterweight final: Don Rowland, Winnipeg, knocked out in the first round, Medicine Hat, in the first round.

Canadian championship, middleweight final: C. C. Huckvale, Medicine Hat, won by default.

AMATEUR UNION HEADS ARE BEHIND MOVEMENT

Amherst, N. S., April 22.—That President Covey had the hearty support of every member of the executive of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union in his endeavor to clean up the amateur situation in the maritime provinces is evidenced by the telegrams which Mr. Covey has received from the various members of the executive.

These wires are from the president of the union, Judge Jackson of Lethbridge; the vice-president, W. E. Findlay, of Montreal; Secretary N. H. Crowe, of Toronto, and the treasurer, C. C. Robinson, of Winnipeg. The only other member of the Canadian executive is Mr. Covey, who is second vice-president.

CYRIL TOLLEY MAKES LONG DRIVE ON LINKS

New York, April 22.—Cyril Tolley's drive to the eleventh hole in the recent Oxford-Cambridge golf tournament in England, is still the talk of British golfers. The hole is dog-legged over a high ridge of sand dunes, and is played by the ordinary golfer. It measures 426 yards. Tolley drove straight for the green, which can not be seen from the ridge, and the finished, exact sixteenth shot, paces from the flag. Curiously, the ball struck the top of the ridge and glanced straight over on its course to the green. On this course, the Princess Tolley, playing from the seventh to the eighth hole, 453 yards, went five yards past the green with a prodigious drive and a light iron shot.

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GONNASSON LOCAL CHESS CHAMPION

The final games in the chess tournament for the amateur championship of Victoria were played last night with the result that the championship has been won by Gonnason, who will by virtue of winning the title hold the Gonnason Cup for one year. The contest was very close between the first four men, the champion winning by a game from Partington and Young. The final scores were as follows: Gonnason, 8; Partington, 7½; Young, 7½; Erout, 7; Barker, 5½; Hodsoil, 5; Harlow, 4; Hoy, 3½; Sanders, 3; Patrick, 2½; Ramsay, 1½.

In the minor tournament held under the auspices of the British Columbia Chess Federation, Ramsay, of Victoria, was the winner and will be presented with the silver medal.

Mr. Gonnason, who won the city championship, the honorary president of the club, and his win is very popular. He wins the cup which he presented some years ago to the club to be played for yearly. His victory was due to a combative strategy and true chessy style.

WILL HOLD PARLOR DOG SHOW TO-NIGHT

Many Dogs Entered in Competition at Lorraine Hall; Dr. Sleeth will Judge

Novices as well as experts are all being attracted by the Parlor Dog Show, which is to be held at the Lorraine Hall, Pandora Avenue, at 7 o'clock, when Dr. Sleeth will judge. It is reported that Dr. Sleeth is an experienced judge of dogs, and the possessor of some fine dogs himself.

The attention of all fanciers is drawn to the fact that entries must be in before 7 o'clock. A large entry is anticipated as the show is attracting wide interest in kennel circles, and it is hoped that Victoria is no mean city when it comes to showing dogs.

There are twelve special prizes in addition to the usual covered ribbons and cups. The following interested fanciers having donated them:

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LOCAL BASKETBALL TEAMS LOST GAMES

Two Junior Teams Beaten in Vancouver Last Night; One Team Victorious

Vancouver, April 22.—A representative team of Victoria basketball players in the 125-pound class won from the Kamloops Community Club by a score of 29 to 25.

The finals in the provincial basketball championship were played off yesterday at the Y. M. C. A. Victoria Y. M. C. A. lost to St. Andrews Club, Vancouver, by a score of 21 to 29, in the 110-pound class.

In the 140-pound class, St. Marks, Vancouver, defeated Victoria by a score of 30 to 11.

In the game with Kamloops, Victoria had the best of it all the way. Geigher was the star player. The Victoria team was Watcher, McKenzie, Geigher, Roney and Stevens. Robertson starred for the Victoria Y. M. C. A. team, which was made up of Robertson, Griffith, Skilling, Taylor and Rose.

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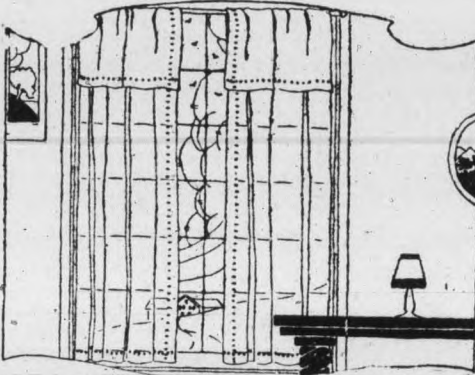
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With new collar; narrow tie finished with tassels; trimmed with black military braid; lined with silk. Neat tailored skirt. Size 40. Price **\$39.50**



Latest Cleanings From the Old Land

Patients in Panic, Coue Ends Seances Lady Beatty Flees

London, April 22.—Amid scenes of hysterical pandemonium, M. Coue of Nancy, concludes his auto-suggestion seances in London.

At the invitation, it is said, of Lady Beatty, who is supposed to be one of M. Coue's "cures," he visited the Special Neurological Hospital at Tooting to talk with a large number of shell-shocked soldiers.

Lady Beatty, who is the wife of Admiral of the Fleet Lord Beatty and who before marriage was Miss Ethel Field of Chicago, almost suffered a nervous breakdown while on a visit to the United States during the Washington Conference and has been greatly interested in the welfare of the shell-shocked soldiers. She went to Nancy, it is reported, was cared by M. Coue and thought he would be able to help shell-shocked men in hospital here. Accompanied by Lady Beatty, M. Coue visited the Special Neurological Hospital and is said to have cured one man of headache, another of hysterical blindness, and a third of a soldier named Withers suffering from bodily tremors, went before him. M. Coue with lightning-like rapidity passed his hands up and down the man's trembling limbs, suggesting at the same time that the tremors were as unreasonable as they were uncontrollable. Suddenly the patient emitted a piercing shriek and flung himself to the floor in wild hysteria. The effect of the frenzy of this patient was to cause the most frenzied among the other shell-shocked men present, and many had to be carried bodily from the room while doctors and nurses tried to soothe the others.

Lady Beatty and the other visitors had to make a quick exit from the room.

Before leaving for France, M. Coue said that even the power of auto-suggestion is not sufficient to cure and he did not seem to be much disturbed by his last tragic seance.

One of the Neurological Hospital patients who has been in the work of the hospital has been put back for years as a result of M. Coue's seance.

ALL LONDON DRAWN TO COUE, APOSTLE OF AUTO-SUGGESTION

Nancy Psychologist's Cure Becomes Craze

Explains Philosophy of Interaction of Mind on Matter

London, April 22.—A thousand persons in England with great faith and many ills are now repeating to themselves: "Day by day in every way I am growing better."

It is magic formula of Emile Coue, the eminent French psychologist of Nancy, who has been lecturing and holding clinics here at the Institute for the Practice of Autosuggestion.

His cure became almost a craze as sufferers from paralysis, rheumatism, consumption and the blind are being cured by his method. By far the greater number of his converts are women of all ages and ranks afflicted with all degrees of physical incapacity. There are, however, quite a number of men. The crowds are far greater than can be accommodated at the lectures and clinics.

Jekyll Can Cure Hyde. M. Coue tells how Dr. Jekyll can cure Mr. Hyde by autosuggestion. He is a short, stocky, gray haired man who looks like Premier Lloyd George, except that he smiles all the time. He insists that he does not cure but only shows people how to cure themselves. He also says that he is not a hypnotist and that he has six subjects on the stage clasp hands and had them repeat, "I cannot open my hands." They complied and could not open their hands. Then he had them say, "I can," and sure enough they did open them.

Idea Take Firm Root. "All ideas we have not only tend to but do become realities. People who become paralyzed often remain so long after the original cause has passed. Then they only think they are paralyzed. I teach them to think otherwise and they are cured. When the will and imagination are antagonistic the imagination always wins. Imagination can be directed by auto-suggestion. Every illness can be made to yield to auto-suggestion with confidence, faith and perseverance. Its force is an incalculable power within us, but it must not be used unconsciously and then it often is prejudicial, but if exerted consciously it gives us mastery over ourselves and over our physical ailments and brings greater happiness."

This is M. Coue's second visit and he has been swamped by appeals. He speaks French and English and jokes with his patients. He tells his patients that they must say "day by day" twenty times before going to bed and upon arising and at other times when possible. His extravagant claims of successes greatly impressed the crowds who fought for a chance to obtain treatment. One man could not balance himself and was unable to turn around. The professor made him get up, turn around and walk without assistance. The man even ran along the passage-

the most democratic of all Old World monarchs, is fond of horses and shooting and probably would do more living for it, not for the fears of his Ministers.

Of the monarchs who have lost their thrones former King Manuel of Portugal is the best known figure at big sporting events in England and on the Continent. His hobby is lawn tennis, although he is an adept horseman.

ARNOLD BENNETT'S NEW PLAY SHOCKS LONDON, BUT WINS

"The Love Match" Evokes Criticism of Heroine's Morals But Author Refuses to Make "Naughty Nina" Better

London, April 22.—The type of woman who wants everything on earth and will give nothing but passion in return is unalterable, Arnold Bennett declares, and he will not change her despite the criticism of his new play, "The Love Match," which is shocking, but having a success at the Strand Theatre.

A storm of protests caused Frank Vernon, the manager of the theatre, to ask Mr. Bennett to change the last act and make Nina a better woman or let her die after misconduct and divorce instead of going on with her same loose morals through life.

Bennett flatly refused, saying that he respected the public, but wrote the play to suit himself. He denies that Nina should be reformed, but admits that the play does not end but "merely peters out" and she goes on as do the Ninas in real life. In an address to Mr. Vernon Mr. Bennett said:

"There are any quantity" of "naughty, voluptuous, loving Ninas" knocking about the Strand. The type is a sign of the times. My play is meant to be an expose of the typical Nina. I try to be fair to the enchanting creature, who is generally nice and genuinely loved. The episodes of her infidelity being discovered and her divorce are purposely made tremendous so as to give her every inducement to reform. If such an experience won't change her nothing will. Though she does behave heroically in a momentary crisis she does not permanently change and the truth is that nothing will change her.

She has fine impulses in her moments of crisis, but they are not sustained enough to modify her enormous egoism. Nina is unalterable. So she will go on and do as she pleases. I might as well plausibly sentimentalize in her death. But Ninas do not die. They are very strong and very sure of their own minds. They are, exercising their singular fascinations long after other women have retired from the great battle of life.

"It would have been easy for me to reform Nina and send her comforted to the multitudes with the pleasant duty of a mother, but it would have been criminal. The play may be bad, but it is altered it would be worse."

Modistes Lament; Can't Query Man As to Wife's Credit

London, April 22.—Proprietors of fashionable West End dressmaking establishments are anxious to know what Justice McCordie's ruling that a husband need not pay for clothes that his wife buys in excess of her credit means. They are not sure they understand the ruling, but they are not sure they can query the man.

Modistes say they cannot ask a husband if his wife's credit is good or bad, but they can query the man by which they can learn a customer's credit value. One modiste pointed out:

"It must be remembered that a few of the best dressed women spend little on clothes. They are dressed by one of the famous houses, for which they are a sort of living advertisement."

Flock of Birds One Mile Long Darkens Sky

London, April 22.—A flock of many thousands of birds forming a cloud more than a mile long and so thick that it darkened the heavens, with their tail beats making a noise like a squadron of airplanes passed over Deal a few days ago. Such a spectacle has not been seen within the memory of the oldest inhabitant of the most ancient mariner there.

Many residents were awakened in the early hours of the morning by the fluttering sound. On looking out they first thought it was a cloud but when it came nearer they saw that it consisted of birds having the appearance of swallows moving and swaying in beautiful formation. They came straight overland, turned seaward and then back over the town and disappeared.

Plymouth Liquor Trade Would Spend \$50,000 to Defeat Lady Astor

London, April 22.—The liquor trade of Lady Astor's constituency is prepared to spend \$50,000 on a campaign to get her out of the House of Commons, according to a report from Plymouth. When informed of this Lady Astor replied characteristically: "Good We need money in Plymouth. Let them spend it."

The trade has long taken every opportunity to attack Lady Astor, but she usually hits back vigorously and always is foremost in attacking liquor interests in the House of Commons. She insists that "it is more important to relieve the burden of taxation on sugar and tea before cutting the spirits and beer taxation" and that "it would be prejudicial to the national interest to stimulate the consumption of spirits and beer, as convictions for drunkenness have increased since the armistice have doubled."

The liquor trade, therefore, regards Lady Astor as its worst enemy in the House of Commons.

ENGLISH WOMEN SMUGGLE DRUGS AS FACE POWDER

London, April 22.—Large quantities of cocaine and other dangerous drugs are being smuggled into this country in the guise of face powder, according to information that has reached the police.

The dope usually is packed in boxes cleverly disguised and labeled as well known brands of face powder. In this way the suspicion of the customs officials was averted and the apartment of a suspect was raided.

How soon the existing law will be reformed is another matter. Forty years ago the Decree of Coercion in the Criminal Code recommended the abolition of the "melancholy doctrine" of common sense.

Lady Astor, always foremost advocate of women's rights, has already introduced a bill in the House of Commons, but any private member's bill has small hopes these days.

More progress was likely to be made to questions in the House of Lords to which Lord Birkenhead replied. The Lord Chancellor said that he was not himself prepared to agree with Lord Buckmaster's claim that his hands did not control their wives but he did not think it necessary to build up a case of the highest kind of family life.

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English law is like that. The Lord Chancellor "Iolanthe" said that "the law is the true embodiment of everything that is excellent," but Lord Birkenhead said that "the law is a mere collection of words."

One of these is the doctrine of marital coercion. It holds that when a wife commits a crime in the presence of her husband, she is presumed to be acting under his coercion. In this case the husband is not liable for the crime. The case was heard by Mr. Justice Darling, a learned and experienced judge, who lacks no force of mind. He had to "presume" in the case of the wife—daughter of Sir Robert Jardine, a leading figure in the House of Commons.

Two classes of people here are especially interested in the exhumation of this ancient legal relic. One is the class of people likely to profit by it. The revival of archaic curiosities like this is often followed by a rush of ingenious attempts to turn it to account and thus the unique becomes an epidemic. There have already been some efforts to apply this effete legal doctrine to cases from the humber valley of good a lawyer as Lord Buckmaster, coercion is still a common and obvious means of escape.

Old laws still in force. The other and much larger class especially interested is the leaders of the movement for complete sex equality. They are naturally a little riled by the revival of the "melancholy doctrine" that a woman "dare not contradict her husband" in any way. They have jury women and women qualified as doctors, lawyers and astronomers. By them Mrs. Astor's attitude is regarded as a milestone in women's struggle for equal civic status with men.

Lady Frances Balfour, president of the National Council of Women of Great Britain and Ireland, has dug up and exhibited to the public view some other ancient laws of the law reformed to married women.

She points out that the "law of coverture," by which a man and his wife are one person and the husband is that person, has never been abolished in its entirety, though some of its worst consequences have been reformed. Thus the wife's position as a person, has never been abolished in its entirety, though some of its worst consequences have been reformed.

AN ARKANSAS FORECAST We think time will either get better or worse and that soon.—Woodland News in Sharp Country Record.

Maclear and Sombra Met in a Sand-Storm

In Her Novel "The Bridge" Miss M. L. C. Pickthall Weaves a Romance of the Great Lakes; Love Scenes On an Island and the Peculiar Obstinance of a Conscientious Heroine.

Miss Marjorie L. C. Pickthall has long been regarded as the foremost poet in Canada. She has now written a novel, "The Bridge" (Hodder and Stoughton, Toronto), and some critics think she has achieved a great triumph in her new field of endeavor. This story has just been on the market but a few weeks but already enthusiastic reviews are beginning to appear and I notice that one admirer declares that "The Bridge" is the most distinguished work of fiction that has been produced in this country. The fact that the London "Sphere" is running Miss Pickthall's novel as a serial is a significant indication of how warmly it has been received in literary circles in England. But my own reaction to this much-heralded story is my first and late concern. As I try to sort out my impressions I come to the conclusion that "The Bridge" has several striking merits and on the great merits the ledger one or two serious defects.

The idea which forms the structure of the story has been built in excellent. Miss Pickthall imagines that the senior partner of an engineering firm in the Catalina city is making a big bridge but not run the foundations of the central spans deep enough. He thought he would save on the contract in this way. Everything would have been all right, only the sand got in and the river followed the sand. A disaster struck through the yielding bridge and the contractor's only brother Gordon and three others were killed. The accident occurred some ten days after the accident and Alan Maclear, on the verge of nervous prostration, because of the noise in his head, the strain of the breaking steel, is congratulating himself that every scrap of evidence which might incriminate him or the firm has been destroyed. His sister-in-law, visits his office and bitterly asks him if it was worth while saving a few thousands in view of the fact that the bridge killed his brother, her husband. She and her husband had an immense affection for Alan Maclear, but now she felt repelled by his attitude.

"I want some day to be able to forgive you. I want so terribly to be able to forgive you. But I can't do it yet. Not yet. Not yet. Not yet. Maclear with the noise in his head increasing and the weight on his conscience heavier than ever, wanders through the night in the streets of the city like a lost soul murmuring "You know I'd have died to save you, any day, Gordy." He comes at last to a lonely dock where a boatman plunges into the lake. Although he can swim, he deliberately tries to drown himself, and nearly succeeds for he is rescued by a man who is a lonelier than he has seen him jump into the water.

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Thousands Made Miserable By This Trouble

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ashes in the snow. He yielded to her, dropped to his knees beside her and hid his face.

All roads were formed here. They were at home, for a little they remembered nothing of sin or grief. Only knowing that they were once more together."

I hope I have not been too critical of the plot of this romance of the great lakes—and I imagine that many will like it—all will be of one mind as to certain outstanding merits of "The Bridge." The style is that of an artist in words. Whenever the author indulges in descriptions of nature she achieves notable effects in color and atmosphere. And Maclear's first moments of married bliss on the island constitute an idyl of delicate fragrance and beauty. From the moment of Maclear's arrival at Morning House to the unfortunate tragedy in which old Mait disappeared, the story is as beautiful in its simplicity and idyllic as could be desired. In her opening chapters and in her portrayal of love on the island Miss Pickthall has scored a triumph, but a weak, especially on such a pretext as this advanced.

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Editor's Note.—Miss Pickthall, the talented authoress of whose new book "The Bridge" has been written above, died last Wednesday at Vancouver.

"Faddy" Appetites

When the digestive organs are out of order you need the help of Mather Seigel's Syrup. The herbal medicinal extracts of which the Syrup is made restore tone and strength to the system, and make food yield nourishment and save from the many ills which indigestion brings. Mather Seigel's Syrup is now sold in 50c. and \$1.00 bottles at drug stores.

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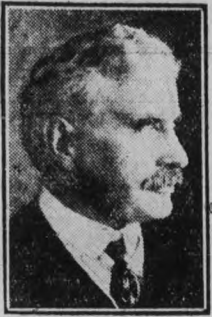
Lift Off with Fingers Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops burning, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Truly! Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation. (Adv.)

COLORED DEACON STILL GAVE VOTES TO BORDEN

Although the Liberals Paid Him More Than Conservatives—Sir Robert's Little Story.

Now that I am through with politics I will tell you a story I used to enjoy in the old days," said Sir Robert Borden recently.

"When I was running elections in Halifax, I had a very active political enemy, who has since become very well known in Nova Scotia provincial politics. According to the story, which came to me in a way so round about that it is probably not far from the truth, a colored deacon, after accepting \$10 from a Liberal canvasser, voted Conservative. Next election my enemy saw to it that the good colored deacon received \$15. But still he voted Conservative."



Sir Robert Borden

"So out goes my enemy and proceeds to up-braid the deacon. "That is all right, sir," answered the deacon. "I always vote on principle." "And what kind of a principle are you acting on when you take \$15 from the Liberals and vote for the Conservatives, who only gave you \$5?" demanded my political enemy.



Looks a Bank President BUT it is really General von Ludendorff, one of the big guns of the ex-kaiser's army in the recent war. When this photograph was made in his villa at Munich the former war lord insisted on having included the twenty-inch statue of "his kaiser," which is shown beside him on the desk. His love evidently still lingers.

PRINCE LOSES CARD, PICKS OWN PARTNERS

Clever Ruse at Indian Dance to Avoid "Wallflowers."

It is said that the Prince of Wales found the routine of official duties during his trip to India rather irksome, especially in the evening when he preferred to do some of the arranging for himself.

For instance, at the beginning of a big ball given for him by the wife of the governor of one of the big Indian provinces she handed him a list of ladies with whom she desired him to dance that evening. The Prince obediently took it and obeyed the request with the first three or four on the list. Then he discovered that she had "wished on him" all the socially prominent "wall flowers" of some seasons back who were there.

As soon as this dawned upon him he quietly dropped his dance card behind a chair in a corner of the room (it was immediately picked up by an observer, who, as a joke, gave it to a local newspaper, which printed it), and proceeded to dance the remainder of the evening with all the young belles at the party.

THE UNKNOWN GOLFER

MANY golfing stories are told about Arthur J. Balfour, who has become so quickly in turn first a knight and now an earl. Here is the latest:

At the time when he was prime minister he was asked to play golf on some park links on a Sunday. This was before golf became a recognized Sunday game, and he objected that it would do him no good if the fact of his playing got out.

However, he was persuaded, and was just beginning to enjoy his game, when—to his annoyance and anxiety—a couple of spectators, strangers, appeared on the scene, watching him intently.

His anxiety soon vanished, however, when he overheard a brief snatch of conversation between them.

"Who's the chap there in the check suit?" asked one. "I dinna ken who he is," replied the other, "but he canna play golf."

Against Scripture

THE little girl had questioned her grandfather many times during the evening, and now, with the nurse tugging at her arm to remove her to bed, he could see that she had still another question to ask.

"Grandad," she said, "were you in the Ark?" "Why, no!" he exclaimed, smilingly.

"Then," said she, innocently, "why weren't you drowned?"—Pearson's Weekly.

KNOCK IT DOWN. WHEN you find the truth in your way you may be sure that you are on the wrong side.

People People People!

USING THE HOME MOTTO WITH STRIKING EFFECTS

COL. G. T. DENISON of Toronto prizes the following among his rarest police court experiences:

Some years ago a man was haled before the colonel charged with wife beating. The culprit's face was decorated with several pieces of sticking plaster, and he looked as if the battle with his better half had not been an unequal one.

"Did you dare to strike your wife?" thundered the magistrate, as he gave a very stern and accusing glance at the defendant. "Yes, yer worship," freely acknowledged the man in the dock. "She was late getting supper, so I ups and gives her a bit of my mind. She talks back a little saucy like, and I just loses my temper and gives her a crack."

The man shook his head mournfully, and proceeded: "But I gets the wust of it, yer worship. Why, she throws a plate and a cup at me, and 'ts me, too. Then she knocks me down with a chair, and next she grabs our pretty motto off the wall and smashes it over me 'ead. The plawster—(pointing)—shows where I was out with the glasses, yer worship."

"And what was the motto?" asked the colonel, now deeply interested. "God Bless Our 'Ome," yer worship," said the beplastered defendant.

Jas. Haverson Holds Up Sunday Morning Service

O.T.A. Expert, Out Cycling, Finds It Necessary to Interrupt Preacher's Sermon.

JAMES HAVERSON, of Toronto, lawyer and wit, is more or less famous for a number of things. One of them is the framing of the Ontario Temperance Act, for he is the reputed author of that document—of course at the behest of a now-deceased Ontario cabinet. But Mr. Haverson's friends like to tell stories of the startling originality of the man, and one of the best of them relates to an episode in the days when cycling was the fad.

On a bright summer Sunday morning Mr. Haverson and his wife were pedalling along a country road when something went wrong with Mrs. Haverson's wheel. As he had not brought his tool kit along, Mr. Haverson could not mend it. They tramped along for a while until they came to a little country church. "Just wait here," said the lawyer to his better half. "I think I'll go in."

Up the aisle of the little church walked Mr. Haverson. The preacher was just in the middle of his sermon. Everybody turned to look at the newcomer, so late for church. The lawyer raised his hand in sign to the preacher. The latter stopped. "May I have a word?" queried Mr. Haverson.

"Surely, my brother," said the parson. "Thank you," replied the new arrival, and turning to face the congregation, he calmly inquired: "Can anyone here oblige me with a wrench?" He got it.

A Daniels to Judgment In the Matter of Gin

Here Is a Problem to Tax Capacity of Attorney-General of Nova Scotia.

HON. O. T. DANIELS, attorney-general of Nova Scotia, is expected to solve a question which would puzzle Solomon.

The other day there came to the provincial liquor dispensary at Halifax an official of a colored people's church not far away, with papers calling for wine for religious purposes.

"What kind of wine?" asked the dispenser.

"Well, sah, de congregation, male and female, held a meeting last night, and wealls, male female, unanimously—dat's de word—voted dat de best kind of wine for de religious ceremonies is gin."

"Wine is usually made of grapes," said the dispenser; "and gin—bless me if I know what gin is made of."

"But, sah, dere is wine dat is made of grapes, and den dere is huckleberry wine and blueberry wine and lots of wines; but gin, it is a mystery, and derefore appropriate for de ceremonies of our church."

"I'm afraid I'll have to get the judgment of Attorney-General Daniels on this point," said the dispenser.

"Well, sah, unless Mister Daniel come to his judgment might queeck dere 'll be a schimatic disturbance in der church, an' it'll take stronger spirit to restore peace dan gin."

BEING NOT A PERFECT LADY

LADY ASTOR, M.P., speaking at a luncheon the other day in honor of the other British lady M.P., Mrs. Wintringham, said people "had looked upon her as a sort of accident. At first she thought she was the worst person to be the first woman in the House of Commons. Lately she had realized that she had a few gifts that were very necessary. One of them was 'not acting like a perfect lady.' The woman who was always a perfect lady would not be fighting for a perfect right. She thought Mrs. Wintringham was not going to be a perfect lady either. Mrs. Wintringham cared too much about real things to be a perfect lady."



Radio Numbers General Pershing Among Its Fans. THE commander-in-chief of the American army General John J. Pershing, has had a wireless set installed at his office in the war department in Washington, and gets all the news there in the air. Wouldn't be a bit surprised if you found him there some of these evenings trying to hear one of The Toronto Star's radio concerts.

Beverly Baxter Touches G. Bernard Shaw By Making London Critics Eat Their Words

Unprecedented Stunt of Young Canadian Writer to Save "Heartbreak House" From Unmerited Chorus of Condemnation.

ARTHUR BEVERLEY BAXTER, the young Canadian author, who is managing editor of Lord Beaverbrook's "Sunday Express," pulled off an unprecedented stunt in London recently when he actually made the critics reconsider a play which they had condemned and thus saved a masterpiece from an unmerited oblivion.

The play was "Heartbreak House," written by none other than the famous George Bernard Shaw.

It had been produced at the Court Theatre. Next day the critics not only complained that it dragged, but the newspapers were filled with a perfect deluge of adverse comment. "Meaningless" was a word that appeared everywhere. It seemed as if Shaw had lost his reason.

Mr. Baxter went a few nights later to see the play. It made his pulses tingle. He felt that here was "a stupendous creative masterpiece"; here was a new Shaw, as witty and cutting as of old, but speaking with a new humanitarianism.

Mr. Baxter went home determined to save this great play from the fate to which the critics had condemned it. He arranged for a special matinee at the theatre, called up Shaw and arranged that he would come, and then invited the critics to come back and reconsider their decision.

The affair caused a big furor in London literary and dramatic circles. The critics came. Many of them reversed their first decision of the play. After the performance, tea was served on

FIRST KING OF EGYPT SUCCEEDS CLEOPATRA

And Is First Pharaoh to Face the Camera.

WHEN King Fuad of Egypt, whose inaugural took place in Cairo recently, posed for his photograph, he was the first king of Egypt to face a camera man.

JOHN DID NOT CATCH SHEEP LOVER'S NAME

A Little Incident of Devonshire Regime in Ottawa.

DURING his term of office the Duke of Devonshire, former governor-general, was a frequent visitor at the Ottawa Winter Fair. Being a lover of good livestock, and, what is more, knowing a good animal when he saw one, his excellency took a true interest in every part of the fair.

On one occasion, under the guidance of the Hon. William Smith, then member of parliament for South Ontario and president of the fair, his excellency visited the sheep exhibit. Among the exhibitors of sheep was John Kelly, of Shakespeare, Ont., "Scotch" right up to the hilt, though he has farmed in Perth county for a generation or two. "John" was busy, as usual, looking after his prize-winners and failed to recognize the distinguished visitor who took such an intelligent interest in his "Hampshires" and "Leicesters."

He was introduced by the president as one of the best-known sheep herders in Canada. Probably securing a good customer for some of his valuable prize-winners in the visitor, "John" was desirous of knowing who he was, and the warm handshake was being given, came back with the query: "I didna kotch the name."

member of the nineteenth dynasty, who lived before 1300 B.C. He defeated Syria, conquered Ethiopia and set up a fleet. The Israelites were in bondage in Egypt while Ramesses II. was pharaoh. It was during the reign of his son Manepth that the Exodus took place. This picture of Ramesses is from a statue of him unearthed a few years ago at Tanis.

PETER IS PREMATURE

IN a small town of Ontario one autumn evening two years ago Peter McArthur was giving one of his talks on Canadian poets in general, and Bliss Carman in particular. All attention was, of course, centred on the popular speaker, and he had reached one of his climaxes with the words, "And my old friend, Duncan McKellar, has been dead for several years," when a titter ran through the audience and a smile was seen on the faces of many present.

For a moment Mr. McArthur paused and looked questioningly at his hearers—then, with a puzzled look still on his face, resumed his lecture.

At the close of the program Mr. McArthur was informed that Mr. Duncan McKellar, respected elder and choir-master of the Scotch church of the town in which he was speaking, had sat during the lecture in the front seat of the hall, with a resigned expression on his benign countenance. Hence the levity!

Lost in the Woods Was Bob Edwards' State

How the Editor of the Calgary Eye-Opener Voted for the Wrong Man.

BY GEO. E. WILLIAMS. WHEN two well-known public men having a great similarity of names occupy offices in adjoining buildings it seems excusable for strangers to get them mixed sometimes, but it seldom happens that their fellow-townsmen make that mistake. The friends of R. C. Edwards, M.P.P. of Calgary, more generally known as "Bob" Edwards, of the Calgary Eye Opener, like to tell this one on him.

When local politicians of different camps decided that for the good of the country a truce should exist between them during the war period, a large executive was appointed to select likely candidates. Now for a number of years a coolness was known to exist between J. H. Woods, editor of the Calgary Herald, and Bob Edwards, of the Eye Opener. And among the names voted upon for candidate for East Calgary was that of J. H. Woods, so a considerable ripple of excitement was caused by someone who passed the rumor around the room that Bob was voting for Woods. His friends could not believe it was true.

Accordingly next day when one of them met the editor of the Eye Opener, the subject was introduced, and the name of Mr. Woods introduced in a diplomatic way. He was simply mentioned as among the others voted upon. "Pardon me, but you are mistaken," declared Mr. Edwards; "it was not J. H. Woods, of the Herald, but W. H. Wood, of the United Farmers."

"Oh, no," said the friend, "it was J. H. Woods all right." "But it could not have been," said Bob, "for he was nominated by Davidson, of the Albertan, and surely he would not nominate J. H. Woods." "Nevertheless he did," reiterated the friend. "Hang it," exploded Bob, "and I voted for him twice."

A Bandit's Bargain Day When He Meets Dr. Blow

He Finds His Original Demand Much Cut Down Before He Is Sent Away.

BY GEORGE E. WILLIAMS.

THE power to think quickly and to be ever ready with an answer is a good quality to acquire, as Dr. T. H. Blow, former Conservative M.L.A. for South Calgary and founder of Calgary University, learned one evening recently. As the doctor was walking towards his home in Mount Royal, Calgary, a dark object suddenly detached itself from the surrounding gloom, and the genial doctor found himself looking down the blue steel of a revolver, whilst a gruff voice ordered, "Hand over fifty dollars and don't be long about it."

Now a number of years on the opposition benches at Edmonton, during which he had posed as the railroad critic of the opposition, had taught the doctor to be chary about accepting any ultimatum as final. So he began to negotiate. "I have not that amount on me," he replied. "Then make it twenty-five dollars," said the highwayman. This concession having been granted, the doctor, like a good politician, naturally looked for further concessions. "A strong, able-bodied man like you ought to be ashamed to try to make money this way," he said. "Can't help it," said the highwayman; "my family is in need and I can't get any work."

"If that is the case come over to the house with me and let us talk it over. Then I will do what I can for you," said Dr. Blow.

"Yes, and you will hand me over to the police." "No, I promise." "Sure, governor, you are not guying me?" "No. Come over and I will help you."

With this the hold-up man put away his revolver and accompanied Dr. Blow over to his house. After a lecture on the benefits of honesty the doctor dismissed him, with five dollars, and retired to bed with a feeling that he had done a good evening's work.

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"PEACH" FIRST APPLIED TO CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW

Popularity of Famous Veteran Politician Occasioned the First Use of This Slang Word.

THE original of the slang term "peach" has been discovered.

It was first applied to Chauncey M. Depew, the most famous after-dinner speaker in the United States, 68 years of age this month, who was secretary of state for New York state away back when Lincoln was president and was afterwards a U.S. senator.

Mr. Depew is very proud of the fact that "peach" burst into the English language as a tribute to his popularity. In his reminiscences, recently published, he tells the circumstances.

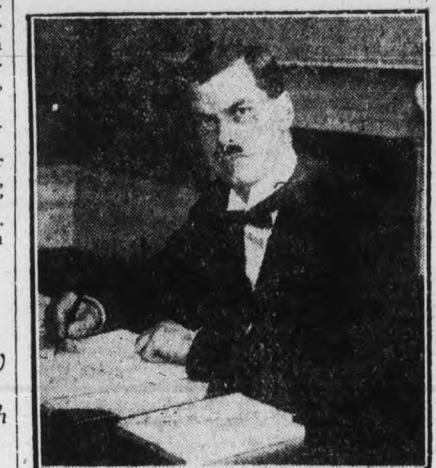
He had accepted an invitation to address a Republican meeting in a Tammany district on New York's East Side. Congressman Tim Sullivan expressed fears for his safety in such a hostile Democratic stronghold, but Mr. Depew determined to run the risk. In the midst of his speech a heckler in shirt sleeves swaggered to his feet and called out:

"Chauncey Depew, you have no business here. You are the president of the New York Central Railroad, ain't you, hey? You are a rich man, ain't you, hey? We are poor boys. You don't know us and can't teach us anything. You had better get out while you can."

Mr. Depew's reply was short, sharp and decisive. He said: "My friend, I want a little talk with you. I began life very much as you did. Nobody helped me. I was a country boy and my capital was this head and these legs and these hands. By using them I have become just what you say I am and have got where you will never arrive."

At this response a man in the audience jumped up and shouted: "Go ahead, Chauncey; you're a peach!"

This outburst saved the day for the Republican orator. "That characterization of a peach," he says, "went into the newspapers and was attached to me wherever I appeared for many years afterward, not only in this country but abroad. It even found a place in the slang column of the great dictionaries of the English language."



Young Man's Big Post

HERE is V. B. Powis, who has been appointed by Lord Leverhulme to be one of the three joint managing directors of the Niger Company, Ltd. Mr. Powis, who is not yet 35 years of age, is well known in the business world in Toronto and Montreal. His wife was formerly Miss Olive Drayton, daughter of Mr. P. H. Drayton, K.C., official arbitrator of the city of Toronto, and sister of Sir Henry Drayton, finance minister in the late Meighen cabinet. Mr. Powis served in the R. F. A. during the war and afterwards held two important government appointments.

NOTHING TO SURPRISE THE FATHER OF LEHMAN

AN AMUSING incident occurred during one of the hockey games played recently between the Vancouver team and St. Pat's for the Stanley Cup.

"The father of 'Hughie' Lehman, the star goalkeeper of the Vancouver team, was sitting with some friends in one of the boxes, and during an exciting part of the game in which 'Hughie' particularly distinguished himself some other people who were in the box, but who were not members of the Lehman party, were passing such remarks as 'Gee, he's a peach,' 'Ain't Lehman a wonder?' 'He's unbeatable,' etc.

Mr. Lehman, Sr., overheard these remarks, and unable to contain himself any longer he leaned over and tapping one of the strangers said: "Sure he is! That's my son—I make them all that way."

LLOYD GEORGE ON RELIGION

DR. CHARLES BROWN, the well-known Baptist minister, attended the breakfast Mr. Lloyd George gave to Free Church ministers recently. He lifts the veil as to what happened by the following paragraph in his church magazine. Dr. Brown says the premier "declared his personal conviction that a religious revival was a necessary precedent to social reform—not that the latter should not be sought after—but if the former could be secured it would create the atmosphere for social reform and would bring it in its train. His conversation revealed him as a close student of the history of religious movements. His arguments seemed to be that a quickened spiritual life would be bound to bring forth the fruit of better social conditions, more just and equitable relations among men and the banishment of wretchedness from the surroundings of the poor."

Win our Young Folks at work and play



HONESTY REWARDED

Contributed by Mrs Harrison Eke

SAMMY lifted the casket from its hiding place fumbling nervously for a small key attached to it.

"Got your flash, Davey? Or did you forget it?"

"No, I have it."

"Gee," exclaimed Davey, glancing furtively around, the flash light shining on the casket, don't it seem as if we were real burglars, flash light 'n' shovels."

"An' Jewlry," chimed in Sam, "see, Davey," as he opened the casket, exposing its contents to view. Davey's right eye closed as he peered at the contents.

"Ugh," he exclaimed in disgust, "tain't nothin' after all."

"Ain't it though, oh boy! look at that peachy watch," lifting the shining article and placing it on the palm of his hand for Davey's inspection, "ain't she a pippin'?"

"Tain't anything to go crazy over, anyway. I got one like that for Christmas."

"You got a watch, Davey?" queried Sammy in surprise.

"I should say I have, ain't you?"

"Are you going to steal that one?" cried Davey aghast.

"I have it given to us at the fire party?"

"Only to lend, though," said Davey with asser-tion.

"Then I'll borrow it," returned Sammy as he shut the casket with a snap. "Gee, don't she kick! Like Pa's double-barrel gun."

"What you going to do now?" as Sam turned away from the hole from which the casket was taken.

"Bury it somewhere else just for fun."

To this Davey was agreeable, but borrowing the watch he was very much against.

"Say, Sammy, you'd best put that watch back, 'tain't sabbly right to borrow things that way, not without asking Tim anyway."

"Nope," said Sammy decidedly as he placed the casket in its new quarters. "Tim wouldn't lend it and I ain't going to ask him neither," he concluded, giving the last clod of earth a vicious pat. Then they turned in the direction of home.

The following morning Sam showed the watch to his father.

"Where'd you get this?" queried the father sharply, eyeing his son with suspicion.

"Found it," was Sam's quick reply.

"You did, eh? Where?"

"Near the bank, you know."

"Do you know the value of this watch?"

"Nope," replied Sam, surprised at his father's sharp questioning.

"Well, let me tell you, Sammy, it's worth a pile of money."

"Gee, Pa, can I have it?" cried Sam excitedly.

"Davey's got one all his own. A dandy, too."

"That so?"

"Yep."

"Well, you won't get this one unless you want to get us all in the lockup."

"What you going to do with it?"

"Hand it over to the police," replied the father.

"Tain't the cops to have," cried Sammy in scared tones, "it's Tim Smith's."

"And how did Tim Smith come by it any-way?" asked Sam's father more puzzled than ever.

Sammy told the story of the fire. "And it's true, too!" concluded Sammy.

"And do you mean to say she gave him the casket?"

"Yes, Pa, she did! I see her with my own eyes."

"The young rascal! He should have given it up to the police. Now, what are we going to do about it?"

Sammy did not answer.

"We'll go round and see what Tim's folks have to say about it," decided Sam's father.

"Get your cap and come along with me."

"Here, Tim," called Mr. Smith when Sam's father related his son's story a few moments later. "What's all this about a basket?"

"Tim, red faced, came hurriedly forward, briefly hesitating before answering.

"Did you hear, Tim? What's this I hear about a basket?" asked Sam's father.

"A casket," corrected Sam's father.

"Oh, pardon, what's that anyway?"

"Sort of a box," spoke up Tim.

"Well," went on Mr. Smith, now angered, "what were you doing with it to begin with, Tim told his father of the fire."

"Just what Sam told me."

"Seems a likely story alright," said Mr. Smith, "but what are we going to do about it? That's the question." Mr. Smith was troubled, he did not know whether to believe the story or not.

"Best get the casket and hand it over to the place where it belongs," Sam's father advised, "the police station."

"Hasn't the lady anyone belonging to her?"

"That's for the authorities to find out, sir."

"Where is it now?" asked Mr. Smith.

"It's hid," spoke up Tim.

"Where?" asked his father.

"On the hill yonder."

"Then go and get it," his father stormed.

"I'll come with you, Tim," cried Sam eagerly.

"Come on, then."

Together the two started out.

"Tain't in the same place as you left it, Tim."

"Ain't it though?"

"Nope."

"Who moved it?"

"Davey and me."

"What did you move it for?"

"Oh, just cause."

"Still, if you had let the box alone we needn't have given it to the cops."

After a search, the casket was unearthed again, and this time taken to the Smiths' home for inspection.

"Chased too," said Mr. Smith as he unlocked the casket and replaced the watch. After a while Sam, with his father, left. Tim and his father were then free to proceed to the police station.

"How long have you had this box?" asked the officer as Mr. Smith placed the casket before him.

"Not long," replied Mr. Smith, "it only came into my possession just now."

"It did, eh? How did you come by it?"

Mr. Smith told the officer just what the boys had told him.

The officer cleared his throat, then looked at the father and said:

"He told you about right. It's the same as I got it from the lady herself."

"Is the lady alive?" burst forth Tim with excitement. He had listened intently to the officer's questioning.

"Yes, you mean. You should have brought the box here before."

The officer's voice was sharp and business-like. Tim felt a little scared.

"Anyway, I'll phone the lady," he went on, "and hear what she says. Shouldn't wonder if she ordered you the strap." Tears welled up

SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG



LITERARY AFTERNOON

Boys of Y. M. C. A. Have Busy Week

THE annual rally of the sixteen groups of the Y. M. C. A. Boys' Department takes place to-day with an attractive programme prepared for the event of the season. The sixteen groups will meet in the gymnasium for a joint banquet, after which many stunts and displays will be forthcoming. With each group, or club, is left the details of the stunt they are to stage, and a large list of attractive features have been under preparation by these clubs.

Each club will have its own table, and prizes are to be awarded for the decoration of the tables, to be attended to by the boys themselves. The rally is under the genial direction of Harold C. Cross, Boys' Work Secretary, assisted by Walter Maguire and Delmar Battrick. The event has been eagerly anticipated, and some excellent programmes have been prepared by each of the several clubs.

On Tuesday of this week the preparatory de-

partment enjoyed an outing to Cadboro Bay under the guidance of Delmar Battrick, where the day was spent in an entertaining manner. On Thursday last the junior department executed a somewhat similar outing, the affair being well attended.

Many boys have already signified their willingness to attend the annual department boys' camp at Beaver Lake, to be held between July 3 and August 7 inclusively. Last year over 200 boys attended in weekly periods, and this year the addition of the pavilion and other accommodation will attract an even greater number. An interesting programme of work and play for the outing is now in the hands of Harold C. Cross, who is in charge of the arrangements.

DRESSING

"Tea or coffee, sir?"

"Coffee, without cream."

"You will have to take it, sir, without milk - we are out of cream." - Puppert.

From a story: "She held out her hand; the young man took it and departed."

"She swept the corridor with her eye, but could not see him."

Robby Meets an Affable Stranger

"HELLO, Little Man."

"Lo."

"Where do you live?"

"Over there," Robby pointed to a large grey house, standing in wooded grounds.

His questioner whistled softly; then sat down on the grass beside the boy. He was a man about thirty years of age, and had a decided twinkle in his eye.

The questioning continued, Robby telling the stranger of his home, his Daddy, what they did at home, and generally about the house and its occupants. The stranger prompted the lad whenever the latter showed signs of changing the subject, and in a very short while was in possession of the complete history of that household, and rapidly gaining an insight into the operation of the homes of the neighborhood.

For instance by dint of scattered questions he learned that Mr. Brown, Robby's Dad, worked at the bank, indeed was manager at the bank, and was never home before ten in the evening. Mr. Jones, across the way, on the other hand, was always at home, but usually at the rear of the house in a library where he read from day to day, apparently just pausing long enough for meals.

In turn the stranger told Robby that he was a tourist, taking a vacation in the city, and that he liked the place. Robby thought he had never met a nicer man, nor one more interesting. Full of his long conversation Robby, eventually turned homeward, and the incident passed from his mind.

Our scene now shifts to the home of the Browns, two days later. The time is eight o'clock at night, and the family, with the exception of Mr. Brown, is dining in the long room on the ground floor of the house. The lights are lit, and the blinds but half drawn. It is a pleasant scene, the family, while the gathering are conversing merrily, nearing the completion of the evening meal.

The house, as we said, stands in well-wooded grounds, which are spacious. On the west side the trees come up to the edge of the house, nearly, and branches overhang the roof at this point. Had one been watching the leaves on a certain branch would have been seen aquiver, but nobody was.

Thus it was that nobody saw a pleasant-faced man, with a twinkle in his eye, climb along the branch on to the roof. Likewise he was unobserved as he slid down the roof to the eaves of a skylight. The skylight was opened and the man disappeared.

Once inside he bandaged his face with a black cloth, and removed his shoes, tucking the latter into his pockets.

The operations of the intruder next were surprisingly rapid. A brief pause was made at the head of the stairs, leading to the ground floor. With the exception of voices from the dining room below all was quiet. Soundless, the man shifted quickly behind a hanging drape as steps were heard below. The foot steps passed on, and the man reappeared.

He tried a door on his left, it opened under his light fingers, without noise. This was a bedroom. Swiftly crossing the piled carpet he made a rapid survey of the contents of the room, collected a watch, some jewelry; tucking these articles into his spacious pockets.

Satisfied that he had everything he wanted from that room, he passed along to the next; that was while in the act of entering the last room, a library, that he heard a slight sound from the floor below, and stopped still. Listening he made out the sound of the gathering rising from the table. It was time to go.

The return to the roof was a matter of seconds, and effected by his strange visitor with as little difficulty as his entry. Once on the roof he removed the bandage from his face, replaced his shoes, and climbed again to the branch. Retracing his way along the branch he slid noisily to the ground and was lost to sight in the thick undergrowth.

The grounds of the house were surrounded by a high board fence on the west side. Climbing this fence the man dropped into the road-

way, almost into the arms of a man walking briskly towards the main gate.

"Won't the gate work?" asked the pedestrian.

"Oh, yes, but I live here and was in a hurry," was the cool rejoinder.

"You live here, I see. Funny though, I have lived here for some years, and do you know I do not seem to remember you," said the pedestrian.

The twinkle faded from the eye of the stranger, and his hand went in a flash to his rear pocket.

"Drop it. I have had you covered since you got over the fence," snapped the pedestrian.

"You win," replied the stranger, accompanying the pedestrian to the house.

To cut a long story short Robby's dad, for it was none other, brought his captive to the house, where it was found that he had most of the family valuables in his possession.

Robby recognized the affable stranger, and said so. It transpired that the man, a noted crackman had based his venture on the information he had secured in conversation with the boy, and by that means had made himself familiar with the house. But for the fact that Robby's dad returned home one hour earlier than usual, the robbery would have been completed, and Robby would not have learned his little lesson.



MR. DOG LEARNS SOMETHING

LITTLE MISS KITTEN was full of mischief. There was no doubt about it. And it was poor old Mr. Dog that suffered most from her tricks. He could not take a nap in the sun since Miss Kitten had come there to live, because she was sure to spy him and begin playing with his tail.

His meals were no longer a pleasure, for Miss Kitten was very spry and often she would run and jump right into the dish, sometimes eating up most of the good things before Mr. Dog could poke her out.

But one day a younger dog came there to live and Miss Kitten did not have things all her own way, for Young Dog could run and he often chased Kitten up a tree and kept her there for a long time.

He sometimes ate up all her milk, and once he poked her out of a nice soft place she had for a bed on an old cot in the barn and went to sleep there himself. Mr. Dog noticed that Miss Kitten did not dare bother Young Dog as she did him and while he was not able



Would you and jump right into the dish

to chase her as Young Dog could, he decided he would make her afraid of him, for he could plainly see that Miss Kitten was afraid of Young Dog.

Just how he should do this Mr. Dog did not know, but one day while he was asleep near the barn, along came Miss Kitten. Mr. Dog had one eye open and he saw her and at the same time he saw the garden hose lying on the ground near by.

"Wish that thing was turned on," thought he. "She would get a good ducking."

Miss Kitten saw the hose, too, and she wondered what it was. "A little mouse ran in there just now," fibbed long-suffering Mr. Dog as he saw Miss Kitten look at the nozzle. "You better watch and catch it."

Miss Kitten switched her tail and down she sat, her eyes growing bigger as she watched; never once did she raise her eyes or she might have seen Mr. Man come out of the barn and turn on the water.

The next thing Miss Kitten knew she was flying down the yard, wet to the skin and frightened nearly out of her wits.

When she was safe on the other side of the fence she pecked through and saw Mr. Dog wagging his tail and looking very much pleased. Some time later when Miss Kitten returned to the yard she saw Mr. Dog curled up near the garden-hose, but she did not go near him. Instead, she kept close to the fence and Mr. Dog with one eye open saw her.

"She is afraid of it," he said. "Now when I want a quiet snooze, I shall come out here. She is afraid of the hose and as long as I am near that she will let me alone. Why didn't I think of frightening her before. Well, that Young Dog was worth something after all, he showed me how to get a decent sleep."

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HOUSEHOLD MECHANICS

POLICEMAN'S STAR AND WHISTLE

TO operate the whistle, place it in a light soldering kit suitable for a few cents at the variety store. The outfit is shown in the drawing.

To prepare a new soldering iron for work it must first be "tinned." Heat it, and then file or scrape the point until the bright copper is visible. While it is still hot rub the point with a piece of sal ammoniac, and then rub it against a bar of solder. The point will acquire a silvery appearance. The presence of the solder on the iron makes it possible to pick up small drops of solder and transfer them to the work.

A flux must be used when soldering. Paste is the flux shown in the drawing of the outfit. Muriatic acid is a good flux. Resin is good only for new tin.

A furnace for heating the soldering iron may be made of a tin can cut as shown in the drawing. Set the can over the flame of a common gas stove burner. To keep the soldering iron clean and to preserve the tinning, the heat should be applied to it slightly back of the point.

From A locate point I, and from points G and L, locate points K and M. Connect the points as shown in figure 4. Cut the star out with your tin snips, and then solder a safety pin to the star.

To solder the pin on, first scrape or sandpaper the parts of the pin and the star that are to be joined. Cover these parts with soldering paste. By means of the heated soldering iron carry some solder to the place on the star where the pin is to be fastened. In the meantime hold the pin in readiness in a pair of pliers. While the solder on the tin is hot, quickly place the pin in position.

After you have smoothed the rough edges of the badge and polished it as well as you can, the star is ready for wear.

ing it lightly.

With a marking awl and dividers I next lay out the pattern for the article I am making. Let's suppose that we make the tin whistle first. It is shown in figures 1 and 2. The tin is easily cut with a pair of tin snippers, or an old pair—and an old, discarded pair remembers—of scissors. The two 1/4-inch holes are made in the tin by driving a nail through it into a block of wood.

In figure 1 you will notice that there are three centre lines running across the tin. Bend the whistle on the two outside lines as shown in figure 2. Be sure to bend the tin so that the burrs made by the nail will be on the inside of the fold, or you may cut your tongue.

A policeman's star and a tin whistle! When a boy, I was first learning to solder, to make a policeman's star or a tin whistle was my favorite pastime. I made stars and whistles by the dozen, and then gave them to those of my friends who didn't know how or didn't care to make them for themselves.

I still like to make stars and whistles. And for the practice in soldering you will get making them yourself. I'm going to tell how I do it. I usually use an old oyster can for the tin material, and I prepare the tin in this manner: A cut is made along the seam of the can. The top and bottom rims are cut off. The tin strip thus formed is straightened by placing it on a flat surface and pound-

Canadians Won Imperishable Honor at Ypres Battle

TO-DAY is the anniversary of the Second Battle of Ypres, where the Canadian forces first distinguished themselves in the late war. Although landing in France in February of the year 1915, it was not until the Second Battle of Ypres that the First Canadian Division were given an opportunity of engaging in the more drastic measures of trench warfare.

While books have been written, describing the whole action in detail, a brief outline of the battle may be interesting. The First Canadian Division held a front outside St. Julien, in the Ypres salient. The Third Brigade, on the left, was in touch with a Turco division of French troops from Belgium.

Unexpectedly the Germans commenced a gas attack on the Turcos, using chlorine gas. Met with something they had not experienced before, the Turcos broke, and the Germans made a dash for the break in the line on the Canadian left. The Third Brigade, followed by the Second Brigade, to its right, deployed and were reinforced by the First Brigade, up to then in reserve.

The Canadian Division took over the Turco front as well as their own, and held a two division front for days against the attacks of German shock troops in mass formation. In many instances Canadian Battalions, gassed in their meagre trenches, got up and advanced against the Germans and drove them off. In this manner the line was held until a reserve line was formed by Imperial troops in the rear. While it lasted the action was of the heaviest fighting seen in the earlier stages of the war, and the Canadians won a place for themselves along with the finest regiments of the Imperial Army. Many paid with their lives for the sacrifice, and that is what we are commemorating to-day.

THE OTHER MISS KETCHUM—By Edith G. Bayne

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THE druggist was a cheery, inquisitive, kindly old fellow. He knew all his regular customers by name and had a friendly word for each, quite as though his store stood on Main street, Burgville, instead of a busy corner of a busy street in a big city. Had he been less observant, less genial, more metropolitan, he might never have stumbled on the secret of the other Miss Ketchum.

Nobody ever referred to them as the Misses Ketchum, nor even as the Miss Ketchums. They were known only as "Miss Ketchum and the other Miss Ketchum." The former's rare purchases at the drug store were soap, iron tonics, an occasional health periodical. The latter bought rouge, face powder, movie magazines. They looked so much alike that only by this means was the druggist able to tell them apart.

Miss Ketchum was a drab little spinster with a settled pathos in her eyes, probably one of the many who housekeep gratis for relatives in small towns and at forty or more suddenly find themselves in the city, unprepared to make a living, but more or less gallantly concealing their pain. She had an obscure job downtown in either store or factory, the druggist had never discovered which, and was always either hurrying to it or hurrying away from it. Except on Saturday nights, only on Saturday night did Miss Ketchum permit herself a little leisure to saunter past the shops on her way home. She never seemed to have Saturday afternoons "off." On this night she had three places of call, usually—the grocer's, where she bought a bottle of milk, the Italian fruit store next to it, where she always got three sweet oranges for over Sunday, and the drug store where she seldom bought anything but liked to linger over the magazines, as a good many others did. She was a timid, uncommunicative being and yet there was a pathetic eagerness in her face that seemed to be saying: "I'd like to be friends, but I don't quite know how." After she left the long, brilliantly lighted street and turned into some narrow, dingy side one nobody knew what became of her, and truth to tell, nobody cared. Had the grocer, say, been asked where Miss Ketchum lived, he would have said: "Oh, over in the rooming-house district somewhere."

"I saw you going by the other day and never would have known you, you looked so different," the druggist remarked one Saturday night as he wrapped up some soap for her. This was when he first began to notice the insignificant-looking little creature.

"What day was that?" inquired Miss Ketchum, diffidently.



"Not you," he said—"your sister. I'm trying to get her. Had her once I think."

"The holiday," answered the druggist. "That—that was my sister. My twin sister," she explained with a queer little smile. "We look very much alike."

"Does she live with you?" he asked, and she nodded briefly and went out with her trifling purchase.

And that was when they began to know the other Miss Ketchum, who appeared to be in evidence on Sundays and holidays. The other Miss Ketchum was a leisured individual. She was better dressed, too. She seemed plumper, fuller of life, springier of step, much less cowed and buffeted-looking.

"Do you know," said the druggist to her one Sunday as he wrapped up her purchase of soap and face cream, "in all the time you and your sister have been coming in here, I don't remember ever seeing the two of you together."

"Oh," said the other Miss Ketchum with a

short little laugh, "you're not likely to see us together. We have very little in common."

And the following Saturday night he said to Miss Ketchum:

"Was just telling your sister the other day that I'd never seen you two out together."

Miss Ketchum smiled her queer little ghost of a smile.

"We can't both be out at the same time," she said, enigmatically.

"She enjoys better health than you do, I guess," he went. "I never knew her to buy any drugs."

"Oh, yes, and she gets ever so much more out of life," Miss Ketchum said, suddenly loquacious, almost eager. "She—she's clever and popular and has good times. She doesn't have to work like I do."

This was spoken absolutely without bitterness, on the contrary with pride and thankful-

ness. Man-like, the druggist, after the above conversation, took greater notice of the more obvious sister and grew into a certain mild contempt for the shy Miss Ketchum. In the other Miss Ketchum he even discovered a kind of charm. But after a period he lost interest in them both.

Then one Saturday night Miss Ketchum, the uninteresting, looking a little more drab and faded, a little more tired than usual, came in for a most unusual purchase.

She wanted some rat poison.

At first the druggist only lifted his eyebrows. It was when he was about to hand her the parcel that he received a little shock and so stayed his hand. Did he imagine it or was it actually desperate resolve that lay in the woman's eyes and about her grim lips? That whiteness about the mouth—he had seen the same thing once or twice before in night customers. He set the

poison aside and muttering something about the wrong stuff and having to go back to the store-room, disappeared. Miss Ketchum waited listlessly. Doubtless she had eyes that seemed to see it not, the ceaseless Saturday night pavement panorama outside. Presently she began to tap an impatient foot. The druggist was gone a long time. She could hear him phoning in a low voice in his cubby-hole back of the prescription counter.

Suddenly she caught her own name. Thinking that he wanted her, she went back to where he was. He gave her a queer look as with receiver to ear he waited for some tangle of central's to right itself.

"Did you want me?" she asked.

He sent her another odd, over-shoulder glance.

"Not you," he said. "Your sister. I'm trying to get her—had her once I think. Sit down," he added, motioning her to a chair. She sank into it.

"My sister?" she exclaimed, incredulously. "What do you want of my sister?"

She remembered that once, needing medicine sent, she had given him her address and the phone number of her home.

"If you have any message for—for my sister, I'll take it," she told him. "You can't get her. She isn't in at this hour."

Slowly he hung the receiver up.

"I don't believe you," he said bluntly, "but I'll give you a chance to explain."

"Explain?" she echoed, wild-eyed. "Explain—what?"

"Rat poison, eh? Do you know that a jail penalty—"

She broke in on him with a dry little laugh. He had never heard her laugh before. She sounded like her sister now.

"Please hurry and give me my parcel—and don't be silly," she said. "My—my sister couldn't have done anything anyway," she added.

"Your sister's a sensible woman," he said. "She's got twice the grit you have. I'm going to have her come here and take you home and talk reason to you. Why, my good woman, as soon as I saw the look on your face—"

He had been speaking harshly, sternly, to cover what was really kindly concern. He broke off as he noticed tears rising to her eyes. With a quick, impulsive movement the little woman laid a hand on his arm.

"You could never get my sister—by phone or any other way," she said, sadly, "not if you tried till doomsday!"

"Is she dead?" he asked, then.

"She never lived," said Miss Ketchum, in a faint voice. "She simply doesn't exist. There's no such person."

The old druggist stared at her as though he thought her mad, which in fact he did.

"I—I invented her," said Miss Ketchum, with a catch in her throat. "Do you understand? I made her up!"

It was a good thing the druggist had an as-

stant to attend to the customers for he had been absent quite a while and at this he dropped into a seat and gazed at the little woman for nearly five minutes without speaking. He seemed rooted there.

"You made her up?" he said at length. "In heaven's name, why?" He only half believed her. She made an impatient movement with her shabby-gloved hands.

"I don't suppose you'll understand," she said, wearily, "but since ever I came to the city I've been alone, always alone. I got so I was almost ashamed of it, of being seen alone all the time. I felt that in some way it reflected on me. But I couldn't make friends. I—I haven't the knack. I came here—too late in life I suppose. One day I wore a new dress—a holiday it was—and I was taken for a sister to myself. It was a red dress and it was a spring day. As soon as I found that you all thought I had a sister—I just let you go on thinking so. It was a harmless enough thing and it was the only fun I had. Besides, it gave me such a homey feeling—to have a sister. I'd never had one, you see. I haven't anybody in the world belonging to me. The druggist coughed, and averted his eyes. He thought he heard tears in her voice again, but he was mistaken. She was speaking calmly, almost impersonally. To any man an unmarried woman past forty is the least interesting object in the world. He stirred restlessly, afraid of a scene.

And so I invented—the other Miss Ketchum," she continued, in the same level voice. "I made her everything I had wanted to be, myself. She was clever, successful, popular—or as much all these things as I could make her. I just sort of changed my whole personality Sunday and holidays, as soon as I got away from the boarding-house. It's odd what imagination can do! I got so that I believed in the two sisters, myself. I even made a few friends, but I was very careful to see them only when I was the other Miss Ketchum, was very careful not to introduce them to myself, my tired-out week-end self. And up in my little hall-room sometimes I talked to her, pretended she was sitting there opposite me, gay, loving, careless. . . . She was great company."

Miss Ketchum rose abruptly.

"It's only my landlady who sees the rat poison, she said. 'But if you're still afraid, why, I should come for it herself, I suppose. I wonder why you thought I wanted to—'"

"You looked—you seemed so—why my good woman you should have seen your face!" he said.

She smiled a little.

"I know," she said. "I'm usually that way after a long day on my feet. But I'm neither desperate nor unhappy. I jog along. In fact I'm nearly happy—when I play my other self."

He got up and handed her the package in silence.

"You—you won't give away my poor little secret," she pleaded pathetically. "Somehow I'd like to go on—playing the other Miss Ketchum."

The druggist promised not to reveal it. He patted her shoulder absently. To this day he regards Miss Ketchum as an eccentric, harmless, to be sure, but more or less "queer." The other Miss Ketchum buys her rouge and powder elsewhere.

THE WAX POLICEMAN—By Claire Prime

ILLUSTRATION BY PHIL MANKEY

"SPOOKS! My word!" gasped Betty Sedgely as she felt her friend's hand in the pitchy blackness and held it tightly. "What've you brought me to? Let's go back," and she turned to ascend the steps they had so recently come down.

"Don't be a goose!" Bonnie Fraser ridiculed her, as she vainly endeavored to unclasp her feverish hold. "Nothing's going to bite you. I just want to introduce you to the Chamber of Horrors of the Eden Musee Waxworks in this little old New York city. It's the biggest, the grandest and the most famous waxworks in the whole world," she contended. "And the Chamber of Horrors—well, if you miss seeing it you miss the whole works. Every famous murder that was ever committed lies—an exact replica—in those niches!" she ended dramatically.

"Maybe," Betty feigned, as she gazed into the distant darkness, "but why court the sensational?" It was the Canadian conservatism in her that spoke.

She had arrived in the gay metropolis from a small Ontario town the day before. For weeks she had looked forward with unabated enthusiasm to this jaunt into the great unknown with her friend Bonnie.

Ever since their meeting in a Toronto office in war time they had been firm friends. But when peace was heralded Bonnie, the adventurous, had abandoned her war efforts in search of wider fields. And two years of bustling New York city had made her a blase bit of femininity at twenty-two.

But with Betty things were different. She had returned to her home in Orillia, where a monotonous round of housework had seemed rapid after so much war activity.

"Come and visit me," Bonnie had urged her weekly for the last six months, "and I'll show you the time of your life."

And after each invitation Betty had taken stock of her assets and had always found them sadly wanting.

But now she had saved enough and she was off to New York.

All her friends came to the station to bid her "bon voyage," but their admonitions and good wishes floated over Betty's head like an invisible aeroplane.

She was feeling very much like an eighty-mile-an-hour aeroplane herself as she sped through the air in the pullman. Her meal in the diner was a sumptuous affair. When later she settled in her berth it was not to sleep.

"Haven't slept a wink," she told Bonnie when she breezed into New York with her straw suitcase and her hopes high. "Too thrilling" and her rippling laugh broke out.

Bonnie, catching her spirit, let out a chuckle, and arm in arm the chums sailed down Broadway—two chips of youth on the waters of life. Their contagious grins caught and held the attention of passers by who smiled involuntarily.

Betty—the stranger—it seemed the city of youth. Youth surged up and down the streets. Youth lolled by dazzling soda fountains in drug stores. Youth sang from high door steps and low curb stones. Youth made love in the shadows of stunted trees and brazenly on park benches.

Barring Toronto, Betty had never been in a really big city before, and the thrill of New York's undreamed-of realities were engulfing her like a tidal wave. At last she was tasting of the joys of life! She little realized that she had brought them with her.

But it all vanished like thin air as she stood rooted to the spot at the entrance to the Chamber of Horrors. Fear held her mute.

"You're not afraid, really?" came Bonnie's voice out of the darkness. "They're all wax,



"And now, dearie," she cooed, addressing her hero, while she smoothed his cheek and kissed his brow, "tell the lady that you are—"

"No. No chance of them hurting you."

"N-n-no," Betty lied glibly. "I'm not afraid. But just a minute until I get used to this awful blackness!"

"Take as long as you like," answered the debonaire Bonnie, as she calmly propped herself against a waxen image of Napoleon Bonaparte.

"Poor old Bony," she giggled, "you never thought you'd transmigrate from the spirit world to ours—a dummy. Now did you, old dear? But you'll admit you got what was coming to you while here in the flesh?"

This bit of satire, however, was lost to the nervous Betty who stood as one stupefied.

Gradually the blackness, dotted here and there with eerie red lights became less dense. One by one objects asserted themselves before the terrified girl's vision like the solving of a jigsaw puzzle. Soon they took on ghostly shapes of people who had lived and died—oh, ages ago.

"I'm beginning to see now," she told Bonnie. "But it's terrible! Gruesome, isn't it? The ghosts of Hamlet and Caesar have nothing on this," and she fumbled for her friend's arm as they started forward.

"Now, don't forget, old thing," Bonnie warned, "that they're all wax and they won't rise up and smite you or tickle your ribs," and her brown eyes danced saucily.

Quite unexpectedly they came upon a manly head downward on a mossy bank. The villain had slashed his neck with a glittering knife and robbed him. Gore oozed from the suffering man's wound. He was still breathing!

"Great heavens, look at him!" gasped the infatigable Betty, "who do you suppose is his murderer?"

"He's only wax. He's only wax," and Bonnie laughed outright. But suddenly she stopped, for even the inanimate figures caught at her merriment and echoed it hollowly through the ghastly chamber.

"Oh, I forgot," came the ever-ready excuse of youth, and a long drawn-out sigh escaped Betty Sedgely.

"But what is it that makes him breathe?" she recovered her equilibrium.

"Electricity," her friend almost snapped.

"They're only wax. They're only wax," Betty reiterated to herself. And again—"They're only wax, and electricity makes them breathe."

For several moments they paused before a niche that held the assassin who shot President McKinley. In two minutes, he would be electrocuted, and the suspense was more than Betty could bear. Then suddenly her memory rescued her, and aloud she reminded herself—"They're only wax." But the excitement was getting on her nerves.

"Come on, let's go," she shot at Bonnie. "I've seen enough," and she drew her friend away from the silent spectres toward the entrance.

There she noticed a policeman sitting on a narrow bench with his head bent forward, his chin cupped in his hands and both elbows resting on his knees.

"He wasn't here when we came in," she faintly suggested.

"Certainly he was, goosie," came the reply. "How many times must I tell you that—THEY ARE WAX."

"I swear he wasn't here," persisted Betty. "And I swear he was," pursued Bonnie. "See the dear old waxen thing—he sleeps. He breathes. He snores. Bless his beloved waxen soul, and unconsciously her voice sank to a whisper.

"I suppose you'll tell me that it isn't electricity that creates that snore," she turned on Betty. "You, who are afraid of a wax policeman. Got anything on your conscience?"

"And now, dearie," she cooed, addressing her hero, while she smoothed his cheek and kissed his brow—"tell the lady that you are—"

"What? What'd ye say, M'ria?" asked that worthy as cupid brought him back to consciousness. "That y'love me? Oh, bless your swate hart—an' after me waitin' all these yares, and a fellow the once effervescent Bonnie in his arms.

A few minutes later a very limp and a very waxen-faced girl opened her eyes in somebody's arms. But they weren't masculine. They were decidedly feminine. And a very sheepish policeman stood near a door grinning a grin that only a sheep knows how to manipulate.

HAVE MEN FAR MORE CHARM THAN WOMEN?

Some Girls Learn Department, But What They Really Need Is a Charm School, Says This Writer.

WHAT QUALITIES DO YOU NEED TO BE MATINEE IDOL?

Charm Course Suggested for Grumpy Fellows, Interrupters, and Those Who Only Notice Pretty Women.

By JOHN STRONG.

TO the inquiry desk of a public library the other day came an earnest youth who unblushingly asked for a book on how to charm.

"Snakes?" queried the clerk.

"No, people," answered the young man.

"I see. Something on hypnotism?"

"Not exactly. You don't quite get me," he returned, and abandoning all reserve he added in a lowered voice: "I want a book that can tell a fellow how to become a bearcat with the ladies."

"To think," said the clerk to a friend when she had sent him off with a treatise on personal magnetism, "just to think of one of 'em imagining that he didn't know how and admitting it!"

"Well, I don't know," said the other, doubtfully. "I'll say some of 'em could do with a few lessons."

"What! Men?"

"Sure, men. Why should it always be women who must study and strive to be charming?"

"But men are charming! I know five charming men to one charming woman," the first declared. "And what's more, masculine charm is the real, spontaneous, born-in-you kind, while women's is so often merely the acquired brand."

"All I wish is," retorted the other, "that you had a fellow like I have calling on you twice a week and maybe you'd change your mind. He sits all evening like a bump on a log, never opening his head except to grunt 'yes' or 'no.' It isn't even bashfulness—it's plain laziness! Expect me to do all the entertaining! Of course, I know he has many good qualities, but why shouldn't he exert himself to be a little charming? Supposing I sat around like that! No fellow falls for a girl because she has good qualities. She must show more speed than that! Me for a charm school for men! A few lessons would work wonders with this chap—in fact, he ought to enrol for a full course."

"Perhaps," suggested the first, cattily, "the poor man finds silence restful after a constant effort to get a word in edgeways!"

But it would be useless to institute a charm school for the more rugged sex unless the very word "charm" were carefully eliminated.

"He's such a charming man—you ought to know him," a wife will say to her husband, referring to a gentleman she has recently met.

"Huh! So that's the kind of bird he is!" the husband invariably returns, calling up a picture of a pavior poet with a tooth-brush moustache, who drinks his tea with his little finger quirked up.

How Not to Charm

TO the mind masculine the term has only a feminine application, like such phrases as "dainty" and "graceful." Yet it takes a regular fellow to be really charming. A burly, bulbous-nosed football player with one ear partly chewed up can make more of a flutter among the flapperhood than the most immaculate-clothed, Adonis-featured dance-hound, if, in addition to

his skill and strength, he has that indefinable, elusive thing we call charm.

Many girls' schools have seriously considered adding charm to the regular curriculum. Nor is it the whimsical, faddy idea you might suppose. It ought to rank with the three R's, but it has been more utterly ignored than hygiene in Russia. Department? That was something else again. The girls always got marks for that, but department isn't charm—it's merely good conduct. And goodness is so often only dullness. But then, on the other hand, this charm stuff isn't necessarily the art of coquetry. No individual is truly charming who isn't so to both sexes. To be charming is to be personally pleasing. You don't even need to be good-looking, though good looks help.

But how to acquire this aroma of the spirit called charm? Of what does it consist? Perhaps you take pride in being a dressy feller. But that won't get you it. Or you like to be thought a polished guy. Out, again. It may be that you think it means a philanthropist, a lady's man, a male butterfly. Nix, nix! We don't know what it is, but we can tell you what it isn't. Sincerity and tact are two of its ingredients—for the rest, page the Prince of Wales.

What was it that made us all cheer him to the echo when a certain French pugilist—who was whipped—smiled at us from the movie screen? That smile, out! That gameness, out, out! But chiefly it was something composed of both, but greater than both—the fellow's innate charm.

Consider any matinee idol and the rows of adoring, caramel-consuming maidens who line up at the stage door after the performance for a close-up of their idol. Here is incense—burned to what? Charm or fancied charm.

And what one man can do others can. Too long have women thought themselves the proprietors of a corner in charm. Only a movie screen woman in a hundred is completely satisfyingly, genuinely charming. Many make a praiseworthy effort to be, but the greater number just slump, which is highbrow but not care.

Off-hand, we should say there are at least three types of men who stand in urgent need of a short course in charm: the grumpy fellow, the interrupter, and the man who notices only the pretty women.

You, madam, have you a husband who sometimes neglects to kiss your hand, a monosyllabic talker at meals, a hey-when's-dinner-gonna-be-ready sort? He, too, might benefit from a course in charms, lessons in sparkling repartee, handkerchief-retrieving, smiling and bowing, gentle flattery.

And you, dear sir, and business man, should you not like to gain a reputation for charm, not only socially, but downtown among your business associates? Think of admirers saying, of you: "He's such a delightful man—why, he even fires the office boy charmingly!"

Women more charming than men? Emphatically no. And even though the muscular sex couldn't lay claim to a superiority here, as in a few other fields, one man could be cited as forever exempt from the necessity for learning charm—the Irishman. This lad was born charming.

The Masculine Bloc

THE football favorite had just lately got married, and for the first time had forgotten he had a wife at home waiting for him, and had spent the night with some of the "boys."

Eagerly awaiting some explanation in the morning, and none coming to hand, she rushed to the nearest postoffice and wired to half a dozen of his chums, asking: "Did Tom stay with you last night?"—and, to her astonishment, received in each case the same reply: "Yes!"—Pearson's Weekly.

Dobbin's Day's Done

SHE: "Here's a story of a man in America who sold his wife for a horse. You wouldn't sell me for a horse, would you, darling?"

HE: "Of course, not, dear! But I'd hate to have anyone tempt me with a really good motor car!"—Pearson's Weekly.

Loses Her Future Husband But Keeps Her Furniture

Queer Trick Fate and Falling Exchange Played on a Viennese Girl.

A NOTABLE case of consolation in sore bereavement, through the beneficent operation of the rate of exchange, is related in Vienna.

Fraulein Clara Drexler, one of the belles of that city, and Herr Karl Buchbinder, manager of an Austrian insurance company, were betrothed on Easter of the year 1914. They loved each other tenderly, and their families duly celebrated the event. They decided to hold their wedding the following August 4.

Fraulein Clara and Herr Karl then occupied themselves with their future household.

"I'll furnish you everything," said the manager of a large department store, "and you won't have to worry about anything."

He did as he said.

On June 29 the apartment was furnished. The silverware was in its place, and so also was the linen and the crystal.

But then the war broke out. The marriage could not take place. Karl was killed in the month of September. The great department store had to close.

Fraulein Clara, whose family was ruined, wept sorely. However, she kept the furniture. A week passed and the bill was presented to her—80,000 kronen—with the threat that she would be sued.

"I'll pay," she said.

She sold a table, six bed sheets, four embroidered table cloths and a portmanteau for 80,000 kronen.

And there remained to her all the rest of the furniture, with the receipted bill.

Frustration

IT was wash-day, and young Willie had been kept from school to look after the baby. Mother sent them into the garden to play, but it was not long before cries disturbed her.

"Willie, what is the matter with baby now?" she inquired from her washtub.

"I don't know what to do with him, mother," replied Willie. "He's dug a hole and wants to bring it into the house."—Tit Bits.

How Sprinters are Timed

ONE of the most difficult things in the world is to time races correctly, the reason being that before the finger can press the button of the watch it must receive a message from the brain, which must first receive a message from the eye.

Now the time which these two messages take to travel varies considerably in different people, and may differ in the same person from day to day. Hence it is almost impossible for any human being to be sure of timing a race correctly to a tenth of a second.

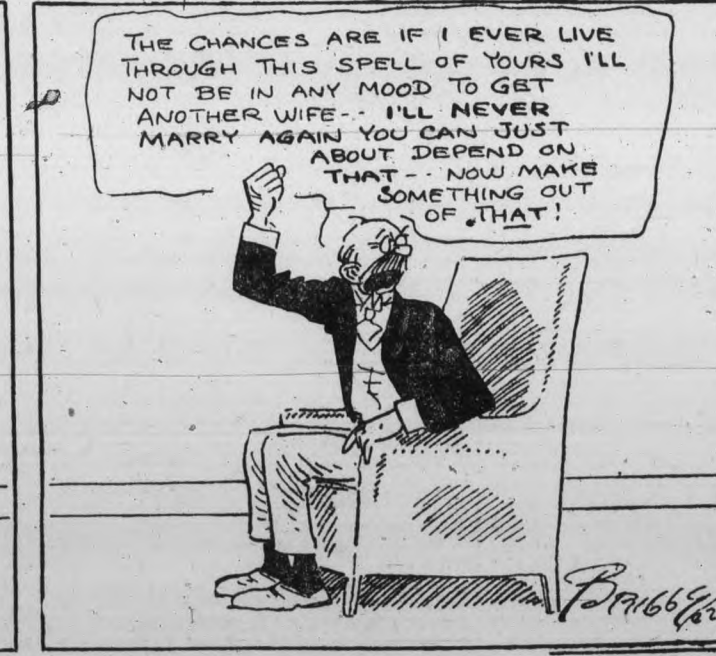
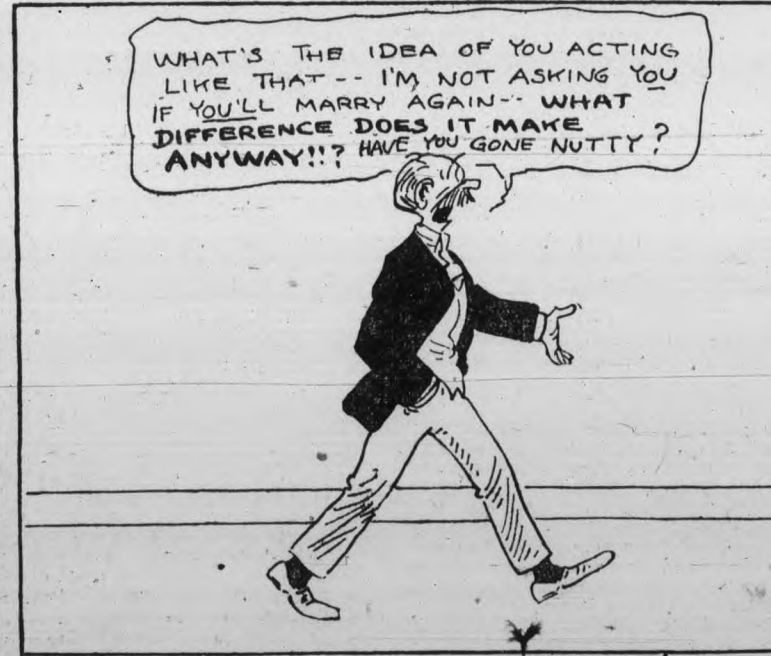
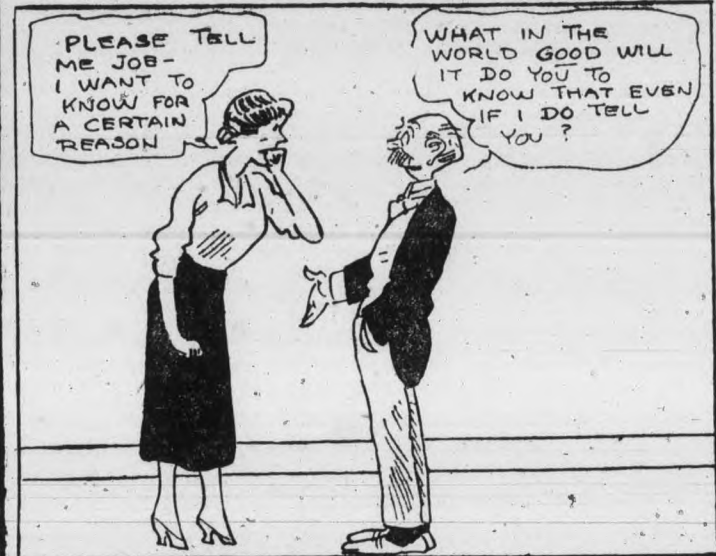
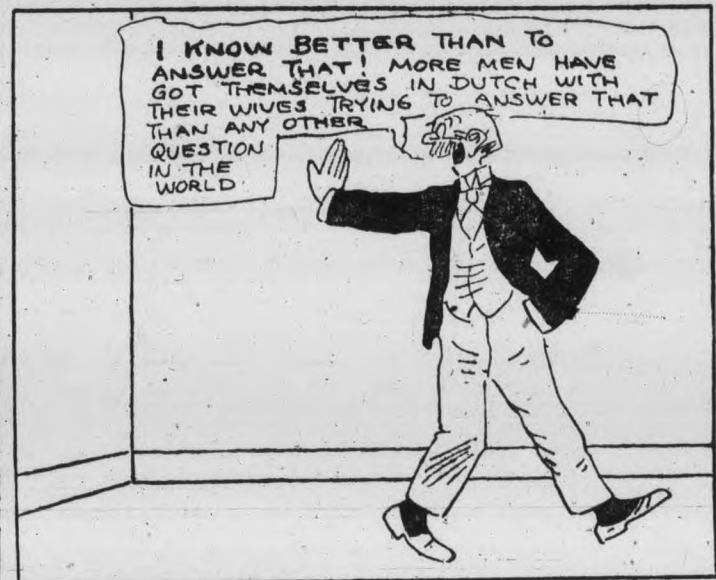
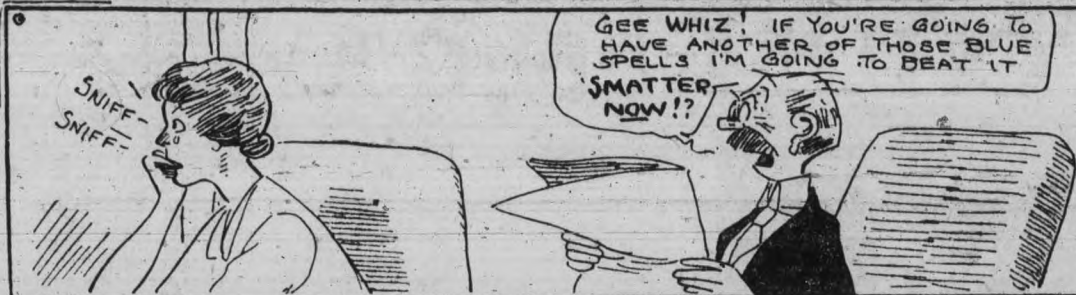
Accurate timing can be obtained with certainty only by means of the electrical timing machine.

At the starting end of the course is a fine wire which is broken as the pistol is fired. At the winning post is another wire which the winner severs as he breaks through the tape. The first sets an electric recording clock in motion, and the second stops it.

The clock consists of a drum making a certain number of revolutions per second, on whose surface rests the point of a fixed pen. When the drum is set in motion by the breaking of the starting wire the pen begins to trace a spiral line upon it, and continues to do so until the mechanism is stopped by the breaking of the second wire. The length of the line traced on the drum gives the exact time of the race.—Tit Bits.

Mr. and Mrs. - By Briggs

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+ Services in the City Churches +

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 Corner of Douglas and Broughton Streets.
 Rev. W. Leslie Clay, D.D., Minister. Mr. A. Crowther Smith, Director of Y. P. Work. Mr. Jesse A. Longfield, Organist.
 Sunday, April 23
 11 a.m. Worship—REV. W. J. SIPPRELL, D.D., Will Preach Anthem—"The Wilderness."
 2:30 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class
 7:30 p.m. Worship—"TOO EASILY SATISFIED"—Preacher, Dr. Clay
 To All the Services of This Church You Are Cordially Invited

St. Columba (Presbyterian) Oak Bay
 Minister—Rev. Thos. McConnell, B.A.
 11 a.m.—"THE MORALITY OF PREACHING"
 7:30 p.m., Communion Service—"THE CROWN OF THORNS"
 Sunday School 2:30 p.m.

St. George's Day
 Public Commemorative Service will be held on
Sunday, April 23, 1922
 in the
Metropolitan Methodist Church
 8:45 p. m.
 Speakers: DEAN QUAINTON AND DR. SAUNBY
 REV. DR. SIPPRELL and REV. S. COOK will also take part.
Collection for Amputation Club
 Members of kindred English societies especially invited.
Annual Dinner of St. George's Society
Tuesday, April 25, 6.30 p. m.
 in Conservative Club Rooms, Campbell Building.
 Tickets, \$1.25 each, may be obtained from members of the society, and at Hibben's, Fletchers', Litchfield's and Acton's.

FOR RESULTS USE TIMES CLASSIFIED ADS.

SECOND ANNUAL EXHIBIT PLANNED
Bazaar and Exhibition of Religious Work Planned Next Month

The First Presbyterian Church Sunday School will hold its second annual bazaar and exhibition of religious education work in the church hall on Saturday.
 Last year was the first time an exhibition of this kind was attempted in the city, and great interest was shown in the exhibits by all. It is hoped to conduct the affair this year on a much larger scale and preparations are now being made by all the classes in the school for the event which promises to be a great success. All departments will co-operate in making this the most instructive function ever attempted by the Sunday School. The Bible classes will have on display class work, photographs of groups and various members, text books and various equipment. A very special exhibition will be offered by the athletic association and will include shields and other trophies won by the school. These and other numerous exhibits will be shown in the main hall.
 There will be two performances of a grand missionary pageant during the afternoon, about 30 scholars in the school will take part, a number of the teachers are busy planning the various parts to be taken in this feature. Mr. Harold Cross of the Y. M. C. A. has kindly consented to give a talk to parents on the "Boy." This talk will be given in the Onway class room. There will also be an exhibition of stereopticon slides of the various groups of classes, hikes, tennis club and so forth.
 The bazaar will include the following stalls: Home cooking, aprons, candy, novelty, coffee and doughnuts, bran pie, Chinese laundry, flowers, ice cream, lemonade, and afternoon tea. There will be further details given later.
 The Chile Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church has 496 tithees and the East South American Conference has 1,000. This seems to be pretty good for conferences in the "neglected" areas. And only a few years ago there wasn't a Methodist in Chile or the Argentine.—Christian Guardian.

CANNIBALISM IN WESTERN ASIA
 (Continued from page 1)

of the Near East," he stated to The Times-to-day. The subject races are largely composed of Armenians, with some Greeks, Syrians and Assyrians. Since the war the Near East Relief has spent \$60,000,000 in this work, from privately contributed funds.
 "There are 500,000 refugees from the republic of Armenia, as helpless when they were driven out by the Turk in 1915.
 Without a Relative.
 "At Alexandropol there are 15,000 in one orphanage, the largest body of children gathered under one roof in the world, I believe. Not only are these children without fathers or mothers, but in most cases they have lost every known relative. Their parents have been killed, massacred and died under deportation. The large massacres have ceased, but massacres or murders, in varying degrees of intensity are still going on. The Turks have succeeded in effectively banishing the Armenians or in making life so unbearable for them that they are glad to leave. So there are fewer massacres, but must be added, however, that Mustafa Kemal Pasha is too good a politician to countenance any outbreak at this juncture. His statesman with a high degree of intelligence.
 "The total number of orphans under the care of the Near East Relief Committee in August last was 100,000," stated Mr. Vickrey, "and this has steadily grown. I have visited the Near East every year, going to all the portions accessible, and the conditions are appalling.
 Dead Cluster in Streets.
 "It was in Russian Armenia last Summer, and the dead were lying about the streets. The dead woman had begun to rot, and one's imagination recoils from what the picture was in February and March of this year. In Erivan, the capital of Armenia I found only hopeless women and starving children, wandering about trying to exchange a second-hand garment for food. Armenia is the land of the living dead.
 Five dollars a month is sufficient to keep a child alive, while \$100 a year will provide for a child in every way.
 Grossness of his convincing statements, a photograph album in the possession of Mr. Vickrey, bears testimony to the appalling scenes witnessed while working for the Near East Relief. Naked bodies of children, terrible emaciated are to be seen lying by the roadside. Grown men and women, virtual living skeletons, haunt his eyes.
 Drop in the Bucket.
 Last year alone the sum of nearly \$12,000,000 was raised, and expended in relief in the Near East. Even with these enormous sums, Mr. Vickrey, the relief measures now actually in progress are but "a drop in the bucket," and further expansion of the relief work is imperative to save countless thousands of Armenians as a race are threatened with extinction, while the plight of Greek, Syrian, Assyrian and other refugees is but little better.
 The withdrawal of the French from Cilicia has created a disastrous effect on the Armenian settlement there. During the military occupation the Armenians returned to their homes, and took up again the tread of their lives in their own surroundings. With the French evacuation the Armenians have been massacred, and driven out by the Turks, until to-day one of the greatest sources of distress is in that neighborhood.
 Urgent Appeal.
 Sitting in New York recently the Near East Relief Committee was flooded with telegrams telling of the dire need of the children and refugees. During the military occupation, states Mr. Vickrey, would take a fifty per cent increase in its appropriations for relief, but due to depleted support the committee had to vote for a twenty-five per cent cut in its relief work. "It was condemning thousands of little children to death, but there is no help for it," explained Mr. Vickrey, "we did not have the money."
 Palestine.
 One word of encouragement Mr. Vickrey had in relation to the latter day situation in Palestine. Under the British protection Palestine is blossoming out, and the age old feud between the Semitic and Aryan peoples are being healed. The Palestinian submits joyfully to the British protectorate, but will not hand to his land taken away to be given to the Jews.
 Mr. Vickrey plans to leave for Portland to-day, en route to San Francisco and Los Angeles.

ANGLICAN LEADERS PLAN LIBRARY OF PRACTICAL RELIGION

It is reported that steps have been taken by a group of Anglican churchmen in Canada to secure the publication of a series of books to be known as "The Layman's Library of Practical Religion." The chairman of the Editorial Council is a former resident of Victoria and Bishop of Columbia, the Right Rev. J. C. Roper now Bishop of Ottawa. The books are to be published in English and the principal teachings of the Christian faith, and will be issued at a price within the reach of all. It is proposed to publish a volume of over two hundred pages, bound in cloth each Advent and Lent, beginning Advent, 1922.
 The first book, to be published this year, will deal with "Some Essentials of Religion," and will consist of at least seven chapters. The titles of the chapters, with the writer of each are understood to be as indicated, below:
 I. God, Our Father. By the Rt. Rev. J. C. Roper, Bishop of Ottawa.
 II. Fundamental Thoughts About Christ. By the Rt. Rev. J. E. Bidwell, Bishop of Ontario.
 III. What is Faith? By the Very Rev. R. Shreve, Dean of Quebec.
 IV. The Bible. By the Ven. Archdeacon Paterson-Smith, Montreal.
 V. Prayer. By the Very Rev. D. T. Owen, Dean of Niagara.
 VI. Holy Communion. By the Rt. Rev. A. J. Doull, Bishop of Kootenay.
 VII. Immortality. By the Rev. Canon Cady, Toronto.
 Later volumes in the series will deal with "God," "Jesus Christ" and "The Bible."
UNITARIAN CONTINENT WIDE DRIVE SUCCESS
 Boston, April 22.—At Easter was reached the climax of the Unitarian North American campaign to obtain a 25 per cent increase in members. A suggestion for a new definition of Unitarianism was made at the Preaching Mission being conducted here as part of this first organized movement in history of the church to "un-church" many of the 60,000 "un-church" Americans whom the Unitarians choose to regard as "potential Unitarians" because by virtue of their being without church they have shown that they believe in the right of private judgment, and the responsibility of the individual.
 Rev. Fred Alban Weil, of Quincy, minister of the historic church in which John Adams and John Quincy Adams worshipped, recommended that the Unitarian faith be defined as—"the fatherhood of God, and one God; the brotherhood of man, and mankind akin to Jesus; the revelation of Jesus as the son of Joseph and Mary; salvation as character, and character as religion; the Bible as great and inspiring literature; the progress of all mankind onward and upward forever."
 Increases in membership ranging from 25 per cent to 150 per cent in both metropolitan churches and mission "outposts," are reported. In the church attendance contest being conducted by inspiring literature, the League, 117 chapters have reported gains of 1-1-10 per cent to 312 per cent.
 The Victoria First Church reports having made a 25 per cent increase in attendance, as compared with twelve months ago.

Lasting Peace—World-Wide Soon
 "Millions Now Living Will Never Die"
SPEAKER, J. B. WILLIAMS
 Traveling Representative of the International Bible Students' Association.
SUNDAY, 7.30 P. M.
Princess Theatre
 Yates Street
 Seats free. All welcome. No collection



NEW THOUGHT TEMPLE
 933 PANDORA AVE.
 Dr. T. W. Butler Will Speak at 11 a.m. Subject—"THE NEW BIRTH OF MAN"
"MAN'S POWER TO CREATE"
 Wednesday, 8 p.m., Talk and Demonstrations in Healing
 THE PUBLIC IS CORDIALLY INVITED

Metropolitan Methodist Church
 Corner Quadra and Pandora
 Rev. W. J. Sipprell, D.D., Minister. S. Parsons, Organist.
 10 a.m.—Class Meeting
 11 a.m.—**REV. W. L. CLAY, D.D., OF ST. ANDREW'S**
 Anthem—"Who Shall Roll Away the Stone?" Torrance
 Soprano Solo—"To a Mind Worn and Weary" Tosti
 Mrs. Lewtas
 2:30 p.m.—Sunday School Session
 7:30 p.m.—**"MAKING A NEW WORLD"** Dr. Sipprell
 Anthem—"Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord" Garrett
 Soprano Solo—"How Long Will Thou Forget Me" Vernon Eivie
 Mrs. J. Knight
 9 P.M.—PATRIOTIC SERVICE—COMMEMORATION OF ST. GEORGE'S DAY
 Speakers, Revs. Dean Quainton and Dr. Saunby—Revs. Cook, Sharp and Dr. Sipprell Will Take Part
 Offering in Aid of Amputation Club
YOU ARE HEARTILY WELCOME TO ALL OF THESE SERVICES

CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH
 Rev. J. L. Gatty, Pastor
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 Act. Pastor, Rev. J. W. Saunby, B.A., D.D., 2925 Sumas St.—Phone 5785R
 10 a.m.—Class Meeting
 2:30 p.m.—Sunday School
 Service, 11 a.m., Subject—"A WORLD HORIZON"—Dr. Saunby
 Forum, 2:30 p.m.—Dr. Butler, "How and Why Has the New Age Come?"
 7:30 p.m.—REV. THOMPSON FERRIER, of Brandon, Will Preach

FAIRFIELD METHODIST CHURCH
 Cor. Moss and Fairfield Road. Minister, REV. S. COOK
 Choirmaster, Mr. Sidney Rogers
 11 a.m.—"THE BRUISED REED"
 Soloist, Miss E. Hole
 2:30 p.m.—Sunday School Session 7:15 p.m.—Cello Recital, Mr. Hickling
 7:30 p.m.—"SUNDAY OBSERVANCE"
 HEARTY WELCOME TO ALL

Hampshire Road Methodist
 Minister, W. C. Frank
 Organist, E. M. Greaves
 11 a.m. Subject—"THE FULLNESS OF TIME IN RELATION TO THE COMING OF JESUS"
 2:30 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class
 7:30 p.m. Subject—"IS ANTI-BLUE A RELATIVE OF ANTI-BRITISH OR OF ANTI-CHRIST?"

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Cor. Yates and Quadra. REV. W. P. FREEMAN, B. A., Pastor.
 Services on Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.—Sunday Schools at 2:30 p.m. in hall, No. 615 Burnside, just off Douglas Street.
 Evening Subject—"WATCHING FOR THE DAWN"
 The Pastor Will Preach A Welcome is Extended to All

First Presbyterian Church
 Corner Quadra and Balmoral
 Minister—REV. W. G. WILSON, M. A., D. D.
SUNDAY, APRIL 23
 Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Preacher for the day:
REV. THOS. MENZIES, M. P. P.
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CHRISTADELPHIAN LECTURE
 "The First and Second Coming of the Lord Jesus Christ"
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INDIAN OFFICIAL PRAISES Y. M. C. A.
 The Rt. Hon. V. S. Srinivasa Sastry, in speaking of the "Y" in India, made the secretaries out there feel that the work has been well worth while—even though at times everything seems to go backward, and nothing seems to have been accomplished.
 "You have done me the honor to ask me to state what I think of the work of the Y. M. C. A. in India," he said. "It is beyond praise. I do not pretend to know all about it, and I have never come into close connection with it. What I have seen of it, however, fills me with admiration. I do not see any promise of failure and gratitude. The association negro far as I can judge, even its distinctly Christian activities are singularly free from all traces of narrowness or dogmatism. The character of the foreign element in the personnel is fortunately such as to ensure a considerable measure of genuine broadminded sympathy with the new political movements in India, and a readiness to fall into those relations of easy social intercourse with Indians which are essential to real comradeship in all work. The magnitude and many-sidedness of the operations of the association are a wonder to me, and I have sometimes felt the non-official organizations in India would gain in persistence and boldness of conception by a study of the aims, methods and ideals of the great movement known throughout the world by the letters 'Y. M. C. A.'"
WINS GOLD MEDAL
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 It goes without saying that Mr. Slier was amazed, for this shipbuilding company is one of the most generous toward its employees, has long practically everything for its men and has repeatedly refused outside assistance in its welfare work.
 The director, who wishes his name withheld, said that he was not a

BRITISH AND FOREIGN BIBLE SOCIETY IS 118 YEARS OLD

There was a large attendance at the young people's gathering at the Guildhall, London, England, last month, at which the Bible Society's 118th birthday was celebrated. The Lord Mayor was celebrated with the officers of the corporation, attended in state.
 In accordance with time-honored custom there was a birthday cake presented by two members of the society's committee, weighing 113 pounds. A touching feature of the programme was the reading of the Scripture lessons by two children from the Royal Normal College for the Blind.
 The Lord Mayor read a brief speech, in which he spoke of the wonderful record of the society in translating the Bible into 643 languages, reaching seven-tenths of the human race. What was wanted most of all, he said, was that the teachings of the Book should be translated into conduct. When there were living versions, all our problems would be solved. A missionary address was given by Rev. H. B. Liddell of the C. M. S., who spoke of the invaluable help given by the society in Persia.

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Financial News

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

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FURTHER DEMAND FOR STEELS AND MOTORS

(By Burdick Bros., Ltd.) New York, April 22.—Buying was rather active in many of the independent steel shares chiefly as a result of new items which mentioned further merger negotiations with the names of Midvale, Lackawanna, International Steel and Republic Steel being prominent. In other departments there were strong spots here and there especially among some of the motor issues such as Studebaker, Hupp Motor and Mack Truck. Bullish feeling was also in evidence in some cases, and inasmuch as this has been the case in most departments during the week it may be a little time before such heavy profit-taking sales have been fully digested.

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BROKER AND TRAIL IN STOCK CASE

Grant, White & Co., Method Aired in Assize Court

Vancouver, B. C., April 22.—Alexander Whyte was acquitted by the jury at the Assizes of a charge of stealing twenty shares of Canadian Pacific Railway stock from Samuel Greer. The jury deliberated about thirty minutes.

The charge arose out of a brokerage transaction handled by the now defunct firm of Grant, Whyte & Company, with whom the stock of the stock were deposited.

They were placed in the bank to the credit of the company and Mr. Whyte is now in the good faith and with no intention to defraud. Evidence tended to show that the offence, if any, was committed by the company rather than a deliberate attempt to defraud. The jury found accordingly.

Vancouver, April 22.—Did Alex. Whyte of the defunct brokerage firm of Grant, Whyte & Company operating in Vancouver and Victoria last year appropriate to his own use some 25 shares of C. P. R. stock belonging to Sam Greer, one of the clients of the firm? This is the issue that is being fought out in the assizes here, where Whyte is facing a charge of theft.

Much expert evidence in being given about brokerage methods, both by the crown and the defence. Mr. Greer admitted that he has since got his stock replaced by a New York house, though he is out his expenses to New York, the fees of three lawyers and the dividends for a year.

The firm of Grant, Whyte & Company failed last July. It had been specializing in C. P. R. stock. Among its customers was Sam Greer, who settled on the present site of West Vancouver long before Vancouver was incorporated.

"I had bought these 25 shares in two certificates and I took them to Grant, Whyte to have them registered in New York. Every day for four weeks I went in to ask about them and I was always told that they were on their way here," said Greer.

"The last time I went in I was told they could not be registered before the end of the month and I told Whyte that was all nonsense. He said E. F. Hutton of New York had them, though I knew from the books of the Standard Bank."

Witness was not allowed to complete his sentence. He admitted to R. L. Maitland, who is defending Whyte, that he had recently received 25 shares in settlement of his claim from Hutton & Co.

Offered Other Shares. "Once when I went in I was offered 5,000 in Prince Rupert Pulp & Paper shares, which I refused. Then I was offered two cheques, one for \$2,500 and the other for \$650. I took the \$2,500 cheque because it had been accepted by the bank, but I refused the other as it was not accepted," said the veteran.

On July 22 Greer learned that Grant Whyte had sent \$2,700 to New York to buy 25 shares of C. P. R. and he surmised it was to replace the 25 he had given them. Later on he learned that the New York firm had retained the money in settlement of claims they had against Grant, Whyte & Co., but after a personal visit to New York the firm of Hutton & Co. gave him the 25 shares.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

BORN
 WILSON—On April 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilson, at St. Joseph's Hospital, a daughter.
DIED
 SINCLAIR—At the Central Hospital, on the 21st inst. John Benzie, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sinclair, 1255 Balmoral Road.
 The funeral, which will be private, will be held from the Thomson Funeral Parlors to Ross Bay Cemetery on Saturday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Clay officiating.
CARD OF THANKS
 Mr. Hiram Henderson, brother-in-law of the late James Anderson, tender his sincere gratitude to the members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks and the many friends for the kind words of sympathy extended and the floral tributes sent during his recent sad bereavement.

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A REGULAR meeting of the Knights of the Table will be held Tuesday, 25th, at 8 o'clock.
BIG WHIST DRIVE AND DANCE—Caledonia Hall, Wednesday, April 26, 8.30. Admission 25¢. Two first prizes, Swift Premium Bacon: other good prizes. 22-23.
BOYS SOCIAL—Royal Review, Macca-bay, Harmony Hall, 724 Fort, Monday, 8 p.m.; meeting 7.30. Phone 6092R for particulars. 22-23.
C.P.R. CLUB MILITARY FIVE HUNDRED—Empress Hotel, Thursday, 8.30 prompt; good scrip prizes. 22-23.
COURT MAPLE LEAF, A.O.F.—Benefit night, Tuesday, 24, 8.45. Foresters Hall, Broad Street; scrip prizes, \$2.50 for highest score. Admission 25¢.
DANCE—Caledonia Hall, Monday night, 8.30-11.30; 25¢ and 50¢; under new management. Hunt's All-Star Trio, m15-16.
DANCE—N. of C. Hall, 302 Government Street, Tuesday, April 25, 9 to 12. Hunt's orchestra. 25¢.
FRIENDSHIP CLUB—Fancy dress carnival dance, Tuesday, 25th, K. of P. Hall, scrip prizes. All-down supper. Osard's orchestra; tickets \$1.00. Saturday night dance. 22-23.
GARDEN DANCE—Caledonia Hall, every Saturday night. Music, social dance, 20 ladies 10¢. Wallace's Orchestra. 22-23.
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MILITARY FIVE HUNDRED every Saturday. Orange Hall, 8.30; thirteen scrip prizes. 22-23.
PRINCESS PATRICIA LODGE—Daughters of St. George, social dance at 8 p.m., Monday, 24th, at Vogue Cabaret; ladies 10¢. Refreshments. 22-23.
REUNION SALE—St. Saviour's school room, April 26 at 2.30 p.m. 22-23.
SODA POINTAIN SERVICE—In the afternoon, tea, dancing every evening, at the Vogue, Yates and Douglas Streets, upstairs. Private dances and parties arranged. 22-23.
ST. MARK'S MEN'S CLUB—Military five hundred, April 24 at 8 p.m. Admission 25¢.
WHIST DRIVE AND DANCE—To-night in Foresters Hall, 8.30. Be on time. Eight scrip prizes, two for \$4.00, \$2.00 and two specials. 22-23.
WHIST DRIVE—Thursday, 8.30 p.m., Station Club, Esquimaux. Good prizes. Admission 25¢-50¢.

LODGES AND SOCIETIES

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 2, I.O.O.F.—Meets Wednesdays, Odd Fellows Hall.
KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Far West, Victoria Lodge, No. 1, meets K. of P. Hall, North Park Street, Mondays, A. G. Harding, secretary, 406 Government Street.
HELP WANTED—MALE
ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON—Either sex, may earn \$100 to \$200 monthly corresponding for newspapers; \$15 to \$25 weekly in spare time; experience unnecessary; no canvassing; subjects suggested. Send particulars. National Press Agency, Buffalo, N.Y. 22-10.
WANTED—Smart youth for butcher shop. Apply 2326 Douglas St. 22-10.
HELP WANTED—FEMALE
LADIES—Furniture is the most particular part of your home. Best work on repairs, and overhauled furniture cleaned. See D. H. McKel, 938A Balmoral Road. m1-12.
LADIES WANTED—To do plain and light sewing at home; whole or spare time; good pay; work sent any distance; charges paid. Send stamp for particulars. National Manufacturing Co., Montreal. 11.
WOMAN ABOUT THIRTY—As an experienced matron in institution; state age, experience and wages required. Apply Box 22-12.
SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE
GARDENS DUG—Lawns made up. Phone 4 Hamilton, 6500R, evenings between 7 and 9.
JOBBING—Gardening done by hour or day. Phone 5348R. 22-14.
AGENTS
MONEY advanced for expenses to men and women students, teachers and others; not to canvass, but to travel and sell; week and expense; State age and qualifications. Experience unnecessary. Winston Co., Dept. W., Toronto. 12.
\$50 TO \$150 WEEKLY—Free samples; gold and window letters for stores; offices; large demand; very easily applied. Apply Letter Co., 3502 Congress, Chicago, Ill. 22-12.
Do it The Times Want Ad Way.

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LADY wishes to give lessons on the auto knitting machine. Phone after 5 p.m. 2410R.
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EASY TERMS FOR THE ASKING
 1214 FORD TOURING \$175
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 1919 FORD \$475
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 1918 MASTER SIX McLAUGHLIN \$1195
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 CANTIER BROS. Phone 5227
 724 Johnson Street.
AUTO TOPS made and repaired at reasonable prices. Mr. J. H. Martin, Courtnay and Gordon Streets. Phone 429. m1-16.
ADDRESSING and mailing circulars to car owners. We have names and addresses of Victoria and Vancouver Island auto owners. Newton Advertising Agency, Suite 24, West End. Phone 218. m1-16.
RUSSELL KNIGHT, model 27, 2-passenger, practically new, real bargain. Phone 2589. 510 Johnson. 22-16.
BEARINGS
OFFICIAL SERVICE FOR HYATT, TIMKEN, NEW DEPARTURE
 Phone W. H. HUGHES Phone 5227
 3815 Yates Street.
CHEVROLET SERVICE STATION—Car or any parts; fully equipped for repairs. Star Garage, 955 View. Phone 5276.
DOMINION GARAGE, cor. of Courtney and Gordon, now open for repairing all motor cars; work guaranteed. Washing and polishing a specialty. Phone 448.
EAGLE TIRES—Guaranteed, 30 x 3 1/2. 1125-50. 510 Johnson Street. 22-16.
FOR SALE
FORD and CHEVROLET SECOND-HAND PARTS—Half price; cash paid for cars. W. Frank Cameron, 942 View Street. Phone 1585.
FORD COUPE in fine condition; starter; privately owned; \$450. Can be seen 929 Yates Street. 22-17.
McLAUGHLIN four-cylinder, five-passenger, first class condition inside and out, \$650. Phone 562X 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. 22-16.
ONE-TON FORD TRUCK—With good body for transfer work; perfect running order. Phone 475EY. 22-16.
SEVEN-PASSENGER RUSSELL-KNIGHT—Practically new, a real bargain. Phone 2589 or call 510 Johnson Street. 22-16.
WANTED—Ford car for cash. Arthur Handberg, 743 Broughton Street. Phone 6312 and 4631R. 22-16.
WE will put on a new Ford top with nickel plated panels at \$22. 124 Johnson St. at the same special prices. 22-16.
McMORRAN'S GARAGE
 727 Johnson Street. Phone 2577
 1920 McLAUGHLIN—Runs like new, looks almost new. Phone 5245.
 New Dodge bargain \$1500

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LADY'S gold wrist watch, in Fernwood district. Phone 2526L. Reward, 22-27.
LOST—Chain woven brooch, keepsake, between Vancouver Street and Hamilton Court via Cook Street. Reward \$15. Vancouver Street. 22-27.
LOST—A lady's shoe. Phone 2956L. Reward, 22-27.
LOST—Black Persian cat. Finder please return to 1620 North Hampshire Road. Telephone 49244L. 22-27.
LOST—Gordon setter dog; big. Reward on return, R. H. Pooley. 22-27

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ARRIVING FRIDAY, 1,000 DAY-OLD CHICKS, Reds and Leghorns, imported stock, heavy laying strains. Brooders supplied; electric and blue flame; see them demonstrated. Fresh killed poultry always on hand. John Day, 522-26 Yates, Phone 1985. 22
ARTHUR LOVES' BIG LEGHORNS—Fertile, cream chicks, packing, eggs. Lake Hill, 4055R. 22-12
BABY CHICKS, BABY CHICKS—Just arrived, 1,000 day-old chicks; White Leghorn, barred, Rhode Island, etc. Hatching eggs, turkey, geese and duck. Any quality. MacFarlane, 545 George, Yates Street. Phone 1985. 22
EGGS for hatching, from improved strain White Wyandottes, greatest layers on earth. 100-150; cock birds for sale. R. F. Matthews, Rhoads Island, Phone Belmont 16G. 22
FOR SALE—English setter, seven weeks old; sire, Bachelor Bucking; dam, Miss Whitcomb. Phone 2716. 22-23
FOR SALE—Two goats, milked; also two well-bred kids; 3168 Jackson, off Finlayson. 22-23
FOR SALE—Milk goat, Essex and goats from home bred. On view, 100-150 p.m., 556 Topaz Avenue. 22-23
HATCHING EGGS, from my noted laying strains of White Wyandottes, White Leghorns and Rhode Island. \$1.50 setting. R. Waterhouse, 170 Obad Ave. Phone 7027R. 22-15
MANURE for sale, cheap; ploughing and general farm work done. Phone Noble, 4786X. 12

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

HEINTZMAN UPRIGHT PIANO—Only \$120. Household necessities, 747 Fort Street. 22-18
HOUSES BUILT—On your lot, or have several to select from; building prices low at their lowest; payments arranged. Green Lumber Company. 22-18
IF YOU DO NOT SEE what you are looking for advertised here, why not advertise your want? Someone amongst the thousands of readers will likely have just what you are looking for and be glad to sell at a reasonable price.
IF YOU VALUE your greatest health, eliminate those sticky, de-vitalizing fats and eat more fruit. Dan W. Poupard, the Fruit Specialist. 22-18
JONES—Chicken house and ladder factory, 817 Fort Street, Victoria. Chicken houses in sections, garden swings, garden seats, dog kennels, coats, ceiling shades, banners, plate racks, meat safes, medicine cupboards, babies' cribs, anything made to order. Phone 429. 22-18
LADY giving up housekeeping has furniture for sale. Box 1044, Times. 22-18
LARGE BEVELLED MIRROR in frame, 4 1/2 x 2 1/2, in A1 condition. Price \$24.50. Island Exchange (The Big Store), 733-743 Fort Street. 22-18
MALLEABLE AND STEEL RANGES, \$2.00 per week. Phone 4693; 1615 Douglas Street. 22-18
WHY PAY MORE? GET IT AT HOUSEHOLD NECESSITIES
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SELL OR BUY ANYTHING FREE 15
A TRUCE TO A PIANO
McCLARY RANGE—Suitable for the country; real bargain, \$42.00. B.C. Hardware, Fort Street. 22-18
MISSION oak bookcase, \$22.50; writing desk with fittings, \$10.00. 1402 Broadway. 22-18
NURSERYMEN, PIPE FITTERS—Pipe fittings, assorted sizes, 2 to 1-inch, best reduction. A. & W. Wilson, 111-113 Fort Street. 22-18
OUR FRUIT SERVICE is always at your disposal. All oranges guaranteed free from cost. Be the first to get the fruit. Dan Poupard, the Fruit Specialist. 22-18
IF YES, THERE'S A REASON.
I PAY 10¢ higher cash prices for your I cast-off clothing. Call anywhere at your appointed time. Special offer for business suits. Always ready, always convinced. MRS. WARDALE. Phone 2653. Block Below H. B. Co. 22-18
RELIABLE mailing lists of Victoria and Vancouver. Wholesale and retail, men, auto owners, etc.; also complete lists of professions, retailers, wholesalers and manufacturers. Postage refunded on undelivered mail material. 445-450 Jack's Store, 782 Yates Street. 22-18
RUG—Brand new, exceptionally fine English Wilton; size 10 1/2 x 7 feet; cost \$130; now \$75. Acceptable price. Call for offer. Telephone 6125Y. 22-18
SPECIAL—Used range sale; Monarch 6-hole, W.F. 470; Monarch 4-hole, W.F. 450; Canada Pride 4-hole, W.F. 460; Canada Pride 5-hole, W.F. 460; Ideal Range 4-hole, W.F. 450; Ideal Range 5-hole, W.F. 460; Ideal Range 6-hole, W.F. 470; Gurney-Oxley brass boiler, \$45.00; Gurney-Oxley brass boiler, \$45.00; Jack's Store, 782 Yates Street. 22-18
SECTIONAL BOOKCASE—Mahogany finish; two mahogany glass cabinets; four-drawer, 5 x 8. Box 1496, Times. 22-18
THE FARMERS' PRODUCE STORE
 623 Johnson Street. Phone 2915
SALT SPRING ISLAND SEEDS—Seeds in bulk; carrot, beet, green bantam corn, wheat, barley, rye, etc.; also, Sir Walter Raleigh, Burbank, Gold Coin, Early Home, etc.; garden peas, finest quality; fruit croppers, Blue-Bird, 50¢ lb., Gradus 50¢ lb., English Wonder 50¢ lb.; rhubarb roots, cabbage plants, fruit bushes, raspberry, canes, loganberries, Himalaya blackberries, black and red currants, rose bushes, sweet pea plants, 21¢ per 100.
THE LELAND Second-Hand Store, Douglas Street, is moving to 725 Fort, next to The Cabin. 22-18
TWO-HORSE BEGGIES—Good repair; \$22.50. 22-18
40 BICYCLES with new tires, from \$10 to \$20. 581 Johnson St. Phone 735. 14
WANTED MISCELLANEOUS
I WILL fetch and deliver lawn mowers, repair and sharpen, repair locks, safe repairs. 1428 Government. Phone 4766. 22-19
OLD BICYCLES AND PARTS—In any condition. Victory Wreckage Cycle Shop, 743 Fort Street. Phone 4766. Will call at any address. 22-19
WANTED—Collection, prompt settlements. Goff Credit Rating Service, 901 Permanent Loan Building. 22-19
WANTED—Old silver and china. B.C. Exchange, 817 Fort Street. Phone 1157. 22-19
WANTED—Old Georgian silver tea set, forks and spoons. Mrs. Woollett, 1255 St. Charles. Phone 781L. 22-19
WHY BUY BOTTLES, PENS, also tooth brushes, furniture, etc.? we call anywhere. 747 FORT STREET. PHONE 5705
SELL OR BUY ANYTHING FREE 15
A TRUCE TO A PIANO
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TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS

GOOD storage space for rent, cheap. Central Transfer, Phone 3857, 1217 Wharf Street. 22-18

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TIMBER—Small tracts of four to six for million feet of Crown granted timber, available for sale. Call for particulars, coast of V.I. on the railway and close to tidewater. J. H. MacFarlane, Ltd., 119 Belmont House, Victoria, B.C. 22-19

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

DELHI HOTEL Rooms—Housekeeping and bedrooms. 617 Yates St. 22-18

FURNISHED SUITES

BRIGHT THREE ROOMED SUITE—Furnished or unfurnished, modern, ten minutes' walk from Hudson's Bay. 22-18

FURNISHED APARTMENTS

FURNISHED APARTMENTS—Rent reasonable; 407 Simcoe Street.

ESTATE-HOUSES, LOTS, ACREAGE, BARNY, FRUIT AND CHICKEN RANGES FOR SALE

GOOD ROOMING HOUSE BUSINESS
FOURTY-EIGHT ROOMS—All furnished and always well rented. This business is located in Vancouver and in a growing section. Net revenue about \$2,000 per year. Price only \$5,000. Terms.

WATERFRONT LOT CHEAP
HOLLYWOOD CHESBENT—Fowl Bay, 50 x 125, a good building lot. Price only \$750. Terms.

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28 ACRES—Sited in Saanich, fronting a good road; there are fourteen acres cleared and under cultivation, balance in pasture and light clearing; modern residence of eight rooms, full sized basement with hot air furnace, electric light and phone, usual chickens, house, barn, etc. For price particulars please call at this office.

11 ACRES—All under cultivation, on a paved road; 20,000 strawberry plants, 100 fruit trees, balance in grain; five roomed bungalow, three wells, barn for four head, chicken houses and hay barn. This land is very suitable for strawberries, high with soil to the east. Price is right for a quick sale.

20 ACRES—Sited in Saanich, of which eighteen acres are under cultivation. There is a new five-roomed bungalow, barn, etc. For further particulars please call at this office.

\$80 CASH and \$60 a year for four years will buy ten acres of excellent farm land on Vancouver Island, close to Parkville, Combs or Dashwood stations on the E. & N. Railway. Full particulars free.

VANCOUVER ISLAND FRUIT LANDS, LIMITED.
110 Belmont House.
\$2,850—IMMEDIATE possession to this five-roomed modern, attractive bungalow, situated in fine sheltered position within few minutes of sandy beach and close to cars, well furnished, large parlour hall with glass doors to dining room, also big kitchen, full bathroom, built-in buffet; living room has fireplace and bookcase, pass partitioned into two bedrooms and 3-piece bathroom; high full cupboards; basement, house pipes for hot water; large lot all ready for cultivation. Terms.

3,600—BIG reduction for quick sale on this six-roomed bungalow in fine location, close to Fowl Bay beach and only a few minutes walk to cars, entrance hall to living room, fully paneled large dining room with fireplace, bright kitchen, three bedrooms and bathroom, basement is cemented, has laundry tub, furnace and garage; immediate possession. A property well worth inspection. Terms arranged.

A REAL HOME
THIS best built six-roomed bungalow in Fairfield, high part; every modern feature you require; hardwood floors, gas, hot water, electric light, a beautiful home this is without seeing it. Price \$3,250, which is low for cost.

AN ALMOST NEW SEVEN-ROOMED STUCCO BUNGALOW—On a good paved street in the Fairfield district, near the sea and handy to carline. This is a real California home, with many features which really have to be seen to be properly appreciated. Let us show you this property to-day. We know it won't last long.

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YOU CAN'T GO WRONG WITH ANY OF THESE
\$1,800—Near the sea and handy to the carline, a most attractive little cottage, containing four cozy rooms, hot water, light, sewerage, fireplace and hot conveniences, very large lot, 50 x 65, with lovely garden, all kinds of rose bushes, shrubs and flowers; a grass lawn suitable for a tennis court; fine view of the sea. Price includes kitchen stove, icebox and window blinds. This will be snapped up quickly.

\$4,200—A CHARMING SEVEN-ROOMED SEMI-BUNGALOW—Facing the sea, with a wonderful view of the straits and mountains. This is a modern home in every respect, and among its many features are hardwood floors, floor glass windows, two large open fireplaces, for parelling, beamed ceilings, new hot air furnace, etc. This is a lovely home, in an ideal location, and offers every facility and convenience. This will appeal to the particular buyer.

\$400—A MOST ATTRACTIVE SIX-ROOMED BUNGALOW—Near the Oak Bay golf links; house is fully modern and in all conditions in the Fairfield district, near the sea and handy to carline. This is a real California home, with many features which really have to be seen to be properly appreciated. Let us show you this property to-day. We know it won't last long.

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SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE
640 Fort Street Phone 491

SEVEN-ROOMED HOUSE WITH FINE VIEW
FULLY MODERN—With four bedrooms, built-in features, beamed ceilings and paneled walls, fireplace in living and dining rooms, pass pantry to kitchen, full sized cement basement with furnace and laundry tub; exceptionally well built, well finished, lot 40 x 150, half garden, half in lawn. Price \$4,500, on very good terms.

AN ORCHARD BARGAIN
WE have the finest bearing orchard on the island for sale at a positive snap price, all bearing fruit, being sold to clear up an estate. Call and see us about particulars.

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Estate Agents and Bond Dealers
741 Fort Street Phone 2010

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA
Debentures for Sale.
The Corporation has for sale Debentures amounting to \$2,288,250, maturing \$250.00 on the 15th of August in each of the years 1922 to 1928. These Debentures are of denomination of \$20.00 each, bear interest at the rate of 6%, and are payable in Victoria only. They will be sold to the public at par and accrued interest. Brokerage of 4% will be allowed to the regular brokers.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
City Hall, Victoria, B. C., March 21, 1922. No. 6851

\$3,500—A HOLLYWOOD CHESBENT HOME—Five rooms, overlooking the water and in a most ideal situation; extra large rooms, very bright, full-sized basement, newly painted outside, flowers, trees, good garden and fruit; owner leaving city and must sell in seven days. The home is in the best of condition inside and out and ready to move into. Immediate possession. Very easy terms arranged.

\$1,200—HERE is a very pretty, brand new five-roomed bungalow in Oak Bay, never been occupied and now ready for possession; entrance hall with fireplace, living room with granite work, dining room, finished in paneled walls, buffet and fireplace, kitchen and pantry in white enamel, large back hall opening into two bedrooms in grey and a bathroom in white; full cement basement. Price, \$1,200 on terms.

STRICKLAND, SWAIN & PATRICK
1210 Douglas Street Phone 6497 and 2400

Tenders Wanted
TENDERS are invited for the purchase of the property known as No. 143 St. Lawrence Street, Victoria, British Columbia, being Lots 15 to 18 of Section 23, Beckley Farm, Victoria City, Map 777, with the buildings and appurtenances thereto belonging. Tenders to be sent to the undersigned before the 1st of May, 1922.

CORDWOOD FOR SALE
The Corporation of the District of Saanich has for sale 5524 cords of cordwood and is prepared to receive sealed tenders for its purchase; 470 cords are piled on Prospect Lake Road, from Burnside Road to the lake, and 824 cords in Prospect Lake Road from Burnside Station to the lake.

HECTOR S. COWPER
Municipal Hall, Royal Oak, April 7, 1922.

A SPLENDID ESQUIMALT BUNGALOW
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The "Stadacona" and "Armentieres" are lying at Esquimalt, B.C., and the remainder at Halifax, N.S., where permission to inspect them may be obtained on application to the Officer in Charge of the Dockyard. Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque on a chartered Canadian bank for 10 per cent. thereof as a guarantee of good faith. The Department reserves the right to reject any or all tenders received. Full information and particulars may be obtained on application to the undersigned. G. J. DESBARATS, Deputy Minister of the Naval Service, Ottawa, Ont., April 1, 1922.

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CLUB MEETING ON FRIDAY NEXT WEEK

Victoria Automobile Club to Lay Plans for Summer

The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Automobile Club will be held at 8 o'clock in the Pemberton Block. It is hoped that a full attendance of members will be present as plans will be made for the Summer campaign. President Norman A. Yarrow will

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CITY WOULD NEED PUBLIC STOCKS TO ENFORCE OLD ACTS

Legislation of Stewart Reigns Provided Strange Penalties

That Sunday observance was a matter of moment in the years 1625-1676, in the reigns of Charles I. and Charles II. appears from Sunday observance laws still on the statute books, stated C. L. Harrison, City Prosecutor to The Times to-day. The Sunday Observance measures of those days were of more powerful effect than to-day, and provided for fines for non-attendance at church, for moving from one's parish, for indulging in the use of rod or gun, the sale or crying of wares and for attending any form of meeting for sport on the Sabbath.

Stocks For Offenders. Fines of from five to twenty shillings could be imposed, and in default of payment the offender could be committed by a Justice of the Peace to the public stocks for from two to three hours, or treated in the same manner by the Mayor of the city. Church wardens shared with the constabulary the delight of enforcing these measures.

Still Good Law. Notwithstanding certain judicial opinions to the contrary, in certain cases tried here some years ago, it is said that the Acts of Charles I. and II. are still good law, and could be enforced in this city. The same measures are enforced in a few places in England to this day, and only recently a tobaccoist paid his 75th fine of five shillings for selling tobacco on Sunday. The same Acts further provide that no person shall travel by any boat, except it be on an extraordinary occasion, and then only by virtue of the permission of a Justice of the Peace.

Many Lapses Then. A preface to the Sunday Observance Act of Charles I. contained a severe censure on the enforcers of the law of those days. "The Act is much profaned and broken," it said, "to the great dishonor of God and reproach to religion," continuing to urge upon all the more rigid enforcement of the terms of the Sunday Observance Act.

Drastic Restriction. A portion of the Sunday Observance Act of Charles II. reads: "Be it enacted that all the laws enacted and in force concerning the observation of the Lord's Day and repairing to the Church therein be carefully put into execution, and that all and every person, or persons whatsoever shall on every Lord's Day apply themselves to the observation of the same by exercising themselves therein in the duties of piety and true religion publicly and privately."

Tradesmen, artificers, workmen, laborers and other persons shall not do or exercise any worldly labor business, or of work, the Act continues, making it unlawful to cry wares in the street, or to expose same for sale. Butchers, wagoners, and wainmen are forbidden to travel with their carts on Sunday, or to enter any Inn. Infractions of the first part of the code mean a fine of five shillings while butchers and wagoners, the owners of carts may be mulcted twenty shillings. Criers would have their goods confiscated, these to be sold by the church wardens. Fines, when not met, would be substituted by imprisonment in the public stocks, for periods of from two to three hours, no other alternative being possible.

Permission to Travel. "No person shall travel on the Lord's Day with any boat," the Act continues, except it be an extraordinary occasion, and allowed by a Justice of the Peace.

"If any person offend in any of the premises, and be convicted thereof by trial or upon view, the Justice of the Peace shall issue a warrant to his constables or church wardens of the parish to seize the goods of the chattels cried for sale, to sell the same, and to levy such other forfeitures as are provided." The fines were put to the use of the poor of the parish, with a percentage of one-third to be given to the informant. The Mayor could replace a Justice of the Peace on occasion, and had power to convict and fine, on sight, or to commit offenders to the public stocks.

No Hunting. The dressing of meat and the distribution of it was permitted, as being necessary acts, even on the Lord's Day. A subsequent Act in the reign of William IV. added to the scope of the foregoing, and made it an offence to use dogs for hunting guns or nets on the Lord's Day, with a penalty of five pounds for each conviction. A further Act in the reign of Charles I., dated 1625, makes it an offence to hold a meeting on the Lord's Day outside of one's parish for sport or other pastime. A fine of three shillings and four pence could be imposed, or three hours in the stocks in default.

Convict on Sight. Busy already, His Worship the Mayor, would be afflicted with an almost impossible task, that of punishing all whom he saw breaking one of the terms of the ancient ordinances. He would have powers to convict on sight, and could call on either the police, or the church wardens, as his faculty directed, for the execution of his sentences.

It is interesting to note the title of the ordinance in the day of Charles II., being "An Act for the Better Observance of the Lord's Day, Commonly Called Sunday." The entire prohibition of every business, trade or calling, and compulsory attendance at church, with domestic piety

be in the chair, and members will be asked for suggestions. A number of invitations will be extended to the clubs this year from neighboring resorts to make a club run into the country. Motorists in the city are unaware of many of the pleasant drives that may be taken. The club will endeavor to build up interest in the resorts and thus help to make them famous and better known to the visiting tourist.

A lengthy agenda has been prepared. The matters to be dealt with are all important and of interest to the motorist particularly. Applications for membership will be welcomed by the secretary, whose office is in the Pemberton Building.

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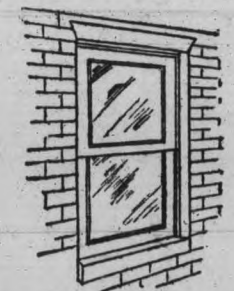
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VICTORIA FARMERS INSTITUTE HOLD SUCCESSFUL SESSION

The regular monthly meeting of the Institute took place on Wednesday evening in the rooms of the Royal Oak Women's Institute. There was a record attendance with the president, T. H. Harrop, in the chair. The secretary, Mr. Raven, reported nearly a thousand cases of stumping powder for land clearing purposes used this year a very great increase over any previous year, showing the wisdom of the policy of the Provincial Department of Agriculture in granting a rebate of \$2.50 per case up to ten cases used by any individual.

The president then introduced F. W. Loring, secretary to the Minister of Agriculture, who spoke ably on the raising of hen-hatched chicks, also on the raising of well-known poultry raiser and judge, who dealt with the raising of artificially hatched and brooded chicks. Both speakers answered many questions, the members displaying a keen interest in both these phases of chicken raising.

The next meeting will be held in Royal Oak Hall on May 17, when W. J. Eastman, Provincial Entomologist, will speak. H. Rive, Department of Agriculture, will conduct a butter demonstration.

NEW SERVICE STATION

Union Oil Company Locate at Douglas and Government.

Another attractive service station will be erected by the Union Oil Company in Victoria, the site of the new station being at the intersection of Government and Douglas Streets. A number of roads converge at this point, and the station will prove a great convenience to a large number of people.

H. B. Beasley, local manager of the Union Oil Company, stated that the new station will be completed by May 15. The land on which the building is being constructed is triangular in shape, and faces the fountain in the middle of the streets intersection.

OPPOSE SUNDAY LAW.

The Automobile section of the Retail Merchants' Association, made up of members who are vitally affected by the order of the Police Commissioners regarding Sunday closing, have passed a resolution strongly supporting the stand taken by the association that the Commissioners should keep their hands off. The dealers stand with the Commission. Staneland made the statement that H. S. Stevenson, president of the R. M. A. did not have majority of the dealers behind him, he was stating something that was not correct. H. E. Bailey is chairman of the new section, and I. E. Moore secretary.

Wanted by the police for many crimes, the youthful crackman managed to ply his nefarious profession without giving the officers a chance to get him with the goods, but he finally went to prison. How it occurred is shown by Bert Lytell in "Alias Ladyfinger," a Bayard Veiller production for Metro which will be shown at the Capitol next week.

A woman was waiting to buy a ticket at a cinema theatre when a stranger bumped into her. She glared at him, thinking he had pushed her purposely. "Well," he growled, "don't eat me up." "You are in no danger," she said. "I am a Jewess."

PATRON SAINT WHO SUFFERED FROM HIS BIOGRAPHERS

St. George's Day Will Fall Tomorrow; Shakespeare's Association

Patron saints, while not so fashionable in the twentieth century as in mediaeval times perhaps because they have lost their potency, still exercise a certain amount of fascination. England's patron saint, St. George, whose anniversary will fall to-morrow, appears to have suffered rather from lack of adequate biographers, or from excessive zeal in the case of investigators. More than any other saint of his class, history records the more diametrical estimates of his earthly career of usefulness. One famous account describes him as a wartime food profiteer destroyed by the rabble in language which is distinctly picturesque, while his advocates have most glowing accounts of the services rendered by George of Cappodocia. The saint appears to have amused himself in dull times with a trip to the Lybian desert to destroy a dragon and rescue the inevitable maiden.

Due perhaps to the legends which have tended to cluster round his name in the Crusades, when according to chroniclers he had an encouraging habit of appearing in visions to the English leaders, to give a few hints on tactics to overcome the Saracens, few heroes of early history have inspired so many royal decorations.

Not only is the famous Garter dedicated to his honor, but Venice, Spain, Austria, Genoa, the Papal States, Bavaria, Russia and Hanover had degrees of honor named after him, most of which have passed into desuetude with the collapse of European kingdoms, and the creation of new countries under republican administration.

The most interesting phase of the story of St. George and the Dragon is the widespread character of legends associating the hero with the destruction of some monster—was it a survival of the great reptiles of Mesozoic ages? Perhaps the theme of the story arose from the check on floods carried out by rulers who established their homes on river banks, and had their cities threatened by freshets each Spring. These rivers were generally winding like the serpent and to provide protective works brought results which might easily save the communities from wreckage, thereby laying the foundation for legends of slain monsters.

Better, however, than any legend is the association of April 23 with England's greatest poet, for Shakespeare died April 23, 1616, and his monument in the chancel of the parish church of Stratford-on-Avon is the mecca for thousands annually.

CHILDREN NOT FORGOTTEN IN NEW EDIFICE

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A number of delegations were heard by the Royal Provincial Jubilee Hospital Board at the regular monthly meeting held last evening with President George McGee in the chair. A delegation from the Daughters of Pity attended the board, voicing a complaint in connection with the arrangements for the children's ward in the new edifice.

The delegation was invited to meet the building committee, and were assured that after plans became more nearly mature, the children's interests would not be neglected. The board expressed its hearty appreciation of the work being done by the Daughters of Pity, an organization that has raised nearly \$2,250 for the children at the hospital in the past three years.

Bishop Schofield attended the board to ask that Sunday services at the hospital be made more readily obtainable. Some difficulty had been experienced in the past, he pointed out, being assured in turn that the board considered the question one of moment and would do all in its power to co-operate along the lines suggested.

No appointment was made to the vacancy created by the resignation of Dr. Ernest Hall, on the house committee. Dr. Hall resigned recently through pressure of private business.

May 12 has been set aside as Dominion Hospital Day, the board having upon which day every effort is to be made to place the hospital question before the public, for its support.

The finance committee brought in recommendations that would lead to an entire change of system in the hospital accountancy, and were invited to take action on their suggested remedies.

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