

WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Thursday. Victoria and district—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and not much change in temperature.

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WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Capitol—"Oh, Doctor." Dominion—"The Thundering Herd." Playhouse—"King Dodo." Coliseum—"The Best Live." Columbia—"Hurricane Hunch."

PROGRESSIVES TO VOTE FOR SHIP SUBSIDY

VETERANS PLAN PILGRIMAGE TO BATTLE SCENES

Returned Soldiers Will Make Trip From Canada to France This Summer

A pilgrimage to the spots made historic by the Canadian contingents in France and Belgium during the war is being planned by returned soldiers of British Columbia.

The announcement was made to-day by Brigadier-General R. P. Clark. The British Columbia party is being organized under the Military Institute of Vancouver.

According to present plans the pilgrimage will start from the Coast in the middle of latter part of the summer. Estimates to-day placed the number of British Columbians anxious to participate at 200.

At the head of the party, it is understood, will be General Victor Odium of Vancouver, and Dr. George Hall, ambulance colonel, of Victoria. They will travel by special train across the continent. Special rates on the Canadian railways and on the steamships across the Atlantic are being arranged. These rates will enable returned soldiers to make the pilgrimage at a cost much less than what would be required if the trip were made individually.

Members of returned soldiers' families will be eligible to join the party. In France, it is expected, special attention will be paid to the war pilgrims and, courtesies extended which ordinary tourists are not privileged to experience.

In England, also, special courtesies will be made for the reception and entertainment of the party.

FRANCE SUPPORTING GENEVA PROTOCOL

Willing League Council Change it to Make it More Acceptable

Paris, March 11.—The French Cabinet went over the whole diplomatic situation this morning. Premier Herriot informed his colleagues of the substance of the declaration which M. Briand will make at Geneva to-morrow in favor of the League of Nations security protocol, and the approved policy of sticking to the League plan.

The conferees were of the unanimous opinion that France must hold to the protocol, at the same time leaving the door open to all suggestions to make it more acceptable or favorable.

It is in this sense that former Premier Briand will reply to the British Foreign Secretary, Auston Chamberlain, after the latter has made his pronouncement to-morrow regarding the British attitude toward the protocol.

PRINCE RUPERT MAN WAS BADLY BURNED

John Holstein, a local fisherman, in the hospital here suffering from severe burns received when his cabin caught fire as the result of his attempting to start his fire with kerosene. It is expected he will recover.

KING ALI'S TROOPS ARE HOLDING JEDDAH

London, March 11.—Reports reaching official quarters here to-day indicate that the bombardment by the Wahabi tribesmen of Jeddah, the port of Mecca, has almost ceased. There are indications, it is added, that King Ali's troops, which are securely entrenched in the city, will be able to hold out several weeks without aid from the outside.

Flatiron Building In New York City Bought by Group

New York, March 11.—Sale of the Flatiron Building, one of New York's most striking points of interest a score of years ago, was announced to-day. A syndicate, representing New York and New England bank and real estate interests, purchased the skyscraper, which is assessed at \$2,925,000.

LONDON CATHEDRAL REPAIRS ARE COSTLY

London, March 11.—(Canadian Press Cable).—The announcement this week of the partial closing of St. Paul's Cathedral enabled the public to realize the magnitude and the cost of the work which will require to be accomplished before the edifice is made secure for the future.

LORD CURZON IS REGAINING STRENGTH

London, March 11.—The condition of Lord Curzon continues satisfactory after his recent operation, the attending surgeons announced at noon to-day.

NEW EAST WING OF ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL OPENED TO-DAY



This afternoon at 3 o'clock the magnificent new wing of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital was formally opened to the public with a ceremony of an impressive nature fitting to the important occasion.

COSMOPOLITAN SHANGHAI FORCE SAVED CITY AT CRITICAL TIME

While rival Chinese generals clashed in a struggle for power in China and pitiful stories of suffering and tragedies in the wake of war were heard from outlying villages the city of Shanghai was undoubtedly saved by the most cosmopolitan force in the world, according to T. I. Vaughan, superintendent of the international force at Shanghai which numbers over 3,000 armed men of many nationalities.

JAMAICANS TO DISCUSS TRADE WITH CANADA

Kingston, Jamaica, March 11.—Sir Samuel Wilson, Governor of Jamaica, in opening the new session of the Legislature yesterday afternoon, urged the colony to accept the invitation to send a delegation to Ottawa in May, to discuss closer trade relations between Canada and the West Indies.

OBSERVERS STATE DANZIG GERMAN PREPARE FOR WAR

Paris, March 11.—"Danzig is like a powder magazine," says the correspondent of Le Journal, who with a representative of Le Matin, went to the Free City to investigate the difficulties between it and Poland.

SCHOOL RULING IS GIVEN IN QUEBEC

Quebec, March 11.—The Legislature of Quebec has no right to legislate for separate schools for Jews, according to a judgment of the Court of Appeal, which to-day held that the provincial school statute of 1903 is ultra vires under the British North America Act.

IMPROVEMENTS NEEDED SASKATOON

Saskatoon, March 11.—The town of Biggar, Sask., was given judgment by Mr. Justice McLean yesterday against W. J. Lay, holder of the electric light and power franchise for the town, by which Lay is ordered to place his plant in suitable condition to give good service within a period of six months or forfeit his franchise.

THEFT IS CHARGED VANCOUVER

Vancouver, March 11.—Charged with the theft of \$175 from the Vancouver Chess Club, R. C. Dickson was arraigned before Magistrate Shaw in police court to-day and after evidence has been presented, the case was adjourned until next Monday. It is alleged Dickson was secretary-treasurer of the club was short \$175 in his accounts.

PARLIAMENT IS ASKED TO PUT END TO APPEALS FROM CANADIAN SUPREME COURT

Ottawa, March 11.—Legislation to abolish appeals from judgments of the Supreme Court of Canada is sought in a resolution in the Commons of which notice has been given by A. B. McMaster, Liberal member for Bruns, Quebec, who will move in the House of Commons that "a committee be named for the purpose of considering the advisability of declaring by legislation that no appeal shall be brought from any judgment or order of the Supreme Court of Canada to any court of appeal or authority by which in the United Kingdom appeals or petitions to His Majesty-in-Council may be heard."

NEW HOSPITAL WING OPENED BY PREMIER

Impressive Ceremonies Usher in New Era in History of Jubilee

This afternoon at 3 o'clock the magnificent new wing of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital was formally opened to the public with a ceremony of an impressive nature fitting to the important occasion.

WATER MAIN BURSTS ON JOHNSON STREET; ROAD UNDERMINED

Flood Waters Tear Filling From Bridge Approach

Lower Johnson Street paving was wrecked yesterday afternoon when a low pressure water main burst at 4 o'clock at the junction of the new and old paving.

SHAMROCK SHIPMENT SENT BACK TO IRELAND

Boston, March 11.—More than 1,000 packages of shamrock intended to be in Boston homes on St. Patrick's Day were ordered sent back to Ireland to-day by representatives of the Department of Agriculture.

SEED GRAIN WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, March 11.—Provision for supplying seed grain to farmers in unorganized territories of Manitoba is made in a bill introduced in the Legislature by Hon. A. Prefontaine, Minister of Agriculture.

LITHUANIA MAKES PROTEST TO VATICAN

Riga, March 11.—Despatches from Kovno say the Lithuanian Government has instructed its representatives at the Vatican to protest against the conclusion of a concordat with Poland and the broken negotiations between the Lithuanian and Polish representatives for a concordat.

WILL SHIP WINES TO PHILIPPINES

Madrid, March 11.—An official communication issued by the Military Directorate says Spanish exporters may continue to ship without limitation all classes of wines and other alcoholic beverages to the Philippine Islands, to which the United States prohibition law does not extend.

VICKERS TO AID ROMANIANS WITH ARMAMENT PLANT

Bucharest, March 11.—The British firm Vickers Limited has agreed an agreement with the Rumanian Government to collaborate in the erection and equipment of an armament plant.

SWATOW OCCUPIED BY DR. SUN'S TROOPS

Canton, March 11.—Sun Yat Sen's headquarters here announce the peaceful occupation of Swatow, Kwangtung province. All the rebel leaders are said to have fled.

A. M. DOLLAR NOW HEADS VANCOUVER BOARD OF TRADE

Vancouver, March 11.—A. Melville Dollar, vice-president of the Vancouver Board of Trade last year, was chosen president at the thirty-eighth annual meeting last night, while F. E. Burke was installed as vice-president.

PROGRESSIVES' OPPOSITION TO SHIPPING COMBINE ON ATLANTIC STATED BY FORKE

Leader Says Followers Only Await Proof Combine Exists and Governs Rates Before They Throw Weight Behind Government's Subsidy Scheme; Government is Ready With Proof Combine is Operating.

Ottawa, March 11.—If it can be proved definitely that an Atlantic shipping combine exists, the leaders of the Progressive Party are prepared to throw their weight behind the Government's ship subsidy scheme.

It is evident from Mr. Forke's statement that the Progressives who were turned away from the subsidy for a time by hostility of the Canadian Council of Agriculture are swinging back into support of the Government.

CHINA WATCHES SUN YAT SEN ON DEATHBED

Death of Noted Leader Might Improve Chinese Political Situation, Opinion Given

O. F. Alleman Gets Chinese Viewpoint While on Tour of Far East

With Sun Yat Sen lying at the point of death at Peking the opinion is freely expressed in Southern China that the passing of the stormy petrel of Chinese politics would not be widely mourned, according to O. F. Alleman, representative of the Oriental department of George Borgfeldt & Company, of New York, who reached here last night from China on board the liner Empress of Australia.

While he has been a great power in South China, Sun Yat Sen's policies have never been constructive and the termination of his activities in the Chinese political arena might lead to a consolidation of the divided factions to the benefit of China as a whole.

Such was the impression gained by Mr. Alleman in his discussions on the Far Eastern political situation with the merchants of South China.

In some sections of China the belief is prevalent that Sun Yat Sen is dead and that he is being "kept alive" for political purposes.

Business is steadily recovering from the effects of the political unrest in China, states Mr. Alleman, who looks for much improved trade conditions before many months have elapsed.

There has been a cessation of internal fighting and the products of the country are now moving towards tidewater with serious efforts at interception by the lawless bands of the great inland of China.

Mr. Alleman had broken out here for five months conferring with the agents of his company. Accompanied by Mrs. Alleman, he left New York on September 25 and crossed the Pacific from San Francisco aboard the liner President Lincoln.

The present tour is the tenth Mr. Alleman has made to the Far East.

YOUTH DETAINED AFTER FATALITY ON BURNSIDE RD.

Edna Munro, Six-Year-Old Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Munro, Dies of Injuries

Charles Edward Thomas, Nineteen, Detained on Manslaughter Charge

Detained by the city police at 3 p.m. yesterday following the death of Edna Munro, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Munro, 420 Burnside Road, Charles Edward Thomas, nineteen, was arraigned on a formal charge of manslaughter before Magistrate Jay this morning.

H. W. Davey appeared for the accused and asked a remand. Magistrate Jay fixed the hearing for Friday, and deferred the question of bail at this stage.

Inquest on the remains of the victim of the accident will be held at the Burns Funeral Company premises (Completed on page 1)

VANCOUVER MAN'S DEATH INVESTIGATED

Vancouver, March 11.—Police are investigating on the theory of suicide, the death of a ninety-year-old man believed to be A. McLaughlin, found dead in his room at the Alexander Hotel last night. Gas jets were found to have been turned on in the oven and asphyxiation might have been the cause of death.

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Pilgrims From U.S. At Mass in Rome

Rome, March 11.—The members of the Holy Year pilgrimage from Boston, together with a considerable number of tourists and American residents of Rome, gathered in the Vatican this morning for the honor of a special Mass celebrated for them

by Pope Pius. Their number was so great that an altar was erected in the Duca Hall especially for the event. Cardinal O'Connell, head of the pilgrimage, and the members of his staff occupied the chief places. When the Pope appeared the entire assembly knelt and all followed the "Pater Noster" with religious fervor. Afterward Cardinal O'Connell delivered an address.

The annual meeting of the Welsh Society will be held this evening, when it is hoped a large number will be present. W. P. Jones was arranged to entertain the society with a movie show. Sandwiches and cakes will be welcome for the serving of refreshments, and a very pleasant evening is anticipated.

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LIBERALS FIGHT SHIPPING RING WHERE CONSERVATIVES STARTED AND TURNED BACK

Opposition's Present Indignation at Attack on Atlantic Combine Stultified by Records, Which Show that Conservative Government Investigators All Recommended Action Now Launched by Liberals; Low Bares Shipping Facts to Prove Sweeping Charges Against Companies.

Ottawa, March 11.—In challenging the shipping combine the Mackenzie King Government is simply going ahead where the former Conservative Government put its hand to the plough and turned back. Forgotten records of many former attempts to handle the Atlantic shipping situation prove beyond doubt that the Conservatives fully realized the vital need of breaking the shipping ring and often figured out ways of doing it. And now in the face of these facts, the Conservative Opposition has expressed indignation against any interference with the rights of the shipping companies.

Production of the old records in the House of Commons here took Conservative critics entirely off their guard; proved that the existence of a combine on the Atlantic has long been known, and showed how the disastrous results of the combine's operations have reached into the furthest corners of this nation's economic life.

Here are the allegations which the Government makes against the Atlantic shippers and which it believes the records of shipping operations fully substantiate:

1. They have discriminated in Atlantic shipments against Canadian ports in favor of United States ports.
2. They have nullified all the usefulness of the British preference in many directions.
3. They have discriminated against the British manufacturer and the British merchant in favor of German and other foreign merchants.
4. They have retained immigration to this country more than any other factor in world conditions.
5. They have charged exorbitant rates which have tended to stifle Canada's overseas commerce.

The Atlantic shippers are arraigned by the Government on those five clear-cut counts and so confident is the Government of the truth of these charges that it will allow a full Parliamentary inquiry into them before action is taken on the new Petersen ship subsidy scheme. The shippers will be given every opportunity to disprove these allegations, if they can, but the Government believes that the evidence piled up against them already is complete and unanswerable.

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Dr. A. J. Gillis, Dentistry, Suite 503 Campbell Building, Phone 2354.

Miss Hannan will be leaving Victoria in May for an indefinite period. Appointments should therefore be made without delay, 22 Winch Building.

The Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold a concert reception at the Empress ballroom on Saturday at 8.15 p.m. Tickets 50c.

Dr. J. C. Foote, dentist, 312 Belmont Building, Telephone 285.

Rummage sale, St. Andrew's Presbyterian lecture room, Broughton Street, Wednesday, March 11, 9.30 a.m.

Lecture by Mrs. Adams Beck, "How We Won India for the British Empire," under auspices Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., Wednesday, March 11, at 8 o'clock, St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay. Tickets 50c. Afternoon tea optional.

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CONGRATS. WIRED LESTER AND HIS FINE TEAM

Premier John Oliver and Mayor Pandey were among those who have dispatched congratulations by wire to Lester, Patrick, manager of the Cougars, as a result of Victoria's courageous effort in Saskatoon.

The Premier's wire was as follows: "Heartiest congratulations from myself and the people of this province and your stalwart team for your splendid victory."

Mayor Pandey, wired as follows: "Citizens of Victoria delighted with result of game at Saskatoon. Heartiest congratulations from myself and the people of this province."

Mayor Pandey intimated that he would send a telegram when the Cougars reached Calgary wishing them the best of luck in their first encounter with the Tigers on Saturday.

ABOUT A YEAR HENCE TO FINISH REVISION OF DOMINION'S LAWS

(By Times Staff Representative) Ottawa, March 11.—The task of revising Canada's statutes will be completed in about a year, it was made known here following a two-day conference between members of the commission which is carrying out the revision. It is possible that the revised statutes will be laid before the next session of Parliament. The chief work remaining to be done is the translation of the revised laws into French and this is requiring the services of highly-skilled experts.

F. R. McD. Russell, the well-known Vancouver lawyer, who represents Western Canada on the revision commission, has been here for some time conferring with his British Columbia colleagues and will return to Vancouver shortly. The revision has been going on for some years.

Appetite Unimpaired

Ham and eggs, with tea or coffee, the regular prison fare at the Victoria police cells, did not appeal to Owen B. Baker, appearing yesterday before Magistrate Jay in remand proceedings. As he was being brought from the morning boat to the cells Baker pulled a dollar from his pocket and handed it to the jailer with a request that a breakfast of beefsteak and fried potatoes be ordered for him. Sergeant Blackstock, who had previously complied with the request, said that Baker had had his breakfast, and a quarter in change.

RELIEF MEASURES

Distribution of relief has gone forward steadily and it is not believed any sufferers are being overlooked with what supplies are available. The public subscriptions to the relief fund donated in all parts of the province

YOUTH DETAINED AFTER FATALITY

(Continued from page 1.)

1925 to-morrow at 10 a.m. Speaking to the question of bail C. L. Harrison, city prosecutor, stated that from a general outline of the case according to the police a light delivery milk car driven by the accused passed over the child on Burnside Road near Alpha Street. The child, he understood, had run out across the street. Magistrate Jay gave defendant leave to stand again for bail at the Friday hearing.

REPORTED TO POLICE

The accident took place on the Burnside Road yesterday afternoon. The driver reported to the police that he had met with the mishap and was informed that he would have to be detained on the formal charge. He surrendered himself into custody shortly afterwards.

Actual eye witnesses to the fatality are few. The police officers at the corner of the street and from another side the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murre ran across the road. She was knocked down by the delivery rig, say the police, and was removed to the St. Joseph's Hospital in his car.

Coroner Dr. E. C. Hart was notified by the police and ordered the removal of the body to the Sands Funeral Company premises, where the inquest will be held.

The little victim of the accident is survived by her parents, Mr. Joseph Murre and Mrs. Mary Murre, as well as two brothers and one sister. The funeral has been set for Friday at 1.30, the service to take place at the Sands Funeral Chapel. Complete arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.

C.N.R. COMMITTEE

Ottawa, March 11.—W. D. Euler, Liberal North Waterloo, Ont., was elected yesterday chairman of the special committee of the House of Commons, which will consider estimates for the Canadian National Railways this session. The committee held a brief organization meeting, and Sir Henry Thornton was invited to name a day on which he would present his financial statement to the committee—probably next week.

How Robert M. Koenig Found Remedy for Pimply Skin



For years my skin would break out every once in a while—and sometimes did very little to help me. I read a doctor's article stating that pimply skin usually comes from the stomach—and bowel not getting rid of the poisons.

I tried Carter's Little Liver Pills for a few days—and since that time my skin is smooth and clear. Now I tell my friends the right way of getting rid of a broken out skin—and also of steering clear of upset stomach and sick headache. Carter's are all you—aim for them.

(Adv.)

VETERANS READY FOR POLICE DUTY

But Would Not Protect Outsiders Breaking Strike in Nova Scotia

Sydney, N.S., March 11.—A meeting of the Sydney branch of the Great War Veterans' Association will be held to-night for the purpose of framing a reply to a request made yesterday by a representative of the Department of the Attorney-General of Nova Scotia that the offer of 1,000 ex-servicemen as auxiliary police in the strike area hold good in the event of outside labor being brought in to man the maintenance machinery of the Cape Breton collieries. Officials of the association have in the meantime intimated that their reply will be strongly in the negative, because such a promise would be to associate themselves with the provincial police, which it was not their intention to do.

The offer of the war veterans, sent to Attorney-General O'Hearn some days ago, was intended only as an offer to help police the areas affected in the event of outbreaks such as might ordinarily be expected in quarters in which large numbers of men were idle as a result of labor troubles, it was intimated.

Spring's Fashion Romance

Reveals Subtle Innovations in Spring's Smart Silhouette Without Sacrificing Slimness

The interesting style story of Spring is now being revealed. There is a chapter on the tailored frock, another on the new ensemble and several on the coats that will find best favor. Suffice it to say here that the foremost silhouette is one of slimmness in the skirt, where we might expect most anything cut on the circular or plaited. But words are not enough to satisfy when a new wardrobe is in question. You must visit our showrooms to see the list in new Spring styles.

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Vancouver Island News
**Bids Invited For Four Story
Hospital in City of Nanaimo**

Final details having been cleared up in connection with the hospital project planned by Nanaimo, tenders are now being invited by the board of directors for the general contract on the proposed structure as well as for the heating, plumbing and electrical work. The bids are to be received by Architect A. E. Henderson, Davis Chambers, 615 Hastings Street West, Vancouver, up to noon of Saturday, March 28. The completed building will cost, it is estimated, a sum running into six figures.

Plans, specifications and full particulars can be obtained from Architect Henderson, who prepared the designs. Accompanying each tender on the general contract must be a cheque or bid bond for \$5,000. Separate tenders are to be entered for the heating, plumbing and electrical work.

Cruciform in shape, with the exception of one wing which will be erected at some future date, the building will be four stories in height and about 110 by 125 feet over all. As the site is on a slope, the rear of the building will be three stories and basement in height. Construction is to be of reinforced concrete with exterior of stucco and stone trim.

**LADYSMITH VETERANS
OPEN CLUB QUARTERS**

Special to The Times
Ladysmith, March 11.—On Saturday evening next the official opening of the Ladysmith unit of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada will take place at their club quarters on First Avenue. A musical programme has been arranged which is in the capable hands of Harry Taylor, who with a strong committee has charge of the arrangements. Extensive alterations are being made to the club to accommodate the members who will be present on this occasion.

Miss Ethel Hunter of the B.C. Telephone staff, Vancouver, was a visitor to town over the week-end visiting her father and sister.

**SHAWNIGAN JUVENILE
LIBRARY OPENS**

Special to The Times
Shawnigan Lake, March 11.—The monthly meeting of the Public

Library Board was held this week. The secretary reported 394 visitors for the month of February, 422 books issued and several donations to the permanent library. The juvenile branch in charge of Miss Maymie Christison is proving very popular with the young people.

**LADYSMITH PLANS
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Exhibition on September 9 and 10 to be Best Ever Held

Special to The Times
Ladysmith, March 11.—At a well-attended meeting of the directors of the Ladysmith Agricultural Society held last evening, this year's exhibition came under discussion, and it was decided to hold the show this year on September 9 and 10. This year's exhibit promises to be the best ever held in this district. It is the intention of the committee to enlarge on last year's show and introduce some new lines into the exhibition. The officers of the society for this year are: President, E. D. Comley; vice-president, Mrs. F. Spineto; secretary, Mrs. A. Cullen; and directors, Messdames Grouhel and C. Allen, and Messrs. Bryant, Hartley, Butler, Honeyman, F. Reid, Peerless, I. Smith, A. Tranfield, J. Currie and Rev. Moss. While Ladysmith is chiefly an industrial town it is surprising the quality of the produce from the farms surrounding, and the city growers and the judges opinion at last year's show was that the quality was as good as any seen while judging the various shows.

OLD TIME DANCES
Last Saturday evening the commencement of the old time dances for the month of March was held, and the attendance far surpassed that at any other previous dance held under similar circumstances. It is estimated that there were over 200 dancers on the floor, and all enjoyed themselves to the utmost.

Langford News

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Langford, March 11.—An innovation which proved a distinct success was a supper dance held at "The Spaniards", on the Island Highway on Saturday evening. About forty visitors from Victoria enjoyed dancing to the Orchestra of the "Hoot Owls" after which a delicious buffet supper was served by Mrs. Russell and Mrs. Coverdale.

There will be several musical items as well as the interesting lecture entitled "On the Pyramids of Egypt" by the Rev. W. H. Redman given on Friday night in the Langford schoolhouse in aid of the new piano fund.

**SHAWNIGAN TEAM
BEATS COWICHAN
AT BASKETBALL**

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Shawnigan Lake, March 11.—The Shawnigan basketball team played a game with the Cowichan Station team on Friday evening in the Shawnigan Lake Athletic Association Hall resulting in a win for Shawnigan 16-26. The game was the best played this season. The play was fast and a great exhibition of combination. The teams were: Shawnigan—Theo. Eiford, Eric Gibson, Felix Luckovitch, G. Handa, and Gus Manfetsch. Cowichan Station—B. Doherty, F. Doney, R. Woodward, J. O'Rourke and G. Doney. J. Davidson proved a good referee.

Shawnigan News

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Shawnigan Lake, March 11.—The regular monthly meeting of the Shawnigan Women's Institute was held on Thursday in the Shawnigan Lake Athletic Association Hall. There was a full attendance of members and several visitors. Miss Storie gave a very instructive talk on "Cold, Danger and Prevention of Same." Mrs. A. Wynde spoke on the many uses of lemons and their curative power.

The committee reported that all arrangements had been made for the community card party to be held in the Shawnigan Lake Athletic Association Hall on March 21 and eighteen tables have been spoken for. Mrs. F. Eiford took the chair in the absence of Mrs. Mason Hurley. The president, Mrs. Eiford and Miss Maymie Christison were the tea hostesses for the afternoon.

NURSE'S REPORT

The report of the nurse in charge to the Esquimalt Rural Nursing Service for the month of February is as follows: 5 schools visited; 60 home school visits; 12 health talks given; 2 pre-natal visits; 26 social service visits; 7 child welfare visits; 24 home visits; 3 transportation of patients; 1 child excluded from school; 20 paid nursing visits; 2 unpaid nursing visits; 30 Metropolitan nursing visits; \$31.25 in dental fees collected.

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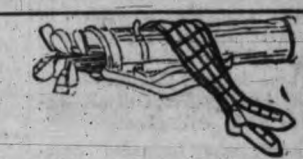
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TWO SENTENCED TO DEATH

Montreal, March 11.—Hermangilde Dufaut and Henri Messier were found guilty last evening of the murder of

Emil Pelletier, Sorel butcher, on the Ste. Victoria Road on November 22 last. Mr. Justice Demers sentenced them both to be hanged on June 19.

A third accused, David Millette, was acquitted. An appeal will be entered.

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**LANGFORD PREPARES
FOR HOLIDAY SEASON**

Some Enthusiasts Have
Already Taken First Dip of
Season

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Langford, March 11.—Langford Lake, which has had a deserted appearance throughout the Winter months, now presents quite a busy scene at week-ends as some of the owners of the many pretty cottages around the lake are fixing up their camps preparatory to the Easter holidays and several verandas are being added among their improvements. Swimming has already been indulged in by some enthusiasts.

Chemainus News

(Special to The Times.)
Chemainus, March 11.—A very pretty quiet wedding was solemnized on Sunday by the Rev. E. M. Cook, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, when Mrs. Louise Patton became the bride of Mr. Lewis G. Hill. Only relatives and immediate friends were present.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY
A special meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Church of St. Michael's and All Angels was held recently when Mrs. Ryall of Nanaimo, the wife of a former rector of Chemainus, gave a most interesting address on the work of the Women's Auxiliary. Mrs. Ryall said the work of the Women's Auxiliary was four-fold, pray, learn, work and give. Also it was four-fold in its branches, the Women's branch, the senior girls' branch, junior girls' branch, and babies' branch. The four branches could do a great deal for the church. At the close of the address a vote of thanks was accorded the speaker and a delicious tea was served by Mrs. Longrigge and Mrs. Olsen. Among those present were Mrs. Sparling, Mrs. Stubbs, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Gaylie, Mrs. Toyne, Mrs. Lane, Mrs. Olsen, Mrs. Chatters, Mrs. Longrigge, Mrs. Cave, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Cummins, Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. A. Work.

Alberni News

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Alberni, March 11.—A special meeting of the City Council was held last night for the purpose of dealing with a number of by-laws, including the rate by-law. The chair was occupied by Alderman E. M. Whyte. In the absence of Mayor Hanna from the city.

TO COMPLETE ROAD

D. Ferrier left for Hesquon Monday morning with a gang of men to complete the work on the new road there, which was started last Fall but had to be abandoned

OGDEN'S
CUT PLUG
OGDEN'S LIVERPOOL

then until Spring owing to the heavy rains.
C. Cocks accompanied by J. A. McNiffe motored to Nanaimo this morning on business.
George Forrest left for Nanaimo this morning on a business trip.
The work is now progressing rapidly on the new store and residence and post office combined for Mrs. M. L. Hoyt. When this building is completed it will make a big improvement to the main street of the city. G. Forrest is the contractor.
The new truck for the city has arrived, and G. Cathcart is building a dump body and cab for it and expects to have it completed and in operation early next week.
Additional Vancouver Island News on Page 7.
"Jack, dear, am I the first girl who ever asked you if she was the first girl you had ever kissed?"

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THE LATEST MUMMY

THE LATEST FIND OF the mummy miners who have been delving among the ruins of Gizeh appears to be the tomb of a female relative of Pharaoh Seneferu, founder of the Fourth Egyptian Dynasty, who flourished about 3,000 years before the Christian era.

Cheops, who succeeded Seneferu, however, was not in this case, since he built the chief pyramid of Gizeh with the labor of 100,000 slaves as a special monument for himself, but his remains are said to have been thrown into the Nile by some of his myrmidons and they probably were interred in the stomach of some hungry crocodile instead of within the vast pile of masonry he designed.

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Perhaps if the Pharaohs of Egypt could have foreseen the present operations of scientific busybodies in their burial grounds—sacred in their time—they might have adopted the custom of their contemporaries farther East and had themselves cremated, and the ashes distributed on the Nile or among the sands of the desert.

KEEP OUT OF POLITICS ONE OF THE POLITICAL executives in Vancouver does not like the way Liquor Commissioner Davidson is handling the granting of beer-selling licenses. It contends that he is acting too closely in conjunction with the hotel-keepers' association.

cover. On that occasion he told them that beer selling would have to be conducted in accordance with the strict letter of the law or stern punishment would quickly follow. He warned them that neither political affiliation nor social connection would be of any avail to the transgressor.

Reports of the meeting in question indicated that Mr. Davidson and the hotelmen had given one another mutual assurances in respect of law enforcement and law observance. Co-operation is exactly what is needed to prevent abuse.

OUR SEEDS

ONE OF GREAT BRITAIN'S most famous seed houses now declares that the finest sweet pea seed it can obtain comes from Vancouver Island. It gave a demonstration of this fact at numerous agricultural shows in various parts of the Old Country last year.

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AN INCOMPLETE PICTURE IN ONE OF ITS RECENT advertisements the Canadian Pacific Railway Company refers to the fact that a claim was made before the Railway Board to the effect that the grain movement through Pacific Coast ports had been retarded by freight rate discrimination.

It is not our intention to challenge these figures. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company operates an accounting system which is not likely to go wrong in such important details. On the other hand the statistics to which attention is drawn in the advertisement are only explanatory in so far as they relate to an actual condition at a certain time.

For example, the advertisement points out that in 1920 the grain exports through Vancouver terminals amounted to no more than 501,000 bushels, whereas in 1924

the business had grown to 54,619,000 bushels—an increase of over ten thousand per cent. But the advertisement makes no mention of the fact that in 1922 a reduction of twenty per cent. in the grain freight rate went into effect, while a further ten per cent. drop was in operation in time for the moving of last year's crop.

As a result of these rate reductions the traffic increased by leaps and bounds. Government elevator accommodation grew in proportion and private capital to the tune of many millions has gone into similar investments in this Province and at those points East of the Rockies at which grain for shipment through Western outlets is handled.

Such a condition responds well to treatment if carried out at the proper time. We have an example of this course, according to the cause, if due to improper nutrition the diet should be corrected.

DR. FRANK CRANE On Refuge THE only refuge from disagreeable conditions and environment outside, is in greatness inside.

THE WEATHER Daily Bulletin Published by the Meteorological Department. Victoria, March 11.—The barometer remains high over this Province and the Pacific slope. Snow is falling Alberta and Saskatchewan, while some temperatures prevail in the interior.

TEMPERATURES Max. Min. Vancouver 52 33. Penitence 44 29. Grand Forks 49 29. Nelson 43 28. Calgary 26 14. Edmonton 16 12. Swift Current 10 10. Regina 19 20. Winnipeg 19 20. Toronto 36 26. Montreal 42 23. St. John's 34 24. Halifax 34 24.

GIRL PLUNGED 180 FEET TO HER DEATH Baltimore, March 11.—A richly dressed girl, apparently about twenty years old, plunged 180 feet to her death from the balcony of Washington Monument, Mount Vernon Place, here to-day.

WORDS OF WISE MEN The path of duty leads to happiness. Nothing is lost until you've lost your courage.

WHO'S WHO IN HISTORY TO-DAY WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11 (Torquato) celebrated Italian poet, whose masterpiece, "Jerusalem Delivered," has been translated into many languages, was born at Sorrento, Italy, March 11, 1544.

SIR ALEXANDER MACKENZIE Scottish explorer, and the discoverer of the Mackenzie River in Northwest Canada, died March 11, 1820.

CHARLES SOMNER Noted American statesman, a leading opponent of slavery in Congress, died at Washington, D.C., March 11, 1874.

KRACHE GAINS DECISION Hoquiam, Wash., March 11.—Tod Krache, Hoquiam welterweight, celebrated his return to the ring game which he had deserted seven months ago, by winning a decision by a wide margin from Marty Cross, of California, in six rounds last night.

FOUR YOUTHS WERE KILLED BY A TRAIN Dowagiac, Mich., March 11.—Four youths were killed and three injured last night when an automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Michigan Central passenger train at a crossing near the station here.

HEALTH AND DISEASE No. 31 Pigeon Breast There are many troubles which arise in young children through improper feeding, and may be termed nutritional disturbances.

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MISS CLAY DESCRIBES Charm of Books At Y.W.C.A. Course The charm course lecture held at the Y.W.C.A. on Tuesday night was given by Miss Clay, chief librarian, on "The Charm of Books." The chair was taken by Mrs. J. L. Beckwith.

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A Striking Novelty Just in is the CROSS WORD PUMP

This shoe has light tan quarters with vamp of black patent, cleverly interwoven with tan calf, shown with either Cuban or low heels. Priced at **\$7.00**

Gore Pumps in patent or light tan, pretty openwork in sides, invisible front gore and hand turned soles. Priced at **\$10.00**

—Women's Shoes, First Floor

Spring and Summer Hosiery for Women

Women's Fibre Silk Hose with lisle hemmed tops and reinforced foot; sizes 8 1/2 to 10; shades are black, brown, camel, beige and pearl grey. A pair **69¢**

Heavier Grade Fibre Silk Hose, heels and toes are strongly spliced, hemmed garter tops; sizes 8 1/2 to 10. A pair **98¢**

"Mercury" Ribbed Lisle Hose—This line possesses a remarkably fine appearance and will stand the test of wear, widened top and reinforced feet, obtainable in black, sponge, fawn, brown and white. A pair **98¢**

Women's Mercerized Lisle Hose with elastic ribbed tops, seamless feet and shown in black, brown, sand, white, camel, meadow lark, grebe and grey. A pair **75¢**

Good Quality Silk Plated Hose, seamless feet, good wide garter tops, in black, cruiser, atmosphere, cordovan, log cabin and sand. Special, a pair **98¢**

Pure Thread Silk Hose with mercerized lisle tops and spliced heels and toes. Excellent values at, pair **49¢**

Special Values in Women's Neat-Fitting Lisle Hose; heels and toes are strongly reinforced; may be had in black, brown, white, stone, Airedale and grey. A pair **59¢**

Mercerized Lisle Hose, fancy stripe, double garter tops, seamless feet, medium weight; shown in black, brown, Airedale, stone, grey and fawn; sizes 8 1/2 to 10. A pair **65¢**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

White Jean Middies for Women and Misses

Middies of excellent grade jean cloth, made in regulation style, shown in yoke or plain effects, with long sleeves and detachable sailor cuffs or short sleeves. All have detachable navy flannel collars and breast pocket. Each **\$1.95** and **\$2.95**

—Blouses, First Floor

Flannel Dresses for Girls

Smart New Flannel Dresses in all the bright new tones of Spring. One-piece dresses in novelty styles, trimmed with silk braid and buttons. Sizes for 12 to 15 years. Each, **\$6.50** and **\$7.50**

—Children's Wear, First Floor



Women's Navy and Black, SPRING SUITS

Two Special Lines From Our Tailored Stock

\$27.90 and \$49.75

Suits of Poiret Twill and Tricotine, shown with medium length coats, slit pockets, notch collars, finished with self trimming or buttons; skirts are wrap-around or two-seam styles with slit pockets. Priced at **\$27.90**

Very Smart Suits with knee length coats, tailored notch collars, fitted sleeves, silk lined and finished with self trimming and buttons. The skirts are in wrap-around or two-seam style with neat pockets. These suits are made of excellent quality poiret twill in plain black and navy or navy and black with invisible check line of white. Priced at **\$49.75**

—Mantles, First Floor

New Spring Coats for Girls from 8 to 14 Years \$8.95 to \$12.50

Girls' Coats in tailored styles, double-breasted with belted back, slit pockets and notch collars. Shown in smart shades of rose, green and fawn. Sizes for 8 to 14 years. Priced at, each **\$10.50**

New Coats of velour cloth, novelty styles, side fastening, with three small buttons; well tailored and smartly trimmed. Shown in fawn, rose, cocoa, lipstick; sizes for 8 to 14 years. Priced from **\$8.95** to **\$12.50**

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Spring Millinery Opening

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

The Fascination of Our Millinery Department Is One That Grows Daily—So Great Is the Variety of Smart Models From Which To Select

Seldom have hats been more colorful, more attuned to the bright mood of Spring than this season. Lovely colorings reflect the exquisite tints of flowers—charming garnitures and novel trimming treatments give emphasis to the swagger smartness of these hats.

Youth will have an appreciative eye for the very new high crown, short back, slightly poke models with flower or ribbon trimming. Broader brims assume an important place for social hours.

The Matron will place her stamp of approval on models with a certain youthfulness, yet meeting her requirements for charm and dignity.

Our price range is as widely comprehensive as the styles.

\$2.50 to \$27.50

And Upwards

You are cordially invited to make an inspection of our Millinery Display, Thursday, Friday and Saturday on First Floor.



Veils and Veiling for the New Spring Hat

Nose Veils to be worn draped over the front of the hat are very smart and effective, shown with silk embroidered and tinsel borders. Each **95¢**

Nose Veilings of fine hexagonal weave, all silk quality, in shades of brown, black, navy, with chenille spot border in contrasting colors of jade, cherry, flame, red, orange, sand and china blue! Unusual value at, a yard **25¢**

French Shaped Veils, so easily adjusted, chenille spot designs and chenille borders, shown in fawn, navy, grey, champagne and rust brown. Each **50¢**

French Flowing Veils that give a finishing touch to the smart new hat, all silk quality in a variety of border effects, silk scroll, Chantilly lace or chenille spots, in all popular shades. Each from **75¢** to **\$2.50**

Veilings of every description in plain or fancy weaves, also the new two-tone effects which are so much in demand. From, a yard, **35¢** to **65¢**

—Main Floor

Women's and Misses' Brushed Wool Cardigans \$3.90

Plain Brushed Wool Cardigans in the neat five-button style with long sleeves, bound round bottom with braid and two patch pockets, finished with braid. Shown in fawn and pearl grey only; sizes 36 to 42. Each **\$3.90**

—Sweaters, First Floor

Women's New Silk Crepe de Chine Scarves, \$3.98 to \$8.75

New Crepe de Chine Scarves in floral and conventional designs with deep hem or border of contrasting plain shade. Priced from, each, **\$3.98** to **\$8.75**

GEORGETTE SCARVES

Shown in all the new Spring shades; deep hem and hem-stitched border; soft and filmy. Will give the final touch of smartness to your new Spring outfit. Each **\$3.75**

—Neckwear, Main Floor

Early Spring Display of Men's Fine Shirts

Made Especially for Us—Marked to Sell at Attractive Prices

Fast Color Fine Print Shirts in assorted fancy or neat stripes, made with white starch back bands, coat style, double cuffs, guaranteed sizes. Special, each **\$1.50**

White Pique Negligee Shirts, made same style as above. A very serviceable shirt at a low price, each **\$1.50**

Men's Fine Print Shirts, Derby Collars patterned in neat stripes. Shown in all sizes. A wonderful value at, **\$1.75**

Woven Zephyr Shirts, guaranteed fast colors, goes right through the cloth; neat patterns in mauve, blue and green stripes. Very special, each **\$2.00**

Texco Repps, a new cloth of very durable quality, guaranteed colors, patterned in neat stripes of cream and blue or green and black and white. Splendid shirts of fine appearance. Each **\$2.50**

Fine Cambrie Shirts in fancy stripes, fast colors, guaranteed not to fade. A large selection to choose from. Priced from, each **\$2.50** to **\$3.75**

Fine Shirts of English broadcloth, a substitute for silk, shown in plain shades or white with separate collar to match. Special each, **\$2.65** and **\$2.95**

Best Grade Broadcloth Shirts made from English cloths in Tooke, Forsyth and Lang Brands, shown in various sleeve lengths, plain shades, white or fancy stripes. Priced from, each **\$3.75** to **\$4.95**

Forsyth "De Luxe" Forella Fannel Shirts, very fine grade with silk stripe, neat stripes of black, blue or mauve. Separate collar to match, each **\$4.50**

English Flannel Shirts of pure wool, good weight, cut English style, large and roomy neck band and separate collar to match; shown in assorted stripes. Each **\$4.50**

English Flannel Finish Cotton Shirts, cut large and roomy, light fancy stripes, made with attached or separate collar to match. Special, each **\$2.25**

Outing Shirts with turn-down collar and attached deep band cuffs. Made from English broadcloths in plain colors of blue or cream; all sizes. Each **\$2.45**

White Duck Outing Shirts, made with turn-down collar attached. Wonderful value at, each **\$1.75**

Cotton Rep Outing Shirts with turn-down collar attached. Shown in black, blue or mauve stripes. Special, each **\$1.85**

English Flaxman Oxford Shirts, made with attached collar or neck band. We are noted for this brand. Come in and inspect them. All sizes from 14 1/2 to 18. Good patterns, each **\$2.35**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor



Silks

In Striking New Spring Shades

40-inch Canton Crepe, good heavy quality, well made; shown in gold, almond, grey, fallow, biscuit, fawn, mauve, navy and black. A yard **\$4.75**

Roshenara Crepe, 40 inches wide, a rough weave crepe for dresses, shown in almond, fallow, silver, nickel, stone and meadowland. A yard **\$3.98**

Cord Superba, 40 inches wide, a new corded material, in shades of silver, rosewood, golden brown, nigger, thistle-bloom, peach, tiger-eye and black. A yard **\$3.98**

Silk-Crepe Knit, superior quality, rich finish, in colors black, brown, Saxe, grey, Copen and fallow. A yard **\$1.98**

Satin Stripe Crepe, 40 inches wide, in grey and rose, mauve and gold, blue and fawn, pink and orange, white and yellow. A yard **\$1.98**

36-inch Dropstitch Tricolette, good quality silk, looks well and wears well for dresses; colors are rosewood, nigger, black, navy, grey and fallow. A yard **\$1.59**

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New Arrivals in Dainty Novelty Wash Goods

Beautiful Novelty Designed Voiles, fine soft grade, lovely colorings, splendid selection, make your choice now. 38 inches wide, a yard **89¢**

Fine Fancy Voiles, ideal colorings and designs. A choice of 16 to select from. 38 inches wide, a yard **59¢**

New Broadcloths in a wide range of stripes and novelty effects, all are fast colors, the product of the best Lancashire mills. 38 inches, a yard **95¢**

Fine Crepe Suitings are very popular with Victoria ladies on account of its wearing powers and fast colors; shown in a nice variety of plain shades, including all the wanted colors. 36 inches wide, a yard **50¢**

Fine Silk-finished "Tobralco"—We have this great favorite in a nice choice of neat stripes and all white, all have a very fine cord which gives great wearing qualities. Ideal for men's shirts and children's wear. 32 inches wide, a yard **65¢**

Lingerie Crepes in a wide choice of dainty and novel designs, very popular for women's and children's night and day wear. Shades are white, cream, flesh, mauve, and pink. 32 inches wide, a yard **35¢**

—Wash Goods, Main Floor

Specials for Thursday

- Walkin's Best Jelly Powders, 4 pkts. 25c
Washington Instant Coffee, reg. \$1.00 size for. 79c
Pondray's Waterglass, tin 19c
Stane Crocks, each \$1.35 to \$2.15
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PERSIAN PRINCESS GETS IN TROUBLE

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WOMAN'S DOMAIN

TAG DAY SATURDAY FOR ENDOWMENT OPERATING TABLE

Local Council of Women Appeals for Taggers in Worthy Cause

Next Saturday, March 14, is the date for the tag day to provide the endowment of a children's operating table. The scheme, which is being launched by the Local Council of Women, will be of benefit to the children of poor people. Headquarters are at 1216 Douglas Street, next to Mallick's, and Mrs. H. Crocker is convener. Conveners of corners may call for their boxes and tags on Friday, March 13, not later than 5.30 p.m. Headquarters will be open on Friday from 10 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. The list of conveners is as follows: Rev. A. de B. Owen, Empress Hotel Causeway and Parliament Buildings; Mrs. A. Harrison, Victoria Women's Institute, Post Office; Mrs. J. K. Unsworth, Fort and Government; Mrs. Brookler, Esquimalt Women's Institute, Government and Esquimalt; Mrs. J. Cameron, Chapter, Times and Pemberton Block; Miss Lawson, Friendly Help, The Market; Mrs. Urquhart, Victoria Women's Institute, David Spencer's; Mrs. Eakins, Catholic Women's League, Douglas and Fort; Mrs. Mitchell, Centennial Ladies' Aid, View and Douglas; Mrs. Bradshaw, First Baptist Ladies' Aid, Yates and Douglas; Mrs. S. Raven, Victoria Women's Institute, Douglas and Pandora; Mrs. Gibbs, Library, Dominion and Central Theaters; Mrs. F. W. Loring, W.R.A., Queen Alexandra Review, Hudson's Bay Co. Store.

Taggers and conveners are still urgently needed. Will those willing to help for two or three hours on Saturday kindly telephone Mrs. H. Crocker, 59461st, either morning or evening.

CITY'S BIRTHDAY PARTY ARRANGED

Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O. D.E., to be Hostesses on Saturday

Under the patronage of Chief Justice Macdonald, acting Lieutenant-Governor, and Mrs. Macdonald, Premier and Mrs. Oliver, Hon. J. D. Maclean and Mrs. MacLean, M.P.P., and Mrs. Hayward, Mayor Penderay and Mrs. Penderay, the commemoration of the founding of the city of Victoria in 1848 and the celebration of Victoria's birthday will be held at a concert reception at the Empress Hotel ballroom on Saturday evening at 8.15 o'clock. Chief Justice Macdonald and Mayor Penderay will give brief addresses relative to the early history of Victoria. The Mayor will act as chairman.

A very delightful programme of music has been arranged and will include solos by Mrs. Styles Sehl, Miss Helen Starr, Mr. Charles Conyers and Mr. Bob Webb. A charming trio will be the Misses Bucklin in orchestral numbers, for piano, violin and cello, while Miss Rita Ormlston, a young pianist of much promise, will contribute a pianoforte solo. Particularly attractive will be the minstrel dance in fancy costumes by the pupils of Miss Lillian Michaels.

A striking reminder of the early days will be the exhibit on the platform of the model of the first ship, the 'Nonsuch' sent out by the Hudson's Bay Company to Canada in 1668, and kindly loaned by Mr. Watson, manager of the company's local store. The Lady Douglas Chapter hopes that representatives of all the pioneer families resident in the city will make an effort to be present at the function, and the general public will enjoy their loyal support as in former years.

Mrs. Jean de St. Cyr Left Huge Estate To Her Family

Redwood City, Cal., March 10.—The will of Mrs. Jean de St. Cyr, internationally known society leader who died recently, gives her husband and two children by a former marriage an equal division in her estate, valued at \$30,000,000. It was learned yesterday when the instrument was filed for probate in the Superior Court. The children are William Rhinelandt Stewart, Jr., of New York and the Princess Miguel de Braganza of Portugal. Jean de St. Cyr and Stewart are named as administrators. An annuity of \$5,000 to a sister, Marguerite Armstrong Fitzgerald, and one of \$1,500 to a brother, Ena Thompson, both of Coscob, Conn., are also provided for in the will. Mrs. de St. Cyr was born in New York, April 7, 1922. Pred. Wells, "a trust-worthy personal servant," was left \$2,000.

Women's Educational Club.—On Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the regular monthly meeting of the Women's Educational Club of Co-ventrian College will be held at the home of Mrs. T. Oliver, 2177 Oak Bay Avenue. Mrs. G. E. Green will give an interesting talk entitled, "Anecdotes With Beethoven." Illustrated with piano selections by the composer.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. A. D. Anderson of Vancouver has been a visitor in Victoria for the past few days.

Miss Dorothy Hicks, Trutch Street, left yesterday for Vancouver, where she will visit friends for a time.

Mr. C. G. Pennock of the firm of Robertson and Pennock, Insurance and Financial Agents of Vancouver, is a visitor in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Brown of Stadacona Avenue were hosts last evening at their home to a combined bride and mah jong party.

Mr. and Mrs. Brenton S. Brown of Vancouver have been visitors in Victoria for the past few days and are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. Cecil Stuart, Provincial manager of the Dominion Guarantee and Accident Insurance Company of Vancouver is spending a few days in Victoria on business.

Mr. George E. ... representing Buntin-Gibson, wholesale stationers of Hamilton, Ontario, is a visitor in Victoria and is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. Leslie Aylard who has been spending the past two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Aylard, is leaving on Monday night for his home at Hudson's Hope in the Peace River District.

Mrs. Michael Bell-Irving of Vancouver, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. O. M. Jones, Island Road, was the guest of honor at a luncheon given by Miss Sayward at the Colwood Golf and Country Club yesterday.

Mrs. Wilson of Vancouver, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Grant Smith of Toronto, arrived in Victoria yesterday afternoon on a visit to the former's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Wilson of Cavendish Avenue.

Mrs. F. Riddale, 35 Cambridge Street, announces the engagement of her youngest daughter, E. H. M. Barlow, to Mr. J. H. Anderson. The marriage will take place at noon on Wednesday, March 18 at St. Saviour's Church, Victoria West.

Mrs. John Oliver will accompany the Premier when he leaves for the mainland this evening. Mrs. Oliver will be absent from the city for about two weeks, during which she will make a series of visits in Vancouver, later going on to visit friends at the Delta.

Among the Vancouverites who are at present in Victoria are Mr. J. B. Williams, city solicitor of Vancouver, Mr. T. J. Entwistle, a member of the eight-hour commission, Mr. Ben Steele of the firm of Tupper and Steele, Mr. J. H. Lawson, Mr. P. J. Russell and Mr. J. D. McCormack, managing director of the Canadian Western Lumber Company.

Mr. and Mrs. James Munro entertained the members and friends of the Burnside Lawn Bowling Club Saturday evening at the clubroom in a most delightful manner. The refreshments and the games were excellent and everyone enjoyed the brief addresses relative to the early history of Victoria. The Mayor will act as chairman.

A well-attended and very successful military five hundred was held last night in the Sons of Canada Hall by the Sons of Canada. The special prize was won by Mr. C. Francis Wilson, Mrs. Barclay, Mr. Brinkman and A. Saville; second table, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Cronk, Mr. W. Willy and F. White; third table, Mrs. J. Adams, Miss Kay, Mrs. Watson and Mr. Graham. The ten bid was won by Mr. Penell and Mrs. Adams.

Mrs. Gertrude Huntley Green was made an honorary member of the University Women's Club in recognition of her contribution to Canadian art as a pianist at a reception of the club held last evening at the home of the Misses Russell, Boyd Street. Miss Mary Hamilton, in presenting the membership, paid a graceful tribute to the brilliant artist in her achievements. The gift was accompanied by a dainty little colonial bouquet.

In honor of the twelfth birthday of Miss Sheila McBride, Lady McBride and her daughters entertained at a children's party at their home on Quadra Street yesterday afternoon. Among the younger guests were the Misses Peggy Thomas, Kathleen Wilson, Daphne Hodson, Kathleen Hall, Yelda and Josephine Rithet, Betty Bechtel, Jean Lennox, Betty Barty, Sybil Fraser, Betty Montell, Mary and Lois Mackay, Elizabeth, Catherine and Jean Macdonald, Josie Hopkins, Betty Barker, Vera Cookson, May Steele, Joan List, Jean Campbell, Adele Combe and Judy Macan.

A number of young people invited the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. White, 1954 Regent Street, last evening for a surprise party in honor of Mrs. R. Richards (nee Mary Writton). Games and dancing helped the evening pass all too quickly, and Miss Laura White contributed a number of vocal selections. A delicious supper was served. The guests included Mrs. Richards, Percy Shrimpton, Marorie Whiffen, Arthur White, Dorothy Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. Laura White, Mrs. Mary Mitchell, Edward Campbell, Bill Clayard, Jean Russell, Nancy Green, Mrs. Lindley, Mr. and Mrs. Joyce and Miss Hall.

A very pleasant surprise party was held Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kay, in honor of their daughter Edith. The evening was spent in dancing and games, the prize winners for court whist being: First, Mrs. Kay and Mr. Baydwin; second, Mrs. Kay and Mr. Baydwin; and Mr. Cave. The winners for "pit" were: First Miss Edith Kay and Mr. Holman, the booby prizes

MULTI-COLOR WOMAN'S NAME APPEARS IN SOCIAL REGISTER

New York Gets a Shock During Suit; Ex-Housemaid's Rise

New York, March 11.—The name of Mrs. Alice Beatrice Jones Rhinelandt, former landlady and housemaid, who is being sued by her husband, Leonard Kip Rhinelandt, for annulment of their marriage on the grounds that she is of negro descent, appears in the March supplement to the Social Register, a directory of this city's socially-elect, it became known to-day.

The entry appears as "Rhinelandt, Mrs. Leonard Kip (Phillip) Jones, Miss Alice B., married October 14, at New Rochelle, N.Y."

Shortly after the marriage of Rhinelandt to Miss Jones, it became known that a census taker had discovered Rhinelandt's bride in his records as a "mulatto." The couple separated shortly thereafter and in her annulment suit Rhinelandt alleged that she had deceived him about her race.

An interesting wedding took place at 8 o'clock Monday night at St. Albans Church, New Westminster, when a well-known Coast tennis champion was wedded to a native daughter of Burnaby Lake, whose father has been a resident of that district for over thirty years.

The bride was Miss Katherine Hill, principals were Mr. and Mrs. I. Claude Hill, Burnaby Lake, and Mr. William J. "Bob" Peers, second son of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Peers, Rev. H. E. Nicholls officiated. The bride was given in marriage by her father and was attired in a smart ensemble of tulle and cream and a smart hat. Her bouquet was white carnations and ferns. Mrs. Harold Godwin, as matron of honor, wore a smart dress of white tulle and carried a bouquet of carnations and ferns. The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Godfrey Peers, with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Peers, Rev. H. E. Nicholls. The groom's brothers acted as ushers. Lieut. A. F. Peers, R.N., and Mr. Richard D. Peers, a reception was held later, when receiving with Mrs. Hill was the mother of the groom, Mrs. Peers. After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Peers left for the city, where a honeymoon will be observed. On their return to the mainland they will reside at Burnaby Lake.

CHEMINAUS PERSONALS

Special to The Times. Cheminaus, March 11.—Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carr-Hilton who for the last three years have been living at Fuller's Lake, Cheminaus, have left for Vancouver where they will reside in future.

Mr. J. D. Elliott has left this district for Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin G. McInnes and child, Genoa Bay, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. McInnes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Winter Cook, Mr. Sicker, were guests of the Rev. E. M. and Mrs. Cook Sunday.

Miss Norah Dwyer spent the weekend in Duncan the guest of her parents.

Mrs. C. W. Carr-Hilton and Miss Patricia Carr-Hilton, Duncan, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carr-Hilton, Fuller's Lake.

Mrs. E. M. Roberts, Victoria, who has been the guest of her son, Capt. Roberts, Kuper Island, is now the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Anketell-Jones.

Mrs. S. Ryall, Nanaimo, was the guest of Mrs. Strickland last week.

Miss Doris Cathart, who was operated on for appendicitis ten days ago, is making very satisfactory progress towards recovery.

Miss Marguerite and Alice Dyke spent the week-end with their parents at Crofton.

JAMES ISLAND

Mr. and Mrs. H. Prosser and son, Leslie, Mrs. Vigalls and Mr. L. Lake were visitors to Victoria last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harding of Victoria spent last Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. Todd.

Miss Myrtle Crewe returned to her home in Nanaimo last Saturday after paying a long visit to her aunt, Mrs. F. Baldwin.

Mrs. W. E. Rivers is spending a holiday in Vancouver with her daughter, Mrs. V. Sandvig.

Mrs. E. P. Allen is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria.

The winners at the weekly whist drive last Wednesday were: Mrs. Lynch, Mrs. Pierce and Miss Thomas, and Messrs. Rowa, Floyd and Kieby.

Mr. Jack Grant returned home on Monday after spending the week-end in Vancouver. Mr. G. Chester was also a visitor to Vancouver last week-end.

NANGOSE BAY PERSONALS

Miss F. McDonald has returned to her home at Qualicum after visiting Mrs. James Duran, Penderay.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Ford of Parksville, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at Nanaimo on Sunday.

Miss Ina Cheney who has been a patient at the Nanaimo hospital is returning home to Parksville this week.

Mrs. George Nunn of Laquoit Id. is visiting at Nanaimo, the guest of Mrs. Stewart McPhee.

RECONCILIATION IS AFTERMATH OF AN ATTACK ON WOMAN

New York Woman Was Badly Hurt by Armed Robbers

New York, March 11.—Detectives to-day scoured New York in search of a gray-haired man with a flat nose, as the leader of the masked trio which invaded the apartment of Mrs. Beatrice Fay Perkins early Monday morning, attacked her and Milton Abbott, cotton broker, and stole \$25,000—worth of her jewels. This meagre description was the only clue authorities had of the identity of the trio. It was a clue furnished by Mrs. Perkins. She had seen that hair and nose when the silk handkerchief momentarily slipped from the face of the man who was slugging her with a pistol butt and snatching at the jewelry on her person as Abbott lay nearby, already beaten into unconsciousness.

Yesterday police spread their dragnet and Abbott scanned the rogues' gallery in the hope that he might recognize a photograph of one of his assailants, a reconciliation was taking place at Mrs. Perkins' apartment, east of Fifth Avenue on Fifty-eighth Street.

She had married Benjamin Perkins, wealthy restaurateur, owner of this city, at Chicago in 1918 when she was seventeen years old. He, a native of California, had met her in Kansas City, where she lived with her parents and was known as Fay Fink. For several years, however, they had been estranged, occupying separate apartments.

Yesterday when news reporters called at Mrs. Perkins' home they were smilingly greeted by her husband. He announced their quarrel had been "patched up," and declared it "as big wind," etc., and vowed he would henceforth protect his wife from such occurrences as that of yesterday morning.

Mrs. Perkins, her head and arms swathed in bandages, appeared beside her husband later and confirmed his announcement.

Mrs. Maud Hall is New President of Garden City W.I.

The monthly meeting of the Garden City Women's Institute was held Thursday afternoon in the Marigold Hall. The resignation of the president was accepted with regret, the members thanking Mrs. Harris for the work she had done in the interest of the institute. The election of Mrs. Maud Hall to fill the vacancy was unanimous, and she was duly installed. A resolution from the Central Park W.I. was read and endorsed, and a vote was given towards the Reference Library Fund. Arrangements are being made to hold a concert this month to raise the last payment due on the hall. The April meeting will be a social affair, and the neighboring institutes will be invited.

The usual card party will be held on Friday at 8 p.m. in the Marigold Hall.

The return five hundred match between the Ladies' Burnside Bowling Club and Garden City Women's Institute took place last Thursday evening. Burnside was still unsuccessful, the total score being 2,750 against 7,450 for Marigold.

Dance at Saanichton.—The Saanichton Athletic Association is anticipating a big crowd at its dance to be held at the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, on Friday evening of this week. For the convenience of patrons a big crowd at its dance to be held at the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, on Friday evening of this week. For the convenience of patrons the Flying Line stage will leave from opposite the Dominion Hotel at 8.15 p.m., returning to Victoria after the dance. The Murray studio of social dances from Victoria will give a demonstration of all the latest dances.

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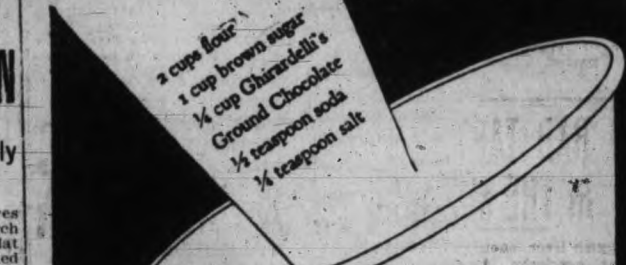
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Fancy Georgette Crepe, 40 inches wide, reg. \$2.25. Special \$1.69

Novelty Marocain, all colors, 36 inches wide, reg. \$1.65. Special \$1.13
Silk Hose, all wanted colors, reg. 85c. Special 45c
Countess Silk Lisle Hose, reg. 65c. Special 39c
Ladies' Large Size Bloomers, reg. 45c. Special 45c
Ladies' Vests, reg. 19c. Special 19c

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By Genevieve Kemble

THURSDAY, MARCH 12
Conflicting testimonies point to this day as a doubtful one in which many problems may arise. There is prospect of change of importance, but the outcome is uncertain, especially as it relates to financial betterment. The sudden removal of an old obstacle may pave the way for new enterprise, but care should be taken not to be too precipitate in embracing radical change or journeys. Speculation and all money risk are advised against. In domestic and romantic attachments, particular discretion is urged.

Those whose birthday it is may expect a year of new opportunity, which they should embrace with mature deliberation, taking no risk with money. Peculiar situations may arise, both in business and in intimate personal matters, calling for the utmost discretion and calmness. Make chances slowly. A child born on this day may have a singular career, with sudden changes and peculiar experiences in business and personal affairs. It should not seek public positions, nor indulge in speculative enterprises.

MOTHER OF CHARLES CHAPLIN ORDERED TO LEAVE STATES

Washington, Mar. 10.—Mrs. Hannah Chaplin, mother of Charlie Chaplin, must leave the country by March 26, under ruling by immigration officials. Attorneys for Mrs. Chaplin presented affidavits by Doctors S. Wilson and T. T. Axline of Los Angeles,

who attended Mrs. Chaplin, declaring she is only suffering from a severe mental shock and that her improvement during the past year has been steady. However, they expressed the belief that the long trip to England would cause a severe setback from which she might not recover.

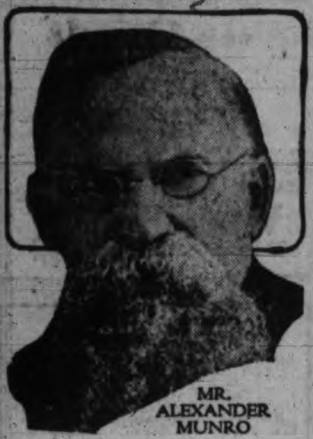
Affidavits of Charles and Skippy Chaplin, which were made a part of the department's records, expressed the belief that the great improvement in Mrs. Chaplin's condition was due to their being near her. Local attorneys for Mrs. Chaplin expressed the opinion that the secretary's letter did not represent final action and said they hoped for further consideration before March 26.

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Get a dozen California lemons now for your ten-day test—45¢.

THIEF AT LANGFORD ENTERS SCHOOLS AND CLEANS OFF LESSONS

Special to The Times Langford, March 11.—The Langford schools were visited Monday night by an unwelcome visitor who attained entrance by placing a ladder against the building and climbing through a window. He lit the furnace and managed to burn up a quantity of kindling. He ransacked the children's desks, scraped the lessons on the blackboard and broke off the hinges of a door. The thief departed with some new exercise books, lesson books, paint box, leaving his old coat as a legacy to the school.

The police are investigating the affair.



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AUDIT-GENERAL'S REPORT DISCUSSED

Acting Finance Minister Says Reference to Uncollected Amounts Misleading

Ottawa, March 11.—Further correspondence was tabled in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon in the controversy between the Acting Minister of Finance and George Gonthier, Auditor-General of Canada, over the manner in which the latter's annual report was submitted.

On February 28 Hon. J. A. Robb drew the attention of Mr. Gonthier to a newspaper article "evidently founded on your introduction to the report of the Auditor-General, 1924, and prominently displaying in the headlines two disturbing criticisms of my department."

Mr. Gonthier, in his reply, disclaimed any intention of implying negligence on the part of the Finance or any other department, and assured Mr. Robb that he sought only the attention of the House of Commons to certain outstanding amounts due the Government of Canada—and that he sought no comment on the methods which might be followed by his department. This, he conceived, to be his duty.

Mr. Gonthier assumed one of the details criticized was a reference to \$168,000,000 of past due accounts carried without investigation into collectibility. Mr. Gonthier claimed that a similar statement had been published in the Auditor-General's report every year for some time, and that it referred to arrears due to the Dominion Government.

Mr. Robb replied that previous Auditors-General had known the proper value of these statements of arrears, and had "avoided making reference thereto in such a manner as to mislead Parliament and the public."

Mr. Robb added that he was glad to have Mr. Gonthier's assurance that the latter was not imputing negligence to the Finance Department, but the fact remained that the newspapers had "the material from your report to warrant them in being disturbed as to the efficiency of the Department of Finance."

U.S. SENATE DEFEATS CABINET NOMINATION

Washington, March 11.—Charles Dwozdek, Michigan, failed to become Attorney-General of the United States by a single vote, in the Senate yesterday.

His nomination was rejected 46 to 40, Vice-President Dawes failing to reach the Capitol from the hotel in time to cast the deciding vote.

Senator Reed of Pennsylvania announced he would change his vote from yes to nay so that he might present a motion to reconsider the question. That changed the final result technically to 39 for and 41 against confirmation.

As soon as Senator Reed made his motion, opponents of confirmation combined with a motion to lay it on the table and demanded a roll call. That vote, too, resulted in a tie, 40 to 40, but as the Vice-President, who could have broken the tie, declined to do so, the chamber, Senator Overman of North Carolina, the only Democrat to vote for confirmation, withdrew.

That decided the issue, making the vote forty-one to thirty-nine to lay the Reed motion on the table, a final and irrevocable action under Senate rules. The only way the nomination could again be taken before the Senate would be for President Coolidge to resubmit it.

James Island News

Special to The Times James Island, March 11.—A team of bowlers from the Moose Club visited Victoria last Saturday and met with defeat. All three games went to Victoria with 250 pins to spare. Miller of Victoria was high man with 602, Lynch for the Island was second high with 536. The scores follow:

| Victoria | |
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| West | 152 159 145—459 |
| Malcolm | 148 138 183—469 |
| Smith | 137 180 168—485 |
| Holden | 153 166 137—456 |
| Miller | 228 214 160—602 |
| 848 857 796—2501 | |
| James Island | |
| Ford | 150 129 170—449 |
| Whalen | 133 145 122—400 |
| Lynch | 181 175 174—530 |
| Taylor | 111 133 138—372 |
| Rova | 174 154 152—480 |
| 789 716 746—2251 | |

ALBERNI DISTRICT PRESENTS PLEA FOR NEW ASSEMBLY WHARF

Special to The Times Alberni, March 11.—At a special meeting of the Alberni council held Monday night a communication was received from J. P. Forde, Dominion Government District Engineer, stating that he would be in the city today to look into the question of an assembly wharf for the benefit of the lumber mills of this district. E. M. Whyte, the president of the Alberni Board of Trade, has arranged for a meeting of all those interested to be held at the Somas Hotel, Port Alberni, this afternoon, when they will have an opportunity to present the necessary data to Mr. Forde.

MRS. STINNES DEAD
Mulheim-on-Ruhr, Germany, March 11.—Adeline Stinnes, eighty-one, mother of the late Hugo Stinnes, died here yesterday.

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"First Aid" in the Home

Have you looked over your medicine cabinet lately to see that you have an adequate supply of "First Aid" requirements? Every home, of course, should be well provided in this regard. Here's a list of specials for Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Phone in your order if you can't come to the store.

- Hydrogen Peroxide, medium size, 4oz value for25¢
- Surgeon's Germicidal Soap, 23¢
- Bayer's, 25¢ value for19¢
- Listerine, 1.00 value for88¢
- Sorbic Acid, 10¢ packets, 3 for 23¢
- Absorbent Cotton, 1 oz.13¢
- 2 ozs.21¢
- Antiphlogistine, \$1.00 size for 83¢
- Large size\$1.49
- Cough Plasters, 25¢ value for 18¢
- Tirro Adhesive Tapes, medium size, 37¢
- Belladonna Plasters23¢
- Liquid Cast Plaster21¢
- Sterilized Gauze, 1 yard for20¢
- English Extra Strong Hot Water Bottles\$1.95
- Infants' Syringes23¢
- Duché Syringes, guaranteed quality\$1.49
- Bovril Cordial, large size\$1.23
- Cascara Tablets19¢
- Lithia Tablets, 5 grain47¢
- Blaud Tonic Pills48¢
- Mecca Ointment, 1.50\$1.27
- Zinc Ointment, tin23¢
- Throat Tablets for Hoarseness 23¢
- Mentholatum, small size19¢

Canned Vegetables and Fruit

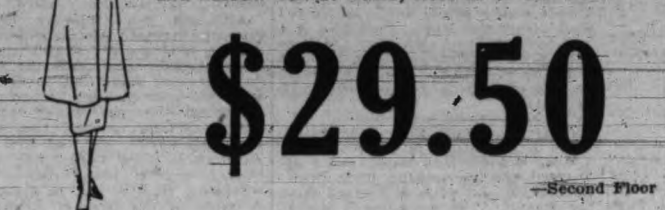
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- 3 tins for55¢
- Quaker Brand Canned Tomatoes, No. 2 tin 1 1/2 for45¢
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- Quaker Brand Canned Standard Peas, No. 2 tin18¢
- 2 tins for35¢
- Quaker Brand Early June Peas, No. 2 tin 2 1/2, 3 tins for60¢
- Quaker Brand Refuges and Golden Wax Beans, No. 2 tin20¢
- 3 tins for57¢
- Del Monte Brand Minnesota Crosby Corn, No. 2 tin22¢
- 3 tins for65¢
- Del Monte Brand California Blood Yellow Cling Peaches, No. 2 tin 2 1/2, 2 tins for55¢
- Del Monte Brand Fancy Quality Apricots, No. 2 tin28¢
- 2 tins for55¢
- Del Monte Brand Fancy Quality Apricots, No. 2 1/2 tin38¢
- 2 tins for75¢
- Maple Leaf Brand Lombard Plums in syrup, No. 2 tin15¢
- 7 tins for\$1.00
- Globe Brand Dessert Peas, No. 2 tin 2 1/2, 3 tins for57¢
- Eagle Brand Blueberries for pie, No. 2 tin 2 1/2, 3 tins for57¢
- Maple Leaf Brand Fitted Red Cherries in syrup, No. 2 tin15¢
- large tin 35¢, 3 tins for \$1.00

New Spring Suits

In the Fashionable Plain Tailored Styles

They are expertly tailored from all wool tricotine in navy and black. Coats which are belted are knee length, have notch or roll collars, slit pockets and are fastened with single or double buttons. Some have simple trimmings of braid or buttons, nicely lined with striped or floral sateen. The shorter skirts are plain tailored, having one pocket and narrow belt at waist; sizes 16 to 42. Price



\$29.50

New Double Breasted Coats For Spring Wear

Women's and Misses' Tailored Coats in the new double-breasted style with belted back and inverted pleat; tailored sleeves and collar, others with all-round belt and Raglan sleeves. Fashioned in Teddy-Bear cloth in shades of brick, grey and sand; sizes 16 to 38. Price\$27.50

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When the chill winds blow from the Olympics these bright Spring days the short fur coat is not only fashionable but it is the most comfortable type of fur coat you can wear. We are showing a very pleasing collection of these popular coats in all the favorite furs at prices ranging from \$75.00 to\$325.00

When the time comes to put away your Winter furs remember there is only one absolutely safe place for them—the Hudson's Bay Cold Air Storage Vault.

Cotton Crepe and Gingham House Dresses

In Smart New Styles for Spring Make your selections now from our large stocks. Exceptional values at these low prices.

Cotton Crepe House Dresses In durable quality crepe, slipover style with square or V necks, front neatly embroidered, others trimmed with novelty crepe. Come in shades of peach, orange, citron, grey, green, rose and blue; sizes 36 to 44. Price\$1.49

Gingham House Dresses Six smart styles at this price, in splendid quality check or striped gingham, with square or V necks, neat roll collars, set-in or kimono sleeves, some embroidery trimmed, others with neat monogram and black tie. Come in a large assortment of colors; sizes 36 to 44. Price\$3.29

The New "Tom Boy" Oxfords

For Smart Sports Wear The new "Tom Boy" Oxfords are just as comfortable as they are attractive to look upon. They may be selected in the new tan calf shade as well as patent leather and black calf. Extremely neat and dressy. Widths A to D. Price, per pair\$7.50



Imperial A Range with 18-inch oven; plain back\$64.00
Imperial A Range with 16-inch oven; tile back\$69.00
Imperial A Range with 18-inch oven; tile back\$74.00

New Ribbons for Dress and Hat Trimmings

Novelty Wool Ribbon Suitable for dress trimmings and millinery. 1 and 2 inches wide, in Oriental shades. Prices, yard, 20¢ and50¢

Novelty Ribbon 1-inch wide, in shades of navy, green, brown, Oriental blue and fawn, mole and henna, navy and red, suitable for trimming purposes. Price, per yard35¢

Striped Ribbon 1-inch wide, in fawn, scarlet, Saxe, navy and emerald, suitable for neckties and hat trimmings. Price, per yard35¢

Scalloped Ribbon 3/4-inch wide, for dress trimmings, etc., in rose, fawn, grey and brown. Price, per yard45¢

New Gloves for Spring Wear

French Washable Suede Gloves With two dome fasteners, self-stitched points and pique sewn seams; come in shades of champagne, mode, grey and mid drab; sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Price, per pair\$2.00

French Suede Gloves Silk lined throughout, pique sewn seams and two dome fasteners, self-stitched points; an exceptionally neat-fitting and good wearing glove in mode, grey and beaver; sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Price, per pair\$2.75

French Suede Novelty Gloves With one dome fastener, fancy perforated turn-back cuff, embroidered contrasting points, in colors of beaver and mode; sizes 6 to 7. Price, per pair\$2.75

French Washable Suede Gauntlet With 3/4 wrist, pique sewn seams and self-stitched points; come in pastel mode, beaver and drab; sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Price, per pair\$2.95

English Cardigans and Pullovers

English Cardigans In light weight wool, three button fastening, border and cuffs bound with silk braid; shown in fawn, white, green and heather mixtures. Price\$5.95

Sports Pullovers With jazz stripes; made with V neck and long sleeves with tight cuff, in colors of fawn and green, grey and blue, fawn and brown, fawn and orange. Price\$6.50

English Cardigans Made in a wide ribbed style with fancy border and cuffs, in contrasting stripes, four button fastening, in blue heather, fawn, grey and brown. Price\$6.95

Sports Cardigans In medium weight wool with border and cuffs worked in silk, three button fastening; come in grey, fawn and heather mixtures. Ideal for golf wear. Price\$5.95



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English Ratines Just received a full range of colors including the new green, blue and rose. Ideal for sports wear and will launder perfectly; 35 inches wide. Price, per yard70¢

Knock About Cloth A splendid fabric for women's and children's wear, guaranteed absolutely fadeless, shown in all the new Spring shades; 24 inches wide. Price, per yard55¢

Silk Bourrette Crepes An increasingly popular fabric for women's and children's wear, in every new and wanted shade, including peach, Saxe, rose, jade, grey, brown, navy, ivory and black; 36 inches wide. Price, per yard80¢

Novelty Crepes In silk overcheck effects, beautiful colorings, will wash and keep its beauty of lustre; 36 inches wide. Price, per yard\$1.00

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CAPT. GRIFFITHS TO BUILD YACHT ON PACIFIC SEABOARD

Noted Shipping Man and Yachtsman of Seattle Returns on C.P.R. Liner Changed His Mind About Having Cruiser Built at Hongkong

Capt. J. Griffiths, head of important shipping interests in Seattle and prominent coast yachtsman, returned from the Orient last night on board the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Australia.

Some months ago it was announced that Capt. Griffiths planned to have built a palatial power yacht and that the craft would be constructed in Hongkong.

Capt. Griffiths took a jaunt across the Pacific and personally looked over the facilities at the Hongkong shipyards, where many fine pleasure craft now sailing coastwise waters all over the world have been built.

Since his visit to China, however, Capt. Griffiths' plans have been changed.

The yacht will be built, but it will be constructed on the Pacific coast, probably at Seattle.

The vessel will be costly, but it will be one of the finest on the Pacific seaboard. The plans carried by Capt. Griffiths call for the construction of a large power cruiser capable of a speed of fifteen knots an hour and propelled by engines of 300 horsepower.

Capt. Griffiths greatly enjoyed his trip to the Far East and he likes the appointments of the C.P.R. ship on which he decided at the last minute to return home.

VESSLS MOVEMENTS

Cameroon at Glasgow from New York. Canadian Trapper at St. John from London and Antwerp. Chalour at St. John from British West Indies.

BIG LINER MADE GOOD CROSSING

Empress of Australia Averaged 16.2 Miles Per Hour in Pacific Voyage Had \$4,000,000 Worth of Silk as Well as 1,600 Tons of Cotton Aboard

The liner Empress of Australia, fresh from her victorious at Hongkong, arrived here last night from the Orient heavily loaded with passengers and freight and having finished one of the fastest trips across the Pacific that she has ever made.

With Capt. A. J. Hailey on the bridge, the ship drove her way from Yokohama to Victoria in 239 hours, making an average of no less than 16.2 miles per hour. This vessel had no rough weather.

The Empress cargo features were cotton and silk. There were 1,600 tons of Chinese cotton in her hold and 3,500 bales of raw silk, valued at \$4,000,000. For Victoria there were about 200 tons of general freight, which was discharged within a short time.

There were a number of passengers for Victoria aboard the Empress out of the list of 200 and all spoke highly of the trip.

"The trip was pleasant," said A. Bowen, one of the passengers on the ship, "and we all enjoyed it."

Among other passengers on the ship were Dr. R. J. Marshall, who will spend a short vacation in Victoria, as he has done on several previous occasions. He will enjoy Vancouver Island's wonderful fishing and pass away the time in pleasant recreation. He is a prominent physician of St. John.

COAL STRIKE RELIEF

Ottawa, March 11.—The Federal Government will not take any immediate action in the coal strike situation in Nova Scotia, Premier Commons yesterday afternoon in answer to a question asked by J. T. Shaw, Independent, Calgary, West.

Premier King said that as the Premier of Nova Scotia had indicated that his Government was prepared to co-operate with the labor unions in the matter of relief or distress, it was not for the Federal Government to interfere.

SHIPS RUSHED TO AID BUT VESSEL MADE PORT ALONE

Hokuyo Maru Reported in Danger Off Tatoosh With Damaged Rudder

While three vessels were rushing to aid her, momentarily expecting to hear that she had gone ashore, since her rudder was out of commission and she was only a mile from the rocks off Tatoosh, the Hokuyo Maru managed to make Port Townsend, unassisted. Early this morning Tatoosh wireless station noticed the ship with distress signals flying, and the message which this station flashed was picked up by Pachena and Victoria.

At the same time the Thiepalet, at Banfield, also took the call and at 7 o'clock was steaming full speed ahead past Pachena Point, and the Tessa, the Pacific Salvage Company's vessel, left this port about 3.45 a.m.

The vessels were expected to reach the Hokuyo Maru about the middle of the morning. The American life-saving tug Snohomish also made all haste to the distressed vessel, but she, too, was not needed.

The Hokuyo Maru was flying signals from her halyards which read to the wireless operators at Tatoosh: "My rudder is broken. I cannot steer."

The Hokuyo is under charter to J. W. Allen of Seattle and bound from Seattle to Japan, via Vancouver, B.C., and Gray's Harbor, Wash., to load a full cargo of lumber for Japan.

Port Angeles, Wash., March 11.—The cutter Snohomish of the United States coastguard service today visited the Japanese steamer Hokuyo Maru which was in distress with a broken rudder in the Pacific Ocean at the mouth of the Straits of Juan de Fuca. The Snohomish in a wireless message received here said the Hokuyo had repaired her rudder, and was proceeding through the strait to Port Townsend.

GERMANY SECURES CONTRACT WORTH MILLION POUNDS

Underbids British Shipbuilding Firms and Will Build Britain's Ships

London, March 11 (Canadian Press Cable).—When a contract for nearly £1,000,000 of shipbuilding is placed with foreign firms, as happened a few days ago, there is naturally much discussion and some uneasiness in British industrial circles.

The matter was raised in the House of Commons last night when a Labor member ascribed the failure of British firms to secure the contracts to the fact that German shipbuilders had obtained British steel cheaper than home shipyards.

Walter Guinness, financial secretary of the Treasury, pointed out the difference between British and German tenders of this particular contract amounted to £6 on every ton on the whole number of ships, whereas the discrepancy in steel prices was only thirty shillings on the ton.

He intimated that no action of the Government would bridge a gap of £250,000 between the German and the lowest British prices which would remain after the Trade Facilities Act had been invoked and after the firm asking for tenders had been granted a bonus of £50,000, which it would be offered in order to keep the work in Britain.

San Francisco, March 11.—Narcotic drugs valued at approximately \$4,000 were seized here today by Federal officials on the liner President Cleveland when it arrived from the Orient. The government agents said they found 240 tins of the forbidden drug secreted on a beam over a passageway in the passengers' quarters.

MERCHANTS MEET

Calgary, March 11.—The question of the transient peddlers and their small contribution to civic treasuries will form a topic of discussion at sessions of the Alberta Retail Merchants' annual convention, which opened here today. Between sixty and seventy delegates are here from every part of the province.

HARRY LAUDER MAY COME HERE FROM ORIENT

Scoth Comedian Traveled From Hongkong to Shanghai on C.P.R. Liner

Passengers Arriving by Ss. Empress of Australia Last Night

Sir Harry Lauder, world-renowned Scotch comedian, and the members of his company were passengers by the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Australia from Hongkong to Shanghai, where they were booked for several performances, it was learned with the arrival of the Empress of Australia at this port last night.

Although the itinerary of the present Oriental tour is not definitely known, it is quite probable that Sir Harry Lauder may cross the Pacific on his return home, but that case he would pass through Victoria.

Among the passengers arriving here last night on the Empress of Australia were: Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Allemen of New York City; C. W. Collier, a New York business man returning from a trip to Japan; K. Arimoto of the firm of Arimoto & Co., Kyoto, en route to Europe with his wife; D. G. Ebberman, a well-known Seattle attorney returning home from a trip to the Orient; Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Harber and son who are booked to England; Miss Isabel McIntosh of Tientsin who is returning to her home in Toronto, Ontario, and G. A. Carstensen, a prominent engineer of Copenhagen connected with Burnmaster & Wain, Copenhagen.

Among the cabin passengers booked for Vancouver were C. Davidson, New York; Mrs. A. Monka, Cameron Lake, V.I.; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. R. Portway and Miss Ruth Portway of Swatow, China; Mrs. H. Allen, Vancouver; K. Sedgion of the Arnold Engineering Company, Shanghai; S. F. Brame, Shanghai; R. S. Bunn, Shanghai; Dr. J. L. Clarke, Shanghai; L. W. Glover, Shanghai; F. J. Gully, Cleveland; C. A. Tientsin, bound for France via the States on a business and pleasure trip; H. Goetke, Antwerp; A. R. Harris, Shanghai; H. H. Henkel, Seattle; Rev. J. G. Hogan, Shanghai; Miss W. Lee, Portland, Oregon; Dr. R. J. Marshall, Shanghai; C. W. Newsome, Shanghai; Major F. M. Rennie, Shanghai; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spence, Cleveland; Mrs. H. M. Spence, Shanghai; Mrs. A. R. T. Standing, Shanghai; Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Vaughan, Shanghai; Miss C. E. Vaughn, Canada; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jones and family, Chengsu, and Miss K. D. Ross, Shanghai.

Mrs. J. A. Eaton and Master J. A. Eaton Jr. are booked through to New York City. Mr. Eaton, acting manager of the Standard Oil Company in Kobe, will join his wife and son in America later. Mrs. A. E. Bryan, wife of the Canadian Trade Commissioner for Japan, returned on vacation with her two children, Miss B. Bryan and Master H. Bryan. Mr. Bryan's headquarters are in Kobe.

Miss A. Catto, of the Rising Sun Petroleum Company is en route to England via Canada on furlough. J. A. Harmsen of Messrs. Ahrens & Co., Kobe, is booked through to Europe.

A. Boulton, who is going home to England on leave, is with the Shipping Department of Messrs. Cornes & Co. in Kobe. F. J. Koebel, who is with Doitsu Senryo Gomei Kaisha, Kobe, is returning to Europe, and will join his family in Prague, Czechoslovakia.

A. Bowen, who has been with the Japan Chronicle in Kobe, is en route to England.

POSITIONS BY WIRELESS

ESTEVAN, 4 p.m.—PRESIDENT MCKINLEY, 2,611 miles from Seattle, inbound. KINRYU MARU, bound Vancouver, 1,520 N., 188.00 W. CANADIAN COASTER, San Francisco for Victoria, 198 miles from Victoria. CANADIAN PIONEER, bound San Francisco, 91 miles south of Fierry. CANADIAN COASTER, bound Los Angeles, 850 miles from Los Angeles. EMPRESS OF RUSSIA, 1,766 miles from Victoria, outbound.

ALERT BAY—Part cloudy; calm; bar, 30.30; temp, 31; sea smooth. PRINCE RUPERT—Part cloudy; calm; bar, 30.27; temp, 31; sea smooth. ESTEVAN—Clear; light, north; bar, 30.33; temp, 33; sea smooth.

SEATTLE SHIPPING

Seattle, March 11.—K. Hotta, manager of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha at Moji, has been named to succeed E. Sakamoto as manager of the Seattle office. Mr. Sakamoto has been transferred to the New York City branch. The local office announced the restoration of round trip rates to Oriental ports, a system which has been abolished since 1917. New round trip tickets are good for one year.

The annual Spring sailing steamer Bozer of the United States Bureau of Education, Alaska division, with supplies for schools in Alaska, has been reset for the middle of April, bureau officials announced here yesterday.

During a cruise of Lake Union here yesterday Edgar F. Luckenbach, of New York City, president of the Lockwood Steamship Company, for the first time in twenty years viewed the masts of the full-rigged sailing ship Abner Coburn, which his company owned and operated two decades ago.

SAN FRANCISCO SHIPPING

San Francisco, March 11.—The liner Mongolia will return to Pacific Coast waters, after an absence of almost ten years, as the service of the Panama Pacific Line, it was reported here yesterday. Since leaving the Pacific Coast in 1915 the Mongolia has been in the

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

Table with columns: Steamer, Master, Ton, Agent, From, Due. Includes entries for Robla, Shidzuoka Maru, Emp. of Australia, Arabia Maru, etc.

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Schooner is Lost

St. Johns, Nfld., March 11.—The sealing schooner Stella Maria, one of the fleet which sailed from this port Saturday for the annual seal hunt, sent a radio message to-day that she had been crushed in the ice and was sinking. Her crew of eighty men had been taken off by another ship, the message said.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

A Charlesworth will give an address on "The Man Power of the Church" at the monthly supper of the Men's Guild of Christ Church Cathedral to be held in the Memorial Hall this evening at 7 o'clock.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Hospital will be held Friday, March 13, at 2 o'clock, in the nurses' recreation room. All members are asked to attend.

This evening at the Girls' Central School Professor A. F. B. Clark will give a lecture on "Florence." It is expected that the accommodation will be fully taxed and in order to give ample time for the lecture and for the display of all the lantern slides the meeting will commence at 8.15 o'clock.

Hearing of the remanded charge preferred against Alexander French by officers of the Saanich police following a raid on the Royal Oak Hotel opened before Magistrate Jay this afternoon. The accused is charged on three counts with a breach of the Government Liquor Act.

The Cedar Hill Social Club will hold their weekly military 500 tournament on Thursday evening at 8.15 at St. Lawrence's Parish Hall, Cedar Hill. The prize-winners last week were as follows: First table—Miss I. Mittenhall, Mrs. Watkins, Mr. Lows, Mr. Lester; second table—Mrs. Stokes, Mrs. Simpson, Mr. Geo. Libby, Mr. J. McCormack, Ten bid, Mrs. McGivern and Mr. E. Rendie.

Fire in the rear of the Mellor Block, Broughton Street, caused damage to stock stored on the premises of the Mellor paint works at 8 p.m. yesterday. Burning oil and paint sent columns of dense black smoke through the building, creating considerable excitement in the apartments on the floor above. Fire engines from the city headquarters responded and quelled the flames with two streams of water. The exact damage is not certain but paint supplies in the rear of the building suffered to some extent.

ON POLICE DOCKET

"A man is liable to do anything when he is hungry," was the excuse of Edward H. Bailey, charged in city police court to-day with obtaining money by false pretences from Arthur L. Meuzens. Complainant testified that the accused consumed \$9.90 in car hire and received \$2.50 in cash from a \$10 cheque he had presented to witnesses with the assurance that it would be honored. The cheque was worthless, said witness. Magistrate Jay remanded defendant until to-morrow for sentence, following a plea of guilty.

Carrying a passenger in front of him on a motorcycle drew down a fine of \$1 on Jack Kiddell. Under an amendment in the Motor Act it was an offence, explained the court, to have anyone between the driver and his view ahead.

Parking a car at the curb on Douglas Street, between View and Fort, netted a fine of \$1 from W. R. Davis, who admitted the breach and attributed it to forgetfulness.

That the clothes he washed were his own, was the defence entered by Lee Wo Sung, charged with a breach of the Lord's Day Act in that he was alleged to have carried on a laundry business on Sunday. The prosecution was brought under the Lord's Day Act as the Factories Act does not make provision for the Sunday observance, said counsel. Defendant was fined \$5 and \$2.50 costs, protesting volubly against his "laundry bill."

A mysterious accident on Store Street wherein a car belonging to the Shimidzu Rice Mills was struck at the curb by another vehicle that backed into it and broke one wheel occupied the time of the court for half an hour. Theodore H. Lubbe, Walter Sylvester, A. R. Frith and Kiyoshi Shimidzu described in detail hearing the crash, and seeing the resultant broken wheel. A. T. Green, accused of failure to report the accident, told the court he had no knowledge of the affair. His car was near the scene about the time stated, but it had bumped nothing and could not have been responsible for the act, he said. The case was dismissed.

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SOUTH AFRICA WITHDRAWS

London, March 11.—A dispatch from Johannesburg Exchange Telegraph Company says that owing to the fact that leading tennis players, including champion Raymond, will not be available, South Africa is cancelling its challenge for Davis Cup play this year.

A dance will be held in the Lake Hill Community Hall this evening, when a Pilsner orchestra will supply the latest music from 9 until 1 o'clock.

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PROTECT INTERESTS

By Times Staff Representative
Ottawa, March 11.—White fishermen on the British Columbia coast are forming an organization now to protect their interests and fight any move to re-establish Japanese in the fishing industry, from which they are now being expelled by Government regulations. News of the new movement among the white fishermen reached here after owners had started an effort to halt the expulsion of Japanese fishermen.

PREMIER TURNS DEMONSTRATION INTO MEETING OF PRAISE

Premier Oliver returned to the Parliament Buildings to-day after an overnight trip to the mainland which he made to attend a public meeting at Brightmouth of residents who were alarmed at the closing of the two bridges leading across to Lulu Island. One of these bridges at Elburne is a Government bridge and is to be replaced by a new structure. The other at Fraser Avenue is municipal property and has to be partly reconstructed. With the closing of the bridges, traffic on the main highway to Ladner is shut off. Arrangements have now been made by the Government to keep the Elburne bridge open until structures put in new piling to strengthen the Fraser Avenue structure, which will temporarily have to carry the load of the two bridges.

The Premier explained what the Government plans to do, with the result that the meeting, which was called to pass a resolution of disaffection, decided to sue a resolution was necessary and gave the Premier thanks for what he had done.

MANSON REVEALS RESULTS OF LIQUOR LAW ENFORCEMENT

\$14,455 in Fines Collected in Vancouver in Five Months; 135 Convictions

Following his interview with City Solicitor Williams regarding the \$17,000 bill against Vancouver for enforcement of the liquor laws, Attorney-General Manson gave out the following statement this afternoon:

"At no time have I promised that the provincial police would withdraw from the enforcement of the Government liquor act in Vancouver.

"I have said that we would much prefer not having to take on the responsibility of enforcing the act in a big city such as Vancouver with its own highly organized police force.

"Mayor Taylor has given public and private assurance that as Chief Magistrate of the city and chairman of the Police Commission he would see to it that the law was rigidly enforced. I told the Mayor that that would be most satisfactory to me. I have understood from the press that the man power of the city police was being increased with that end in view. I am sure that every good citizen will support the Mayor in his law enforcement efforts. He will have the full support of my department in this connection.

"I have before me the figures as to the cost of enforcement by the provincial police in Vancouver during the last few months:

"October — Seven prosecutions, four convictions, three dismissals, \$250 fines.

"November — Four prosecutions, four convictions, \$100 fines, one pending.

seven pending, \$11,305 fines.

"February — Sixty-eight prosecutions, sixty convictions, one dismissal, three withdrawals, three pending, one to assize court; \$2,600 fines, dismissals, twelve withdrawals, "Total fines, \$14,455."

Dr. William McInnes Died in Ottawa

Ottawa, March 11.—Dr. William McInnes, former director of the geological survey of Canada and director of the Victoria Museum, Ottawa, died in a local hospital yesterday morning after a lingering illness. He was sixty-seven.

He did extensive exploration work in all parts of Canada and several geological reports compiled by him will remain monuments of his efforts. A native of Preston, N.S., where he was educated at the University of New Brunswick.

He was a Fellow of the Geographical Society of Canada, and the Royal Society of Canada.

Mr. McInnes's first geological work was done in New Brunswick, and later he spent considerable time in exploration work in Northern Ontario and Manitoba.

T. D. STEVENS, WELL KNOWN B.C. TENNIS PLAYER, PASSES

Vancouver, March 11.—Thomas Dares Stevens, with one exception, the oldest member of the Vancouver Lawn Tennis Club, in which he had been a prominent figure, died this morning in St. Paul's Hospital.

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Cougar Defence Smothers Sheiks And Whirlwind Game Ends in a Tie

Victoria in Lead Three Times in Deciding Game of Semi-finals and Cameron's Goal Forty Seconds Before Time Was All That Prevented Cougars From Winning; Walker, Frederickson and Foyston Net Goals for Victoria; Greatest Game Saskatoon Fans Have Seen in Years; Victoria Will Now Move on to Calgary to Play Tigers in First Game of Finals

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES

Saskatoon, March 11.—The "Wizard of Oz" in the person of Harold "Happy" Holmes, product of the little village of Aurora, Ontario, occupied a prominent spot in the limelight here last night when the Victoria Cougars outplayed the Saskatoon Sheiks, held the locals to a 3-3 tie in the second game of the semi-final round of the Western Hockey League playoff and moved into the finals against the Calgary Tigers, the Cougars' win the semi-final round six goals to four.

Decked in a neat little set of white pads, battered skates, dinky skull cap and covered with a cloak of horseshoes, four-leaf clovers and rabbit feet "Happy" Holmes guarded the gates against the vicious onslaught of the Saskatoon athletes. He was the stumbling block before the Sheiks and in years to come grey-haired men will gather their children around the fireplace to tell of how Harold Holmes kept the fort in the brave days of old.

RECEIVES BOUQUETS

Imbued with the confidence that goes with a two-goal lead as they entered the local forum for the crucial test in the semi-finals of the prairie puck series the Cougars performed brilliantly. Their defence worked like a charmer, while Holmes as the bright jewel of Lester Patrick's hockey crown, and the stout hearts of Newey Lalonde's Sheiks were never able to go into front.

WALKER SCORES

Victoria got the first goal of the evening after the Sheiks had battered away at the Coast nets without result. Two veterans of professional campaigning did the trick. Frank Foyston carried the puck down the silver sheet, passed it to Jack Walker who was uncovered in front of the Saskatoon net and Hainsworth didn't stand a chance of saving the shot. That little performance on the part of the Victoria Vets practically decided the battle. It put a lot of pep into the Cougars and the breath of the fans, tossed a mean challenge into the face of Saskatoon's Valentino and gave Victoria a three-goal lead on the round.

Although Saskatoon rose to the occasion in brilliant fashion and tied up the score three times the hubbly warriors were never able to go into front.

SASKATOON TIES SCORE

The first period ended 1-0 for Victoria but the Sheiks were none the less daunted and they rushed into the attack in a second period backed the Cougars down the amphitheatre and made vicious thrusts at the Victoria cage. Fred Gordon, Brandon recruit, weathering his first season in moneyed company steamed down the ice, ploughed through the Victoria defence, scooped the puck under the ice and rammed it between Holmes' feet for Saskatoon's first goal after the period had been under way eight minutes.

The crowd went wild and the very wildest in the city rattled with the shouts. The howling and hooting converted into groans and sighs a moment later when Frank Frederickson, who had been in the Victoria cage, executed a couple of cork-neck twists, drew Hainsworth out of his castle and then planked the puck into the net. It put Victoria out in front again.

Victoria played a tight defensive game, spreading their men in front of the net all the time and on more than one occasion there were four men back of the blue line and Holmes kicked wide shot after shot rained in on him by the final goal marking. Hainsworth was doing a lot of nifty tricks at his end of the arena, but it was the unperturbed Holmes that had the crowd on edge as he saved sensationally time after time.

Corbett Denenny raised Saskatoon's hopes in the third period when he burned a shot in on Holmes from outside the Victoria defence. It travelled fast and true to settle deep in the rigging. Victoria was knocked for but a few seconds as the battle-scarred Frank Foyston loomed large as a pinch-hitter. He collared a pass from Loughlin right in front of the net and scooped the rubber into the cage, sending Victoria out in front again.

With less than forty seconds to go Harry Cameron and the latter drilled a fast shot behind Holmes. A few seconds later the final gong sounded and the big crowd that had tazed the arena to capacity filed out into wintry air in funeral-like procession.

The line-ups were as follows: Victoria Position, Saskatoon Holmes, Goal, Hainsworth, Loughlin, Defence, Cameron, Fraser, Forward, W. Cook, Frederickson, Forward, Lalonde, Hart, Forward, F. Cook, Halderson, Substitute, Stevens, Meeching, Substitute, Denenny, Foyston, Substitute, Scott, Anderson, Substitute, Gordon.

Goal Summary: First period—1, Victoria, Walker, from Foyston, 8:45. Second period—2, Saskatoon, Gordon, 7:45; 3, Victoria, Frederickson, 10:30. Third period—4, Saskatoon, Denenny, 7:50; 5, Victoria, Foyston, from Loughlin, 8:45; 6, Saskatoon, Cameron, 10:30.

Penalties: First period—None. Second period—Loughlin, Denenny and Gordon 2 minutes each. Third period—None.

NEGRO DISQUALIFIED: Paris, March 11.—Jack Taylor, negro light heavyweight fighter, last night lost to Charlie Ring of Australia. He was disqualified in the seventh round for fouling.

Kid Francis, nineteen-year-old banianweight from Marcellus, defeated Frankie Ash of England on points in ten rounds.

Hockey Finals In East Are Arousing Fans' Enthusiasm

Amateurs Near Finals of Allan Cup Series; Canadiens and Pats Play To-night

Ottawa, March 11 (Canadian Press)—Another step toward the eastern amateur hockey finals was made last night when the University of Toronto qualified to meet the winners of the series between Montreal, Victoria and Niagara Falls by eliminating the Montaguards of Ottawa 4-2, thereby winning the round 8-5. Montreal Victoria will take a two-goal lead into the Ottawa game tomorrow night, when the final game of the series will be played, through their 2-0 victory in Montreal last night and a 4-0 victory over Victoria in the Eastern finals, which commence in Toronto Saturday night.

In the junior field, New Edinburgh, champions of the Ottawa amateur league, and Sons of Ireland, Quebec champions, meet here to-night in a sudden death game, the winner of which will advance to the finals of the series between Sudbury, Northern Ontario champions, and Aura Lee, of Toronto, O.H.A. champions, in the Eastern finals, which commence Saturday afternoon.

PROS PLAYING OFF: The first game of the home and home series between St. Pats of Toronto and the Montreal Canadiens in the semi-finals of the National Hockey League will be played in Montreal to-night, with Lou Marsh of Toronto and Cooper Smeaton of Montreal in charge.

It will be the first appearance of Marsh in the Montreal Arena since the winter memorable playoff between Canadiens and Ottawa two seasons ago.

Regina, March 11.—Amid a scene of unparalleled enthusiasm, the Regina Pats skated off the ice here last night after another overtime game, winners over Manitoba Varsity juniors in the Abbott Cup series, four to two, and on the round by 13 to 11. The teams played three games, two of them going into overtime and more than 15,000 spectators turned out to see the gallant youngsters fight for the right to meet the Calgary Tigers in the final round of the Stanley Cup.

On the whole, the Pats deserved their victory. Outplayed in the first game five to two, they came back in the second to tie up the series after three periods of overtime and finally won last night, four to two.

11,000 Spectators See Amateur Hockey Game in Montreal: Montreal, March 11.—More than 11,000 hockey fans, a record for the amateur game in Canada, saw a mark which surpassed the highest figure for professional hockey in Montreal witnessed the Niagara Falls-Victoria game here last night.

The actual paid attendance was 10,800 which figure is more than established in Canadian-Montreal games earlier in the season.

Broadcasting of Hockey Game Well Received by Fans: It is estimated that 10,000 people in Victoria and on lower Vancouver Island sat in on the Victoria-Saskatoon game last night, getting the news out of the air as it was broadcast from station CBN. The Hudson Bay Company and Fraser Brothers provided the entertainment and George Warren did the announcing.

Bill Cook, Corbett Denenny and Fred Gordon put the punch in Saskatoon's attack, but the Sheik's great right winger was too closely watched to get into the scoring.

Y.M.C.A. TENNIS CLUB: A meeting of the Y.M.C.A. tennis club will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the association building. Important business will be discussed and all members are requested to attend.

ROPER LICKS FIREMAN: Vernon, Cal., March 11.—Captain Bob Roper, Chicago heavyweight defeated Ralph Smith, giant Los Angeles fireman, in a 10-round bout here last night.

BILLIARD RECORD: New York, March 11.—Edgar T. Appleby of New York, international and Eastern champion at 143 balls, line billiards, established a world record here last night for an amateur championship tournament when he ran 154 in a single turn. The former record was 154.

DAVIS CUP DRAW IS BEING MADE ON TUESDAY NEXT: New York, March 11.—Australia, New Zealand, Spain, Japan, Mexico, Canada and Cuba have entered for Davis Cup tennis play in the American zone. Much interest will be attached to the draw to be made by Vice-President Dawes in Washington next Tuesday. If the break of the draw should bring together Australia and New Zealand, Australia and Japan or Spain and Japan tennis fireworks may be expected in the initial round. Of the present entries, New Zealand is the dark horse, since nothing is known of its personnel.

Victoria Meets Calgary In First Title Game Saturday; Final Game Here Wednesday

Calgary, March 11.—Calgary stands ready for the Victoria Cougars in the opening of the Western Canada League final here Saturday night. They will start at 9:30 o'clock and it is probable that Carl Battell will referee, but the official appointment has not been made. Temperature has been low here and the ice is in perfect shape.

The Tigers have been training steadily at the Arena here and the team is in fine shape. Red Dutton's leg injury shows remarkable improvement and it is practically certain that he will start.

The Tigers feel confident they will beat the Cougars. The Cougars will be here to-morrow and will likely hold a workout on Friday.

The final and deciding game for the championship will be staged in Victoria on Wednesday night next, according to information from Calgary this morning. It should prove a thriller.

After the game on Saturday night the Cougars will come to Victoria and will enjoy a rest for two days before meeting the Tigers in the game on which hinges the championship.

Ladies' Teams To Compete For City Basketball Title: In conjunction with the men's big Spring basketball tourney to be staged this year for the fifth consecutive season, the Y.M.C.A. tournament committee has been requested to arrange a tournament for women's teams, many of which are not regular league teams.

According to the expressed wish, entry forms went out to-day addressed to practically all the women's teams of the city. No city residential qualification, however, is intended, and like the men's playdown, out-of-city teams will be welcome.

The Times has offered a handsome trophy for the tournament. The Y.M.C.A. will present a set of individual prizes to the winners. A number of the cleverest hoop squads of the district have signified their desire to play in the series, and the committee is looking for a big success.

All games will be played in the Y.M.C.A. gym, commencing Wednesday, March 18. The entrance fee will be 11, and the turney will be staged on the "knockout" plan. Winners of primary rounds playing down to championship.

Following teams are expected to enter: Civil Service, B.C. Telephone, Hudson's Bay, Victoria Steam Laundry, C.P.R. Axioms, Metropolitan and Fiddlers.

Heavy Scores Run Up in Roller Games: Three rather one-sided games in the Victoria and District Roller Hockey League were staged at the V.I.A.A. gymnasium, Victoria West, last night. A fair crowd of fans attended. The first game between the Foul Bay Monarchs and The Times Newbies proved an easy victory for the latter.

The second half Red Lawson of Foul Bay scored again. Unwin scored for Foul Bay, and less than four minutes Tyller, scored for the Newbies, in quick time. Unwin quickly repeated the trick. The second game between the Colonist and C.P.R. was one-sided, the former winning by 11-1. Tyller scored the first goal for the Colonist, while McLellan and Robertson scored their two goals in less than four minutes. Mawhinney scored on a long shot. The Colonist was scoring from an angle and keeping their opponents very busy. The score at half time was 8-0 in the Colonist favor. Beck scored the only goal for the C.P.R.

The game between the Times Newbies and the Fernwood Falcons was an easy victory for the Times, but the Colonist played a wonderful game for the Times, scored the first goal on a penalty. The Newbies pelted in shots from all angles. Mitchell played a wonderful game for the Newbies as well as Zulek, Bissell and Whitley. The two Kesson brothers played a great defensive game all through, while Nute Patterson and Jewsbury played good as spares.

Woods and Doherty were the only ones to score for Fernwood. The scores for the teams are as follows: Times Newbies—Robinson, Tyller, Foul Bay Monarchs—Unwin 2, Colonist—Tyller 5, Mawhinney 2, McPhee 2, Gillson 1, C. P. R.—Beek 1, Fernwood—Zulek 4, Jewsbury 5, Bissell 4, Whitley 1, Nute 1, J. Kesson, Patterson 2, Fernwood Rovers—Woods 1, Doherty 1.

COLWOOD LADIES: The regular monthly medal competition of the ladies of the Colwood Golf Club will be held to-morrow.

SNELL WINS AGAIN: Seattle, March 11.—Doc Snell, Tacoma, featherweight, added another scalp to his knockout belt last night here when he obtained a technical knockout over Mickey O'Donnell of Oakland, Cal. The referee stopped the six-round bout in the fifth after O'Donnell was helpless on the floor.

Outlaws' Great Speed Falcons Fall Before

Great Surprise Sprung in Intermediate "A" Sunday School Basketball Series When James Bays Ran Rings Around Team Which Was Picked to Win Championship; Winners Meet Nainaimo on Saturday; Axioms Crowned Girls' Champions

SUNDAY SCHOOL BASKETBALL RESULTS: Intermediate Girls—St. Aidans 17, Congos 15. Intermediate Girls—Axioms 12, St. Andrews 5. Intermediate Girls—Wide Awake 46, Christ Church 5. Intermediate "A"—James Bay Outlaws 35, Falcons 21.

The James Bay Outlaws captured the Intermediate "A" Sunday School League Basketball title last night at the Memorial Hall when they outplayed their closest rivals the First Presbyterian "Falcons," last year's champs. The "Falcons" failed to display their usual snap and speed which has won them so many games in the past. The Outlaws on the other hand were in the best of form, particularly the two forwards, Tommy Wachter and Fred Kenney who seemed able to find the basket from any position on the floor.

Wachter opened the scoring with two baskets soon after the toss up. McKenzie notched an extra long one for the Falcons, but Moore had a better one in reserve, and put the Bays ahead, 6-2. Doug Robertson slipped in one from under the basket for the Falcons. The Outlaws then showed their best form of the evening, handling the ball perfectly. Wachter registered three baskets in a row, making the score 12-4 in their favor. The Falcon's rally for a minute when Joe Ross found the net with a long shot and McKenzie dribbled through all opposition and tallied another.

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Two exhibition basketball games and one league fixture will be played at the Willows to-night. The games are as follows: 7:30 p.m.—"B" men, Navy vs. Ex-St. Mary's. 8:20 p.m.—Exhibition game, C.P.R. vs. Spencer's. 9:00 p.m.—Exhibition game, Bluebirds vs. Doo-Dads.

Some real good basketball should be seen when the above teams meet. This will be the first appearance of the C.P.R. ladies at the Willows. Going over the lineup, which consists of the following players: Audrey Jones, E. Dinsdale, Beth Campbell, D. Goss, A. Wilson and M. Wilson. It looks as if Manager Tommy de Maccoco had gathered together a fine team. On the other hand their opponents are expected to furnish stiff opposition in the knockout competition which starts this coming Saturday night at the Willows.

In the final game of the evening the Bluebirds will be back in the limelight again when they take on the fast stepping Doo-Dads. Little is known of the last named team, but from reports coming in they are said to have some fast ball tossers lined up and will no doubt be entered in the knockout competition.

KNOCKOUT COMPETITION: Entries for the knockout competition must be in the mail to F. W. Haxris, 151 Government Street, by to-night at which time entries close. A number of teams have already handed in their entries in both ladies' and men's classes and some fine games will be seen when they get into action.

PAT WOOD MAY COME: Sydney, N.S.W., March 11.—The Lawn Tennis Association has decided that Pat O'Hara Wood may accompany the Australian Davis Cup players to the United States if the public subscribes \$500 for his expenses. The association has granted permission to J. O. Anderson, a member of the Davis cup team, to proceed to the United States by way of England, where he will compete in the Wimbledon matches.

under had they been playing them last night. Referee McPherson. The teams were: Wideawakes—Eleanore Dinsdale 34, Janet Pearce, Peggy Ditchburn, 2, Margaret Motion 6, Mary Middleton 4. Christ Church—Alice Cook, Kathleen Wootton, B. Copeman 2, K. Atherton 3, E. Bonavia.

MUCH EXCITEMENT: The Congo-St. Aidans game produced a great deal of excitement among the spectators. St. Aidans easily gained an easy lead. Dorothy Rendle netting six points in the first five minutes.

In the second period the Congos got going at a great pace and their lines had the score almost tied. Jennie Smith, Jean Milliken and Ina Foubister did some very fine shooting.

A Great excitement prevailed when the Congos bombarded their opponents' basket at the close of the second period, being only one basket behind. The Cedar Hill girls, however, were equal to the occasion. Elsie Thomson saved the game with a nice shot just before time.

Referee, Bob Whyte. The team were: Congos—Jennie Smith 2, Jean Milliken 6, Ina Foubister 7, V. Foubister, Topsy Ella, Gladys Sayer. St. Aidans—Daisy Lindsay, Dorothy Rendle 5, Katie Hill 4, Thyra Merrie 1, Tris Vickers, Elsie Thomson 4, Lily Rendle.

DESERVE THEIR WIN: The Axioms well-deserve their win, having played a nice game all season and should make a good showing against the mainland winners. Kathleen Forbes and Hilda Styan are two deadly shots, and play a fast game on the forward line. Dorothy Goss plays a steady game at centre, while Jennie Wilson and Margaret Wilson are very capable defence players.

Referee, Bob Whyte. The teams were: Axioms—Kathleen Forbes 2, Hilda Styan 4, Dorothy Goss 2, Jennie Wilson 4, Margaret Wilson. St. Andrew's—Beryl Boyce, Rowena Penty 2, Mary Fraser 2, H. Cruickshank, D. Cruickshank.

A ONE-SIDED GAME: The Wideawakes have evidently awakened too late in the season to hold their intermediate girls' championship which they captured last season. Had they shown the same form earlier in the season they may have been able to remain on top.

Last night they swamped the Christ Church girls. Eleanore Dinsdale made the highest score of the season in any of the leagues, netting thirty-four points in 30 minutes play, an average of over a point a minute. The Axioms would have had a hard job to keep the Wideawakes 4, Lily Rendle.

DARK BOY'S HEAD USED AS TEE IS BROKEN BY CLUB

Pensacola, Fla., March 11.—Use of his head as a tee sent Johnny Gates, fifteen years old negro caddy at the Pensacola Country Club, to the hospital with a fractured skull.

Play was dull on the course, and Johnny was taking a nap. A fellow caddy placed a ball on his head and after taking a couple of healthy swats drove. He missed the ball.

Doctors to-day despaired of saving Johnny's life.

George Jay School Soccer Eleven Won City Championship

Defeated South Park 3-2 Yesterday Afternoon at Beacon Hill: In a keenly contested game the George Jay football eleven won the senior city school championship at Beacon Hill yesterday afternoon by defeating the South Park team 3-2. The game was fast from start to finish, and was witnessed by a large crowd of spectators.

Starting with the slope in their favor South Park kept up an incessant attack on the George Jay goal. Five minutes after the start Gibson carried the ball down the left wing and scored with a fine shot that gave Hachus, the George Jay goalie, no chance to save. South Park missed another fine opportunity to win the net a few minutes later when Dave, had only the goalie to beat, but his shot went flying over the crossbar. Just before half-time South Park secured another counter when, after a fine forward rush, Gelling scored with a hot shot from right wing.

George Jay carried the play to the other end of the field, and rained shots from all angles on Maze, the goalie. Just before time their efforts were rewarded when George Robertson, following up on a shot scored.

Upon the resumption of play the Jays began to attack the South Park citadel and kept the play in their goal area practically the whole of the way. After ten minutes of play George Robertson scored his second goal of the match following a scrimmage in the South Park goal, while the score tied the teams set a face pace in an effort to score the winning counter. On several occasions the Jays looked more dangerous, but the fine defence of South Park broke up their attack.

With only a couple of minutes to go the Jays redoubled their efforts to net a goal, and they were successful in forcing a corner. George Robertson brought joy to the hearts of the George Jay supporters when he beat Maze with a shot from close quarters.

For the winners George Robertson played a great game at inside left, while McLellan and Robertson the full-backs, played a good game.

For South Park Darrell Bissell was a tower of strength for his team at full-back, while in the second half he played a fine game on the forward line.

Percy Payne refereed, and the teams were as follows: George Jay—S. Backus, S. McLean, W. Robertson, H. Lore, E. Borde, E. Gibson, M. Thomas, G. Robertson, H. Sherratt, L. Bryant and L. Cann. South Park—R. Maze, D. Bissell, G. Margolin, B. Whitehouse, G. Parrott, L. Taylor, A. Bradley, L. Gelling, A. Lorimer, R. Davie and W. Gibson.

Sixteen Entries Are Expected in Bowling Tourney

Arrangements are completed for the first Open Carpet Bowling Tourney for teams of four players. The competition will start on Monday evening next at St. Mark's Hall and finish at the Armories where, by kind permission of Lt.-Col. Harris, the finals will be played on Friday, Mar. 20.

The draw will be made on Friday evening next at the Burnside Club room, and it is anticipated that sixteen teams will enter from the various organizations of the city. An entry is also expected from Duncan where the game is being taken up enthusiastically.

SERIAL STORY THE DARLING OF DESTINY

By MILDRED BARBOUR

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PANIC

Sue stood in the morning sunshine by the front gates, waiting for the postman.

He came leisurely in a quaint little vehicle used by the postal service of Long Island, jogging behind a fat, scowling horse and preceded by a friendly cur, who made joyous excursions through the wayside gardens while his master stopped to deliver the mail.

Sue had gotten to know the postman rather well; he was a freckled youth with an engaging grin, and he had the air of one who was personally responsible for bringing good tidings. He was always apologetic when there were no letters to deliver; but on this particular morning he seemed particularly pleased with himself when he handed Sue a sheaf of envelopes which from their size and shape were undoubtedly social invitations.

Little by little, as the weeks went by since the announcement of Sue's engagement to Alvin Teal, mail addressed to the Sundial had increased. Sue had a little laugh to herself about it, but always in the back of her head was a slight misgiving, especially since she had encountered the man next door who looked so startlingly like the photograph of her imaginary fiancé.

As she took the letters from the postman, another that he had sorted and held in his hand for the next delivery dropped on the step of the car. It was heavier to her than to him and she picked it up to hand it back to him. Her eye involuntarily noted the address and she became suddenly motionless, rooted with horror.

The letter was addressed to Alvin Teal, Esq.

With her brain quite numb and incapable of coherent thought, she handed it back to the postman, who took it and drove off with a friendly "So long! Maybe I'll bring you a nice letter from your beau tomorrow."

She smiled with an effort and waved her hand, but she did not move until she had seen him stop at the gate of the place next door, and drop the letter with some others in a quaint little stone mail box.

Then very slowly she went back through the garden, her brain whirling with the terrific significance of her discovery.

She heard a pleasant voice call, "Good morning," and glancing up, ascertained that it came from the other side of the hedge that separated the Blanchards' garden from the mysterious place next door.

In something of a panic, she saw the man she had met on that memorable morning sauntering down the drive. He carelessly raised his hand in greeting and then strode to the hedge.

"Good morning, Miss Woodynymph. Why have you avoided my garden?" She searched about for an answer, and found herself flushing and tongue-tied, much to her own chagrin.

He was smiling that easy, careless smile that had infuriated her before, and she thought her disturbingly goodlooking in the morning sunlight, with his dark, smooth hair, and well-bronzed face and throat.

He glanced down at her trimly shod feet and said with twinkling eyes: "Both shoes, this morning, I see. No chance for me to play the prince

to Cinderella. I say, that was a clever story. How did you happen to think of it on the spur of the moment?" She found her tongue at last and said with an effort at lofty dignity: "I don't believe it would interest you."

"Of course not—not in the least," he agreed carelessly. She bit her lip vexedly; it infuriated her because this man, this casual and unknown person of all the men she had known had the power to rouse her anger.

She turned to go, giving him a cool little nod over her shoulder, but he stopped her.

"I want to tell you one thing. You are a most unusual girl. So far I can ascertain, you have kept your promise, and have not told people about this place being occupied."

"Why should I tell? It does not interest me in the least," she threw back at him.

He laughed with amusement; it was a mellow, pleasant laugh which she thought might be very attractive under other circumstances, but she was quite convinced now that she loathed him.

She went back through the garden swiftly, fully conscious that he watched her with those keen, appraising eyes of his.

After a little while, as she sat on the terrace waiting for breakfast, her angry resentment gave way before the chill, numbing fear of what would happen when Alvin Teal learned, as he undoubtedly would, the ridiculous story she had told about being engaged with him.

How long, she wondered, could he possibly remain in ignorance; and when the inevitable catastrophe occurred, what could she do or say?

To be continued

The Laugh Line

He was a lion-tamer, but the man who ruled the king of the forest was in turn ruled by his wife.

One night he was entertained by his friends, who refused to allow him to depart until the small hours of the morning. As a result, on his homeward way, thinking that his wife would not receive him as cordially as he desired, he spent the night elsewhere.

In the morning he tried to slip into the house unobserved; but, alas! a voice from the top of the stairs greeted him coldly: "Where have you been all night, John?"

"Well, my dear, I was afraid of disturbing you, so I slept in the lion's cage."

There was a moment's pause, a gritting of teeth, then down the stairs floated one word: "Coward!"

Two travelers on a Continental train began chatting to each other. "On your way to Monte Carlo, sir, that delightful and exclusive, home for gamblers?" inquired one.

"That is exactly where I am going," was the reply.

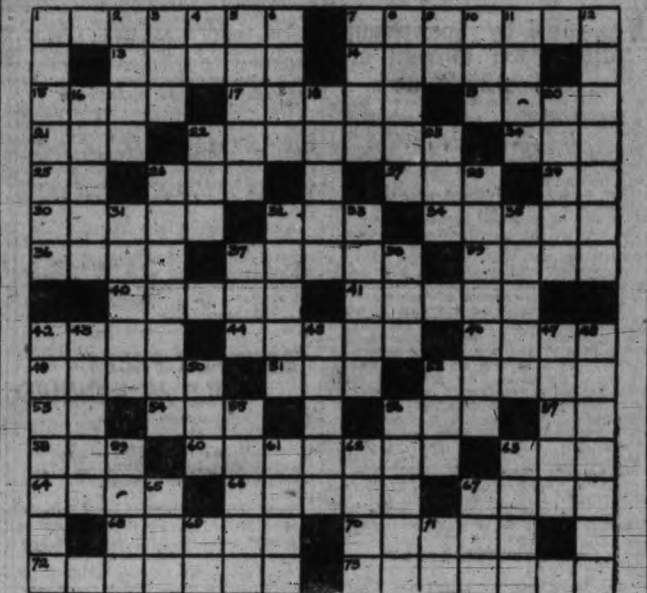
"And you will play just a little, I suppose?" "I do nothing else, sir; it is my business."

"Gracious! You don't mean to say you make a business of it?" "Yes, sir, twice a day regularly, and I never by any chance lose."

"In that case, perhaps you will explain your system to me?" "Certainly, with pleasure; I play the violin!"

TIMES CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

We get our chewing gum from 42 vertical, yet how many can get the word without looking it up in the dictionary? But it should be easy to get 12 vertical, for it's his to whom we go when we've been molesting our teeth with too much from 42 vertical.



Cross-word Puzzle 6229

HOW TO SOLVE THE CROSSWORD PUZZLE Every number in the form represents the beginning of a word, reading either horizontally or vertically. If there is a black square to the left of the number, the word is horizontal; above it, the word is vertical. The same number may, of course, begin both a horizontal and a vertical. The definitions for the correct words to fill the form are found below, with numbers corresponding to those on the form. Run through the definitions till you find one that you recognize, and put it in its proper place on the form, one letter for each white square. This will furnish several cross-clues to the words fitting with it at right angles. Continue in this manner till the form is completely filled. If you have solved the puzzle correctly it should read both horizontally and vertically with words corresponding to the definitions. The correct solution of to-day's puzzle will be printed in the next issue of The Times.

HORIZONTAL

- 1. Wry face. 2. Chastened. 3. Frame to hold a picture upright. 4. Part of plant below ground. 5. To define. 6. Wasted by usage. 7. Moved rapidly. 8. Changed. 9. Moistened. 10. Conjunction. 11. To plant. 12. To plant. 13. To plant. 14. To plant. 15. To plant. 16. To plant. 17. To plant. 18. To plant. 19. To plant. 20. To plant. 21. To plant. 22. To plant. 23. To plant. 24. To plant. 25. To plant. 26. To plant. 27. To plant. 28. To plant. 29. To plant. 30. To plant. 31. To plant. 32. To plant. 33. To plant. 34. To plant. 35. To plant. 36. To plant. 37. To plant. 38. To plant. 39. To plant. 40. To plant. 41. To plant. 42. To plant. 43. To plant. 44. To plant. 45. To plant. 46. To plant. 47. To plant. 48. To plant. 49. To plant. 50. To plant. 51. To plant. 52. To plant. 53. To plant. 54. To plant. 55. To plant. 56. To plant. 57. To plant. 58. To plant. 59. To plant. 60. To plant. 61. To plant. 62. To plant. 63. To plant. 64. To plant. 65. To plant. 66. To plant. 67. To plant. 68. To plant. 69. To plant. 70. To plant. 71. To plant. 72. To plant. 73. To plant. 74. To plant. 75. To plant. 76. To plant. 77. To plant. 78. To plant. 79. To plant. 80. To plant. 81. To plant. 82. To plant. 83. To plant. 84. To plant. 85. To plant. 86. To plant. 87. To plant. 88. To plant. 89. To plant. 90. To plant. 91. To plant. 92. To plant. 93. To plant. 94. To plant. 95. To plant. 96. To plant. 97. To plant. 98. To plant. 99. To plant. 100. To plant.

VERTICAL

- 1. To strangle (in order to rob). 2. Monumental statue. 3. To entangle. 4. Measure of area. 5. Musical instrument similar to violin. 6. To prepare for publication. 7. Prophet. 8. Grain in cloth (pl.). 9. Part of to be. 10. Recent origin. 11. To shine. 12. Tooth, doctor. 13. Rowed. 14. Rowed. 15. Rowed. 16. Rowed. 17. Rowed. 18. Rowed. 19. Rowed. 20. Rowed. 21. Rowed. 22. Rowed. 23. Rowed. 24. Rowed. 25. Rowed. 26. Rowed. 27. Rowed. 28. Rowed. 29. Rowed. 30. Rowed. 31. Rowed. 32. Rowed. 33. Rowed. 34. Rowed. 35. Rowed. 36. Rowed. 37. Rowed. 38. Rowed. 39. Rowed. 40. Rowed. 41. Rowed. 42. Rowed. 43. Rowed. 44. Rowed. 45. Rowed. 46. Rowed. 47. Rowed. 48. Rowed. 49. Rowed. 50. Rowed. 51. Rowed. 52. Rowed. 53. Rowed. 54. Rowed. 55. Rowed. 56. Rowed. 57. Rowed. 58. Rowed. 59. Rowed. 60. Rowed. 61. Rowed. 62. Rowed. 63. Rowed. 64. Rowed. 65. Rowed. 66. Rowed. 67. Rowed. 68. Rowed. 69. Rowed. 70. Rowed. 71. Rowed. 72. Rowed. 73. Rowed. 74. Rowed. 75. Rowed. 76. Rowed. 77. Rowed. 78. Rowed. 79. Rowed. 80. Rowed. 81. Rowed. 82. Rowed. 83. Rowed. 84. Rowed. 85. Rowed. 86. Rowed. 87. Rowed. 88. Rowed. 89. Rowed. 90. Rowed. 91. Rowed. 92. Rowed. 93. Rowed. 94. Rowed. 95. Rowed. 96. Rowed. 97. Rowed. 98. Rowed. 99. Rowed. 100. Rowed.

BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily's Paper of Pins

"Are you almost ready, Nurse Jane?" called Uncle Wiggily from the bath room where he was shaving and getting himself up to look stylish, so he could take the musical lady housekeeper to the moving picture.



The Wolf caught them in his paws.

That he almost cut his pink, twinkling nose. "I can't get ready in time," was Nurse Jane's reply. "A lot of buttons just came off my rose silk blue dress, and I haven't time to sew them on."

"Use pins!" advised Uncle Wiggily with a laugh. "That's what I do when I lose my buttons!" sighed the muskrat lady. "There isn't a pin in the bungalow, Mrs. Twinkling. The lady pig is making a new bedquilt to wear to Aunt Lettie's party, and she sent over yesterday and borrowed every pin in the place. I haven't one."

one hop when the wind would blow him two hops farther. "I'm going along like a sail boat!" cried the bunny, and almost before he knew it, he was at the store and had bought the paper of pins. "I'll wait a while and see if the wind will change," he said. "If it should turn and blow toward my bungalow, so much the better!"

Advertisement for OXO featuring an illustration of a boy and a rabbit, with text: 'Look! how the wind blows the boy's little frock so? He is growing so big that they call him "Young Oxo." OXO Builds sturdy children'

"That must be something good to eat, or Uncle Wiggily wouldn't run after it so fast!" howled the Wolf. "I'll grab it as it comes along and eat it, and then I'll nibble Uncle Wiggily's ears." So the Wolf jumped up, as the paper of pins sailed over his head, and caught them in his paws. But the pins stuck out and

pricked him very hard. "Oh, wow!" howled the bad chap, turning and running away. "That must be a lot of prickly pears the rabbit is chasing. I don't want to stand on my head and fall off the stick, next you shall hear about Uncle Wiggily's snow flowers."

up the paper of pins and hop with them to the bungalow to fasten Nurse Jane's dress. So they got to the movies just in time and saw a jolly show. And if the lollypop doesn't try to stand on its head and fall off the stick, next you shall hear about Uncle Wiggily's snow flowers.

Large advertisement for WASSON MOTOR CHECK featuring an illustration of a car and text: 'This Remarkable Machine Is In Victoria SEE IT! 923 Yates St. Next to Humphries Dodge Agency'

"Test Your motor on the Wasson Motor Check." You now have a chance to see and get in on the new discovery about oil; a chance to see what happens in your engine with the right oil. This is the machine which has cast into the discard all theories as to what oil SHOULD do by showing what oil really DOES in a running engine.

The Lesson To Be Learned WITH your car on the Wasson Motor Check, you will learn that the oil which gives you the most power is the best lubricant. The right oil increases power and holds it, just as if a tight brake band had been released, and the Wasson Motor Check shows how much it increases power, and why.

The Long Sought Secret THE Wasson Motor Check tells which record horsepower delivered at the rear wheels at different speeds and "loads" reveal the long sought secret of engine lubrication. The Motor Check traces waste and expense and loss of power to their hiding place—the crank case. It shows clearly that oil is much more than oil—that it is power itself.

Here is knowledge that will keep you out of the repair shop, save dollars for you on gas and oil, and show you the way to put new life

Advertisement for HAVOLINE OIL featuring text: 'Here's Our Free Offer: We charge only for the Oil. To any car owner, a double Havoline oil-power test on the Motor Check free—with every crank-case filling of Havoline Oil. THE oil-power test determines the exact power of your motor from low speed up to all she can do. Also, it measures actual slippage past your pistons, showing the effectiveness of the oil seal. Never before have car owners been able to learn such facts about their motors. In every city it has visited, the Motor Check has been the talk of the town. The steps of the test are as follows: First—Crank case drained, refilled with the right grade of Havoline. Second—Motor Check test of power from low speed up to best she can do. Third—Test to show amount of unexpended gasoline which slips past pistons, causing loss of power and dilution of oil. Fourth—A record sheet, showing in simple form the complete results of the test. Fifth—After you have driven several hundred miles, come back and present this record sheet, which entitles you to a second test showing what Havoline has done for your car. Then you are given your "oil prescription," which tells the right grade for your motor and how often your crank case should be cleaned. Remember the location: 923 Yates St. Next to Humphries' Dodge Agency RICHARD ANGUS Distributor 555 Yates St. Phone 1164'

Advertisement for CHILDREN CRY FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA featuring an illustration of a baby and text: 'CHILDREN CRY FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA MOTHER:—Fletcher's Castoria is a pleasant, harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, especially prepared for Infants in arms and Children all ages. To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of Dr. J. C. Fletcher. Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.'

AT THE THEATRES

"OH, DOCTOR" IS LAUGHABLE FILM NOW AT CAPITOL

Universal Pictures Corporation obtained a "corner" on some of the screen's finest character artists when it selected the cast to support Reginald Denny, star in "Oh, Doctor!" Universal-Jewel, showing at the Capitol Theatre this week. The picture is the screen version of the

AT THE THEATRES

Capitol—"Oh, Doctor," Dominion—"The Thundering Herd," Playhouse—"King Dodo," Coliseum—"A Man Must Live," Columbia—"Hurricane Hutch."

celebrated Saturday Evening Post serial of the same name, written by Harry Leon Wilson, and was directed by Harry Pollard who directed Denny in "Sporting Youth," "The Reckless Age" and the first series of "The Leather Pushers." "Oh, Doctor!" is the story of a young man who, since childhood had been coddled and nursed and made to believe that only by the greatest care could he live. Through a series of humorous events the story emphasizes the manner of life he leads. An aunt who has little patience with his fears endeavors to restore him to a normal condition of mind. Then comes the necessity of borrowing money enough to permit him to remain in luxury and to die in luxury. He will inherit a considerable fortune if he lives three years and after three old. Shylocks have

PLAYHOUSE

To-night FRANK MORTON AND HIS MUSICAL COMEDY COMPANY

"King Dodo"

MARSHALL NEILAN'S THE ETERNAL THREE With Bessie Love, Raymond Griffith, Hobart Bosworth Gaskilla Jazz Orchestra LAUGH-A-MINUTE COMEDY

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CAPITOL To-Day

The Season's Biggest Thrill and Laugh REGINALD DENNY In Harry Leon Wilson's Saturday Evening Post Story "OH DOCTOR" It's a Hilarious Riot of Thrills and Laughs Featurettes—Comedy, News and Hedge Podge

DOMINION NOW PLAYING

A Sensation as a Story—A Triumph on the Screen ZANE GREY'S GREAT NOVEL "The Thundering Herd" With JACK HOLT and LOIS WILSON SEE The Hair-raising Buffalo Stampede—It's the Greatest Thrill Ever Shown Also Comedy and News

COLISEUM

"THE HOME OF GOOD MUSIC" RICHARD DIX in "A Man Must Live" Broke, starving, desperate—Was jungle law, kill or be killed, justified? COMEDY AND FELIX Evening, 7:30-8:30. Children, 10c; Matinee Wednesday and Saturday, 2:30, 10c-25c

ROYAL THEATRE, Saturday, April 18

WESTERN CANADA'S CONCERT AGENCY Presents D'ALVAREZ MEZZO CONTRALTO Seat Sale Monday, March 16, at Walter F. Evans, Ltd. 1113 Government Street. Prices: \$2.75, \$2.30, \$1.65, \$1.10, Tax Included

been convinced by specialists that he has nothing the matter with him, other than his mental attitude. Mary Astor has the feminine lead in a cast of well known favorites, which also includes Otis Harlan, William Moore, Tom Ricketts and Mike Donlin.

PICTURE SHOWING AT COLISEUM BASED ON JUNGLE LAW

"A Man Must Live," Richard Dix's second starring picture for Paramount, is the feature at the Coliseum Theatre all this week. The production, adapted by James Ashmore Creelman from the story "Jungle Law," by I. A. R. Wyllie, also marks Paul Slesinger's debut as a motion picture director.

A new star, a new director and something new in the line of screen entertainment—that just about sums up "A Man Must Live."

After "Manhattan" there wasn't a doubt that Dix was headed straight along the path to greater popularity and his latest picture will establish him firmly right up with the foremost stars of the screen to-day. Dix in "A Man Must Live" portrays what is said to be "the screen's first real newspaper reporter." As Geoffrey Farnell, Dix returns from the World War and gets a job on another newspaper edited by a man to whom another misfortune in his life, and time. Jeff feels the pinch of poverty. He falls upon a story that promises the greatest thing this paper ever ran. But it means the exposure and ruin of a fellow who served by his side in France—a man "honorably dead" in the eyes of the world. "Well, a man must live," says Farnell, and with that we leave you to draw your own conclusions.

"THE ETERNAL THREE" SCREEN OFFERING AT THE PLAYHOUSE

Marshall Neilan has surpassed his own previous pictures—and they have been big ones—in his screen version of his own story, "The Eternal Three," now at the Playhouse. Dr. Walters, the surgeon hero of the story, marries a young wife who becomes fascinated by the gay charms of her husband's graceless foster son, Leonard. The boy suffers a serious brain injury through his mad haste to meet the surgeon's wife and elope with her. Only a delicate operation can save him. Dr. Walters has learned the state of affairs between his wife and Leonard, and the question that confronts him is, shall he live up to his oath as a member of the surgical profession and save Leonard's life or let his own private feelings dominate him and give the knife an undetected twist?

Neilan has made a thrilling story around this problem and it is superbly acted by Hobart Bosworth, Claire Windsor and Raymond Griffith as the members of the eternal triangle. "The Eternal Three" is being shown at the Playhouse this week in conjunction with the Frank Morton Company in "King Dodo."

TO DARKEN HAIR APPLY SAGE TEA

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea with sulphur added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant. Just a few applications will prove a revelation. If your hair is fading, streaked or gray. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound at any drug store all ready for use. This is the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients. While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant. (Advt.)

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Sir Alexander Hosie Died in England

Sandown, Eng., March 11.—Sir Alexander Hosie, professor of Chinese at Oxford University, died yesterday, aged seventy-two years. He was the British delegate to the Shanghai International Opium Commission in 1909 and was author of a number of works on the Far East.

Alberta Liquor Act Changes Are Debated by M.P.P.'s

Edmonton, Alta., March 11.—Apparently the Government of Alberta has no intention of allowing hotelmen to sell beer by the bottle to be consumed on other than licensed premises. This was made quite clear by Attorney-General Brownlee in moving second reading of proposed amendments to the Liquor Control Bill in the Legislature yesterday. The Attorney-General stated the Government could not hope to retain control of liquor sales if the hotelmen were permitted to sell beer to the public in bottles as had been suggested. They could not keep accurate records. The Legislature turned down a proposal to compel hoteliers to take out bonds of a substantial amount in order to handle trust funds or make collections. The resolution was supported largely by rural members, but met with vigorous opposition from members who are associated with the legal practice.

PRESS COMMENT ON ADVENTURES OF "HURRICANE HUTCH"

Here's what the British press says about "Hurricane Hutch" in Many Adventures, now showing at the Coliseum for the last time. The Morning Post: "It is all highly exciting, and there is a workable plot wound round these hair-raising exploits." The Daily News: "It is an example of what moving pictures can do in representing action. No novel or play could touch the astounding adventures of Hurricane Hutch. Not one of them, I believe, is faked. I must confess to a profound admiration for the pluck and skill that go to the making of such a picture."

Rabbi Annoyed President Coolidge With Many Letters

New York, March 11.—Rabbi E. B. Brown, seventy-two, head of the American Jewish Seventy Elders and pastor of Temple Zion in the Bronx, who was arrested to-day on a warrant in which the complainants, Calvin Coolidge, Mrs. Coolidge and Frank Stearns, charged him with "annoying the President," and was released, to appear in court next Monday for the greater thing indicted upon the complainants is a valuable letter demanding that he be reimbursed for half of \$25,000 he claims the American Jewish Seventy Elders, Rabbi Brown, switched to President Coolidge last July.

Rabbi Brown said that at the request of Tammany Hall, he had held a convention of the Seventy Elders in Atlanta last year where Governor Smith was named as their Democratic presidential nominee. When Smith failed of nomination at the convention, Rabbi Brown switched to President Coolidge and spent \$25,000 campaigning for him, the rabbi said. He added that he thought the President should "go halves" with the elders.

GREEK-TURKISH QUESTION BEFORE LEAGUE COUNCIL

Geneva, March 11.—An extraordinary situation has arisen over the expulsion of the Greek Patriarch, Constantinos, from Constantinople, through the receipt of a long letter from Turkey by the Council of the League of Nations in which the Ankara Government argues that the deportation was justified. As Turkey previously had asked the Council not to discuss the Patriarch question, because it was purely internal and the Council without jurisdiction, the Greek delegation has seized upon the letter as showing that Turkey virtually admits the competency of the Council by arguing the case in its communication.

A Greek spokesman said to-day that under the circumstances the case had become a political question which should be submitted to the Permanent Court of International Justice. The Greek spokesman will urge such a procedure unless the dispute is settled outside the Council. They deny the Turkish report that the Holy Synod of the Orthodox Church has agreed to elect a new Patriarch.

TO SUCCEED ESERT

Berlin, March 11.—Dr. Walter Simons, former Foreign Minister, will be sworn in to-morrow as Acting President of Germany, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of President Ebert.

TRAINS SNOWBOUND ON THE PRAIRIES

Rescued by Snowploughs After Worst Blizzard of 1924-1925 Winter

Regina, March 11.—After being snowbound for more than twenty-four hours in the worst blizzard of the winter, the Melville-Regina C.N.R. train steamed into this city last night in the wake of a snow plough.

For a day and a night more than 100 passengers were held up at Colmer, just this side of Melville, by huge drifts in which the southbound passenger train had plunged. Fortunately the dining-car was able to supply food for the storm-bound passengers and sufficient heat was kept up in the train throughout the period of waiting.

The train stalled at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon and did not move again until late yesterday afternoon. Snowploughs were sent north from Regina early yesterday morning and cleared the track.

About the same time a freight train was stalled in snowdrifts near Mitchell and had to be rescued by snowploughs.

Snowploughs were sent out on both the C.N.R. and C.P.R. lines in all directions from the city yesterday morning for the first time this winter. Practically every line had to be cleared for traffic and every train but the C.N.R. from Saskatoon last night was from ten minutes to eight hours late.

HEAVIER PENALTIES FOR LIQUOR OFFENCES

Washington, March 11.—Opposing any increase above one-half of one per cent, in the alcoholic content of beverages, a sub-committee of the House of Representatives alcoholic liquor traffic committee, yesterday made public a report recommending enactment by the next Congress of legislation imposing heavier penalties for prohibition law violations.

The sub-committee expressed the opinion that "to increase the alcoholic content, but not to a point where it would be intoxicating, would not satisfy those who demand alcoholic stimulants and would greatly increase the difficulties of law enforcement."

Amendment of the existing law to fix a minimum fine and mandatory prison sentence for first offences for manufacture and sale of alcoholic liquor and increasing fines for transportation and possession of liquors was recommended.

CROSS FOX PELTS SOLD AT WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, March 11.—The sale of cross fox occupied the attention of the international buyers at the fur auction sale here yesterday afternoon.

The average price ranged from \$25 to \$75, with the low touching \$8 and the high \$65. Total sales aggregated about \$40,000.

The principal buyers were representatives of New York and European houses.

The Central W.C.T.U. will hold its monthly meeting at the Y.W.C.A. on Thursday at 2:30.

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What Equalization of Domestic and Export Grain Rates Would Mean

CANADA produces a surplus of grain and that surplus must be marketed abroad. The local consumption of grain in British Columbia is only four per cent of the grain brought to the port of Vancouver. The balance is for export. Alberta's grain surplus must seek foreign markets and export rates are so arranged as to foster this movement to the fullest extent. The consumer in British Columbia is not disadvantaged, but the producer in Alberta is benefitted.

The price of wheat is established in foreign markets—not in Alberta. The Alberta grower is benefitted by being enabled by special export rates to reach the Orient and other foreign markets. The port of Vancouver is benefitted and developed by the movement. The consumers in Japan and Europe can buy Alberta grain at the price at which they can buy grain in other markets. The Vancouver miller is enabled to grind Alberta wheat and ship the flour abroad.

How can the contention be supported that British Columbia interests are adversely affected by the export rate on Alberta grain?

Dealing with the question of export and domestic freight rates, in its judgment on April 6th, 1914, the Canadian Board of Railway Commissioners said:

"This Board, as well as the Interstate Commerce Commission, has frequently ruled that a lower rate on export traffic is, in itself, no evidence of unjust discrimination provided that the local rate is a reasonable one. It is quite conceivable that a carrier would prefer to withdraw from co-operation in seeking a foreign market rather than sacrifice its legitimate revenue on the local traffic to the port of exportation, and perhaps to its intermediate interior points also."

Export grain rates are lower than domestic rates. The domestic market cannot consume the production of the Prairies. Railways must co-operate with the producer to reach markets abroad on as reasonable basis as circumstances will permit.

There is a radical difference between conditions applying in export and domestic grain markets. Equalizing rates with unequal conditions may be disastrous to the Alberta producer, the Vancouver miller and the Port of Vancouver.

The present domestic rate was fixed by the Railway Commission in 1922 as just and reasonable, and no attempt has been made to show that it is unreasonable except by comparison with the export rate.

As a matter of fact, under the present rates, the amount of grain now coming to Vancouver has been at times greater than its elevators could handle.

All that is necessary is a little attention to the facts for the public to understand that claims of discrimination are not well founded.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

It Spans the World

Wall Street TODAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, N.Y., March 11 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—Today's market was more or less of a see-saw affair until the last hour when a spirited rally got under way.

In connection with St. Paul the opinion is becoming more pronounced that a reorganization will be necessary to iron out the ripples in the situation.

The market has had a fairly good reaction of late as a consequence of which the technical foundation is undoubtedly much stronger.

New York, March 11 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's Direct Wire) Wall Street—The Wall Street Journal's stock market edition this afternoon says: "Stocks encountered another storm of selling to-day in the wake of an ugly break in the St. Paul issues which dropped to the lowest level in their history on the realization that some sort of reorganization was unavoidable."

Following Tuesday's substantial declines in the general list, heavy margin calls were sent out overnight. But brokers reported a good response from their clients and the market showed a fairly good tone at the opening.

Steel common reached new low ground on the movement at 12 1/2, but fractional recoveries took place in American Locomotive and other industrial leaders and Baldwin jumped to 13 1/2.

Prices fluctuated irregularly in the early afternoon. St. Paul preferred continued under pressure breaking to a new low at 16 on announcement that interested parties believed in scaling down of the present capital structure inevitable.

There are bullish developments ahead which are bound to change sentiment radically, says Hornblower and Weeks, "when once the edge of present adverse factors wear off. These constitute increasingly higher oil prices and a probable increase in the demand for oil stocks; increased steel prices; favorable developments in the motor industry and special movements in the market of the type of Allis-Chalmers, Maxwell, Utah Securities, etc., where dividend considerations are near fulfillment."

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, MARCH 11, 1926

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

Table of New York Stock Exchange prices for various stocks including Allis-Chalmers, Am. Locomotive, Am. Ship and Commerce, etc.

Retail Market

Vegetables

Table of retail market prices for various goods including Apples, Bananas, Beans, etc.

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Winnipeg, March 11—Bearish sentiment dominated the Winnipeg exchange to-day, forcing drastic price recessions in which May wheat declined to 189 1/2, a loss of 5 1/2 since yesterday's close, July closed 5 1/2 off at 186 and October 3 1/2 down at 151.

Chicago, March 11—An extreme break of six cents a bushel in the wheat market to-day took place during the first half of the board of trade session.

Winnipeg, March 11 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—Wheat—The market was decidedly heavy to-day, prices declining severely, recording a break of 7 cents on the extreme dip for May.

Flax—This market suffered severely, prices declining 1 1/2 cents and closing about 14 cents down. Local liquidation was in evidence, but crushers only bought moderately on the decline.

WHEAT MARKET

SEEN NEAR HIER

Chicago, March 11—The Chicago Tribune to-day says: Profit-taking by wheat longs—close yesterday took 1 1/2 off the top and was said to have put the market in better shape for an upturn.

Aggregate sales of hard Winter Spring and Manitoba wheat in all positions late by the seaboard were estimated at 500,000 bushels.

Winnipeg, March 11 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's direct wire)—Liverpool markets were weaker in face of our advance yesterday due largely to the very large arrivals from south-western hemisphere.

The cash wheat market was very dull with nobody wanting wheat. No acceptance of any kind were reported, and graders stated that export business overnight was very light with bids this morning out of line.

32% PER ANNUM

is the established dividend of the Premier Mine.

We would like to give you further information in connection with the Premier Mine.

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The Position of the Market

In the United States high-grade bonds are in demand and Dominion of Canada 2 1/2s, due 1926, quoted at 102 1/2, two months ago are now quoted at 104.

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BOGUS CANADIAN BANK BILLS OUT

Toronto, March 11—Officials of the Imperial Bank of Canada warn the public that a considerable number of counterfeit notes of its old British American Bank Note Company issue dated January 1, 1917, for \$100 each, are appearing in circulation.

U.S. Steel Tonnage Exceeds Estimates

New York, March 11—Unfilled orders of the United States Steel Corporation as of February 23, which were made public to-day, totaled 5,284,771 tons, an increase of 247,448 tons over the end of the preceding month and the highest since August, 1923.

Porter-Idaho

Surface prospecting during the past four Summers has proven the existence of 15 veins on this property, ranging in width from 4 to 25 feet traceable on the surface over considerable distances.

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Montreal Stocks

(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

Table of Montreal Stock prices for various companies including Alcan, Bell Telephone, Canadian Pacific, etc.

CHURCH BILL IN MANITOBA HOUSE

Attorney-General Asks About Provision For Those Not Joining Union

Winnipeg, March 11—A challenge to Unionist leaders to clear the air with reference to one of the most vital aspects of church union legislation was issued by Hon. R. W. Mackay, Attorney-General, in the Manitoba Legislature.

BIG STORM RESULTED IN PROPERTY LOSS

Reports Tell of Damage in Indiana and Southeastern Part of Illinois

PROHIBITIONISTS MEET IN OTTAWA

Ottawa, March 11—The executive committee of the Dominion Alliance in session here to-day, adopted a resolution recommending the holding of a Dominion convention this year in the cause of national prohibition.

Wholesale Market

Table of wholesale market prices for various commodities including No. 1 Steer Beef, Pork, etc.

PADLOCK MEASURES IN LIQUOR FIGHT

New York, March 11—Federal Attorney Buckner has won the first of what he says may amount to 1,000 separate proceedings to padlock establishments selling liquor.

WHEAT EXCHANGE ROOM OPENED TO MEET STOCK TRADE BOOM

Opening of the new trading room of the Victoria Stock Exchange on the lower ground floor of the Pemberton Building on the Fort Street side took place to-day.

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One wall of the exchange is covered with a blackboard on which quotations and trades will be registered. The steady advance in the quantity of stock business here has resulted in new applications for seats on the exchange.

VICTORY BONDS

(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

Table of Victory Bond prices for various denominations including 1917 1st June and December, etc.

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

New York, March 11—Foreign exchanges steady. Quotations in cents. Great Britain—Demand 47 1/2; cables 47 1/2; 60-day bills on banks 47 1/2.

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New York, March 11—Bar silver 65 1/2. Mexican dollars 52 1/2.

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Births, Marriages, Deaths

DEATHS
BROWN—On March 9, 1925, at his late residence, 1341 Milne Street, Thomas Brown, aged 82 years. Born in Sussex, England. Buried in the cemetery.
The remains are resting at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, whence the funeral will take place Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, proceeding to St. Matthias Church, where services will be conducted by the Rev. T. T. Archbold at 2:15. Interment will be made at Rags Bay Cemetery.

BURKE—At South Orange, N.J., very suddenly, John Hurley Burke, brother of Mrs. T. B. MacLaughlin, 112 Clarence Street, Victoria, B.C.

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COMING EVENTS

DIGGONISM—Experience is what one gets while one is looking for something else. Diggonism, 1216 Government St. St. Patrick's party factory, services and decorations. Diggonism's society party ideas.

A. C. HALL dance, Belmont Building, by Parker's orchestra, Friday, March 13, 8 to 12. Gents 50c, ladies 25c.

AMPUTATION CLUB military five hundred and dance, Belmont Building, Wednesday, March 11, at 8 p.m. Four-piece orchestra. Admission 25c.

BALLOON DANCING—Those wishing to learn or anxious to improve will find expert tuition at the studio of Mrs. C. Laugh-Allen, 1111 Government Street, opposite Chamber of Commerce. Hours, 3 to 10 p.m. Phone 1224 and 1822B. \$12.50-25.00

BOYS' club, made of super-cloth, at \$12.50, outdoors three. Boy's Club, 504 Yates Street, Phone 2363. 11

C.P.R. CLUB—Invitation dance, Empress Hotel, Thursday, March 12, 8 o'clock. Orchestra.

DON'T forget Victoria's eighty-first birthday, to be commemorated at the Empress on Saturday at 8:30. 5975-6-83

LAKE HILL Community Hall will hold another of their popular dances, Wednesday, March 11, dancing 9 to 11 p.m. orchestra. Refresments. Admission 50c. 5952-4-60

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PRINCESS ALEXANDRA daughters of England quarterly meeting, Thursday, March 12, Harmony Hall, 7:30 p.m. 2986-2-50

THE Victoria Quilt Club will hold a Scotch Dance in the Oranges Hall, Friday, March 13, at 8 o'clock. Gents 50c, ladies 25c. Refresments. 571-2-52

WHIST drive to-night, March 11, 8:30, 1216 Government St. 45 highest score. Other trips private. Admission 50c. 6929-2-69

HELP WANTED—MALE

ASSISTANT Scalers' Examination, March 18, 1925. For particulars apply to District Forester, Central House, Vancouver, or to W. H. Macdonald, Civil Service Commissioner, Victoria. 2749-4-21

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WANTED a competent help, B.C. certificate of teacher preferred. Good wages and home. Send full particulars and references to Box 6015, Times. 6015-2-61

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WANTED—Thoroughly experienced stenographer for steady position. Box 2645, Times. 5957-5-59

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EXPERIENCED in housework. Young Irish girl wishes position. Box 5988 Times. 5988-2-21

HALF or full day position urgently wanted by young lady with knowledge stenography and mimeography. Phone 2517 or 3215. 892-17

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199 AND 300 tubes, \$3.50. Crownier Bros., 452 Yates Street.

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A BEAUTIFUL set of Winston's Encyclopaedia for \$45 cash. There are ten volumes and the set is as good as brand new. Apply 24 Winch Blvd., City. Phone 248. 571-2-52

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A SNAP is always on hand at the "Imperial Exchange." We will buy, exchange or sell your furniture, carpets, linens, etc. at the best advantage. Call and talk it over. New management. 212 Fort Street. 571-2-52

ANY person having pictures framed at C. W. Neill's 1224 Douglas, please call within ten days. All pictures not then claimed will be sold. 571-2-52

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BABy CARRIAGE (English), like new, snap \$25, cost \$65. Phone 46182K. 571-2-52

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FOR SALE—Household furniture, almost new; owner leaving city. Call 225 Agnes Street, Victoria West, or phone 4818. 47

FOR SALE—Heavy plate glass, show case, ten feet long, with counter containing drawers and cupboards; also handsome extra showcase. Phone 821-6-62

FOR SALE—6-cylinder McLaughlin, Ford, starting engine, first-class running order; starting equipment, coils, gauges, etc. Can be seen in operation. Phone 2517. 892-17

FOR SALE—Tobacco at the B. & J. Tobacco Shop, 623 Fort Street. We sell for less. 47

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LOST, Tuesday evening, pair of spectacles. Lee Page case, small gold chain. Phone 4232B. 876-2-82

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\$485—STAR Touring, 1925, run 5,000 miles. An extra good buy.
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\$475—FORD Touring, used very little, was bought new in May, 1924.
\$325—FORD Touring, 1922, a splendid buy, all good tires.
\$185—GRAY-DORT Touring, good tires, and 1925 license paid.
Easy Terms
MASTERS MOTOR CO. LIMITED
913 Yates St., Cor. of Quadra. Phone 272

WE NOW OFFER OUR SPRING BARGAINS—EVERYONE A BUY!
HUDSON SUPER SIX—Year and a half old 7-passenger touring, refinished and ready for years of hard work. You will like this car in all its details. \$1500
DODGE SEDAN—Recent model, disc like it. You will like it. \$1250
STUDEBAKER LIGHT SIX—1923 model, disc wheels and many extras, motor good and running like new. You will like this car in all its details. \$1215
CHEVROLET BABY GRAND TOURING—Motor refitted with constant clearance system and no delivery remarkable power. Repainted and as nearly new as possible. Going for \$595
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EQUIMIL ELECTORAL DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that, under the authority conferred by Section 11 of the "Highway Act," Chapter 103 of the "Revised Statutes of British Columbia, 1924," it is the intention of the undersigned, after thirty (30) days from the date, to discontinue and close the Sherringham Point Road from the intersection with the new private road to the Light-house in Section E2, Renfrew District, westerly to its termination at the west boundary of said Section E2.

W. M. SUTHERLAND, Minister of Public Works, Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., Jan. 24, 1925.

NATIONAL COMMEMORATIVE WAR MONUMENT

Invitation to Sculptors, Artists and Architects to Submit Competitive Designs

The Government of Canada invite competitive designs for a National Commemorative War Monument which it is proposed to erect on Connaught Place, Ottawa, Canada.

The competition is open to all Architects, Artists and Sculptors, resident in the British Empire who are British subjects, and to British subjects by birth resident elsewhere. Also to all Architects, Artists and Sculptors, who are citizens or subjects of countries which were Allies or Associate Powers of the British Empire during the late Great War.

The total cost of the Monument, when completed and placed in position, including the base above the level of the ground, is not to exceed \$100,000.00.

Copies of conditions, with a plan and photographs of the site, may be obtained on application to the Office of the Secretary, Department of Public Works, Hunter Building, Ottawa.

Each competitor will be given a free hand respecting the design, which is to conform with the suggestions contained in the first paragraph of the conditions.

The competition will be in two stages, and parties wishing to compete must submit designs in the form of drawings for the first stage.

The second stage will require the submission of plaster models, from a limited number of competitors selected from the first stage.

The authors, not less than six and not more than ten, of the best designs selected in the first stage will be eligible for submitting plaster models in the second stage.

The model which is placed first in the second stage will, on approval by the Government, be given the commission to carry out the work, or in the alternative, if not approved, will be compensated as provided in the conditions, and the authors of the remaining models submitted in the second stage, will each be paid the sum of \$500.00.

Designs must be addressed to and received by the Secretary, Public Works, Department of Canada, Room 784, Hunter Building, Ottawa, Canada, not later than the 15th day of June, 1925.

Parties who intend to compete should notify, at once, the undersigned of their intention to do so.

By order,
S. E. O'BRIEN, Secretary, Department of Public Works, Canada, Ottawa, February 12, 1925.

BAANICH MENTAL HOME

Colquhoun, B.C.

SEALED TENDERS

will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock on Tuesday, the 17th day of March, 1925, for the supply of GROCERIES, MEAT AND BUTTER, FISH, BREAD, and other supplies, BOOTS AND SLIPPERS, CLOTHING, DRY GOODS, COAL, for the use of the above institutions, and the funeral home, for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1926.

All supplies to be delivered at the Home without extra charges, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed during the period above stated.

Lists and samples of goods required may be seen at the Home.

Two acceptable sureties for the due fulfillment of each contract will be required.

Tenders must be made out on forms which may be obtained from the Superintendent of the Home, or the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES PATERSON, Purchasing Agent, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., March 2, 1925.

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA

Tenders for Police Clothing

Sealed Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m., Monday, March 23, 1925, for the making and supplying of 24 uniforms for the Police Department. Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Purchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed and marked on envelopes "Tenders for Police Clothing." A marked cheque equal to 5% of the amount of the tender, made payable to the City Treasurer, must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

E. S. MICHELL, Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Victoria, B.C., March 10, 1925.

Form No. 18, Sec. 84. LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In Victoria Land District, Recording District, Victoria, and situated in Victoria Arm, Saanich Municipality. Take notice that the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club of Victoria, B.C., intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at a point on high water mark on the northerly side of Victoria Arm at the intersection with the westerly boundary of George View Drive, thence S. 72 deg. 27 min. W. (Astronomic), 79 feet; thence S. 37 deg. 23 min. E., 148 feet; thence S. 37 deg. 37 min. W., 158 feet; thence N. 53 deg. 23 min. W., 201 feet; thence S. 77 deg. 47 min. E., 201 feet; thence S. 63 deg. 51 min. E., 43.5 feet, and containing 0.18 acres, more or less.

VICTORIA AMATEUR SWIMMING CLUB
By **W. T. M. BARRETT, Agent**, Dated January 10, 1925.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Fuel for Public Buildings, Victoria, B.C.

SEALED TENDERS, in triplicate, will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock on Tuesday, the 17th day of March, 1925, for supplying and delivering COAL required at the Provincial Government Buildings as enumerated hereunder, during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1926, to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be directed during the period above stated.

The approximate annual consumption of Coal at each of the buildings named is as follows:

| | |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Parliament Buildings, Victoria | 100 Tons |
| Best Lump Coal | |
| Government House, Victoria | 110 |
| Court House, Victoria | 60 |
| Provincial Normal School | 80 |

The above-mentioned quantities are not guaranteed; the quantity actually required may be under or above the above quantities.

Tenders shall be based on ton of 2,000 lbs. Tenders must state name of mine from which coal is to be supplied.

Each delivery must be accompanied by an official weigh-master's certificate. Weighing charges borne by Department.

Tenders must be made out on forms which may be obtained from the undersigned.

Tenders shall be accompanied by an accepted cheque in the sum of \$100.00 on a chartered bank of Canada made payable to the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, which will be forfeited if the party tendering declines or fails to execute the contract when called upon to do so.

The cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned upon the execution of the contract.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders must be signed by the actual signatures of **JAMES PATERSON**, Purchasing Agent, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., March 2, 1925.

VICTORIA CITY MILK SUPPLY

| | Butter-fat | Sediment |
|---------------------------|------------|----------|
| | Test | Class |
| 5462 Fernhurst Dairy | 4.4 | 2.5 |
| 5464 H. Smith | 4.5 | 2.5 |
| 5465 Victoria City Dairy | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5466 Sprybank Dairy | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5467 H. Rendle | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5468 Maple Hill Dairy | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5469 Supplied to Schools | 4.2 | 2.5 |
| 5470 Buchan | 4.3 | 2.5 |
| 5471 J. Caring | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5472 Burnside Dairy | 4.8 | 2.5 |
| 5473 E. Sims | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5474 Royal Dairy | 4.4 | 2.5 |
| 5475 C. J. Johnson | 4.4 | 2.5 |
| 5476 S. Robbins | 4.3 | 2.5 |
| 5477 Jersey Dairy | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5478 Oaklands Dairy | 4.4 | 2.5 |
| 5479 J. Blackstock | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5480 Hatley Farm Dairy | 4.4 | 2.5 |
| 5481 J. Robertson | 4.7 | 2.5 |
| 5482 J. Edger | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5483 A. Pendry | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5484 R. Easton | 4.4 | 2.5 |
| 5485 C. W. Rogers | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5486 S. J. Burley | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5487 W. Gidley | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5488 Mrs. Carmichael | 4.4 | 2.5 |
| 5489 V.M.F.A. | 4.5 | 2.5 |
| 5490 W. W. Swetnam | 4.7 | 2.5 |
| 5491 Rosemont Dairy | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5492 Bredwin Dairy | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5493 J. F. Deans | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5494 C. Burgess | 4.4 | 2.5 |
| 5495 J. Bull | 4.8 | 2.5 |
| 5496 Mayland Dairy | 4.3 | 2.5 |
| 5497 Mrs. McNeill | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5498 Lake View Dairy | 4.3 | 2.5 |
| 5499 W. W. Rogers | 4.4 | 2.5 |
| 5500 D. Crawford | 4.4 | 2.5 |
| 5501 G. Rogers | 4.4 | 2.5 |
| 5502 Mrs. McNeill | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5503 E. and T. Raper | 4.3 | 2.5 |
| 5504 Supplied to Schools | 4.7 | 2.5 |
| 5505 Victoria Dairy | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5506 Northwestern Cr'm'y. | 3.8 | 2.5 |
| 5507 A. G. Lamborn | 4.7 | 2.5 |
| 5508 Mrs. McConnon | 4.4 | 2.5 |
| 5509 J. Richards | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5510 J. Richards | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5511 W. T. Bagburn | 4.7 | 2.5 |
| 5512 Cedar Hill Dairy | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5513 J. Hall | 4.2 | 2.5 |
| 5514 J. McRae | 4.3 | 2.5 |
| 5515 Sunrise Dairy | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5516 Charles King | 4.1 | 2.5 |
| 5517 Mrs. McInerney | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5518 Constance Cove Dairy | 4.3 | 2.5 |
| 5519 O. Lloyd | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5520 W. Richardson | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5521 Joseph Rogers | 4.0 | 2.5 |
| 5522 James Donegan | 4.0 | 2.5 |

JAMES PATERSON, Purchasing Agent, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., March 2, 1925.

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ALASKA PROHIBITION

Juneau, Alaska, March 11—Representative Hardy of Juneau introduced a bill in the territorial House here yesterday seeking to repeal the Alaska bone dry law and providing for territorial officers to enforce the Eighteenth Amendment of the Federal Constitution.

"GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT."

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 15th day of March, 1925, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a license in respect of the premises being part of the building known as the Esquimalt Hotel, situate at 649 Pioneer Street, in the Municipality of Esquimalt, Province of British Columbia, upon the lands described as Lots 63, and adjoining lands, particularly described in Absolute Fee Parcel Book Vol. 2, Folio 183, Number 324, in the Victoria Land Registry Office, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of Beer by the Glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

Dated this 10th day of February, 1925.
THOMAS JAMES BRUNSDON, Applicant.

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NINE acres, together with a five-room modern bungalow, very nice living-room with open fireplace, two bedrooms, kitchen with built-in effects, bathroom, basement, water laid on, garage. Chickens house for about 500 birds. Commands magnificent view of lake and surrounding country and hills. Beautifully treed and on the very best part of the lake.

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A certain learned and painstaking schoolmaster was testing the general knowledge of a class under his care. "And what," he said to a small boy, "is the feminine of drake?" "Queen Elizabeth, sir," answered the boy.

STENOGRAPHER CLERK WANTED

MALE Clerk Stenographer, National Defence, Esquimalt. Salary \$184. Civil Service examination March 14. For particulars apply to Rev. Dr. Campbell, 1185 Fort Street, Victoria.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the 11th day of March next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a license in respect of premises in a building situate on northeastern part section 34, City District, Map No. 11655, in the Land Registration District in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle, for consumption on the premises.

Dated this 24th day of Feb. 1925.
R. M. KING, Applicant.

HUMORS OF HISTORY

By ARTHUR MORELAND

No. 10. — The End Of Vortigern



A.D. 457. Hengist and Horsa brought over their army and made short work of the Scots. Soon afterwards, Vortigern suddenly dies, Hengist and Horsa succeeding to the vacant throne.

THE GUMPS—IS THAT SO?



BRINGING UP FATHER

—By GEORGE McMANUS



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Canada Life Opens New Offices Here

New Victoria and Island headquarters of the Canada Life Assurance Company have been established in the Pemberton Building, it was announced to-day by F. R. Fleming, representative here of that company. Growth of the company's business

In this district is responsible for the change, he said.

ONTARIO LEGISLATION

Toronto, March 11.—Announcement by the Premier that the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railroad extension would be started immediately and that the Government, apart from the bill amending the Ontario Temperance Act and the redistribution measure, would introduce all its legislation this week, was made in the Legislature yesterday afternoon. Premier Ferguson introduced a bill, which was put through all three readings, to protect William Ireland, Chief Conservative Whip, and P. C. Biggs, Progressive member for North Wentworth, against the loss of their seats in the chamber, as each had inadvertently accepted money from the Ontario treasury.

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B.C. INCOME TAX CONTRIBUTORS NOW AGGREGATE 21,572

Province is Fourth in Number of People Paying Federal Government Levy

B.C. Professional Men High on List; Only 71 Farmers Here Pay Tax

By Times Staff Representative Ottawa, March 11.—British Columbia stands fourth among the provinces of Canada in the number of people who pay income tax to the Federal Government. This and a host of other interesting facts about the finances of the various parts of the Dominion are revealed by figures released at the Federal Department of Finance.

British Columbians to the number of 21,572 paid income tax last year, the new figures show. Of the 239,000 people throughout Canada who contributed to the levy 103,390 lived in Ontario, which thus can boast of having the largest number of taxpayers. Total of Canadians in the income tax class, Quebec came next with 44,492 persons and Manitoba third with 23,177. British Columbia, at 21,572, was fourth with 21,572. Saskatchewan next with 15,938; Alberta, 15,848; Nova Scotia, 7,987; New Brunswick, 6,278; the Yukon, 643, and Prince Edward Island, 331.

British Columbia's relatively high contribution to the Dominion income tax through the medium of professional men, as revealed by the figures just issued here, has caused general surprise in parliament. General Columbia, despite its small population, is the third largest contributor to the income levy through the professions, the new figures show. Only seventy-six less professional men in British Columbia than in the large province of Quebec are income tax contributors. On the other hand, only seventy-one farmers in British Columbia paid any income tax.

Forty per cent. of those in professions paying the income tax live in Ontario, which reports 3,936 contributing \$97,005. Then there is a big drop down to Quebec with 2,318 paying \$638,154. British Columbia, with a population a quarter the size of Quebec's has 2,742 professional contributors to the tax or only seventy-six less than Quebec.

The professions are evidently not flourishing in the Maritimes. The Maritime provinces combined have only 1,261 contributors.

The new income tax figures furnish an interesting sidelight on the financial standing of various sections of Canada's population. For instance, it is shown that out of the net income tax collections during the last fiscal year about fifty per cent. was paid by 239,936 people. Corporations paid \$25,547,792.

Only 4,863 farmers throughout the country paid on income, their contributions totalling \$275,626. Saskatchewan's agriculturists paid forty per cent. of the total contributed by farmers all over the Dominion.

Over one-third of the income tax paid by individuals was contributed by people who had incomes of \$100 or over or more. There were 551 of such persons and their combined payments totaled \$8,825,423.—B. H.

Cyclists Prepare Celebration Parade

A meeting of cycle enthusiasts will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the City Hall, to organize a bicycle parade feature in connection with the Victoria Day celebration.

It is proposed to hold the parade on the afternoon of May 23, and tonight's meeting is expected to assure the presence of between 1,000 and 1,500 machines in the demonstration. George W. Allison is the chairman of the committee in charge of organization of this feature, the personnel of which are as follows: J. T. Braden, J. Wittcomb, G. W. Robinson, J. Aaronson and A. Manson. Of these Messrs. Aaronson and Robinson are representatives of local bicycle dealers.

Leacock States His Views on Copyright

Ottawa, March 11.—"Personally I do not care one hoot whether the Parliament of Canada does this or does that," declared Prof. Stephen Leacock of McGill University, well-known writer of humor and satire, to the Copyright Committee of the House of Commons yesterday in supporting appropriate repeal to the present licensing clauses of the Copyright Act whereby books of Canadian and United States authors, unpublished in Canada, can be compulsorily published here on payment of a royalty.

"I am personally indifferent to anything you may do," he continued, "but I would never submit to it that any printer in Canada should ever take me by the neck under these licensing clauses, and I will tell you that if you jam this kind of legislation through and hold it, you are going to set up an antagonism between the Canadian author and the printer. Printers are rich; authors are poor. One represents large corporate interests, the others only themselves. But the Canadian authors are the intellectual interests of the country, the powers of the universities, and if the printers of Canada insist, we will have to look upon the printer as our leading enemy, and we will find ways to make that enemy fall where it will smart with the only kind of sting that that kind of person can understand. We will not be put down."

Prof. Leacock pointed out that he was representing his own views, "without any pecuniary interest," as he came outside the jurisdiction of the present legislation, having been born in England.

He could not sympathize with those who thought the production of literary work was practically a manufacturing business. When an author wrote a poem or story he wrote something absolutely his.

Splendid Radio Programme To-night

An exceptionally fine programme has been arranged by the Broadcast Studios, Fletcher Bros, this evening. A splendid aggregation of musicians are to be heard in instrumental trios, played by the following artists, James Burchett, violinist, W. H. Jenkinson, viola; Miss Rita Ormiston, piano. This promises to be a very interesting feature and will doubtless be enjoyed by all who listen in. Mrs. G. McMoran and Miss Vivian Matthews, vocal soloists will be heard in solo and duet numbers. Dr. G. S. Farreit, who has been appearing at this station regularly each week will answer papers from the question box.

LIBERALS FIGHT SHIPPING RING WHERE CONSERVATIVES STARTED AND TURNED BACK

That is one side of the question. The other is the Government's scheme to smash the combine. As revealed in the Commons by Hon. T. A. Low, Minister of Trade and Commerce, it is a drastic scheme, a much stronger and effective scheme than has been thought originally. Figures supplied by Mr. Low show that the Petersen fleet, which will be operated under the subsidy and the rates of which will be under Government control, will compare with any fleet which rides the Atlantic except the ocean services of the Canadian Pacific-Balzar fleet. No mere "flac bite," this, as the Opposition asserts.

DRAYTON SAW COMBINE Mr. Low's proof that the Conservative Government tackled the Atlantic combine problem and then abandoned its attempt was backed up by piles of official data. He showed definitely that when Sir Henry Dayton, Mr. Meighen's right-hand man, headed a commission to investigate Atlantic shipping conditions in 1912, he became absolutely convinced that a shipping combine did exist. Sir Henry's report, as read to the House by Mr. Low, shows how seriously he regarded the Atlantic situation. Here is what Sir Henry thought about Atlantic shipping conditions which the Conservatives are eager to leave alone now:

"The position when action was taken by the Conservative Government was that steamship conferences were effective so that no competition was afforded beyond the apparent competition that the tramp freight boat affords. Competition of this character affords no protection to a quarter of the cargo requiring regular shipments in less than cargo lots. In my view, such a condition practically eliminates and requires some government control."

In other words, Sir Henry wanted the Borden Government to take hold of Atlantic shipping rates just as the King Government is doing now. FOSTER ALSO WARNED

And then again a Canadian representative, no less a person than Sir George Foster, concurred in the findings of the Dominion Royal Commission, appointed as a result of the Imperial Conference in 1911 to inquire into a number of Empire matters. Of shipping conditions on the Atlantic that commission said in part:

"In the pre-war period, as we pointed out in our second interim report, British steamship companies had made a practice of charging a lower rate to New Zealand from Hamburg and other German ports than from London on the same classes of goods. We may repeat the observations which we made then on this state of affairs:—The net effect of this practice has been, and must be, to facilitate the competition of German manufacturers with British in New Zealand, and to handicap British manufacturers, and to destroy, at least to the extent of the difference in freights, the advantage intended by New Zealand to be given, by means of preference, to the British manufacturer. No satisfactory explanation of the matter was given to us at the time by the companies concerned. The commission adds this striking denunciation of the Atlantic shipping rates:

"For ourselves we regard it intolerable that British shippers should be in a position to imitate

or countenance practices of a kind so directly inimical to British trade. "We are satisfied," the commission said again, "that the operations of the steamship companies should not remain longer without some measure of government control." All these conclusions, as Mr. Low pointed out in the House, were again endorsed in the report of a special parliamentary committee which inquired into the shipping situation two years ago. With all facts in view Mr. Low could see little new in the recent W. T. R. Preadon report, which alleges the existence of an Atlantic combine, and which has been so bitterly assailed by shipping men as a piece of brand new horse.

STIFLES IMMIGRATION

Coming to the question of immigration with which Canada is so vitally concerned now and which, it is generally recognized, involves Canada's whole national existence, Mr. Low was able to show the Commons how exorbitant rates on the Atlantic were preventing the movement of immigrants from Europe to this country.

"To-day perhaps nothing is retarding immigration more than the action of the combine," Mr. Low declared.

He added these facts: In 1900 an immigrant cost \$17.50; to-day it costs \$85. In 1900 a man, his wife and five children could be landed in Canada for \$122; to-day it costs \$608. Contrast this with the fact that this combine will carry European emigrants to South America, more than double the distance, at only half the cost. They are quoting to Canadian ports.

HIGH RATES

To establish his contention that Atlantic rates on general merchandise are exorbitant Mr. Low went on:

"Perhaps one of the most important products of the farm is bacon and other meats. In 1911 the cost of storage cost was 16.58 cents per one hundred pounds; to-day it is 50 cents per one hundred pounds, an increase of about 200 per cent. In 1914 the cost of carrying a ton of newspaper to London, a distance of 2,214 miles, and \$8.90 to Buenos Ayres, a distance of 6,421 miles. In 1914 the rate on newspaper to the United Kingdom was \$2.04 per one hundred pounds; to-day it costs \$10.08 per one hundred pounds, an increase of about 500 per cent."

The minister quoted numerous other rates to show how the cost of transporting Canadian goods overseas has gone up by leaps and bounds in recent years.

GOT PLEASANT SMILE

Mr. Low's answer to the charge that the Government had moved against the shipping companies without giving thought to the fact of cooperating with him was decisive and crushing.

"A year ago," he said, "I asked the shipping men, the representatives of the different shipping companies to meet me in Montreal and, after several meetings in which I appealed to those gentlemen to make a slight reduction on the carrying charges on cattle across the Atlantic, I received no encouragement whatever. I offered, if they would reduce the rate, to give an understanding that I would see how far the government was prepared to go in supplementing such a reduction. They met me more than once, and about all I received from them was a pleasant smile. I could make no headway and they wonder why we did not approach them before we decided to deal with Sir William Petersen and enter into a contract with him."

Then coming to the demand of certain shippers for an inquiry into the charges against them Mr. Low indicated that the Government would welcome the fullest investigation by a parliamentary committee and would be able to prove with definite figures then not only its charges against the shippers but the soundness of its contract with the Petersen interests.—B. H.

TAXATION PROPOSAL

Ottawa, March 11.—Lands held by the Soldier Settlement Board should be subject to municipal taxation, it is stated in a resolution which will be brought up in the House of Commons by L. J. Ladner, Conservative, South Vancouver.

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Another fire this morning badly damaged the building occupied by the New York Ladies' Wear Company on Notre Dame Avenue. Three families living on the top floor were driven out into the snow. The fire is believed to have started from an electric iron.

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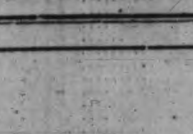
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