

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Sunday: Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds; generally fair and mild.

Domination—The Green Temptation Royal Victoria—A Connecticut Yankee Fantasia—Peggy's Follies Princess—The Ice-Breaker Variety—The Trust Capitol—The Speed Girl

Historical Daily Times

WARSHIPS ARE HOVERING OFF COAST OF IRELAND

Russian Question Is Advanced Step Toward Settlement

Soviet Delegates at Genoa Present Concerted Financial Propositions; Russia's Need of Loan to Stabilize Currency Emphasized.

Genoa, April 15.—A distinct advance toward settlement of the Russian question was registered by the Economic Conference to-day, conference leaders declared.

The Russian delegates and the experts of the invited powers met again this morning at Mr. Lloyd George's villa, and in the afternoon the chiefs of these delegations joined them in the discussion, which up to to-day had consisted chiefly of statements on maximum demands by both groups.

The Russians, it became known to-day, have presented concerted financial propositions in which they say they are in perfect accord with the Allies on the urgent necessity of refecting a monetary basis in all countries, putting an end to "financialism," which they declare is reigning, especially in the matter of exchanges.

The Russians also agree to the necessity for each country to balance its own budget, curtailing paper currency and reducing expenses, especially those for armaments; which they declare, in some countries are the chief cause of deficits.

Building Bridge. Genoa, April 15.—Mr. Lloyd George summed up this afternoon what appears to be the general view of the progress of the Russian negotiations at the Economic Conference, employing many of the similes he so frequently uses.

"We are building a bridge across the stream," he said. "We have driven some of the piles. We are now in the deepest part of the current and are driving them into the mud at the bottom. Although the bridge is not above water, the piles are firmly fixed and we are still hammering at them."

Japanese Amendment. London, April 15.—Reuter's Genoa correspondent reports that at the meeting of the sub-committee of the Economic Conference, the Japanese delegation moved an amendment proposing that conventions of an economic character drawn up by the European states should apply also to non-European states. The amendment was agreed to without difficulty.

Currency Basis. The soviet delegates in their proposal urge an Anglo-American accord in order to establish a permanent purchasing power for their currency, which they, the Russians, declare should become the basis for other European currencies.

"They insist upon the necessity of granting credits or loans of gold to states whose financial condition is bad. They give as an example the United States Federal reserve banks, which they say, might put part of their gold reserve at the disposal of the central banks of the countries needing it, followed by the gold or by opening special credits."

The Russians also propose an international monetary convention, the object of which would be to fix a stable ratio between the currency of the various states. They conclude their proposals by emphasizing Russia's urgent need of being granted a loan in order to stabilize its currency.

Capitalism. Mr. Lloyd George, in discussing the situation with the Associated Press correspondent, said capitalism, which had been the cause of the present stumbling block in effecting an agreement with the Russians, had been scarcely touched at all, and that apparently this would be regarded as overshadowed by financial problems.

Rumors circulated yesterday to the effect that the inviting powers had issued an ultimatum to the Russian delegates signifying that if they when the Allied proposals must be accepted were emphatically denied by the chiefs of the Allied delegations.

Informal discussions probably will continue with the Russians until Tuesday and perhaps longer, before a full session of the regular Russian sub-committee can be held to hear Russia's formal counter-proposals.

Genoa, April 15.—Financial and economic experts of Great Britain, France and Italy gathered this morning to continue the discussions begun yesterday of the condition under which the reconstruction of Russia.

MISSING FROM CAMP, BUT TRACES FOUND OF MOONSHINE STILL. Chicoutimi, Que., April 15.—The mysterious disappearance of Joseph Laviole, from his camp three miles east of Saint Alexis, has caused a great sensation in this district. Laviole left for his camp last Tuesday accompanied by three friends and nothing has been heard of him since. What is puzzling the authorities is that Laviole's horse returned to the village alone, hitched to a sleigh in which was found a can full of moonshine. Near the place where the party is supposed to have been camping, the authorities have found a still and a quantity of ingredients which enter into the manufacture of moonshine.

LEAGUE LEADERS SCORE HEAVILY

Liverpool Beat Cardiff by 5-1, While Burnley Scored 5-2 on Manchester United

Three Teams in Line for Relegation All Lose; Spurs Beat Arsenal

London, April 15.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Results of league games played in the Old Country, follow:

ENGLISH LEAGUE.

First Division.

Aston Villa 2, Bolton Wanderers 1. Bradford City 1, Birmingham 2. Burnley 5, Manchester City 2. Chelsea 1, Sunderland 0. Liverpool 5, Cardiff 1. Manchester United 0, Oldham 3. Middlesbrough 0, Blackburn 1. Newcastle 3, West Bromwich Albion 1.

Second Division.

Barnsley 4, Hull City 1. Blackpool 0, Port Vale 1. Bristol City 2, Clapton 1. Bury 1, Wednesday 2. Crystal Palace 0, Leicester 1. Rotherham 0. Notts County 1, Coventry 1. South Shields 1, Bradford 0. Stoke 1, Northampton 2. Westham United 1, Fulham 0. Wolverhampton 0, Leeds 2.

Third Division—Northern Section.

Darlington 1, Stockport 0. Grimsby 2, Accrington 1. Halifax 1, Chesterfield 2. Hartlepool 7, Ashington 1. Rochdale 2, Nelson 2. Southport 0, Lincoln City 0. Stanleybridge 2, Burnham 3. Tranmere 0, Wrexham 0. Walsall 1, Crewe 0.

Wigan 1, Barrow 2.

Third Division—Southern Section.

Exeter City 1, Brentford 0. Gillingham 1, Brighton 0. Luton 2, Charlton 0. Merthyr 2, Queen's Park 0. Millwall 0, Aberdeen 0. Newport 2, Northampton 2. Plymouth 1, Southampton 0. Portsmouth 0, Norwich City 0. South End 1, United 2. Reading 0. Swansea 8, Bristol Rovers 1. Swindon 0, Watford 3.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

First Division.

Albion Rovers 0, Celtic 2. Clydebank 0, Queen's Park 0. Clyde 4, Patrick Thistle 0. Dundee 1, Raith Rovers 1. Hibernians 0, Airdrieonians 0. St. Mirren 2, Hearts 1. Motherwell 2, Ayr United 1. Raith Rovers 1, Dumbarton, not played. Kilmarnock-Rangers, not played. Morton-Hamilton, not played. Third Lanark 1, Aberdeen, not played.

In Third Division Northern Section of English League, Friday's games, the score should have read:

Crewe 7, Darlington 3.

Rugby.

London, April 15.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Results of games played in the Old Country to-day resulted as follows:

Northern Union.

Barrow 12, Swinton 7. Ballynahinch 9, Broughton 9. Leith 12, Glasgow 12. Featherstone 18, Bradford 3. Hull-Kingston 37, Guisborough 0. Hunslet 3, Huddersfield 0. Kilmarnock 2, Halifax 22. Rochdale 20, Warrington 5. St. Helen's 12, Wigan 5. Widnes 25, York 10. Wakefield 9, Leeds 4.

COMEDIAN DIES FROM INJURIES

Boston, April 15.—Harry Vokes, the comedian, who appeared in many vaudeville cities, died here to-day. Death was due to injuries suffered in an explosion yesterday at the plant of the Beacon Oil Company in Everett, where he was employed.

PASSENGERS INJURED.

Lethbridge, April 15.—Eight passengers were slightly injured when passenger train No. 68, on the Crow's Nest branch eastbound, was wrecked last night at Mileage 47.5, near Cowley. Two day coaches and the baggage car left the track, due to a broken rail.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Calgary, April 15.—Alfred Clarke, aged 65, was crushed to death by a freight elevator in Campbell and Griffith's warehouse late yesterday. He was a pioneer resident of Calgary. An inquest will be held.

P. H. RIEDER DEAD.

Montreal, April 15.—P. H. Rieder, president of Ames-Holden and McCready died here this morning. He had been ill for ten days.

GIORGIO POLACCO TO SUCCEED MARY GARDEN IN CHICAGO

Chicago, April 15.—Giorgio Polacco, who is serving his second year as conductor of the Chicago Opera Company, will be the new general manager next Autumn, succeeding Mary Garden, according to the Chicago Tribune to-day. Miss Garden, from whom the company, is expected to return in the capacity of artist with no voice in its guidance.

NOTED CARTOONIST TO ARRIVE IN CITY

J. W. Bengough Will Be Here To-morrow

Representatives of the Henry George Association of Victoria, and members of the Anti-Visitation Society will meet Canada's famous cartoonist, lecturer and writer, J. W. Bengough, on his arrival from Vancouver to-morrow morning.

Mr. Bengough will speak before the Victoria branch of the Anti-Visitation Society at the Empress Hotel to-morrow at 3.30, while the members of Henry George organizations are making arrangements to hold a luncheon in his honor. Mr. Bengough is a widely traveled entertainer, having made tours of Great Britain, Australia, United States and Canada.

On Monday he will give two entertainments at the Metropolitan Church, a matinee in the afternoon, with another performance in the evening. At these performances he guarantees to cartoon some leading citizens of Victoria, and a pleasant surprise is in store for those who attend.

Mr. Bengough will appear at Sidney on Tuesday evening.

TREASURED RELIC OF MODERN SCIENCE

Flask of Broth Said Proof of Pasteur's Germ Theory

Philadelphia, April 15.—A small, round flask of glass, holding a few ounces of yeast broth, owned by a Philadelphia, is one of the most treasured relics of modern science. It was disclosed during the centenary celebration at the birth of Louis Pasteur, father of modern medicine.

The flask was exhibited by Dr. Ernest La Place, a surgeon to whom the flask was presented by Dr. Pasteur. Dr. La Place was the Frenchman's first American pupil.

The flask of broth is 74 years old and was said to be Pasteur's proof of his theory of micro-organic life—the germ theory—which the modern structure of medicine and surgery is based. The yeast broth is as clear and uncontaminated now as it was when it was placed in the flask and is said to show that there can be no decomposition without germ growth and that germ growth without contamination.

FAMILY SAVED BY COURAGEOUS MAID

Toronto, April 15.—Courage and resourcefulness of Emma McMillan, a maid in the service of Rev. L. R. Sherman, a rector of Holy Trinity Church, enabled Rev. Mr. Sherman, his wife, their 15-months-old child, and another maid, Molly Crockett, to reach safety during an early morning fire in the rectory, in Trinity Square, on Good Friday. Miss McMillan awoke, gasping for breath, in a smoke-filled room.

After rousing the other inmates of the house and discovering the stairway cut off by flames, Miss McMillan climbed through a window and grasping a telephone wire, swung herself to an outbuilding from which she dropped to the ground. Meeting a man in the street she sent him to turn in an alarm and the firemen were soon on the scene. The members of the household were rescued from the house by means of ladders and the fire was extinguished.

ITALY'S POPULATION.

Rome, April 15.—Italy's population on December 1, 1921, was 38,835,184, which includes 1,564,991 in the redeemed provinces. The population within the old boundaries, therefore, was 37,270,403. This makes an increase of 7.5 per cent. over the census of 1911.

FARMER DROWNED.

Quebec, April 15.—John O'Neill, 71, a farmer, was drowned in the St. Charles River yesterday.

Times Classified Ad Soon Sold Bicycle

FOR SALE—One Royal Enfield bicycle, three-speed gear, 24-inch frame, in good condition. Phone 1232X.

One insertion was all that was necessary to bring the desired result. Why not classified Ads? Buy or sell something for you? Just phone 1029—Times Advt. Department.

"ENOUGH, WE GO TO FRANCE"

Exclaims Disgusted Restaurateur of San Francisco

Prohibition Closes Famous "Old Poodle Dog" Restaurant

San Francisco, April 15.—The old Poodle Dog Restaurant, a San Francisco institution since the gold days of 1849, has succumbed to the change wrought by prohibition and will be closed.

The sale of furniture and fittings of upper rooms where private banquets and other celebrations used to be held will take place April 21, and the restaurant itself will shut down soon afterward. It is the fourth well-known restaurant in San Francisco to close since the prohibition law went in force.

"How can a person with a palate, a stomach and a knowledge of cookery be content with laws that limit his diet as narrowly as nature limits the taste of a cow?" asked Camille Malhabaud, one of the proprietors, to-day. "Is he to be taught by law the simplicity of the cow? Enough, we go to France."

SAYS ANTI-GONISH GHOST EXISTED

Mary Ellen But Medium, Declares Sir Conan Doyle

New York, April 15.—There was really a ghost in Antigonish, Sir Arthur Conan Doyle declared here. Then he elaborated on the report made by a psychic research expert after investigating queer doings at the home of Alex. McDonald, Nova Scotia, Antigonish County.

The psychic research expert, Dr. Walter Franklin Prince, reported that the disturbances in McDonald's home were caused by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's daughter, during altered states of consciousness.

Mary Ellen was not the ghost, but the medium of the ghost, which probably was Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, of some naughty boy whom not even death could cure of his mischievousness.

"I was greatly interested in the Antigonish disturbances," Sir Arthur added, "because it was almost a duplicate of the 'great Amherst mystery' of some years ago. That, too, was a Nova Scotia case, with mysterious fires, etc. Psychic research people then, as in the Antigonish case, said it was the work of somebody in the house."

"I have no doubt at all that the spiritualistic explanation of the Antigonish mystery was correct. Mary Ellen, the medium, threw out some news which was used by something malevolent outside herself.

"Yes, there are malevolent spirits on the other side. 'Mischievous' would be a better word. "But spirits, malevolent or mischievous are not allowed to do real harm. The Antigonish house really did not take fire, did it?"

"But spirits, on the other side that do not spirit shall do harm to a mortal. "They may alarm people; that is a good thing. It takes a rough lot to arouse some people to realization of things."

CANADIAN SOLDIER DEFENDED WOMAN

Story Related at Hearing Into Siberian Charges

Washington, April 15.—The story of a Canadian soldier's defence of a woman from assault by a Russian officer in Siberia was told yesterday during the hearings before the Senate Education and Labor Committee of the charge that atrocities had been committed by General Semenov's forces in Eastern Siberia.

Captain E. L. Earle, of St. Paul who was formerly with the British forces in Siberia, was one of the witnesses examined here today. He declared that on one occasion at Verkhudinsk, a Canadian soldier knocked down a captain of Semenov's forces who had insulted a woman.

The Semenov Cossacks asked that the Canadian be turned over to them for trial but Captain Earle refused. United States soldiers backed him up and the Semenov forces finally desisted and withdrew.

RECOGNITION OF SERVICE.

Prince Rupert, April 15.—In recognition of many years faithful service in the diocese of Caledonia Archbishop Duvernet has appointed Rev. G. A. Ris, Archdeacon of Prince Rupert and Rev. W. F. Rushbrook, honorary Canon of St. Andrew's cathedral.

FORMER M. P. DIES.

Vancouver, April 15.—Archibald M. Little, former member of Parliament for Norfolk County, Ontario, is dead at the home of his son here. He was 86 years old and was very active until a few days before he was confined to his bed. He died of hemorrhage of the brain.

MISSISSIPPI FLOWS OVER MANY ACRES

Break Occurs in Levee at Grand Tower

Cairo Farmers Estimate Loss at Over Million

Cairo, Ill., April 15.—A break occurred in the levee at Grand Tower this morning and the swollen Mississippi spread over five thousand acres of cultivated land. The water is eleven feet deep in some places and all residents have fled to higher ground.

Loss in Crops. Cairo, Ill., April 15.—An estimated loss of more than \$1,000,000 in crops is feared by farmers resident in four drainage districts north of the Mississippi River, an area of approximately 75,000 acres is being inundated slowly, and all families in the district have left their homes.

Hundreds of citizens are working to strengthen the levees, but most of them admit they are engaged in a losing fight. The river tore out a 200-foot section of the levee at Grand Tower yesterday.

Tractors Used. Peoria, Ill., April 15.—Tractors were being used last night to take people and their belongings out of the East Peoria drainage and development district following warning that the dyke of the Illinois River is not expected to stand for more than twenty-four hours. A high wind will break the levees, one man says.

All public buildings in East Peoria have been opened to the refugees. Trains entering Peoria are going through six inches of water for two blocks.

ILLINOIS RIVER.

Naples, Illinois, April 15.—Fighting the flood, every man in his turn, the men of Naples this morning lost their fight to retain their homes from the grasp of the Illinois River. By noon to-day the entire populace of four hundred Naples will be forced from home to encamp in army tents on the knoll of ground northward that Indian chiefs and General Grant made famous.

VODKA NOT USED BY ALL JEWS HERE

Many in Historic Celebrations Drink Only Wine

The criticism of the Liquor Control Board by many prominent Jews because it laid the responsibility on the Jews of this Province for the importation and distribution of vodka in two grades, 90 and 80 per cent. alcohol and of visnikh, another powerful Northern European concoction, was said here to be due to a misunderstanding between two Jewish factions.

One faction of Jews is strongly against the drinking of vodka, and others such as the representatives of the Free State and de Valera and his followers which began Thursday in an endeavor to bring about peace in Ireland, John D. Ryan, of New York, with reference to the alternative message to Lord Mayor O'Neill:

"The feeling is strong here that anyone who is held responsible for any but peaceful methods will forfeit the support and sympathy of all Americans."

FEDERAL PREMIER'S OFFER IS DECLINED BY SASKATCHEWAN

Regina, April 15.—Saskatchewan has officially declined to accept Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King's offer to return the natural resources to the province on the basis of "ignoring the transactions of the past." It was announced to-day by Premier Dunning, Premier Dunning in his reply to Premier King's letter, says the offer on that basis could not be accepted.

With reference to the alternative suggestion that an accounting be made by an independent tribunal, he declared that this would be acceptable, provided the accounting took into consideration compensation for all lands alienated for the advantage of the Dominion as a whole. Even then, he states, the amount to be paid as an annual subsidy could be agreed upon on broad general principles.

CAUCASIAN PEAK IS CONQUERED BY TWO AMERICANS

Alexandropol, Armenia, April 15.—After baffling expert mountain climbers for years, the great Mount Alagheuz, one of the highest peaks of the Caucasians, has been ascended by two American college athletes, Roy Davis, Montpelier, Ark., and R. D. Anderson, of Connecticut. Mount Alagheuz rises 13,800 feet from a broad plateau about 20 miles east of Alexandropol.

Mrs. Mary Ritter Hamilton, a Canadian artist, who putter a number of studies on the ground where the Canadians fought in the Great War, has a picture of the market at Ypres, the market being held amidst the ruins caused by the war. This picture will eventually be exhibited in Canada.

British Warships In Lough Swilly; Trouble Is Feared

Tense Situation In Ireland; Clashes Anticipated Over the Week-End; Griffith Determined to Hold Pro-Treaty Meeting at Sligo.

Dublin, April 15.—Eamonn de Valera to-day issued an Easter message to the young men and young women of Ireland in which he said:

"Young men and women of Ireland, the goal is at last in sight. Stand together. Step forward. Ireland is yours for the taking. Take it."

Belfast, April 15.—Two British warships arrived in Lough Swilly, County Donegal, northwest of Londonderry, it was learned this afternoon.

London, April 15.—The movement of the British warships into the waters of County Donegal, Ireland, announced in Belfast to-day, is interpreted here as a precautionary measure in view of the tense situation in Ireland.

RETURN OF NATURAL RESOURCES BEFORE OTTAWA NEXT WEEK

Ottawa, April 15.—(Canadian Press)—The decision of the Saskatchewan Government to decline the return of the natural resources of the province on the terms offered by the Federal Government, will not be further dealt with here until Monday at the earliest. The Premier and many of the Cabinet Ministers are out of town for the holidays, and it is not expected that the Council will meet until the first of the week. It is likely that the matter of the return of the natural resources to three prairie provinces will be taken up in the Commons.

The Order Paper asking for the production of all letters and documents in connection with the problem.

IRISH CIVIL WAR SHOCK TO STATES

Would Alienate Sympathy in America, Says Archbishop

Dublin, April 15.—Civil war in Ireland would shock the United States and cost Ireland the loss of hosts of sincere friends, says a message sent by Archbishop Hayes of New York to Archbishop Byrne of Dublin, expressing the hope for a successful outcome of the conference between the representatives of the Free State and de Valera and his followers which began Thursday in an endeavor to bring about peace in Ireland. John D. Ryan, of New York, with reference to the alternative message to Lord Mayor O'Neill:

"The feeling is strong here that anyone who is held responsible for any but peaceful methods will forfeit the support and sympathy of all Americans."

"The outlook is one of almost unrelieved gloom, and the Westminister Gazette, says that he can scarcely believe Michael Collins's tolerance will survive this outrage in the capital of the country for whose government he is responsible."

"O'Connor's attitude is anywhere misunderstood it is not his fault, as he spoke in the plainest terms to the reviewers of the courts in Dublin. The Westminister Gazette quotes him as saying: 'We have nothing whatever to do with politics. We are plain men who stand by the republic to be subverted. It is possibly more to fighting, but if it does the responsibility for civil war will rest on shoulders of those supporting the treaty.'"

STILL IN POSSESSION.

Dublin, April 15.—The republican army insurgents to-day still hold the Four Courts which they seized yesterday and no attempt was being made to dislodge them. The courts did not present the aspect of a place preparing for siege, except for the presence of armed men at the windows.

Arthur Griffith's attention was drawn to the menacing situation in Sligo, where the republican insurgents were strengthening their positions and where he is to make an address to-morrow. "I am going to Sligo."

CANADIAN ARTIST EXHIBITS PICTURE IN FRENCH CAPITAL

London, April 15.—(Canadian Press Cable)—The Salon Societe Nationale des Beaux Arts which opened in the Grand Palais on April 14, according to a Reuter dispatch from Paris, reaches a very good average in quality. Some 1,200 pictures are exhibited, a feature of the exhibition being the large proportion of British and American works of art on view.

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NEW RULES FOR ROTARY SEED GROWING TEST
The Closing Date Will Be April 30

The committee on Agricultural Education of the Victoria Rotary Club decided recently, as previously announced, that henceforth the Rotary trophy for seed growing and citizenship would be open for competition by individual boys and girls under 18 years of age living in Victoria and the Southern part of Vancouver Island generally.
Multigraphed copies of the rules of the contest and stock from which the seed is to be raised may be obtained from the chairman of the committee H. E. Hallwright, of Sunshine Lodge 916 Toimie Avenue, Victoria, B.C. or care of the Victoria High School.
It is important that all applications be in before the end of April 30, in a supervised contest of this kind, it is necessary that candidates register their plots with Mr. Hallwright in time to get the work under way before the warm weather arrives.
In brief, the rules are as follows:
(1) A certain number of seeds must be grown, which are selected by the candidate from the list of stock, vegetables and flowers, which is included with the advice sent to candidates with the regular entry forms which will be supplied on application. A minimum number of biennials must be included. Stock will be supplied where it may be required.
To Have Sole Charge.
2. The candidate must have a suitable piece of ground, of which he shall have sole charge during the current season. A plan of this must be included on the entry form so as to enable the judge to locate it.
3. The candidate must submit for exhibition the seeds which he raises, properly packed and labelled, together with a diary telling what work has been done and money expended (if any). Three essays on topics relating to seed growing and citizenship are also required. The exhibit must be ready in time for the Victoria Fair.
The Trophy.
The prizes will consist of the Rotary trophy on which the name of the winner and his school district will be placed each year. The cup will remain on exhibition in the city, but the successful candidate will receive permanent possession of a handsome medal as a memento of his prowess. Medals will also be given for second and third prizes and a ribbon for fourth place. Arrangements are also being made for special prizes of money and seed-growing equipment.
To Bring Out Talent.
The contest is not, and never has been an easy one, because it aims to bring out seed-growing talent through which the seed-growing industry of Vancouver Island may become established. The prizes are substantial only, however, and as it is the intention of the committee to give successful candidates a chance to get started in this work it is expected that the competition will become keener every year.
As seed-growing in the true sense is really a two-year proposition, those who wish to prepare for the 1923 contest should apply to Mr. Hallwright for stock seed so that they may start their biennials in good time for next year's crop. Biennial stocks, such as roots for this year's candidates will be supplied on receipt of applications.
The last day for making entry for this year's contest will be April 30.

W. H. WALSH DEAD.
Vancouver, April 15.—W. H. Walsh, born in Victoria in 1866, died here this morning of heart disease. He conducted a grocery business here and was a member of the Native Sons of Victoria. Three sisters, Mrs. W. Graham, Mrs. W. Brown and Mrs. N. Scoville, reside in Victoria. Two daughters reside in Seattle.

ITCHY ECZEMA ON HEAD AND FACE
In Pimples, Could Not Sleep, Cuticura Heals.
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WELL-KNOWN CIVIL SERVANT IS DEAD
John F. Beilby Succumbed Today, Following Operation
John Frederic Beilby, for the past twelve years in the Provincial Civil Service in the Department of Lands and the Surveyor-General's Department, died this morning at St. Joseph's Hospital. Operated on a week ago for appendicitis, he was making a good progress towards recovery until last night, when complications ensued and his death in the early hours of this morning came as a great shock to his many friends in this city.
The late Mr. Beilby was born in Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, and had been twelve years in Victoria, lately residing at 135 Linden Avenue. He is survived by his widow, two sons, Eric D. Beilby, of Los Angeles; Richard H. of Duncan; one daughter, Dorothy, at home, and one brother and three sisters in England.
The funeral will be held from the B. C. Funeral Chapel on Monday at 2:30. Interment will be made at Ross Bay cemetery.

OBITUARY RECORD
There passed away at the family residence, Sooke, yesterday, Kathleen H. Mott, beloved infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris. She leaves to mourn her loss her parents and one brother. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon. Rev. Mr. Padden will conduct the service. The remains will be laid to rest in the family plot at Knox's Cemetery, Sooke. The arrangements are with the Thomson Funeral Home.
The remains of the late William Waggott Harker, who passed away at his residence, 1165 Chapman Street, on Wednesday, April 12, were laid to rest yesterday afternoon. Service was held at the Fairfield Methodist Church, where the Rev. Samuel Cook conducted a very impressive service. The hymns sung were "What a Friend We Have in Jesus."

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Jesus, Saviour, Pilot Me" and "Jesus, My Resting Place." Mr. Gerald Murphy presided at the organ. The church was filled with sympathizing friends, the casket and hearse being covered with a profusion of beautiful floral tributes, showing the esteem in which the late Mr. Harker was held. The following acted as pallbearers: R. Young, G. Playfair, J. V. Boyd, G. Robinson, G. Green, E. J. Green, J. Armstrong and A. C. Charlton acted as ushers. Interment was made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

DON'T FAIL TO SPRAY TREES AND PLANTS

Spraying is absolutely essential if the reader wants a perfect crop of flowers. With the first warmth of Spring the eggs of insects (dormant during the winter on twig or branch) come to life. The larvae eat voraciously, develop amazingly and, before you know it, the bloom is stung. Imperfect fruit and unsatisfactory blooms are the certain result.
Spray just as soon as the new leaf starts to unfold, before the bloom appears. Larvae flourish on the young tender leaf. Be sure to get on the under side, both of leaf and bud. Thorough treatment of this kind in the Spring saves a lot of trouble and expense.
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FOUR LEFT IN RACE FOR AMATEUR TITLE
Los Angeles, April 15.—The third round of the championship flight in the Southern California Amateur Championship tournament was completed yesterday, reducing the field to four. E. H. Seaver, Los Angeles, defeated Hugh Haisell, Los Angeles, four and two; George Von Elm, San Lake City, defeated J. A. Ritchie, San Francisco, six and five; Jack Neville, San Francisco, defeated Frank Tatum, Los Angeles, six and five; and Roger Lapham, San Francisco, defeated E. K. Brown, Los Angeles, three and two.
The semi-final round will be played to-day with Von Elm paired against Lapham and Seaver against Neville.
The tie between Seaver and Von Elm for low gross score in the qualifying round was played off yesterday morning, Von Elm winning with 77 to Seaver's 82.

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BELAND CONSIDERS APPOINTMENT OF AN ANALYST IN VICTORIA
Appointment of a Dominion analyst here—an appointment for which the civic authorities have been pressing for years—will be considered by the Federal Department of Health immediately, according to a letter received by Mayor Marchant to-day from Hon. Dr. Beland, Federal Minister of Health. Dr. Beland promises the Mayor to discuss the appointment of an analyst with the Deputy Minister of Health within the next few days and reach a decision shortly.

PRETTY EFFECT OF SPRING FLOWERS
Splendid Display of Wild Lily at Victoria Public Market

A profusion of Easter flowers, symbolic of the season, was displayed at the Victoria Public Market this morning. The wild lilies are found in large quantities, especially around the Cedar Hill district, and along the Interurban line. All stalls carrying this beautiful flower were practically cleaned out at lunch hour. The prices were of the popular kind, and city folk took advantage of the splendid display to furnish their homes with the Easter-tide flower ornamentation. Some stalls were selling the flowers by the dozen, while others were selling them by the bunch. The prices were exceptionally fresh in appearance and of a beautiful supply at ten cents a bunch while later on in the morning when the demand became greater the quotation of 25 cents a dozen prevailed. A fine showing of daffodils was also noted.
A large throng attended the market this morning and the business was exceptionally brisk. The meat booth showed prices of the popular sort beef selling at 15 cents a pound while veal was quoted at 35 cents a pound. Veal had a wide range, the lowest figure being 15 cents while the highest was 35 cents. Local eggs of the new laid variety were extremely popular, there being a big demand for this commodity. The eggs are of a large quality, and are selling at 35 cents a dozen, a slight advance over store quotations but the quality and size of the product is the justification. Fresh dairy butter was also being accepted to-day in preference to the store butter, which is selling the New Zealand product at 20 cents a pound. Lettuce, direct from the country was quoted at 5 cents a bunch, while local cauliflower was selling at 20 cents a piece. This vegetable was of a large size and attractive looking.

VICTORIANS ELIMINATED.
Vancouver, April 15.—Both Victoria players went down to defeat in this morning's play for the golf championship of British Columbia at the Vancouver Club's Burquitlam links. H. T. Gardiner furnished a surprise when he beat A. C. Stewart on the nineteenth hole by one stroke, the extra hole being necessary as they were both tied on the eighteenth.
Other results are as follows: Dawson beat Wilson (Victoria), 1 up; R. Bone beat Galletley, 3 up and 2 to go; Walker beat G. L. Fraser, 2 up and 1 to go; A. D. Fraser beat Thomas (Victoria), 3 up and 2 to go; beat Thomas (Victoria), 3 up and 2 to go; Payne beat Trail, 3 up and 2 to go; Yellowlees beat Smillie 1 up.
Only eighteen holes are being played today, the remaining 18 will be decided to-morrow. This afternoon the Jericho Club will play against Furquitham for the team championship of British Columbia. This is the first time for a considerable while that the Jericho team has been in the finals. A fair crowd was on hand to see the sport, but no phenomenal golf scores were made.

TENDLER'S SUSPENSION IN NEW YORK LIFTED
New York, April 15.—Suspensions of Lew Tendler, boxer, and his manager, Philip Glassman, was lifted yesterday by the National Commission. The fighter and his manager were barred after an argument between Glassman and a referee who had been handed to see the sport, but no phenomenal golf scores were made.

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APPEALS FOR MORE LOT CULTIVATION
One Hundred Lots Conscripted, But Campaign Lags, Says Mayor

Mayor Marchant to-day issued an appeal to Victoria householders to speed up vacant lot cultivation, which is lagging far behind the record of last year.
"The City has large numbers of vacant lots which are available for cultivation and besides, lot conscription is in force, so that there is plenty of opportunity for gardeners," the Mayor pointed out. "Every assistance is being given to cultivators by the City and yet cultivation is lagging. While the figures show a greater activity than I had thought, still, much greater effort is needed."
So far this year 100 lots have been conscripted by the City for cultivation purposes. A. Gough, Secretary of the Increased Production Committee of the City Council, stated this morning. In addition to these, private cultivators are using 100 vacant city lots. Sixty lots have been ploughed by the City for private cultivators. At this time last year the City had ploughed 160 lots, so that a big decrease in cultivation is apparent.

WOMEN'S PART IN GENOA CONFERENCE
Signorinas Rossetti and Garibaldi Are Prominent
Genoa, April 15.—Women have little part in the Genoa Conference. There is not one on any of the thirty-four delegations as a responsible member.
However, several prominent women are included in various staffs and the clerical forces of nearly all the delegations consist largely of the gentler sex.
Signorina Oliva Rossetti, who lectured widely in the United States last year is the chief interpreter employed in translating the Italian addresses into English at the important sessions. She is a granddaughter of the poet, Dante Gabriel Rossetti and has attracted attention owing to her ability, to remember long addresses and deliver them immediately into another language without notes.
Her ability as a public speaker was demonstrated at the opening of the conference, when she made all the Italian speeches audible in English in spite of unusual confusion.
Signorina Italia Garibaldi, granddaughter of the patriot, who attended the Washington conference with the Russian delegation by the Italian Foreign Office.
Signorina Cingarietti is an important member of the Italian Government's publicity staff.

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Mrs. W. A. Jameson, assisted by Mr. Drury Pryce, will be heard in recital in the Metropolitan lecture room, Tuesday evening, April 25.
Meeting of Humane Education and Anti-violence Society, Empress Hotel, Sunday, 5:30. J. W. Benough, of Toronto, will be the principal speaker. Free to all.
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It is not a case of Russia, or Soviet Government, or Bolsheviki. It is the plea, in the name of humanity, for ten million helpless little children who will inevitably die in the slow agonies of starvation unless we feed them.
Will you heed this knock on the door? 25c will feed a child for a week. \$1.00 will ensure sufficient food for one child for a month. \$500.00 will establish a kitchen and feed 100 children until the next harvest. Cheques and money orders may be forwarded through your bank or local committee, or sent direct to Sir George Burn, Treasurer, Save the Children Fund, Elgin Building, Ottawa.
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NANAIMO WANTS ASIATICS EXCLUDED

Resolution Passed and Forwarded to Federal Government

Nanaimo, April 12.—After the mass meeting held by the Asiatic Exclusion League, which was held last night in the G. W. V. A. Hall, the representative delegates from the various organizations present were called together, and the following resolution submitted to them for reference to their respective organizations with the request that they get immediate action thereon.

"Whereas, this meeting of Nanaimo citizens and accredited delegates of public and semi-public organizations, is of the opinion that Oriental immigration into Canada is permitted to continue must inevitably sap the foundations of our moral and economic life of which tendency there is already abundant evidence available.

"We respectfully urge upon the Dominion Government the imperative necessity of enacting legislation that will give effect to the wishes of the people of British Columbia upon this question, expressed by them through the Provincial Legislature of British Columbia at Victoria, on November 1, 1921, details of which are already in the possession of the Federal Government.

this evening join the delegation from the Nanaimo District, which is going to Ottawa for the purpose of consulting with Premier King on the Esquimalt drydock. Mr. Booth will also confer with the Premier on several matters in connection with this district.

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Baby's Own Soap advertisement with illustration of a baby and a woman.

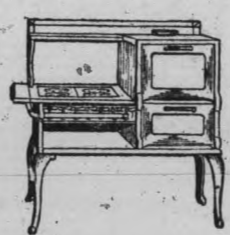
Wrigley's Directory, arrived on the Princess Patricia last evening, and will be in this city for a few days to complete the Nanaimo section of the 1922 edition.

Spencer's basketball team journeyed to Northfield last night, where they were defeated by a score of 36 to 27. The Nanaimo Juniors, who accompanied them on their trip were more fortunate, and won by a score of 11 to 9 from the Northfield Juniors.

The regular monthly meeting of the Nanaimo Hospital Board was held last evening those present being: President, Dr. G. B. Brown, Mrs. Powers, Mrs. King, J. M. Rudd, J. Barsby, J. McGuckie, C. Dakin and Secretary John Shaw.

A letter was received from the medical supervisor of the Vancouver General Hospital, calling the attention of the local Board to National Hospital Day, held all over the American continent on May 12, and asking the Nanaimo Board to fall in line and give publicity to this day.

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JAILED GOSSACK LEADER HISSED

New York Crowds Have No Love for Semenoff

New York, April 15.—General Semenoff, Ataman of the Cossacks, was still in Ludlow Street jail last night waiting for \$25,000 bail. Outside, crowding the street, perched on railings, leaning from windows, even sitting on the edges of roofs, were thousands who waited for him, not to cheer, but to hiss and "boo" the leader of the Cossacks.

Most of the thousands who milled about the jail during the day knew the Cossacks. Most of them were men and women of Russian descent who lived in the thickly settled districts of the lower East Side. If they did not know themselves what the hard-riding Cossacks can do, they had been told by their fathers or mothers, who had fled from Russian massacres. They had no love for Semenoff.

Police Reserves. Early in the day police reserves were called out. They milled with the throng, ready to avert any possible trouble or to open a passageway through the crowds when cellars came to the jail. Once or twice the reserves went into the tenements nearby and drove the people from the roofs. When the rotund general, with his unmistakable moustaches, which flow over his broad cheeks to points under his eyes, was taken out for exercise, the angry roar of the crowd drowned all police orders, and there was a concerted, but futile, push towards the jail doors.

Col. Kroupskey, a former Czarist officer, once district attorney in Petrograd, went to visit Semenoff, his chief. He was hissed and booed as the police made a wide lane for him by main force. The colonel would not talk. He hurried inside, conferred with the general and hurried out and away. Mme. Semenoff, the smiling young woman who has stood behind her husband for more than a week of trouble, did not visit the jail. She contented herself with going to church and sitting in her hotel waiting for news of a bail hearing.

During the day the general's attorneys were busy seeking to get a \$25,000 bond, but company after company refused on "patriotic" grounds. An effort to have Semenoff released through a legal vacating of his arrest failed, and the crowd milled on. A new effort to release the Cossack leader will be made to-day. It will be through habeas corpus. If it fails there is nothing the attorneys can do, they say, but wait until the end of the hearing in which the Yousovetz Home and Foreign Trading Company is seeking to get information on Semenoff's property.

The general wants to sail for Europe next week, but his attorneys said to-day he probably would not.

RUSSIA DISCUSSED BY DELEGATES AT INFORMAL LUNCHEON

Genoa, April 15.—The Bolshevik delegates and the representatives of France to the Economic Conference broke bread together yesterday at the residence of Premier Lloyd George, and as a consequence there has been an appreciable rise in the expectations that the Conference may have results, even in the most pessimistic quarters here.

The occasion for the meeting of the Soviet and French delegates at the table was a conference which lasted throughout the day, in which French, Russian, Belgian, Italian and British representatives participated, and during which Mr. Lloyd George invited all of them to lunch. The meeting was called by Mr. Lloyd George for a discussion of the Russian problem, with the purpose of clearing up certain points in the London experts' report before the Russians present their final reply to it.

This carrying of the most vital part of the business of the Conference into such an informal gathering, where personal contact may possibly remove much of the animosity that has been displayed in the public sessions, has created a general feeling in Conference circles that a compromise may be arranged on the Russian problem which will afford a satisfactory working basis for the reconstruction of Russia.

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The Greatest Strike in History

As Spring comes slowly up the way, over half a million men, accustomed to spend their days mining coal far underground, are out in the sunshine in their little gardens with their children digging up the soil and planting vegetables, while seedsmen in coal towns report a record business. Coal operators, as their mines are not working, have gone to join their families and play golf at Pinehurst or Hot Springs. Government officials blandly tell us that there is nothing in the coal strike situation to call for Federal intervention, the Secretary of the Treasury perceiving no harm to business in the first weeks.

But, perhaps, the great consuming public must be alarmed, anxious, frantic, in the face of the greatest strike in history, with all the anthracite and most of the soft coal mines shut down, with 600,000 striking miners added to the ranks of the unemployed. Quite the contrary, for, to judge from editorial comment, the public views the coal strike calmly. As one writer puts it, "the public sits as a bored spectator until its bins are empty or its pockets."

It is to be remembered that the strike which began on April 1st is a double-header. Anthracite and soft coal miners are striking together for strategic reasons, but with different ends in view and under different circumstances. The hard coal miners call for a 20 per cent. wage increase and their representatives are now in conference with the anthracite operators. The soft coal miners call for the retention of their present wages in the face of the operators' demand for reduction; but the bituminous operators have been unwilling to meet the representatives of the workers in a joint conference to decide on a basic wage-scale. When the strike was called on April 1st some 560,000 union workers, more than 400,000 in the soft coal fields, and an undetermined number of non-union men responded.

For all the particulars—the underlying causes, the situation as it now stands, and the prospects for settlement of this great industrial upheaval—you should read THE LITERARY DIGEST this week, April 15th. It presents the strike from all angles. Other leading news-articles in this number of THE DIGEST are:

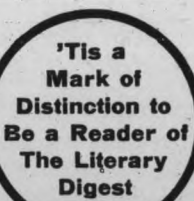
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ORGANIZERS STILL CLOSING NON-UNION MINES IN FAYETTE

Pittsburg, April 15.—Continued closing of non-union coal mines in Fayette county by organizers of the United Mine Workers were reported last night by Vice-President Fagan at headquarters here.

Last additions to the union ranks, he said, had been made in the Indian Creek region, where six independent mines, employing about 1,200 men, were closed.

Mr. Fagan said his reports from Westmoreland County included the closing of fifteen mines, bringing the total of closed mines to thirty-five and striking miners to about 15,000.

Philip Murray, international vice-president of the United Mine Workers of America, who is here to spend Easter with his family, to-day predicted that "there will be a serious bituminous coal shortage throughout the country inside of four weeks."

Without attempting to minimize the magnitude of the struggle ahead of the union forces, Mr. Murray said the continuation of a 100 per cent. strike among the miners, with steady accessions to the strike ranks in the non-union fields, indicates "certain success for our cause."

SALARIES PAID LABOR OFFICIALS IN GREAT BRITAIN

London, April 15.—A flutter has been created in the dovecoats of the Ministry of Labor by the first report of the select committee on estimates.

A good portion of the report is occupied with consideration of the salaries of the chief labor advisers, Sir David Shackleton, and the president of the industrial court, Sir William Mackenzie. The report shows that Sir David was appointed in 1919 as labor adviser at the Home Office at a salary of £500, and expresses the opinion that competent gentlemen were obtainable for much less than the £2,500, which Sir David is now drawing after twelve years of service.

Similar comment is passed regarding Sir Wm. Mackenzie, who is also now receiving £3,000. The committee expressed the opinion that £1,500 a year, the salary now paid to a county court judge, would be sufficient for either official. It is a curious fact that both salaries are higher than that of the Minister of Labor, who draws £2,000, or the permanent secretary, who draws £2,000.

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TOURIST TRAVEL.

Victoria must invite the tourist and keep him occupied in pleasurable pursuits while he is here. This is the message which the director of the tourist and conventions bureau of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce brings to us. The advice is not new; but it loses none of its force through repetition. All one has to do to recognize the soundness of the theory is to paint a mental picture of Los Angeles twenty years ago and compare it with the Los Angeles of to-day. Those Victorians who realize the fact that prosperity of this community is largely wrapped up in the tourist business will not lose sight of the main goal. Our advice to all and sundry is to make the newcomer feel that he is wanted—not only for a few days; but as a permanent resident. If everybody will bear this in mind it should be possible to reap a rich reward.

Incidentally, we hope the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau will discontinue for itself and discourage in other agencies any publicity that creates the impression that this city is a sort of antique, suggestive of Stonehenge, Chester or some other archaeological curiosity and peopled by quaint, old-fashioned mediocrities. It is a great mistake to lead unenlightened outsiders to believe that Victoria is a species of exotic on this continent, belonging in fact more to the Old World than to the New. That impression does this place irreparable harm, keeping out industry and enterprise, besides discouraging the ambition and enthusiasm of these of its citizens who desire to be considered something more than objects of curiosity to visitors.

INEVITABLE.

They may talk as they will, and reaffirm their intention to stick to the Cannes resolution as the limit of the agenda for the Genoa Conference, but it will be found that unless a generous discussion of reparations and disarmament shall be permitted the assembly now in the throes of such momentous issues will fall short of its goal. Even Mr. Lloyd George has gone so far as to admit that the full fruits of the Conference cannot be garnered unless it shall be understood that these highly important matters—and particularly that which involves a reduction of the vast military organizations—must be treated in a practical fashion at an early date. It goes without saying that France would not consent to any sort of dictation that neutral countries might seek to interpose at this juncture, much less take her instruction from her old enemy. Yet even she must come to realize that the peaceful atmosphere that it is necessary to create must have its source in a general inclination towards mutual trust. As long as sabres rattle that desirable condition is out of the question.

TREAD LIGHTLY.

Our school law provides that our schools shall be free, and that no dogma or creed shall be taught in them. We assume the committee appointed by the School Board to ascertain whether there is anything in our school history text-books derogatory to the religious faith of the pupils will keep that very excellent prescription of the law in their minds during their investigation. There are many creeds represented among the children attending our schools and under the school law one is as acceptable as another. Moreover, what might be derogatory to the faith of one element might not be so to others. Hence history text-books quite properly as a rule are very colorless in their references to scriptural

matters. The committee, no doubt, realizes that it is treading on fragile ground and that its wisest course is to go no farther than to satisfy itself that the school law is being carefully observed in regard to religious dogma or creed.

DOLLARS AND CENTS.

One of our correspondents suggests that it would be a good plan if the Provincial Government were to let the people of British Columbia know what it intends to do to increase the effectiveness of its campaign against tuberculosis.

Nobody will disagree with the motives which underlie a suggestion of this kind. Everybody will recognize that the Government has made an excellent start by acquiring Tranquille as the first unit of a combative programme. But the difficulty with which the Minister in charge and his colleagues in the Cabinet are faced is one of dollars and cents. They recognize the ravages which tuberculosis makes upon the population of this Province from year to year. It is equally patent to them that an institution that contains only three hundred beds is woefully inadequate to take care of the four thousand British Columbians who are suffering from the disease at the present time.

What is required first of all is a strong volume of public sentiment that will support the Government and the Legislature and instruct them to go ahead and do all that is necessary to stamp out this frightful scourge. Do this and the rest can be accomplished.

THAT SALMON RUN.

It may be comforting to know that the House of Commons has authorized an investigation of fishery conditions on the coast of this Province. But it is a matter of grave doubt whether Mr. McQuarrie's motion will accomplish anything of material value. As far as the salmon run of the Fraser River is concerned it will be remembered that Mr. J. P. Babcock—assistant to the Provincial Commissioner of Fisheries—has presented every phase of the alarming depletion of the sockeye run to more than one international gathering of fishery experts. All that has resulted has been a modified form of prohibition at the vital seasons. What is necessary is a convention between the Governments of Canada and the United States that will take cognizance of the chief features in the disastrous conditions on the Fraser and produce the many-times mentioned remedy. Canada has already appended her signature to such an arrangement; but the United States Senate has always allowed itself to be swayed by interests in the State of Washington. Until that prejudice can be overcome it will be difficult for this country to do anything.

AN INTERESTING REPORT.

Little information seems to have leaked out as to the nature of an expedition which is reported to have taken one hundred Canadian and one hundred American agriculturalists to Russia. It is said that the men who compose the party are competent farmers and experts in their calling and will engage in the rural sciences under Soviet encouragement. This appears to be about all the news that has been published in connection with the venture except the intimation that the plan has been conceived in a desire to introduce Canadian methods into Russia with a view to the improvement of agriculture in that country. Under proper conditions an undertaking of this kind would be regarded as important in itself as well as for its international significance. As it is if the men are practical agriculturalists and are imbued with the idea credited to the undertaking, and are not actuated by a desire to see the political machine of Russia at close range, the lapse of time may bring interesting news.

NOT DANGEROUS.

From time to time the correspondence columns of a number of the London dailies include warnings from those peaceful individuals who wend their way to Hyde Park on a Sunday afternoon and listen to the gentle

men who give free entertainments from a portable platform commonly described as a soap box. During the last few months the peace of mind of a number of loyal citizens seems to have been disturbed by the pratings of a wizen-faced, under-sized, bushy-haired, ill-nourished person who asks his auditors to assist him to overthrow everything that seems to answer the general purpose of government and industry. But the interesting feature of these highly amusing contributions to the gaiety of life in the great metropolis is the manner in which the British Government provides a stolid blue-coated guardian of the peace for the special protection of the misguided gentlemen who choose to consider that the world is all wrong. To the visitor from other lands the setting in general must suggest an extraordinary faith in the loyalty of the British people. There lies the secret. The phlegmatic British workman is not deluded by the sort of drivel which whirrs its way into the gentle zephyrs from a soap box elevation. What is more he knows that there is nothing like the fresh air cure for the nation-wrecking complaint. And until the crack of doom there is every likelihood that the Marble Arch end of Hyde Park will maintain its reputation as a national exhaust for every theory under the sun. But Scotland Yard and the Secret Service miss very little of the dangerous sort of chatter that sometimes goes on in the fashionable salons as well as in the East End garret.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Eminent railway engineers are going to examine and report upon the P. G. E. at the request of the Government. An eminent economist is going to examine and report upon the taxation affairs of this city on the invitation of the Municipal Council. Whatever happens to the respective reports we ought to be well informed on those two subjects after the experts get through with them.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legible. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the owner wishes. The publication or rejection of a letter is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for miss-spelled names.

LORD'S DAY ACT.

To the Editor—If the enforcement of the Lord's Day Act is merely from a labor point of view, why not amend the Act, giving permission for alternate stores to remain open alternate Sundays?

WORKER.

RE SUNDAY CLOSING.

To the Editor—Surely the person who subscribed him or herself as "Faithful Worker" in last night's Times might let the long-suffering public know who he or she really is. I was rather surprised on coming back from France to see it so awfully quiet and so quiet in Victoria. But there is no further occasion to wonder. The church people have got the city hard and fast on the operating table, and being a severe case, we may not come through it alive. At any rate, the city shall have decent internment for we refuse to be buried any old fashion.

F. J. BUSBY.

DIVORCE GRANTED.

To the Editor—Owing to many false rumors that have been circulated throughout the city, I would be glad if you would publish the following:

Mr. J. A. Aikman was granted an Absolute Decree of Divorce from the 3rd day of February, 1922. Mr. P. D. Morrison being Co-Respondent, the Honorable Mr. Justice Morrison in the Supreme Court of British Columbia at New Westminster on the 24th day of February, 1922. Both Respondent and Co-Respondent were present and gave evidence and were represented by Counsel. Later an application was made by separate Counsel for the Respondent and Co-Respondent, to reopen the case, and after hearing all sides the same was refused. The Decree was signed and duly entered on Friday, the 24th day of February, 1922.

J. A. AIKMAN.

PROF. ZIMMERN'S LECTURE.

To the Editor—The secretary of the Board of Commerce has stated that the "Open Forum" meetings of that body have been instituted for the purpose of "making the citizens think." This being the case, some excuse may possibly be found for what might otherwise be deemed impertinent criticism of the recent lecture of our eminent personage as Professor Zimmermann.

While the information given was most interesting and clarifying, there were a few points in the professor's speech it may be worth while to comment on. The references to the Four-Power Pact (styled more correctly by some influential newspapers the Five-Power Pact) said nothing of the fact that one result of this treaty is to render Japan virtually impregnable in the East, from a naval point of view; the result being that should Japan ever choose to continue the aggressive

policy she has pursued of late years in the East, interference would be more difficult than ever. Not that this is an argument against the treaty. To quote The Rochester Times-Union, "It is worth the price of leaving Japan untroubled in Manchuria and Siberia, and . . . more completely mistress of the Far East than ever."

The Professor's remarks on the economic situation in Europe undoubtedly disappointed a section of his audience. One was led to assume that the speaker had been wholly responsible for the widespread industrial unrest, reference being made repeatedly to 1913 as though it were an El Dorado, whereas it is well recognized that the war merely accentuated the dissatisfaction which prevailed previously. While the Professor gave a most lucid explanation of the phenomena of unemployment, first in the former enemy countries and now in Great Britain and America, no suggestion was offered for a permanent solution of the employment problem, unless vague references to "the development of a big co-operation movement springing from the soil" may be regarded as such.

Either the Professor entertains a prejudice against Russia or lacking personal knowledge of that country, preferred to "play safe." His references to that country, at all events, seemed unsympathetic. His answer to a question concerning the comparison between the French Revolution and the recent Revolution in Russia, also, was at least rather surprising. "Quite the most interesting part of the lecture was information about the administrative side of the League of Nations—though to many of the audience the lecturer's vivid description of the growth of the League, "The Little Entente" may have proved even more attractive.

We have to thank Prof. Zimmermann and the Board of Commerce for a most enjoyable evening.

In conclusion I may express my appreciation of the exceptionally accurate report of the lecture published next day in The Times—as an aid to assimilation it proved invaluable.

ONE OF THE AUDIENCE.

FREE PORTS AND FOREIGN TRADE.

To the Editor—On Tuesday evening last a remark of that scholarly and learned man, Professor Zimmermann, recalled a few thoughts to my mind that I had intended putting before the convention of the Canadian Boards of Trade of British Columbia which was lately held here. However, the opportunity did not offer itself as I had been in attendance. What I wished to speak about was "The Connection of the Canadian Government's Merchant Marine and Trade at Ogden Point and Free Ports."

Professor Zimmermann said "that in his opinion it would be very foolish for Great Britain to adopt a protectionist policy, but that her existence and supremacy depends upon her foreign trade." He then cited the case of the United States of America, a large and developed nation who is "now looking for foreign trade. Her products are backing-up on her. She has built a huge merchant marine in anticipation of foreign trade and what is the result? A large number of her merchant ships are lying idle at their docks. Those that have made a trip or two to other lands are coming back with very little but ballast. Foreign nations are willing to trade with them, but as the goods which they offer in exchange are shut out of the United States by a high tariff wall the business is dead. A trader must be prepared to buy as well as to sell.

Now what is Canada's position as regards foreign trade? Is she looking for it or not? Are her products backing-up on her? An analysis will show that she is in practically the same position as the United States of America.

She is looking for foreign trade, which is evidenced by the large number of Trade Commissioners she is sending out. Apparently she is producing more than she can consume, her products are backing-up. Canada has also established quite a respectable merchant marine, the activities of which are hampered for the same reasons as are those of the States: a high protective tariff. What is to be done with this position in which we find ourselves? If we eliminate or moderate our protective tariff our competing industries might be extinguished; capital and labor would suffer.

And if we continue as we are our products will back-up, our industrial and labor will again suffer, and further our merchant marine will be of no use; to say nothing of the large docking facilities we have built.

The solution for both our merchant marine and our docking facilities is free ports or free zones.

Only through free ports and free zones can the foreign trader and the protectionist meet on common ground.

Foreign and domestic merchandise can be taken into a free zone area and there be broken up, mixed or assembled for export. Direct manufacturing as such may or may not be carried on within the district so restricted.

In this zone all delays caused by customs entries, etc., would be dispensed with. Drawbacks and manufacturing in bond are impractical and vexatious; they cause delays to vessels, etc. The cost of operating vessels is greatly increased due to delays in port. Successful shipping operations depends upon keeping ships at sea. From unloading and loading is guaranteed in free zones. Any nation that has engaged to a large extent in foreign trade has been either free trade or had free zones within its borders. I think, sir, that we in Victoria should not for a moment lose sight of the question of free ports. For when our Federal Government finally decides for they must see it, that by the establishment of these ports or zones our merchant marine and large docks can be profitably maintained, and when the protectionist who is now anxiously looking for export trade, admits that he must be prepared to buy as well as sell, I feel certain that free ports or zones, as above constituted, will be established within our borders.

W. A. JAMESON.

1001 Poul Bay Road, Victoria, B. C., April 12, 1922.

TRAIN DERAILED.

Salt Lake City, Utah, April 15.—Western Pacific passenger train No. 2, which left Oakland, Calif., yesterday, for Eastern Points, was derailed at Winnemucca, Nev., at 3 a.m. today, according to reports received here. Five or six passengers were said to have been slightly injured.

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PROVINCIAL COMMAND MEETS IN VICTORIA

The quarterly meeting of the Provincial Executive of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada was held on Thursday at the rooms of the Victoria Unit, Captain M. M. Marsden, Provincial President being in the chair. Representatives from the various units in B. C. attended, among them being Major J. Eades, Ward of Vancouver, J. Ingram of North Vancouver, S. Petch and A. Faeg of Victoria.

The principal business transacted was in connection with the formation of new units on Vancouver Island and Mainland of B. C., and the reports of the delegates in connection with this were very encouraging. Arrangements were made for a thorough and complete system of organizing by present units of new branches in their vicinity in response to numerous applications from ex-service men who do not at present belong to any association, and it is possible that a tour of the district will be made by the Provincial Command for this purpose.

A resolution from the North Vancouver Unit urging that the administration expenses of the Returned Soldiers' Club should be reduced in order that the money now being paid out in salaries to officials can be used to better advantage for the benefit of the ex-service man, was unanimously endorsed.

RESIGNS SECRETARYSHIP

P. A. Rayner Becomes Honorary Secretary of Navy League Branch.

The resignation of P. A. Rayner as secretary of the Victoria branch of the Navy League was reported to an executive meeting of the branch on Thursday. Mr. Rayner proposes to engage in private business. The resignation was accepted with regret. It was stated that owing to the interest Mr. Rayner has shown in the Navy League, and his desire to maintain his association with the organization he had agreed to accept the position of honorary secretary.

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BRITISH WARSHIPS IN LOUGH SWILLY; TROUBLE IS FEARED

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Sligo, was Mr. Griffith's only statement to-day.

Train Raided.

A party of men raided the Dublin express train for Limerick this morning, seized and burned the consignments of the Freeman's Journal and the Irish Independent. Armed men also seized thousands of copies of the Irish Independent at King's Bridge and the Broadstone Railway terminal in Dublin.

Entrenching at Sligo.

Belfast, April 15.—Forces of the insurgent section of the Irish Republican army are strengthening their hold on Sligo where Arthur Griffith has announced he will hold a pro-treaty meeting to-morrow. The republicans have followed up their seizure yesterday of the post offices, town hall, guild hall and barracks until now they control virtually every position of vantage.

The office of the Conservative paper, the Sligo Independent, was commandeered last night and an armed guard is stationed there. This position dominates Castle and Market Streets, where the post office is situated and also commands Vine and Knox Streets adjoining.

RUSSIAN QUESTION IS ADVANCED STEP TOWARD SETTLEMENT

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will be undertaken. They were to be joined by the principal delegates of the four inviting powers and Soviet Russia in the afternoon.

The discussions were started yesterday at an informal meeting of the more important delegates in the villa of Mr. Lloyd George, the basis of negotiations being the report prepared by the Allied experts in London, copies of which were handed to the Russians earlier in the week. The Russian delegates were to have made their reply to the report to-day, but this has been postponed indefinitely and probably will be based on the understanding reached at the present series of conference. It is understood that the Russian delegates have expressed willingness to assume Russia's pre-war debts

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and to cancel their claims against the Allies if the Allies will do likewise with Russia's war debts.
Time Limit.
One month has been set as the time limit in which the diplomats generally expect it will be known whether the Conference can achieve its purpose. Mr. Lloyd George expects to leave on April 27 and is making every effort to have the big decision arranged before then. Although the Conference worked unintermittently through Good Friday it was announced to-day there would be no meetings of the commissions on Easter Sunday.
The Hub.
The hub of the Economic Conference these days is, by general consent, the Villa de Albertis, where Premier Lloyd George is living during his stay here and the local press in recognizing this has styled the British Premier the "manager of the Conference."
Mr. Lloyd George is carrying out there the idea of holding private discussions without minutes being taken of the proceedings, without the issuance of communiques to the press and without the intervention of anyone except those directly concerned in the discussion. His object, he said, himself, "is to prevent the crystallization of the Franco-Russian differences." The British Premier's idea seems to be succeeding, as the conferees are meeting there rather as individuals than as delegates of their respective nations and are thus able to speak more freely than they otherwise could.

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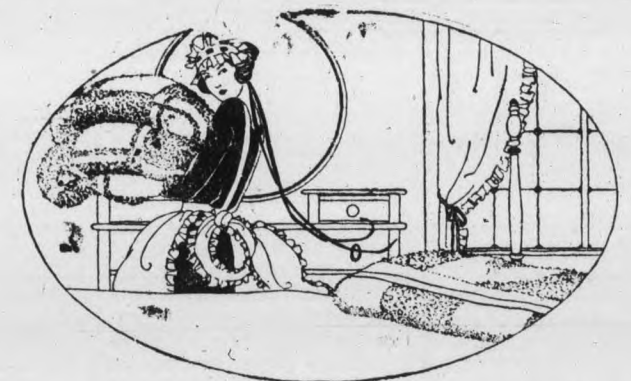
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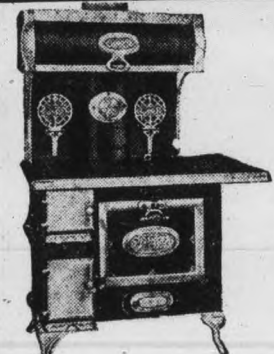
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Royal Purple Party

The Ladies of the Royal Purple will hold a card party and dance next Tuesday evening at the Elks Clubrooms, Weller Building, commencing at 8.30 o'clock. Heaton's Orchestra has been engaged. The following committees have the arrangements in hand: Mesdames E. H. Butler, A. Peden, A. Harpell. Refreshments, Mesdames A. Hill, G. Grant, Herbert.

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CHARMING DANCES ARRANGED FOR DAFFODIL TEA

King's Daughters' Annual Event Wednesday, Flower Show

Although carrying on a beneficent among the sick and needy of the city throughout the year, the King's Daughters make but one yearly appeal to the public for support, and that through the annual daffodil tea. This attractive event will be held at the Empress Hotel ballroom on Wednesday afternoon next, and it is anticipated that all the friends of the Order and the general public will support this annual undertaking.

MANY TABLES TAKEN FOR BRIDGE TEA

Women's Canadian Club Social Function Hudson's Bay Store Thursday

The Women's Club is anticipating an outstanding social success with its bridge tea to be held at the Hudson's Bay private dining-room on Thursday afternoon, April 20. A large number of tables have been taken but there are still a few available to members and friends, and those desirous of reserving tables should communicate without delay with Mrs. C. W. Bradshaw, 4665 L, or Mrs. P. H. Elliot, 5291 L. Tea will be served to players. The game will commence at 2.45.

Y.W.C.A. HEARS FINE REPORTS OF MANY LOCAL ACTIVITIES

Interesting reports were presented at the monthly meeting of the Y. W. C. A., held on Thursday evening at 7.30, with Mrs. Bishop presiding. The traveling secretary met 153 boats and 49 trains, and although travel is light at present, assistance was rendered to twenty persons. Contributions towards the maintenance of this important work were received from the First Baptist Mission Circle, First Presbyterian Ladies' Aid, Christ Church Cathedral, Dominion Y. W. C. A. at Toronto. The Sunday afternoon Bible Class and Monday evening group for discussion Bible study met weekly. The latter is especially interesting, and new members to either of these classes would be heartily welcome.

In the Yates Street residence, 232 meals were served, forty-five permanent and twenty-one permanent guests were entertained, and in the home, 756 Courtney Street, eighteen transients and fifteen permanent guests were received.

Miss De Wolfe, the general secretary, was appointed a delegate to attend the triennial convention of the Dominion Y. W. C. A. at Toronto on May 16 to 20. The fiscal year of the association ending April 20, the following were appointed as a nominating committee to fill the vacancies on the board: Mrs. Beckwith, Miss Fawcett, Mrs. Forman, Mrs. Niven, Mrs. Gibson and Mrs. Bishop.

GARDEN CITY W. I. TO HOLD NOVEL CUP AND SAUCER SOCIAL

The monthly meeting of the Garden City Women's Institute was held on Thursday, April 13, and was devoted entirely to business. The Social Committee gave an excellent report of its activities during the month. The entertainments held by this committee were: A social, a concert, a "500" drive and a dance. All were well attended and very enjoyable. The Easter sale of work netting, \$172, making it possible to pay \$100 off the debt on the lumber.

The Parent-Teachers' Association staged a play called "The Minister's Bride," and the "Strawberry Vale" Church rendered the cantata "Under the Palms." Hearty votes of thanks were passed to Mr. Munro, Mr. Peetz and Mr. Wilkinson, who have during the month given generous service to the hall.

On Friday, April 21, at 8 p.m., a cup and saucer social, with a lantern lecture sheet at the British Isles will be given. Part of the evening will be devoted to singing and games, and refreshments will be served. Members and playlets are asked to devote a plain white cup and saucer, as the institute needs china. The bridal doll, Easter sale, will be drawn for at the social. No other tickets are to be sold, so that the winner will be a person who purchased a ticket at the April 13. At the close of the meeting tea was served by Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Green.

To Assist At Native Daughters' Cabaret



MRS. CHARLES E. WILSON

A prominent Native Daughter and well-known soprano, will be among the artists assisting in the programme arranged for the cabaret to be given by Post No. 5, Native Daughters of British Columbia at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday evening. With Miss Lillian Michajlis and a chorus of pretty girls she will present a charming Chinese number in costume.

Social & Personal

Miss Jean Drysdale, of Nanaimo, is spending a holiday in the city, the guest of Mrs. Stanton.

Dr. and Mrs. Boak, from Crescent, are spending a few days holiday in Vancouver.

Mrs. W. J. Gospe, Monterey Avenue, Oak Bay, was a passenger from Vancouver on Friday afternoon.

Mr. Stanley McE. Smith, of Nanaimo, is spending the Easter holidays in Victoria.

Mrs. A. R. Graham has as her guest over the holidays Mrs. Alex Finlayson, of Vancouver.

Mrs. Alexander MacKenzie, of Vancouver, is holidaying in Victoria for a week as the guest of Mrs. McCall.

Capt. and Mrs. Aitken and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Goward returned yesterday from Vancouver, where they have been for the past few days.

Miss Nora Stevenson, of Departure Bay, is the guest of Mrs. Harry Briggs, Oak Bay.

Mrs. F. M. Reade, of the Mount Edwards Apartments, is spending the Easter in Vancouver visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Cuppage.

Mrs. Gordon Hunter, who with her mother, Mrs. Johnston, has been spending the past six months in Southern California, is expected home to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson and Miss Frances, returned to Victoria this morning from Vancouver where they have been spending the past few days.

Miss Woodward, of Vancouver, is visiting her cousin, Miss Rose Beltingham, Esquimalt Road, for the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Worsnop, widow of the late Colonel Worsnop, arrived in the city yesterday from Vancouver and will visit her son, Colonel Charles Worsnop, for some time.

Miss Stephanie Jones, Physical Director, and Miss Helen M. White, "Girls' Work" Secretary, of the Vancouver Y. W. C. A., are spending the Easter holidays in Victoria.

Mr. J. Barnes, Monteth Street, entertained at a "stag dinner" on Thursday evening in honor of Mr. Tom Sherwood, who is spending his holidays at his home.

Miss Waddy, of Cowichan Bay, is spending a few weeks in the city as the guest of Miss Alice Nash, Pemberton Road.

Miss Ruth McBride and Miss Helen Goward returned yesterday afternoon from Cowichan where they have been visiting for the past week.

Ex-Mayor and Mrs. W. T. Henry, of Edmonton, have arrived at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Graham, of Cumberland, are registered at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. Frank Oliver, of Edmonton arrived in the city yesterday, and are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. Chester Dearing, of Seattle has arrived at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. J. T. Robertson, of Montreal, is registered at the Empress Hotel.

DAUGHTERS OF PITY TO HOLD SILVER TEA

Event at Balmoral Hotel to Aid Children's Ward

The Daughters of Pity are arranging a silver tea for Saturday afternoon next, at the Balmoral Hotel kindly loaned for the occasion by Miss Tully. The proceeds will be devoted to the Daughters' work for the children's ward of the Jubilee Hospital.

A delightful programme has been convened by the Misses Baunerman and M. Muir. Miss L. Johnson, convener, assisted by Misses Lovell, Moss, Menkus and I. Brandon, are in charge of the candy table; Miss Conyers and Misses Short, residence by members of the society will serve delicious afternoon tea. Fortune telling in charge of Miss Brown and Mrs. Bland. Flower, artificial and natural, will be offered for sale. It is hoped many friends of the society will be present to help on the work.

MRS. JAMESON TO GIVE RECITAL

Popular Contralto to Appear With Drury Pryce, Violinist

Much interest has been aroused in the announcement that Mrs. Mary McCoy, Jameson, the popular contralto, is to appear in a recital at the Metropolitan Methodist lecture hall on Tuesday evening, April 25. Mrs. Jameson has been a resident of Victoria for many years and she is well-known to a host of music-lovers through her frequent appearances on Scottish programmes as well as at the general concert platform. Two years ago she took a special course of voice culture at Toronto and her singing bears evidences of careful training.

Assisting Mrs. Jameson will be Drury Pryce, the violinist, who during a comparatively short residence in the city has won his way to a foremost place in the ranks of local musicians. The recital will be under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.

C.P.R. CLUB'S FINAL DANCE MONDAY

Big Affair at Empress Hotel to Wind Up Successful Season

After an unusually successful social season, the C. P. R. Social and Athletic Club will hold their final function in the form of a grand ball at the Empress Hotel on Easter Monday evening. So popular have been the dances given under the club's auspices that the three hundred tickets available for the Monday affair have all been sold, thus ensuring the success of the affair. Oswald's five-piece orchestra will be in attendance and a delicious buffet supper will be served during the evening.

FAIR AND CONCERT AT SAANICHTON

A record attendance is expected at the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, on Friday next, April 21, when a Fancy Fair, Concert and Dance will be held. In aid of the Ladies' Guild of St. Stephens and St. Mary's, the Fair will be opened at 3 p.m., and many pleasant surprises are in store for the visitors. The concert, which is being arranged through the kindness of the Victoria Welsh Choral Society will start at 8.30 p.m. A Welsh choir of 40 voices will render Operatic and some of their famous Welsh choruses. This, being the first public appearance of the choir, should induce the residents of the Saanichton and district, to participate in making this concert an outstanding success.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

At the Strathcona Hotel from Vancouver are Mr. A. Thomson, Mr. S. Holman, Miss Helen White, Miss Stephanie Jones, Miss E. M. Frith, Miss K. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Douglas, Mr. J. W. Little, Mr. N. P. Mustaine, Mr. and Mrs. F. Clough, son and daughter, Mr. J. Spouse and daughters, Mr. P. Cyril Hodge, Professor L. W. Bernard, Miss R. B. Miss Kinch, Mr. E. Walker, Mr. G. Arnold, Miss Lili Laursen, Miss Isabelle M. Fraser, Miss Virginia McGowan, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Gaudin, Mr. C. W. Durrant and son and Capt. and Mrs. J. Barberie and daughter.

EASTER DAFFODIL TEA AT KNOX CHURCH

A daffodil tea will be given by the Knox Church Auxiliary on Friday afternoon, April 18. A splendid programme has been arranged, in which the following artists will take part: Vocal solos, Mrs. L. A. Tickner, Mrs. D. H. Bryce, Mrs. W. A. Jameson, Miss L. Christie; violin selections, Mrs. H. D. Tee, accompanist; Mrs. E. Miller; piano solos, Miss Dorothy Morton, Miss Alma Matthews and Miss Muriel Laing; recitation, Mrs. H. Hollins.

VICTORIA WOMEN'S INSTITUTE.

The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Women's Institute will be held in the Institute on Friday afternoon next at 2.30 p.m. Mrs. Norris, convener of the Legislation Committee for the district, will give her report on Legislation to be followed by a discussion. J. R. Perry will also speak on Boys' and Girls' Clubs, and will also answer any questions on poultry keeping. The demonstration for the afternoon will be "How to make the new eggands flowers," by Mrs. Peden, and the roll call will be "House Cleaning Hints." The Institute is planning to hold a rummage sale near the city on April 28, the date to be announced later.

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Columbian College Women—The Women's Educational Club of Columbian College held their April meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. H. Hall, 1059 Belmont Avenue. Miss Helen Stuart, librarian, gave a very interesting address on "The Trend of Modern Thought as Observed from a Public Library." Mrs. Styles Schell delighted the audience with two beautiful songs, and Miss Lucille Hall rendered a piano solo, which was greatly appreciated. Afternoon tea was served at the close of the meeting.

at the Theatre

ROYAL VICTORIA

A film version of Mark Twain's famous novel, "A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court," will be shown for the last time to-day at the Royal Victoria Theatre.

It is a delightful nonsensical fantasy, humorous to the last degree. The principal character, played admirably by Harry Meyers, is a Yankee of to-day, Martin Cavendish, who, though engaged to a wealthy aristocrat, is in love with her secretary. While reading a copy of his book, he is attacked by a burglar, who strikes him down with a lance which he finds in the room. Cavendish, while falling, strikes his head against the furniture, and imagines himself attacked and taken prisoner to the Court of King Arthur. He is sentenced to death, but threatens to take away the sun, and as a solar eclipse happily occurs he is hailed as a great magician and appointed Prime Minister. Later he gets in to the power of the wicked Morgin Le Fay, and is again sentenced to death, but is rescued by Sir Lancelot on a fiery black, snorting Mex-Engle-spirited Ford. The film is highly amusing, is very well acted, staged, and produced.

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Royal—"A Connecticut Yankee." Pantages—"Peggy's Follies." Princess—"The Match Maker." Capitol—"The Speed Girl." Dominion—"The Green Temptation." Variety—"The Thief."

PANTAGES

Two performances to-night at 7 and 9, will bring the present week's engagement of "Peggy's Follies" to a close, and those who have not already seen it should not miss one of the performance to-day. Miss Lewis and her company put on a most enjoyable show, which should draw good houses.

CAPITOL

Walter Hiers, the fat and rotund comedian who plays the press-agent in "The Speed Girl," with Bebe Daniels, now showing at the Capitol Theatre, made a "personal appearance" tour of the South just before beginning work in the picture.

At Memphis, Tenn., he says, he ran into a convention and found the hotels crowded to the billiard tables. However, he declares that the city fathers, or somebody gallantly met the situation. With considerable formality, they feasted Walter a berth in the elephant house in the park! However, the elephants had, nothing on Walter. He had his trunk, too.

Although it is not generally known, Lucille Carlisle, Larry Semon's charming leading woman, who is almost as popular as the comedian, is a designer. For several years she has designed all the gowns she wears before the camera and on the street. Her costumes are always copied by society leaders and screen players.

For "The Show," which will be shown at Capitol Theatre, Miss Carlisle designed a beautiful gown of iridescent and black sequins. It is designed like a pair of overalls of knee length, one side of black and the other of iridescent. It is cut low with shoulder straps and has a butterfly-wing cape of black and iridescent sequins. The hose and slippers are one black and the other white. White aigrette, clustered with pearls, is worn in the hair.

This costume, as well as six others designed by Miss Carlisle for the production, have been pronounced by critics to be the most unusual, picturesque and pleasing to be seen in musical shows for several seasons. The other costumes are worn by members of the company.

DOMINION

Mary Thurman, screen beauty and leading woman, is in the cast of "The Green Temptation," Betty Compson's new Paramount picture, which will be shown at the Dominion Theatre all this week. Miss Thurman, who has played leading roles opposite many well-known male stars, has the part of Dolly Dunton in the picture. In addition to Miss Thurman the cast includes such players as Theodore Kosloff, Mahlon Hamilton, Neely Edwards and Lymore Lynnard.

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VARIETY

Is it any wonder Pearl White keeps in fine physical trim for her picture making work? She lives on the Long Island shore, and not only digs and "putters" around generally in her garden, but puts on big boots and goes digging clams along the shore of Long Island.

This athletic and popular film star will be at the Variety Theatre to-day, in her latest William Fox production, "The Thief," which as a stage play was a big international success.

"PAY DAY" IS COMING.

A new picture from the Chaplin studios comes so infrequently that its arrival can be looked forward to as an event of especial interest. The Royal Victoria Theatre commencing Monday, the picture was directed by Chaplin, who also wrote the story. Needless to add, he acts in it, lending his inimitable characterization to a part that calls for ingenious comedy. Edna Purviance, Mack Swain and Sydney Chaplin are the principals of the supporting cast.

YOLANDA MERO.

As Henry T. Finck, the veteran critic of the New York Evening Post remarked with reference to the remarkable pianist, Yolanda Mero that "the Magyar temperament is closely allied to the Polish" and that was why Mero must be considered one of the finest interpreters of the elusive music of the Polish genius, so others have found in her Chopin traits of the growling, the Pittsburgh Dispatch has said that "Madame Mero's Chopin was like a fine, shadowy etching in its freedom from showy color and wilful sentimentality." The Republican of Springfield, Mass., has called her "a consummate mistress of Chopin" while the San Francisco Chronicle has asserted that "she played as no one else has in this city" since de Pachmann and Hofmann, "those two great masters of Chopin playing."

PRICE OF TEA HIGHEST IN YEARS

During 1920 so much more tea was produced than was required throughout the world that the market dropped to a comparatively low point. So serious was the position of the United States, Ceylon and Java that they agreed to produce 20% less tea during 1921. The result was that less tea was produced than was required, and now all surplus stocks have pretty well been exhausted so to fill the deficiency. Prices in the last four months have steadily advanced, until the market to-day is at a level as high as was ever before reached, even during war-years. (Adv't)

UNITS ARTISTS.

H. T. Banzhoff, legal representative for D. W. Griffith, has arrived in Los Angeles from New York to be present at the annual meeting of the United Artists Corporation, consisting of Mary Pickford, Douglas Fairbanks, Charlie Chaplin and D. W. Griffith, known as "The Big Four of Filmdom."

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THE LOVE PETAL

By NANCIBELLE HALE

The curtain descended after the first act and the lights in the theatre were switched on.

In front of Neata sat a woman who had been the "racer," dancer and New York a decade ago, with her husband, tall and fair-haired and singularly like the lovely dancer's first husband.

Neata hoped she was not rude but it was difficult to cease looking at the extremely thin loveliness of this woman who had gained fame and fortune by the twisting of her toes. She had the power to attract irresistibly those about her.

Her red-brown curls clung close to her head, which was on her slim neck with as much grace as that of an ivory figurine. Her big gray eyes looked out bewitchingly from her heart-shaped face. She was wearing a frock of palest blue taffeta and her shoulders were covered with transparent net. Pearls, which might have been the stars of gold, hung around her neck. An ermine wrap was flung over the back of her seat.

She talked animatedly to her husband and seemed untroubled by the many eyes upon her. She was the personification of charm.

Across the aisle Neata saw a frequent of "dinner nights"—a swarthy, sleek-haired individual who had been dubbed "king of cynics." Beside him was the only empty seat in the house. Neata watched him intently. He seemed inexpressibly bored. He was one of the few men wearing business clothes. This could be excused—he might have been busy to dress she thought—but was it not selfish of him not to bring some one along? He appeared so self-satisfied—so beastly egotistical. His sat reading some typewritten correspondence while the rest of the audience conversed interestedly.

Neata had seen him many times—and only once with a woman. She had read much of what he wrote—wondering if he took himself too seriously. His arrogance was of such magnitude that it was comical. He seemed to hate women with such direful intensity. Neata knew the vindication of her sex—that some woman would break his heart.

And then she thought that perhaps the bitterest of her kind was to be due to some love affair in his past. Her line of thought suddenly appealed to her sense of humor and she smiled mischievously. She cared nothing about the writer's whims and fancies. He could resolve into a crabbed old bachelor, so far as she was concerned, to take care of whether he changed his wet shoes to warm slippers on a rainy, murky night.

"Don't you want to go out for a smoke?" she asked Emory. Other men were rising from their seat and going to the smoking room and outer corridors to smoke a whiff of tobacco between the acts.

"I will if you will excuse me," said Emory. He was nervous and hoped that if he looked nobody care he was tormented by doubts as to what course Neata would pursue. The night would never pass. He went out into the lobby and he was amused by the study of the audience.

She saw John Drew going about greeting his friends in the audience. Other celebrities of stage and society she watched.

Suddenly she glanced into the aisle beside her and looking straight into the eyes of Colin. He was looking at her with a look of intense interest. He stopped as though petrified. For a period of time which in reality was short but which seemed to last forever, they gazed searchingly into each other's souls. It was a heart-cordoning moment.

Colin controlled his inclination to take Neata in his arms only by the exercise of his iron will. He longed to go to her and beg her on his knees to tell him if she had ever had been the wild imagining of a diseased brain—to assure him that she still loved him, would be his very own forever and ever so long as the breath of life remained in her. He sickened with the hurt of wanting her. He looked anxiously for some sign from her to deny that his appeal would be met with mercy, but she was surrounded by a wall of reserve. She was cold. His place in her affections had been usurped.

And Neata, who had been burling with the pain of his nearness all the while. Why had he come back into her life? Why had he even entered it in the first place? She had been childishly happy before she knew him. Then she had known nothing of love—and its anguish. She had almost convinced herself that she could again be happy and contented without him. She had planned to tell Emory tonight that she would leave with him. She had persuaded herself that Colin had been wiped completely out of her life—that, though the wound left by his imprint on her life was present, it had healed and could not again be opened.

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that her weak strength could not combat Pinnell's amorous clasp. "That is how I hate you," he said, releasing her.

She covered her bruised lips with her pink palm, as though shielding them from further attack. She closed her eyes to shut out the sight of him in fairness, she must admit he had been justified in slight measure. Men were like that.

"You have spoiled it all," she said. There was no resentment in her tone—only a great weariness.

"Our friendship was, until now, a beautiful thing. It helped me in my struggle—I felt I could rely on you, Emory—but I see I was mistaken. I must expect too much of my friends—good-bye."

And, turning, she left him—never looking back as she went up the stairs to her room. She was sad at heart and sick to death of disappointment. (To be Continued.)

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Outbound for Australia and New Zealand the Canadian-Australian liner Makura came alongside the Outer Docks at 7 o'clock this morning...

receive special care, and are valued at a high figure. Among the passengers are many returning to their homes in Australia and New Zealand after vacations on this continent...

As a matter of comparative statistics, it is noteworthy that the old "Scottie" of the Cunard Line, a paddle-wheel vessel of sixty years ago and a record holder of her time, made a speed of 14 knots...

OLD AND NEW The Canadian-Australian liner will take a few passengers and some cargo here. A feature of the shipments from Vancouver is a consignment of thoroughbred hogs for a fancier in New Zealand. The animals are to



Along the Waterfront

SHIPPING NEWS FROM DAY TO DAY

SHIPPERS ANXIOUS TO MAKE END TO PACIFIC RATE WAR

Will Endeavor to Get Canadian Steamships to Co-operate

San Francisco, April 15.—Local shipping operators to-day predicted that within thirty days all trans-Pacific lines, including foreign as well as American, would have formed a rate-making conference...

Present efforts were being directed, it was said, towards interesting the Canadian Steamships Companies, Ltd., to join with other lines in preliminary sessions prior to a general meeting to establish the conference.

A Northwestern port, not yet decided, will be the next meeting place. The meeting last week in Portland was for the purpose of getting operators together. Four lines from San Francisco were represented—the Java-Pacific, China Mail, Toy Kisen Kaisha and the Robert Dollar Company.

The Pacific Mail and Struthers & Barry were not represented, those lines stating that inasmuch as the Shipping Board had stated that since some of the foreign lines were not to be represented, there was little use in sending delegates.

LUBRICATING OIL CONSIGNED TO SEATTLE

Seattle, April 15.—The steamship Lawrence Luckenbach, which arrived here to-day from Gulf ports, included in her cargo six carloads of lubricating oil. In addition to being the first shipment of such oil to be transported by the all-water route from the central Atlantic states to this port, it is also consigned to Miss Helen Moore, of Seattle, said to be the only woman oil agent in the United States.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Portland, April 15.—Arrived: Bohemian Club, San Francisco; Admiral Evans, San Diego, San Pedro and San Francisco; Sailed: Rose City, San Francisco; Tamatsu Maru, Japan.

Tacoma, April 14.—Sailed: Mandanah Maru, Yokohama, via Everett; Carmania, at New York for Naples.

Motorships are no new thing at this port, but the Loch Katrine, which has been interest, being one of the latest day models of the most advanced thought in marine engineering...

Captain G. P. Matthews expressed himself as pleased with the performance of his command, and appreciative of the kindly reception with which she has been greeted at every port.

LOCH KATRINE EXCITED INTEREST AT DOCKS TO-DAY

Received by Delegation from Chamber of Commerce

With two hundred tons for local discharge the motorship Loch Katrine, Captain G. P. Matthews, of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Line, tied up at the Outer Docks at 9:45 a.m. This is the first visit of the new motorship, now out from London with a bumper cargo of general freight.

The Loch Katrine, which arrived at Seattle, then Tacoma, putting off most of her 11,000 tons cargo at those points. For Victoria the motorship has 200 tons of general freight, including a large shipment of "wet goods" for the B. C. Liquor Board. Personal effects and furniture comprise the remainder of the consignment for local discharge. The liner will remain all day at the Outer Docks, taking on about 40 tons after discharging.

After completing cargo movements here the Loch Katrine will sail to-night for Vancouver, for which port it is understood that she will take on a cargo of grain and general at Vancouver. The Loch Katrine, which has been here earlier, but was requested not to hurry, as the docks were busy with the Southbound Ruth Alexander and the outgoing Makura.

Wholesale for Belgium. J. S. McGregor, insurance manager of Findlay, Durham & Brodie, the local agents, met the ship this morning, while Captain Parkhurst, Vancouver representative of the R. S. M. Co., will be over this afternoon, to go back on the liner. The Loch Katrine will take on 70,000 lbs. of canned whalemeat here for Antwerp, a sample of the whalemeat having been much enjoyed by the agents after tasting. The whalemeat is put up in one pound cans by the Consolidated Whaling Company here and tasted much like Australian pressed beef. It is extensively used in Belgium, it is said.

Official Welcome. While working cargo at the wharf this morning the motorship was tendered an official welcome by the Chamber of Commerce, with some thirty members of that body.

So keen was the interest displayed in each cabin for the permit to inspect the ship was handled by pass. The reception committee of the Chamber of Commerce was shown a motorship, which is one of the up-to-date refrigerating plants. Passenger accommodation for twelve passengers is provided on the liner, the cabins being luxuriously appointed, and on equality with the most expensive class of travel on the Atlantic Ocean. Some six passengers shipped at Seattle for the voyage to the United Kingdom, while the remainder of the party, who are understood that the balance will be taken at Vancouver.

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CANADIAN WIRELESS GOVERNMENT REPORT

8 a.m. Report. Estevan—Clear; calm; 29.98; 42; moderate. Point Grey—Overcast; calm; 30.18; 46; smooth. Cape Lazo—Clear; northwest; light; 30.09; 50; smooth. Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; 30.28; 40; smooth. 8 a.m., Admiral Nicholson abeam Noble Island, north; 30.05; 56; smooth. Bull Harbor—Rain; southeast; fresh; 30.10; 40; moderate. 6.40 p.m., Camosun abeam Masterman Island, north; 6.45 p.m., M.S. Apex abeam Safety Cove, north. 8.30 p.m., S.S. Anxox, off Pine Island, north. 8.30 p.m., Prince Rupert, crossing Queen Charlotte Sound, south.

Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; 29.90; 40; smooth. Digby Island—Clear; calm; 30.02; 42; smooth. 7.40 a.m., Princess Beatrice due 8.30 a.m., north. Estevan—8 p.m. positions: Ardmore for Vancouver, 1,715 miles from Vancouver; Canadian Farmer, for Victoria, 280 miles from San Francisco; Canadian Freighter, for Vancouver, 51.38 N., 148.10 W.

LOCK WILL OPEN FOR SEASON SOON Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., April 15.—The Davis Lock here was filled this morning in preparation for the up-bound arrival of the steamer Charles Jenkins expected to be the first boat to pass this season. Conditions are favorable for a fairly rapid passage.

BROUGHT MUCH RATTAN. Seattle, April 15.—What was said to be the largest shipment of rattan ever to have been landed in an American port, was taken from the steamer Pine Tree State and loaded on fourteen cars, consigned to a furniture company in Grand Rapids, Mich., from Singapore.

TWO LOST LIVES BY GAS FUMES

Members of Crew of Oil Tanker Caught in Death Trap

Sarnia, Ont., April 15.—Roy Macdonald, first mate, and Clifford White, third engineer of the Imperial Oil Company's steamer Royalite, both of Sarnia, lost their lives at noon to-day in a compartment of the hold of the steamer, when men being overcome by gasoline fumes. All efforts at rescue proved unavailing as the rescuers were in turn overcome by fumes of the gasoline when they attempted to reach the men.

SILVER STATE OUT TO-NIGHT

Admiral Liner Has Good Cargo and Fair List for Far East

Clearing from this port at 6.30 o'clock this evening, the Admiral Liner Silver State will get away on her westward run to the Orient. Included among the passengers who will sail on the steamship Silver State are: Federal Judge C. S. Lobner, of Shanghai; Thurston R. Forster, United States marshal of Shanghai; J. B. Powell, editor and publisher of the Weekly Review of the Far East, Shanghai, and T. A. Magee, for the past five years representative of the American Express Company in Seattle, who will have charge of the American Express Company agency in Yokohama.

Captain John Griffith will be in command of the Silver State, succeeding Captain E. P. Bartlett. Captain A. S. Howell will go out with the ship as chief officer, a newly-created officer on shipping board vessels. Max Good will be first officer, succeeding Robert Marquart who becomes chief officer of the steamship H. E. Alexander. W. Curot will be second officer, and C. W. Hawkins, third officer on the Silver State.

RUTH ALEXANDER OUT THIS MORNING

Full Complement in Passenger List

Booked almost to the limit, the Admiral liner Ruth Alexander cleared this morning at 9 a. m. for San Francisco. Forty passengers embarked at this port for the run south. The Ruth Alexander carried the usual cargo of general freights, being a well filled ship by the time she departed.

Passengers on board were much interested in the wireless telephone service, which through a comprehensive set of receiving gear is relayed to each cabin for the detection of the passengers. Wireless concerts form an entertaining feature on the three-day voyage, with news and musical selections "picked up" from broadcasting stations at Seattle and San Francisco.

Business men are supplied with stock exchange reports, and excerpts from the news of the world. Ladies are regaled with music, ranging from grand opera to jazz bands. The wireless telephone service, a novel inauguration on this coast, is proving a very great attraction in this instance, and delighted comments were heard on many sides from passengers listening to this colloquy.

Comencing with Friday next week the Ruth Alexander and the S. S. President will operate opposite each other, sailing from the Outer Docks, for the Orient this evening, sailing at 6.30 p. m. Rithet Consolidated, Ltd., are agents for both craft.

CREDITORS RECEIVE SOME ASSURANCE

New York, April 15.—Creditors of the defunct United States Mail Steamship Company announced they had received assurance to-day from Senator Edge and Frelinghuysen of New Jersey, that Chairman Lasker, of the Shipping Board, would be asked to take definite action on their claims, amounting to approximately \$1,500,000.

AMERICAN FACES MURDER CHARGE

Key West, Fla., April 15.—Vernon Brackelhurst, mate of the British schooner Lewis Brothers, recently turned over to the British authorities the body of an American citizen, slain at sea of Captain Chute, was taken to Nassau yesterday with five other members of the schooner's crew. Two of them, Giuseppe Amort and Charles Carter, are charged with being accessories and the other three are held as material witnesses.

"WALKING THE PLANK" FEATURE OF VOYAGE

Remarkable Tale of Mutiny Among Japanese Crew of Strudsholm

Vancouver, April 14.—An extraordinary tale of Bolshevism and mutiny at sea, of the greatest "walking the plank" among the Japanese crew of the steamer "Strudsholm" until the boatswain and the head stoker walked the bridge while the British officers were in daily expectation of "walking the plank" was brought to Canada by the Canadian Pacific S.S. Empress which has just left on a return trip to the Orient. Smacking more of the days of Captain Kidd than of these were the tales of the "Strudsholm" were it less well authenticated. The captain and officers of the "Strudsholm" arrived at Kobe while the "Empress of Japan" was at that port where the recital of their experiences aroused a storm of comment that swept the whole Orient. There was nothing to fear from Bolshevism entering the country from outside, it was felt, while men like the crew of the "Strudsholm" were at large in Japan.

The "Strudsholm," it seemed, after purchase from British owners by the Yamashita Company, left Cardiff in October, 1921, with British officers and a British first engineer, the rest of the crew being Japanese. From the outset there was trouble, and a short of scuttling the ship there was little in the way of mutinous conduct that the men did not attempt. Duties of all kinds were refused or shirked, the sailors taking turns to be "hit" for three or four days, showing no symptoms and declining all attention.

As the voyage neared its end, it was decided to navigate the ship to Manila, whereupon the crew, led by the boatswain and the head stoker, threatened the officers who had no arms, and compelled them to alter their course for Japan. They tried to make Kudat, Borneo, with a similar result. When attempts were made to signal a lighthouse, it was found that the flags were in the boatswain's room and could not be obtained.

On January 25, the head stoker and the boatswain paid one of their "takao" visits to the bridge and ordered Captain V. Frost to put into Takao, Formosa, in order to get medicines for the donkeyman, who was sick. The captain refused, and ordered Captain V. Frost to put into Takao, Formosa, in order to get medicines for the donkeyman, who was sick. The captain refused, and ordered Captain V. Frost to put into Takao, Formosa, in order to get medicines for the donkeyman, who was sick.

Earlier on the voyage there had been another instance of imperfect combination among the crew, when the boatswain knocked a man down on his second attack on the captain with a knife. The first assault had resulted in a trifling cut on the hand. The boatswain was the obvious ringleader of the mutineers, according to the account brought by the Empress of Japan, and as there were no arms and the British officers were helpless, they tried the experiment of promoting him to third officer, to see whether that would make less of a Bolshevick and put him on the capitalist side. To a certain extent this succeeded as he immediately demanded a good cabin and a seat at the officers' table. Not getting these he became more unruly than ever.

On entering Takao harbor, Mr. J. Roberts, the first officer, ran up the international pilot-call flag, but was ordered by the boatswain to haul it down again and run up the local "S" flag. As this came to the same thing, it was done to save further dispute, the boatswain, however, warning Mr. Roberts that if he came forward with any orders to the crew he would be killed.

At Takao, Mr. Roberts took the opportunity of visiting the British Consul at Tamsui before whom he laid the facts. Captain Frost and Mr. Roberts refused to proceed unless the ringleaders were taken from the ship, and the boatswain and head stoker were arrested. The Japanese police, however, soon came to the vessel, explaining amicably and that the mutineers would sail and obey orders. Needless to say, when once clear of the harbor they were as insubordinate as ever.

There was still one more adventure in store at Keelung, where one Hari a ship chandler, representing the firm brokers through whom the ship was bought, told the European officers and engineer to come ashore and put up at a Japanese hotel until they could be sent on to Japan by another ship. For some unexplained reason Hari threatened Mr. Roberts with a fall in with his wishes. However things had been moving since the Takao adventure, and at Keelung a new Japanese crew arrived and took over the vessel. The four Europeans reached Kobe as passengers on another steamer late in February. Some of the mutineers also arrived at Kobe but had apparently committed no offence in Japanese law, as they were left at liberty to go and do likewise on any other ship that would take them.

Considering the traditions of the sea, the whole tale is very interesting. For weeks, for instance, there were only four men willing to take a turn at the wheel. Very often the helmsman did not wait for relief, but simply left the wheel and walked forward, the officer being awakened to the fact by the ship coming around. Even a Chinese on board became infected with the spirit of freedom and refused to see to the lights unless he was paid overtime. The demand for payment in advance for overtime was one of the favorite responses to an order, and anything that the crew did not want to do was

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Plans for the Canadian Transporter, which was to have put in here for a lumber cargo, have been cancelled. The Canadian Transporter will sail direct from Vancouver to Australia, according to the B. C. Pilots Association this morning. The Canadian Transporter will be off this port at noon to-day, stopping only to drop her pilot before getting to sea.

The N. Y. K. Kaga Maru will pass out for the Orient to-day, it is said, for Yokohama, Hong Kong and way ports. The Princess Louise will take the Sanyo run to Seattle to-morrow afternoon, and will relieve either the Princess Alice or the Adelaide next week. The Bay Chimo, the newly acquired trading steamer of the Hudson's Bay Company is lying alongside at Yarrow, waiting for the completion of a cargo of her cargo for northern trading posts. The Bay Chimo is about the same tonnage as the Princess Ema, of the B. C. Coast Service, and is a peculiarly fitted vessel. She carries a single stack, which rides well aft, presenting an unusual appearance. She was formerly in German operation, and operated in the Baltic.

ALASKAN MINERS SAIL FOR SIBERIA

Seattle, April 15.—Destined for Okhotsk, Siberia, via Hakodati, six mining outfits and a party of former Alaskan miners will leave Seattle to-morrow morning aboard the steamer Kaga Maru. This is the balance of the party which left a week ago on the auxiliary schooner Mazatlan.

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SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Table with columns: Day, Sunrise, Sunset, Hour, Min. Rows 1-30.

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1922.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Will Leave for East.—The Rev. Dr. Wilson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of this city, will leave for the East on Monday in connection with work of the church.

Public Library.—The Public Library will be closed to circulation all day Monday, but the reading and reference rooms will be open between the hours of 2 and 9 o'clock.

Meeting Postponed.—Owing to the Easter holidays, and the coming convention in Vancouver, the Parent-Teachers' Association have postponed their meeting, called for Monday evening, until April 24.

I.O.E. Echoes Secretaries.—Echoes secretaries are requested to send in their Chapter reports and the names and addresses of all new subscribers to Mrs. J. C. Barnacle, Echoes Municipal Secretary, at the University Military School before April 20.

Centennial Forum.—Ira Dilworth will be the speaker at to-morrow's meeting of the Centennial Forum of Centennial Methodist Church. The meeting will commence as usual at 2.30 o'clock and the subject of the address will be: "Does the World Need the Church?"

Kingston Street Club.—The Kingston Street Lawn Tennis Club will hold the last of its series of enjoyable dances at the K. of C. Hall, Government Street, on Thursday evening, April 20 from 9 until 1.30. Heaton's Orchestra will supply the music and refreshments will be served by the lady members of the Club.

Conservatives to Meet.—The regular monthly meeting of Ward Three Conservatives will be held in the club rooms, Campbell Building, on Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock. A number of well-known artists will entertain and an informal dance will conclude the programme.

Centennial Forum.—An interesting lecture will be given at the meeting of the Centennial Forum at Centennial Methodist Church at the regular Sunday meeting at 2.30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, when Ira Dilworth will speak on the subject: "Does the World Need the Church?"

Ward Four Liberals.—Ward Four Liberals are planning to hold a cabaret at the Liberal Club on Wednesday, April 19, at 8 o'clock, when both will attend, and tickets will be limited to one hundred. Members of all other wards will be invited to attend, and the charge for admission will be a nominal one.

Aviator in City.—Lieut. W. H. Brown, M. C., well known in local circles, is in the city to-day on a brief furlough from the B. C. Air Station at Jericho Beach. Mrs. W. H. Brown accompanied the pilot navigator to this city, where both will remain until Monday. Last season W. H. Brown was in charge of the Kamloops sub-section of the B. C. Air Board.

St. Mary Magdalene Branch.—The St. Mary Magdalene Branch of the Junior W. A. to Missions will hold a sale of work in the Mission, Gosworth Road, on Wednesday, April 19, to be opened at 3 o'clock by Mrs. Chrow. There will be a stall of plain and fancy articles, including the juniors, and home cooking, candy, flowers and a fish pond. Afternoon tea will be served.

Mail to Orient.—It was announced by the Postmaster this morning that fifty-seven bags of mail for the Orient will be forwarded to the Admiral Liner, the S. S. Silver State, to be despatched to various points in India and at Hong Kong. The seaplane also brought a considerable packet of mail for the same boat from Seattle this morning, making the trip in good time. The landing was done splendidly.

Sikhs Celebrate.—To celebrate the anniversary of the founding of Sikhism, Sikhs from all over British Columbia gathered here this week and took part in striking services and ceremonies at the Hindu Temple. Five hundred men and seven women and a few children attended the services, which, on Thursday, lasted from early in the morning until late at night. The temple was richly decorated for the occasion, and in accordance with the Sikh custom, hospitality was extended to every-one, including a number of Victorians. Kaba Singh, the priest in

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charge of the temple, conducted the sacred rites and at intervals read verses from the Sikh scriptures. A strong appeal was made to the congregation to refrain from the use of spirituous drink, and, as a result, many were induced to sign a pledge.

Fire Extinguished.—At 9.10 this morning an alarm in James Bay gave the fire department a quick run through town to the scene of a roof fire at 465 Quebec Street. Little damage was done. The engine made a spectacular run to the scene of the blaze.

Army and Navy Veterans W. A.—The regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Army and Navy Veterans will be held on Monday at 8 o'clock, in the Arcade Cafe Rooms. As final arrangements for a sale of home-cooking to be held in Spencer's basement on Saturday Morning, April 29, are to be made, a full attendance of members is requested.

Kiwanis Will Entertain.—On Tuesday evening next the Kiwanis Club is to be the hostess at an indoor festival at the Y. M. C. A., commencing at 8 o'clock. The entertainment will include a nail driving contest; a blindfold boxing match; volley ball, and a basketball game as a finale. Each member is asked to bring refreshments for his own party, and a pair of rubber soled shoes.

Gaelic Society.—The Gaelic Society will hold their anniversary social and dance in the Orange Hall, Courtney Street, on Wednesday, April 19, at 8 o'clock. A good programme has been arranged and the following artists will take part: Mrs. Wait, Mrs. Macgregor, Miss Peatt, Miss Nancy Ferguson, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Hudson. Mrs. Ridgard will supply the music. Refreshments will be served during the evening.

Japanese Folk Lore.—Rev. Dr. Saunby gave a very interesting illustrated lecture dealing with Japanese folk lore at the Centennial Methodist Church last evening, and the large audience was greatly pleased with the talk on the subject. The habits and beliefs of the Japanese were described by Dr. Saunby in a very interesting manner.

Lecturer Coming.—An interesting visitor is expected in Victoria on April 24 and 25. He is Bahnan Pestonji Wadia, who is returning to India from the International Labor Conference held last October in Genoa. He has had a busy time since that date lecturing in Europe, the United States and Canada. During his brief visit to Victoria he will deliver three or four lectures under the auspices of the Theosophical Society and the Woman's Canadian Club.

In Police Court.—R. C. Lowe asked on behalf of Edward Black this morning that the \$100 bail which was arrested when accused failed to appear on a charge of being intoxicated in a public place be returned to Black. The explanation was made that Black was in the hospital, had asked a nurse to notify the Court of the circumstance, but as the duty had been transferred to another nurse who forgot about the matter, the bail was returned and paid over to the City. Black wishes to plead guilty, pay the fine of \$50 and get the balance refunded. The City will be asked to decide the matter. The only other case this morning was that of Charlotte Bamfield, charged as a vagrant. The accused was released with a warning.

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CITY TO BE CLOSED TIGHTLY TO-MORROW

Usual Business to Stop as Police Board's Plans Go Into Effect

Small News Stand Owners Fear They Will Be Forced Out of Business

Victoria will be closed as tightly as the proverbial drum to-morrow. Not a news stand or soda parlor will be open, according to information which reached the City Hall to-day. News stand owners stated this afternoon they planned to close their establishments, as no other alternative was open to them. Instead of remaining open in defiance of the Police Board's closed-Sunday plans as they did last Sunday, they said they would concentrate their attention now on efforts to secure the submission of a plebiscite on the whole issue to the electors.

If the closed-Sunday remains in effect here long small news stands will be forced out of business, a leading operator of a chain of stands told The Times. He said that the larger owners of stands would not suffer very much, but a number of the smaller owners, he declared, could not afford to close one day in the week.

The fight for a referendum on the closed-Sunday issue will start on Tuesday night when business men meet in the Chamber of Commerce Forum to organize a campaign to secure the submission of such a plebiscite. It is planned to circulate a petition on the subject to the electors all over the City.

WELSH TENOR TO SING

W. VAUGHAN JONES

Mr. Vaughan Jones, the well-known Welsh singer, will appear in concert at the Saanichton Hall on April 21 under the auspices of St. Stephen's Church.

SAYS ACTION "MOST CALLOUS AND COLD-BLOODED"

Magistrate Severely Scores Patrick Courtney in Court

Accused Fined \$300 for Failing to Stop After Collision

"Driving away as he did was most callous and cold-blooded. For all he might have known someone might have died by the side of the road while he drove on. He said he was in a hurry. Though the collision happened at 7 o'clock he did not take his car into the garage until 1 o'clock in the morning, using his own key to get in, and next morning he gave a hurry-up order to have his car repaired."

"The whole thing points to a guilty mind and under the circumstances it is my duty for the public protection to impose a heavy fine."

The above remarks were made by Magistrate Jay in the Provincial Police Court this morning in imposing a fine of \$300 on Patrick Courtney, found guilty on the charge of failing to report to the occupants of the Ford car which was destroyed on the Island Highway at Colwood Sunday evening after being struck by the big Studebaker driven by Courtney.

Both the most callous and cowardly thing in the Provincial Police records in connection with breaches of the Motor Vehicles Act, was equally as he was left to their own fate. The defendant has the cheek to take an oath and say that he did not know it was a serious accident," said Provincial Police Constable Wilkie in summing up for the prosecution.

Scandal of the Town.

He goes right into town, gives no assistance and makes no report until after reading of it in the afternoon paper, and it has become the talk and scandal of the town.

"Witnesses may lie, but circumstances never do," continued Mr. Wilkie.

Both the Magistrate and Mr. Wilkie had asked accused if he had any passengers in the car with him. "Did you not stop at the Colwood Golf Links and pick somebody up?" asked the Magistrate, to which accused answered in the negative.

"Did you have a business man, and a woman in the car?" asked Mr. Wilkie, to which accused also answered in the negative, saying that he had no one with him.

"I believe the evidence of Mr. Ware, the traveler, who says that when he passed the accused's car there was a driver, and another man to be seen," said Mr. Wilkie.

Scandal of the Town.

R. C. Lowe, for accused made a strong plea to the effect that Courtney did not know that anything serious had resulted to the Ford and its occupants after he had struck it. He said he looked around and seeing the car still on the road thought everything was alright.

Mr. Lowe said that the information had been laid under the Provincial Act, whereas it should have been laid under the Code.

"If it had been laid under the Code he would be subject to imprisonment. As it is he can only be subjected to a fine," said Magistrate Jay.

The courtroom was crowded with spectators, while the trial was proceeding.

NO MORE RELIEF FOR SINGLE MEN HERE AFTER TO-DAY

Unemployed men who have no wives and children to support will be given no further relief work or relief doles by the City after to-day. The City Council decided some time ago to cut off relief for unmarried men April 15 and Mayor Marchant made it clear to-day that he intended to enforce this decision to the letter. A number of men who are working in relief gangs will be without employment at the commencement of next week and no further doles will be extended to them.

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Silver Plated Baby Spoons and Forks

In the popular "Adam" pattern, in the best Community plate; straight or bent handle spoons and forks; in nice velvet lined gift boxes. Each \$1.00

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With rhymes and pictures, also the black cat pattern, which is always a favorite with the children:

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- Bread and Milk Jugs \$1.15

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With pictures and rhymes, "Polly Put the Kettle On," "Little Betty Blue," "Little Miss Muffet" and many others.

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—Lower Main Floor

New Patterns in Men's Negligee Shirts

English-Made Shirts of fine quality close woven cambric; cut good and roomy, in coat style, with double cuffs; come in popular stripes of blue, mauve and green. Price, each \$2.50

—Main Floor

Men's Negligee Shirts

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Trimmed with pink or blue; others in all white; lovely soft quality. Prices, \$1.75, \$2.50 and \$3.50

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In fine organdie; daintily trimmed with lace and ribbon; in pastel shades. Prices, \$3.95 and \$4.50

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All wool Scotch or English Shawls, in a large assortment of sizes and patterns. Prices, \$2.25, \$2.95, \$3.95, \$5.95, \$7.95 and \$8.75

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Button up close to neck, with neat collar; in all white only. Price \$2.50

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Middy style, square collar and long sleeves; laced front and sides. Come in shades of sky with white and pink with white. Price \$3.25

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In white; collar, cuffs and front trimmed with pink or blue silk stitching; fastens with two silk ribbon bows. Price \$3.75

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The drug department is particularly well equipped to look after the needs of "His Majesty the Baby."

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J & J Baby Powder and Soap

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—Main Floor

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Shortening Petticoats in excellent quality English flannel; bodice and full skirt with tuck; scalloped at bottom. Prices, \$1.95 and \$3.25

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Good quality materials; high or low neck; lace or embroidery trimmed. Prices, 75¢, \$1.65, \$2.25 and \$2.85

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All White Rompers or white with colored trimming; in fine sepp and pique; Dutch or straight styles, trimmed with dainty picot, frill or embroidery. Prices, \$1.50, \$1.95, \$2.50 and \$3.75

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White enamel steel cribs, large size; fitted with good spring, two drop sides. Price \$10.50

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Swiss embroidery flouncing with button hole and embroidered edges. A large range of designs to choose from. Value \$1.25. Baby Week, per yard 95c

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—Main Floor

INFANTS' SLIPPERS

With one strap; in blue or pink. Per pair \$1.00

Another pretty style with three straps; in sky, pink, brown, black and white. Per pair \$1.35

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Woven from pure silk yarns and printed in the new ring and scroll designs on navy grounds. 40 inches wide. Per yard \$3.50

36-Inch Heavy Wash Satin at \$1.95 a Yard

In a weight for all purposes; all wanted shadings including ivory and pink; 36 inches wide. Per yard \$1.95

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No silk can be used to greater advantage than this natural made pongee silk, from the famous looms of Shantung. Woven from pure silk yarns in a weight for dresses, waists, rompers, lingerie and also for window drapes; 33 inches wide. 79c yard

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With one strap fastener and black points. This is a splendid everyday glove and will give good wear. Comes in grey and heaver only; sizes 6 to 7; value \$3.50. Special at, per pair \$2.75

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Pique sewn, with two dome clasps, and fancy assorted points. This is an excellent fitting glove; in shades of brown, mastic, heaver, grey, navy, black, white, black and white and white and black; sizes 5½ to 7½. Value \$2.95. Special at, per pair \$2.95

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With two dome clasps and self-colored points. A most stylish and perfect fitting glove. Come in mastic only; sizes 5½ to 7. Value \$3.95. Special at, per pair \$2.95

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Selected Grenada Nutmegs, per packet of nine 5¢

Nabob Colored Icing Sugar in the following colors: Strawberry, lemon, maple, walnut, white, orange, almond, chocolate and rose pink. Per packet 15¢

Royal Crown Witch Hazel, Nursery or Crown Olive Toilet Soap, per cake, 10¢; 3 for 28¢

Brown & Polson's Semolina, per packet 22¢

Finest Quality Toilet Paper, Admiral brand, flats 10¢

Laurel Brand Toilet Orange Marmalade, 1-lb. jars, each 30¢

Daw-Sen & Co.'s Major Grey's Chutney, Col. Skinner Chutney, Mango Sweet Sliced Chutney and Tomato Chutney, per 30 oz. bottle 95¢

Finest Quality Japan Rice, 3 lbs. for 25¢

A STUFFED ALLIGATOR IS FATAL TO PRAYER-FEST

Here Is a Little Story That Makes Hamar Greenwood's Early Piety Subject of Doubt.

THE town of Whitby, in the early days of Sir Hamar Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland, was not rendered less lively by the residence there of the Greenwood family. "Tom" (Hamar) and his brother "Bill" were as full of pep then as now, only their wonderful ability for "action" was in those days sadly misunderstood, and their deeds were often followed by a well-earned whacking.



Sir H. Greenwood.

The living-room and hall were filled with people. The most solemn moment of the meeting came when, crash!—down the stairs glided a huge stuffed alligator right into the midst of the people.

Everybody shrieked. Some of the ladies fell on the verge of fainting. And the meeting was completely ruined. Upstairs sallied Mr. Greenwood, came in hand, wrathful of mien, breathing vengeance, only to find two dear little innocent boys in their night-gowns kneeling in prayer by the side of the bed.

French Ex-Radical and British Lord Co-Workers

Albert Thomas and Ullswater, Formerly Lowther, on Labor Tribunal.

By JULES DEQUIS, GENEVA.

FROM absolutely anti-war-for-any-reason to pro-war to the extent of becoming minister of munitions of his country, from Socialist to Conservative so safe and sane that the certain ultra-Conservative leadership of the league of nations has made him one of the men at the head of the "International Labor Office," which is the body which is supposed to reconcile capital and labor, so to adjust international labor arrangements, so to combat radicalism in labor that it may be made "safe" politically—this is the extraordinary recent history of Albert Thomas.

Wait: there is another detail about this astonishing man's new conservatism which is worthy of attention. His new side-partner is no horny-handed son of toll, no agitator, certainly no radical.

This side-partner of the ex-Socialist from France is Lord Ullswater, formerly Mr. James W. Lowther, for many long years speaker of the British House of Commons. Lord Ullswater is an aristocrat among aristocrats, and therefore not exactly the type which I expected to find in the international labor office which was designed to advise the league of nations as to the best way of solving Europe's (and the balance of the world's) industrial quarrels.

The ex-radical and the noble lord get along very well together. There is less quarrelling between these two officials of the league than there was between Clemenceau and Lloyd George or than there is between Briand and Lloyd George. As a matter of fact, there isn't any quarrelling whatsoever.

They are very busy. The international labor office is one of the busiest worked of all the offices here. Just what it is accomplishing I do not know, and it is not willing, yet, to make announcements, but from morn till night there is a constant procession of practical men and theorists, representing both capital and labor, and nearly every country on the globe, passing through its corridors and seeking conference with one of the two principals or some of their

BRIAND WITHOUT BOOTS

ARISTIDE BRIAND, who was ousted from being premier of France by Raymond Poincaré following the Cannes conference, but who is as likely as not to be back at the top again some day soon, is like Lloyd George, a man of humble origin and proud to tell of it.

He tells, for instance, how he received an invitation from the Labor party at Rennes, when he was a "cub reporter" on the staff of the Journal du Peuple, to lecture on some social problem of the day, and had, at the last moment, to wire: "Cannot come. No boots."

This laconic message stirred his would-be hearers to pass the hat round for the budding statesman. A brand-new pair of boots were sent to him, and their wearer duly appeared at Rennes and delivered his lecture.

UNLUCKY AT THE LAST

SIR MARTIN HARVEY, who is a great favorite with Canadian theatre-goers, was walking along the Strand one day when a man came up. "Sir Martin Harvey, I think?" said the man. "Quite right," said the actor.

"Well, I'm very glad to meet you," said the man. "I have seen you play Hamlet twenty-seven times, sir."

"Well, that's very nice of you, I'm sure," said Sir Martin; "that is a great compliment."

"Yes," said the man, "and I should have seen you for the twenty-eighth time only they changed the blinkin' man on the door."

A STRIKING COMBINATION

ONCE Sir Arthur Balfour was playing golf in Scotland, when he got into difficulties. Acting on his caddy's advice, he got clear with a good shot, whereupon the caddy remarked, "Ah, sir, if Ah'd your strength and ye'd ma brains, what a capital pair for a foursome we should mak'!"

People, People, People!



Eitel Friedrich—Peasant

HERE is another son of the former kaiser, who has been bitten with the back to the land movement—perhaps against his own desires. This exclusive photograph shows former Prince Eitel Friedrich in his villa Jungenheim at Potsdam, scene of his family's former pomp and majesty, tilling the soil in his garden. Military tunic and hat are a peculiar combination, but here he is. He harnesses and attends to his own horses, not only for exercise, but for the sake of economy, since he has not sufficient funds left to engage the hired help necessary to keep his royal cabbage patch in fit condition. It was this prince's wife who recently figured in despatches in connection with divorce proceedings. Perhaps she does not like Eitel any more since he has descended to honest toil.

TOM MOORE'S VIEW OF DELEGATES AT GENEVA

They Were Beautiful to Look at, But—

TOM MOORE, president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, is quite a talker himself, but he does not hold to the doctrine that oratory is all and in all.

Speaking to the Empire Club of Toronto recently, he turned a rather neat phrase in describing the oratorical efforts at the Geneva Labor Conference of last year. There the representatives of 30 different nations met to discuss world problems, and it was somewhat akin to a modern Tower of Babel affair when they got talking.

Some of the delegates were determined to make long and flowery speeches, whether they were important or not, and Mr. Moore summed up their net effect on the conference in the one sentence: "They were beautiful to look at—but they didn't get us anywhere."

PRIME MINISTER'S COUNTER PLAY WHEN Mr. Lloyd George was at the peace conference in Paris he was for a time victimized by an eavesdropper on the wires. After communicating with London by telephone, he discovered that the line was being "tapped." This was awkward; but he was equal to the occasion. A Welshman was installed at the London end of the wire, and subsequent conversations were carried on in Welsh!

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Go Home and Read the Sixth Chapter of Joshua, Solicitor-General's Injunction to Seeker of a Job

D. D. McKenzie Brings His Well-Known Knowledge of the Scriptures Into Effective Play Against Patronage.

By C. McKAY. HON. D. D. MCKENZIE, solicitor-general for the dominion, has a wide knowledge of the Scriptures which he often displays by humorous references during speeches in the house. His dry-barbs on Holy Writ have struck home to opponents many times while the rest of the house laughed.



D. D. McKenzie.

Shortly after being called by the premier to join the federal cabinet Mr. McKenzie was approached by one of his Cape Breton constituents who demanded a job at Ottawa, urging his claims to consideration with more assurance than diplomacy. "Humph," countered Mr. McKenzie, "if ye are no more civil to

the civil service commission than ye are to me ye'll have difficulty landing a job."

"Do you question my claims on the party?" "I am not questioning your claims, 'tis your qualifications I am thinking about."

"Well, what do you say?" "I regret to say I am too busy to pursue the argument," said Mr. McKenzie. "But I'll tell you what you can do—you can go home and read the sixth chapter of Joshua."

So Mr. McKenzie returned to Ottawa. But presently his constituent followed him there and renewed his application.

"And did you carry out my injunction to read the sixth chapter of Joshua?" queried the solicitor-general.

"Yes, that is why I am here. I saw what you meant. I had only to keep on blowing my trumpet and the walls of Jericho would fall down and I could march into my job."

"My good man, since we Liberals arrived at office I cannot admit of any comparison between Jericho and Ottawa," said the minister grimly. "I thought you would realize that my injunction to read the sixth chapter of Joshua was a polite way of telling you to go to Jericho."



Eastern Potentates at the Kindergarten Stage.

ON the right is the dusky little Maharajah of Bhanagar, an Indian prince, who is probably the youngest ruler of any place in the world. His subjects number 400,000 souls. He recently played host when Sir George Lloyd,

Governor of Bombay, visited his palace. On the left is a youthful ruler of the future, the crown prince of Afghanistan, son and heir of the king of that country. With 36 other notables and sons of notables at his father's court, he is now studying at the Lycee Michelet in Paris.

ANNIE S. SWAN MAY TRY TO BECOME M.P.

Another Fiction Writer With Desire for Politics.

IF Mrs. Burnett Smith, better known as "Annie S. Swan," the novelist, is returned to parliament, she will be the latest of a goodly list of writers of fiction who have tried their hand at British politics. Recent instances have included A. E. W. Mason, Sir Gilbert Parker, Sir James Yoxall, Mr. Hilaire Belloc and Duncan Swann.

Novelists, however, have seldom made much show in the Commons. The famous exception, of course, was the reputation as a novelist before he entered parliament, and who actually published a new novel when he had been twice prime minister. Tom Hughes, the famous author of "Tom Brown's School-days," also sat in the House, but was quite ineffective.

Next to Lord Beaconsfield, probably the greatest parliamentary success of a novelist was achieved by Lord Lytton, the Bulwer-Lytton of early Victorian days, and author of "The Last Days of Pompeii," and many other books little read to-day. If we take the case of a great literary genius who did not write fiction, prob-

ably the best example would be Lord Morley, Lecky, the historian, and John Stuart Mill, the great scholar, both went into parliament with tremendous literary reputations, but both were utter failures, although listened to with respect.

BORING FROM WITHIN.

THE worst thing about a bore is that it is almost impossible to insult him.

THE ONE THING NECESSARY

A NEW story concerning Mr. Lloyd George was told recently to the members of the Royal Photographic Society by Mr. Walter Stoneman, who has photographed some celebrities, probably, than any man living.

He was once summoned, during a general election, to take the premier's portrait in a garden.

The ground was very uneven and the chair very rickety, and the sitter was some time getting into a comfortable position.

"Now for the winning smile," said Mr. Stoneman, before removing the cap.

Just as he was about to take it off, "Hold hard," exclaimed Mr. Lloyd George, "let's get a safe seat first!"

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It was a period when reporting in the press gallery was a much more difficult task than it is to-day. To-day the special correspondents who sit over Mr. Speaker's chair are more observers than reporters, holding, in short, a sort of watching brief for their papers. But away back in the eighties, when there was no



Britain's Sailor Prince

PRINCE GEORGE, the fourth and youngest surviving son of the King and Queen, has chosen the navy as a profession as did his father before him and is a lieutenant on the Iron Duke, Lord Jellicoe's old flagship, while he is in command of the Grand Fleet during the war. This is a new picture of Prince George, who will not be twenty until December next.

Ties the Wedding Knot For Three Generations

And Baptizes Child of the Last Union—The Unique Record of Dr. Tovell of Toronto.

WHEN Rev. Isaac Tovell, D.D., the venerable pastor emeritus of Trinity Methodist church, Toronto, undertakes to convey an impression of both his age and the length of his ministry he recites the fact that he has in his credit—what probably no other minister in Canada has—

the performance of the marriage ceremony for three couples in successive generations and the baptism of an infant, the offspring of the third.

In other words, with the performance of the last-named ceremony, he has officially functioned for four successive generations of the same family.

The first marriage ceremony was performed by Dr. Tovell early in the '70's when pastor of Sherbourne street Methodist church (his first pastoral charge after ordination). The second took place twenty-odd years later, when the son of this couple took unto himself a wife. The third took place after the armistice, when a son of these last, returning from the war minus a leg, was united in marriage to a seventeen-year-old girl who had stood true to him while absent at the front. The infant baptised was the offspring of this marriage.

As this last-named ceremony took place nearly two years ago, Dr. Tovell is not without hope that he may live long enough to link up in the bonds of matrimony a member of the fourth generation.

"Let me see, Brother Tovell," remarked the late Sir William Gage, with an assumed seriousness, not long before his death, and after listening to the venerable minister's recital of the story, "did you not baptise Christopher Columbus?"—W. L. E.

Collins' Colleen Holds His Heart in Her Hands Mickey, the Lover, Holds Up the Cabinet to See Sweet Kitty Kiernan of Granard.



Mary's Brother-in-law

DOES not Hon. Edward Cecil Lascelles decidedly resemble his brother, Viscount Lascelles, who married the Princess Mary? He is private secretary to Sir Arthur Balfour, whose niece he married, his wife being also a niece of H.R.H. Princess Louise, Duchess of Argyll. Like his brother, Mr. Lascelles won the D.S.O. in the war, as well as the Military Cross.

DULL, FAT, LITTLE GIRL BECOMES GREAT ACTRESS

Compare Nazimova's Picture of Her Awkward Youth With the Brilliance of To-day.

PEOPLE who have seen the famous, brilliant Nazimova on the stage or in the films must find it hard to think of her as a dull, fat girl. As she said herself recently to an interviewer, "People insist that I am bizarre, exotic, a sort of human serpent. But I am not bizarre; I am not exotic; and I decidedly am not a human serpent!"

But here is the picture of her youth that she paints herself:

"I was a fat, dull, slow, awkward child; with no particular talents, no dreams of ambition, no consuming interest of any kind. They used to call me by a Russian nickname that meant 'little bear,' because that was what I was like—a fat, little cub. In Switzerland, where I spent part of my childhood, they gave me a German nickname meaning 'little ball'; something that could be rolled along, but couldn't really walk. I remember seeing a picture that had been taken of me when I was five years old, and of asking my mother if I really had been like that; so fat and dull! And she assured me that I had been the very slowest of all her children."



Madame Nazimova.

Even at seventeen, when after a chance contact with amateur theatricals she went to the dramatic school in Moscow, without any real ambition or conviction, to study acting she thus saw herself:

"I know now just how I must have appeared, a self-satisfied, fat, awkward girl. They called me 'the barrel.' I was the kind of child that was always running into the furniture; partly because I am near-sighted, but also because I was awkward. I was in a fair way to be the clown of the whole class, the butt of their ridicule."

Against this glimpse of her youth place the vision of the svelte, beautiful woman now being seen by tens of thousands of people in her new picture, "A Doll's House," by Ibsen, and her other recent creation of "Camille."

A YEAR'S SALARY OF TWO MILLION DOLLARS

C. Harold Wills, the Recipient, Had a Wonderful Record.

HOW much can one man be worth to a company in a year? Is there any limit to a man's earning power for his employer?

These questions are the subject of much comment in American periodicals these days, and bring to light much interesting information as to salaries paid to the heads of American industry. Judge Gary, Charles



C. H. Wills.

W. Schwab and hosts of others are the recipients of enormous salaries, but to the automobile industry goes the palm for the highest paid executive on record. C. Harold Wills, who tolled with Henry Ford in making the first Ford Car, in later years received the highest salary on record. In the famous Ford-Newberry investigation it developed that Mr. Wills received a salary of one million dollars a year, and now the story is told that Mr. Wills considered he was underpaid, and in the subsequent year he was given the modest increase of another million—and those who ought to know say he earned it.

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MICHAEL COLLINS, the Sinn Feiner, plays many roles. First he was the elusive rebel who constantly foiled the forces of the British crown. Then we heard of him crossing diplomatic swords with Lloyd George. Now we hear of him trying to curb the de Valera faction. But we seldom read much of him as "Mickey" Collins, the lover, racing away from the duties of state to see pretty Kitty Kiernan, of Granard, County Longford.

If half the stories can be believed Miss Kiernan, who will soon be the wife of the chairman of the Irish provisional government and quite possibly the first lady of the land three months hence, is a real power behind the head of the Free State government. She is for peace, if not a pacifist, and certainly the erstwhile pugnacious "Mike" is not nearly so fierce to-day as he was a few months ago. They say in Dublin that Kitty Kiernan started training Michael some months ago and that he is an apt pupil. There are few busier men in Ireland than Collins, but still he manages to make quite frequent trips from Dublin to Granard and not long ago he held up a cabinet meeting when he missed the Monday morning return train.



Michael Collins.

With our Young Folks at work and Play

Boys' Department of Y. M. C. A. Looks for Bumper Year

ENCOURAGED by the success of the Spring Camp last year the Boys' Work Department of the Y. M. C. A. has now completed plans for a similar outing this season, to be held at the camp site at Beaver Lake. July 3 to August 7 are the dates set for the camp, in which five week period it is hoped that last year's attendance mark will be surpassed.

Last year, it will be remembered the camp was operated in weekly periods commencing with the younger boys and progressing until the oldest lads were in camp. Each group was in camp under its own leaders, and at the end of the whole outing it was found that 200 boys, with their leaders had gone through the training outlined for them.

This year prospects are even brighter and the boys are already clamoring to be put down as willing to attend the Beaver Lake Camp. The feature of the outing last year was the house warming and first occupation of the Beaver Lake Pavilion. The Beaver Lake Pavilion was built by community effort, through the aid of the local service clubs and other citizens. The Pavilion proved a boon to the boys, and ensured the success of the camp.

This year the curriculum at the camp will be much the same as practised last Spring, but will be modified in some slight respects and will contain many attractive new features. Swimming, of course, forms a feature of the entertainment, swimming classes being conducted under adequate safeguards. With hundreds of boys in bathing at the camp last year the Y. M. C. A. did not have a single mishap to report, a record in itself.

The arrangements for the camp are in the hands of Harold C. Cross, Boys' Work Secretary, who is assisted by other officials of the Y. M. C. A. in planning the programme to be carried into effect this time. A nominal fee is charged each boy attending the camp, this going toward the expense of his keep while there. Last year boys who would not have been able to attend otherwise, were sponsored by many citizens, in this way the underprivileged boy being given an equal opportunity of securing a healthy holiday in the woods. The Victoria unit of the Y. M. C. A. staged a camp last Spring that was not surpassed in the West, and which came up to the high standard set by the larger branches of the institution in Eastern Canada, a fact that speaks volumes for the management of the local outings.

This week has been a relatively quiet one for the boys' department, but next week is to be busy with activities. On Tuesday next the Preparatory clubs will have an all-day outing, hiking to Cadboro Bay under the leadership of Delmar Battrick. Lunches are to be taken, and a day will be spent on the beach, with side trips into the surrounding country.

On Thursday the Juniors' Club will gather for a rally, details of which are not yet arranged definitely, but will be announced later. One week from to-day the entire membership of the Boys' Work Department will rally at a gigantic re-union, to be held in the form of a banquet in the gymnasium. At this rally sixteen different groups will be present, each under its own leader, and each with a table to itself.

The sixteen groups will stage individual programmes, and much keen competition is expected in this connection. At this ceremony too, awards won during the term will be presented to the successful clubs. A cup is to be awarded to the best club in Junior B; pennants to the successful club of Junior A; and swimming medals in the two series recently held in the employed boys' classes.

Swinging into line with a will, the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A. is away to a flying start and this year, it is anticipated, will be a record one in the annals of the junior department of the institution. More boys and keener boys is one of the mottos of the department, and this double want is being rapidly pushed to a successful issue.

FOR CHILDREN

The Sandman Story For To-night



THE LADY OF THE MISTY BLUE—Part II.

THIS time Peterkins did not fall asleep; he kept awake and his eyes were fixed upon the middle of the lake where the blue form appeared.

Just as the village bells struck the last stroke of the midnight hour up from the lake arose the mysterious Lady of the Misty Blue. She parted her blue covering and Peterkins saw her beautiful face, but this time she did not look around the lake for she saw Peterkins at once and slowly moved over the water toward him. Peter-



"Come," and held out her hand.

kins now saw a boat of silvery hue in which the lady was standing. It glided along as if some fairy spell guided it. This he had not seen before, and he wondered now if all the time it had been there, or if she were waiting until she saw some one before the boat appeared.

While he was thinking the boat and lady came closer, and all this time she smiled the sweetest smile Peterkins thought he had ever seen.

When the boat came to where Peterkins stood, for he had stood up when they Lady ap-

peared, she said "Come," and held out her hand. Peterkins had intended only to ask her who she was and where she came from, but instead he did not open his lips but took the hand and stepped into the silvery blue boat beside the Lady of the Misty Blue.

Not a word was spoken, but still she smiled into Peterkins' eyes and held his hand as the boat without help from anyone turned and went over the lake to the spot where the Lady first appeared.

When she reached the middle of the lake, the boat sank under the water and carried with it the Lady and Peterkins, too.

Peterkins had intended only to ask her who she was and where she came from, but instead he found he was perfectly dry, and riding along a road which took them into a deep forest, and instead of the boat he had stepped into he was now seated in a silver coach drawn by two white horses with long, flowing manes and tails.

And all the time the beautiful Lady smiled and held his hand and Peterkins had not asked the questions he intended to ask, for the Lady of the Misty Blue had cast a spell over him he could not throw off.

It was almost dark in the forest, the trees were so tall and thick; but after a while Peterkins could make out a big stone castle in the distance, and when they came to it the white horses stopped though no one had guided them all the way, for Peterkins noticed that they wore no bridles or harness of any sort.

Peterkins did not speak; instead he heard someone else speak in a heavy voice, asking, "Have you brought me an offering?"

The voice came from over his head, and Peterkins looked up and saw out of the tower of the castle a very large head with thick, shaggy black hair and eyes like fire looking down at him as the Lady answered "Yes, King Ogre, I have done your bidding."

"It is well, slave," came the reply. "You have failed of late to obey me."

Peterkins wondered what was to be done with him, but he did not have to wonder long, for a great hand and arm reached down from the tower and picked him out of the coach as if he were but a kitten.

To-morrow I will tell you more, but you need not worry, for Peterkins came to no harm, as you will learn later.



FULLY MODERN

Tommy had been to the circus, he returned home much excited by what he had seen. "Mother, what do you think the elephant did?" he exploded, "Kate spilled some peanuts and he swept them all up in his vacuum cleaner!" he concluded breathlessly.



CERTAINLY IT IS! THAT'S WHERE PUSSIES COME FROM. AND WHEN THEY DIE THEY TURN INTO CATTAILS. DONT YOU HEAR 'EM? AINT IT, FRAG?

SURE IT IS! ITS KITTEN SEED. TAKE SOME OF 'EM HOME AND PUT 'EM INTO WATER. AND THEY'LL BLOOM OUT INTO CATS.

CLASS IN UNNATURAL HISTORY

Have You Chosen Your Post-Bag Chum?

HAVE you found your Post-Bag Chum? It will be remembered that in the issue of last Saturday it was suggested that our little readers could have any amount of entertainment from this idea, wherein each would select a fellow reader in some other part of the Island with whom to open up a correspondence for their mutual benefit and amusement. Those who live in city places would welcome letters from a friend farther north on the Island. Those in the country would be glad to have a chum in this or other cities, who would be able to advise them on many matters. So much for the idea.

The greatest use of a Post-Bag correspondence lies in that fact that there are all too many little readers who have few fellow children of their age to play with, even by mail. In some cases little children are invalids and are thus deprived of the ability of getting about to form friends of their own. In others they live in the more remote sections of this Island and are separated by distance from the many little boys and girls who go to school in the cities. Many there are, who do not pen one letter in the year, and it is to overcome this situation that a Post-Bag Chum becomes a necessity, as well as a source of never-ending delight.

To join the Post-Bag roster all that is necessary to do is to submit your name, and state your age. When writing say where you live and who you would like for your Post-Bag Chum. For those who have no particular want in mind, the editor of this page is always willing to co-operate along these lines. If you

live in the country you can be of great service to your fellow readers in a multitude of ways. If you live in the city you would be able to make some little country cousin very happy by writing an occasional letter to cheer up the lonely lot of those who dwell in isolated places.

While most of our readers will have myriads of friends, and nearly all they could wish for, do not forget that there are some who have little of the joys that you know, and whom you could cheer up by very little exertion on your part. If it lies in one's power to do a kindness, it is always worth doing, for the sake of the deed if nothing more. Join our Post-Bag roster to-day, and you will see what entertainment can be extracted from such a simple means.

ALL CHANGE HERE

It was on a steep hill in the city of Glasgow that the following episode took place. An elderly gentleman was out for a walk in the snow, which lay deep in drifts at the roadside, and rendered walking dangerous on the slippery footpaths. Presently he slipped, and to his horror commenced to slide. He found that he was gathering speed dizzily, as he swept along a footpath that had been turned into a toboggan run. Presently, in his mad career, he caught up with an elderly lady, who was walking ahead.

Unable to check his course, the elderly gentleman crashed into the legs of the pedestrian and the twain recommenced sliding to the bottom of the hill. In due course the bottom was reached, the lady resting none too lightly across the knees of the elderly man. Dazed by her sudden fall and the descent later, the lady appeared disinclined to get up.

Presently—"You will excuse me, madam, but this is as far as I go," came in mild tones from the ever-polite old man.

HONESTY REWARDED

Contributed by Mrs Harrison Eke

WHEE-E-E-E-E—the fire brigade dashed by the startled pedestrians. Who-o-o-o-o—it sounded in the distance. Small boys ran helter skelter vainly trying to catch up with flying autos. Tim Smith, with his companions, was almost breathless in his haste.

"Bet yuh it's old Song Lee's laundry." "Bet 'tain't," returned the boy nearest to him. "It's a 'ouse, that's what it is. I can see the chimblees smoking like anything." Tim Smith chuckled with excitement as they neared the burning building.

"There, what did I tell yuh, Tim, ain't it old Song Lee's?" "Course it isn't, Sammy, can't you see?" "Oh," cried Sammy in surprise, "neither it is!" Looking back, Tim saw another group of small boys whom he knew.

"Come on," he shouted, "house afire." The boys increased their speed until presently they reached the scene of the fire which proved to be a private residence. The fire by now had gained headway, and in the strong breeze blowing, the building was threatened with collapse.

"Gee, isn't she a dandy!" exclaimed Tim to his companions as they pushed forward, edging their way until they were in the front of the spectators, already watching with bated breath. "Roof fire, eh?" said Davey, one of the boys, his gaze fixed on the spraying hose. "A peach, too!"

Just then, to the astonishment of the on-lookers, a lady carrying a small package rushed out of the house. Dashed with terror, she came forward, hesitating a moment, then Tim being nearest she handed him the package.

"Hold that, my boy," she said, "until I come back. I must get—" Tim heard no more. The lady had re-entered the burning building in spite of repeated warnings of the crowd, who waited anxiously for her re-appearance; but she was not seen again.

Tim, until the fire was out and the crowd dispersing, had forgotten the package he held so tightly in his hand. Now he looked around for someone to relieve him of his responsibility, but saw no one whom, in his own small way, he felt he could trust, so he held it closer to him for safety; then with his companions he lingered to watch the last flicker die out of the burning building.

Turning, they gathered around Tim curiously. "What'd the dame give you, Tim?" asked the boy who had visions of a Chinese laundry blaze a short time before.

"Dunno, Sammy," returned Tim, removing the black cloth cover for the first time since the mysterious package had been placed in his hands.

"Jimmie, Tim, it looks like gold," cried Sammy excitedly, as a brass casket, heavily chased, came into view.

"No, 'tain't though," on a second thought, "it's brass, that's what 'tis."

"You seem to know," ventured another of the boys.

"Sure," replied Sammy with emphasis, "cause it's zackly like the fixings on old Dan Hickman's swell auto."

"What'll you do with it?" queried a chorus of voices.

"Dunno," said Tim once more, puckering his brow in perplexity. "Guess I'll bury it so's nobody can't get it until they ask me. Praps the lady'll come back again, who knows, and then I can give it to her."

"Praps she won't though," blurted Sammy, his cheeks red with impudence, "she's deader'n door nails. Why, didn't she go and get burned up?"

"Say, you don't know, Sam," returned Tim. "I guess she went out the back way and praps she's looking for me right now."

"You're pretty good at guessing, ain't you, Tim?"

"Keep quiet, Sammy, else I'm going to show you how," Tim was glib. "Come on, kids," he cried, turning to the other boys who had turned their gaze towards the smouldering ruins, "let's bury it!"

A moment later the boys turned reluctantly away from the scene of the fire and followed, each hoping that a share of the reward would

FOR LITTLE TOTS

Little readers of ten years of age and under are invited to enter for the Junior Reader Contest which is now open. Details of the contest were given in this page last Saturday, and are here repeated briefly:

- Section 1. Write a short letter about your favorite dolly, or
- Section 2. A short letter about your living pet (puppy dog, kitty, or whatever your pet may be), or
- Section 3. A short letter about any subject you wish to share with your fellow readers.

From this choice of subjects all our Junior readers should be able to find a selection that pleases them. Start to-day, and read the rules carefully.

JUNIOR READER CONTEST RULES

1. Write in pencil, on one side of the paper only.
2. Do your entry yourself, unaided.
3. Give your name, age and address.
4. Address all entries to Children's Page, The Times, City.
5. Contest closes April 30, entries to be in by that date.

be theirs when the claim was made for its return.

"How are we going to dig a hole?" asked Davey, in puzzled tones.

"Easy," cried his companion, "kick one with your heel, done it many a time."

"Good!" came from a chorus of voices. Then each, when they got to a place suitable, proceeded to kick the earth until a hole large enough to bury the casket was dug. Tim then placed the casket solemnly in its hiding place. It was almost dark before the last handful of earth was pressed down on the hidden treasure and the boys started for home.

"Say, Tim," burst forth Sammy as he wiped his hands down his pants, "weren't we boobs not to have had a peep in?"

"No, it was none of our business," returned Tim conscientiously.

Sammy's words aroused the curiosity of Davey, however, who skillfully concealed his curiosity from the rest, so that, when Tim parted from them for the night, he was unaware of the whispered arrangement between Davey and Sam to meet the next evening and examine the contents of the casket. Sammy, all agog with excitement, fell in with Davey's proposal, and the next evening, each with a small shovel under his coat, they met.

"Bet yuh, it's a whole bunch of money, Davey. S'posen 'tis, eh, what'll we do with it?" cried Sammy wit excitement.

Davey made no answer.

"Gee," went on Sammy after a moment's reflection, "wouldn't we be rich! Guess we'd get pinched, though, if we kept it?"

"Sure you would," answered Davey quickly, "and don't you try it neither, they me!"

In silence they continued their way until they reached the spot wherein lay the casket.

"This is the place, see, Davey, there's the twig we marked it with."

"Yep, that's it," returned Davey, taking his shovel from his coat and bending forward, commencing to dig.

(To Be Continued.)

Naval Brigade Will Contend Basketball Title

TO-DAY is an important day for the local division of the Boys' Naval Brigade. This afternoon a team of five picked basketball players from the Brigade will meet the Belmont Huskies at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium in the first round of the B. C. Intermediate Championships. The winner of to-day's game will play the Victoria High School team in the second round. The Naval Brigade team has been practicing hard, and will field a team of an average weight of 125 pounds each.

This week has been a busy one for the members of the local division, who spent all spare time at work in getting their boats into shape for the coming season. The Brigade has a cutter and gig, as well as two large lifeboats, the latter a present from the "Robert Dollar Company. It is likely that one of the lifeboats will be placed at the disposal of one of the sub-sections in the outlying districts.

On April 22 the Sooke sub-section is to be inspected, when ratings will be made and presented. The band of the local division is to be in attendance on this occasion, and the officers of the main body will be on hand to make the inspection. The Brigade also has a sub-section at Gordon Head, both being formed to take care of boys who live too far from the city to attend the activities of the main body here.

Cadets Kelly and Murray have just rejoined their ship after a week's furlough, which they spent on a visit to their homes in this city. These two boys have completed a round trip with the C. G. M. Canadian Scottish, making a voyage to Australia and New Zealand on that vessel. Both boys enjoyed their first voyage immensely and both showed a substantial gain in growth, from the beneficial effects of sea.

TOYS FURNITURE

TOOL-CRAFT

BY FRANK I. SOLAR,
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USEFUL ARTICLES

HOUSEHOLD REPAIRS

CLOTHES HAMPER.

MATERIAL—
WALL BOARD
AND NAILS
PAINT TO SUIT

VIEW SHOWING WALL BOARD IN PLACE

VIEW SHOWING LEGS AND CROSS STRIPS IN PLACE

VIEW SHOWING TOP COVER IN PLACE

SECTION THROUGH AB

Attention is called to the fact that this clothes hamper, almost an exact duplicate of one that would cost a neat sum when purchased ready made, may be made at home at a cost of only a few cents and a little of your time. It serves the purpose and looks just as well as any you can buy. Why not make one?

hamper on the left side of the diagram. You will note that the strips which form the front of the legs are 1 1/2 inches wide. The leg strips on the ends of the hamper, in order to appear the same width as those on the front and back, will have to be 3/4 inch narrower, because the stock which forms these leg strips is 3/4 inch thick.

When the legs have been fastened in place cut and fit the one-inch strips which are fastened to the hamper at the top and bottom of the ends and sides. The hamper has now reached the stage of completion shown in the left hand sketch of the group.

With the addition of the lid, which is placed in place with hinges, and the attaching of four strips around the top edge of the hamper, the project is finished except for painting. The strips which are placed around the top of the hamper should be wide enough to come flush with the posts on the outside of the hamper and extend 1/4 inch over the frame.

Holes may be bored in the bottom of the hamper to allow ventilation. I suggest making five holes, each 1/4 inch in diameter.

The finish given the hamper should match the finish of the room in which it is to be used. If it is to be used in the bathroom, for instance, and the bathroom is enameled white, then the hamper may be enameled white, or painted white, also.

AND HERE'S HOW YOU MAKE IT

A clothes hamper, where soiled linens and clothing may be kept while waiting for the wash, is one of the handiest things you can have around your house, and this week we'll get busy and make one.

First get the stock and cut out the four posts, top strips and bottom of the hamper. Dimensions for these parts are given in the upper left hand sketch of the little group of four on the right side of the diagram printed here.

The next thing to do is to assemble this frame-work and then cover it with wall-board. The covered frame is, shown in the upper right hand

EASTER LILY GROWS IN PATCHES IN BERMUDA

It Preserves Its Selectness Even in Its Chosen Island and Flourishes Only in Certain Places.

BEGIN BLOOMING MARCH 1, AND ARE NOW AT BEST

But Lilies are Grown Largely for Their Bulbs and the Flowers are Cut Off.

By VICTORIA HAYWARD.

THE Easter lily has to most people been through a process of elimination until there is but one Easter lily and that "The Bermuda Easter Lily."

It is in Bermuda that the lily of the Easter season finds the climatic conditions which bring it to perfection. Just the right amount of sunshine, the right amount of shower, the right amount of aerial circulation. Yet if one goes to Bermuda expecting to find the islands carpeted with a riotous growth of these fragrant and immaculate blooms the disappointment will be great. The Easter lily even in Bermuda, its chosen field, preserves its singular selectness. It will not bloom in every field even in Bermuda. In early days many a farmer paid to learn this fact. From certain farms they were eliminated entirely. Men could not afford to experiment. "Better stick to onions and potatoes," said they.

Thus the growing of Easter lilies gradually narrowed down to a few chosen acres. Not continuous acres, but a little bit here and a little bit there. And by the farmers these lily "patches" are usually given some intimate or distinguishing name. They speak of the "Jib Piece," the "Valley Patch," "The Cart," "The Narrows." When a man wishes to rent land from another he uses the expression, "A nice little piece for lilies." What wonder then that year by year the men willing to take the risk of growing lilies for sale become fewer? It isn't every man who can grow lilies.

Years ago lilies were grown entirely for the flowers. Then the fields abloom with tens of thousands of heavily fragrant flowers were indeed a sight to delight the eye—the nearest approach to a snowy landscape the sub-tropical islands of Bermuda have ever known. And in those days young people "dressing" the churches were given carte blanche. One met girls swinging huge two-handled clothes baskets between them, the baskets piled high with lily flowers. But the years of "shipping the bud" soon passed. How could the greenhouse men be expected to buy the bulb if they were to meet the competition of the Bermuda grown flower in the florist's windows? It was "put up" to the island farmer. He had no choice. He sent his men through the fields to cut off the flower in all the fulness of its bloom and glory. Snip went the knife and the proud blossom dropped in the "walkway," a stricken thing to wither and rot in the sun.

St. David's the Garden Spot.
UNDER this treatment it was, of course, soon found that the bulb of the lily improved. And so to-day as fine a bulb goes forward to the horticulturist in Canada and the United States as it is possible to obtain.

The centre of Easter lily culture in Bermuda to-day is Saint David's Island in the parish of Saint George's. The first day of March saw a few of the advance guard in full bloom. Later it will be worth a trip to Saint David's to see the lilies on "The Narrows" farm, and also the acre-and-a-half in lilies on Mr. Howard Smith's farm bordering Castle Harbor. The lily farms of St. David's are only about eight minutes by motor boat from Tucker's Town.

St. David's has rightly earned the title of "The Garden Spot of Bermuda," and its farmers were among the first to take up the culture of the Bermuda Easter Lily as a commercial enterprise. The few men now engaged there in the culture of these world famous bulbs and flowers may, therefore, be considered as specialists in this particular line. The lily fields on the Narrow Farm were last year photographed and the pictures used in advertising. So we may take it that in visiting this farm next door to St. David's Church and the public wharf, one will see the Bermuda lily at its best.

In planning to go to Bermuda to see the lilies it must be borne in mind that Easter is a movable feast—that it does not always come on the same date. Yet it is a curious fact that whether Easter comes early or late, whether in the field for trade or spiking its way to perfection in some neglected garden through a tangle of crabgrass and unfriendly weeds the Bermuda Easter Lily invariably makes the great day for which it seems to have been created.

Lilies in the fields wile a wonderful sight, of course, would seem by their very quantity to have less of the personal appeal than the one or two plants, or the small clump of bloom to be seen in private gardens by the wayside.

These small masses of bloom leave something to the imagination. As their fragrance is more pleasing than when thousands of flowers in the field heavily scent the air hundreds of yards from the patch.

The companion flower blooming at the same time as the Easter lily, is the Oleannder, and when the pink blossoms of the Oleannder hedging around the patch as a windbreak, form a background to the lilies, a daintier or sweeter floral arrangement is difficult to conceive. Employed in the Bermuda churches at Easter, blending their lesser glory with the fragrance of the Easter lily arising as incense from the altars will be the Easter lily's fair sister lilies—the Freesia and the Calla.

A Puzzler
SMALL MARJORIE had the very wasteful habit of piling her plate high with food, a large part of which she often left untried. Her father, goaded to sternness, finally told her that hereafter she must eat what she put on her plate or take a spanking.

For some days Marjorie did well, and then delicious chicken pie and dumplings caused her to again fall from grace. She could eat only half of what she took. Vainly she tried, and then leaning back in her chair with a deep sigh she asked, sorrowfully: "Daddy, would you rather be whipped or bust?"—Judge.

Sight Unseen
BOY (to his dad): Dad, can you sign your name with your eyes shut?
His Dad: Certainly.
Boy: Well, then, shut your eyes and sign my report card.—Boys' Magazine

MR. PUFFER AND THE PINK PARASOL—By Edith G. Bayne

ILLUSTRATION BY E. G. DINSMORE

"THE sky looks threatening, dear. Don't forget your umbrella!" Mrs. Puffer called down over the banisters.

Mr. Puffer grunted something in response as he hunched himself into his overcoat. He returned to the breakfast table and drank the rest of his coffee, then made for the front door, crumpling the morning paper into his pocket as he went. He paused at the umbrella stand and saw that it was empty.

"Can't we ever keep an umbrella round this place?" he shouted up to his wife. "There's that last silver-handled one gone now!"

Mrs. Puffer leaned over the stair-well, her mouth full of hairpins.

"Oh dear! I don't believe the Baxters ever returned it!" she exclaimed. "You'll have to get an old one out of the closet under the stairs. And hurry dear—I hear your car coming!"

Mr. Puffer rushed to the spot designated. He pressed an electric switch but no illumination resulted—the globe was probably broken again or doing service elsewhere—so he fumbled about till his hand encountered one of three or four umbrella handles. He selected one at random and ran for the front door and down the steps, thence sprinting nobly the length of the block to where the radial waited. He only just caught it.

He spent the first five minutes trying to regain his breath. A glance around showed him that the other passengers were strangers to him but what an affable-looking lot of strangers they were! They all smiled at him. Mr. Puffer smiled back. It was a jolly old world after all. He fell into a pleasant reverie induced by these reflections. From this he passed into deep abstraction. An important business deal was pending and Mr. Puffer found enough to think about.

Absence of mind is supposedly the prerogative of professors. Mr. Puffer was no professor. He was a substantial-business-man-commuter and never had been known to tuck his newspaper under his neck while he perused the serviette nor to do any other of those absurd things accredited to people whose "upper storeys are temporarily to let." Moreover, he was a conventional sort, slightly diffident, not in the least the kind of man who enjoyed being made conspicuous in public. So it was the more surprising to his friends Jones and White who got on at Stop 16, to discover the dignified Puffer holding a lady's parasol between his knees while he beamed gently out the window at the sunny spring landscape whirling by.

"Poor old Puffer, the wife's sent him on a sample-matching errand!" was Jones' comment. "A pink parasol!"

"Election bet, I'll say," chorled White. "But he looks so sublimely un-self-conscious!"

"Maybe he's taken to amateur theatricals—Madame Butterfly, what? Some color. Doesn't talk—let merely hollers!"

"Hey Puffer, lose any money, besides the bet?" Mr. Puffer started. He followed the amused glances of his friends—and saw that the thing he had snatched from the dark clothes closet was not an umbrella, but an ancient silk parasol once belonging to his wife but latterly the much-prized possession of his children who used it with much effect at backyard circuses that proclaimed by cardboard and sandwichmen: "Admission two pins."

Mr. Puffer broke out in sweat. He felt like a man who dreams that while he's been in bathing his clothes have been stolen and there's no barrel around. His face slowly assumed the hue of the parasol, which was a kind of mottled magenta with pale lavender streaks, due to several nights' exposure to rain. He silently cursed his haste. He had risen late, shaved hastily—a criss-cross

ing seawards—"Aurora" tints, they had been named. With these a wonderful dinner table decoration had been created for an emergency the day before, the foamy, rainbow-tinted wool, having been heaped in a pretty basket and topped with a fern which trailed down its length.

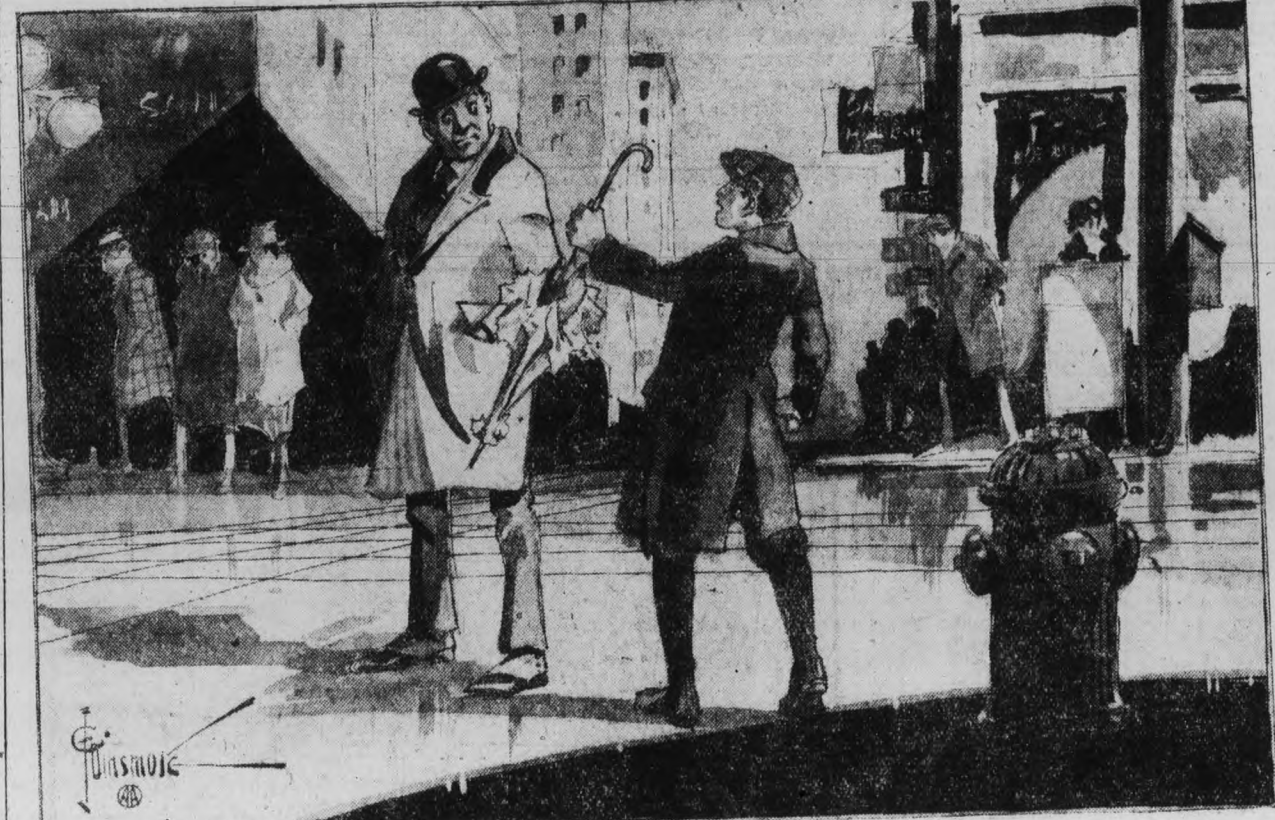
Publicity was necessary if any progress was to be made in this infant industry, so the lady sought to interest the board of trade and the chamber of commerce as well as the department of agriculture, but it took perseverance to get them to understand that this was not the passing fad of a society woman, but a business proposition of importance whose feasibility was being proved.

The press, too, was slow to give any assistance, but help in writing a little booklet about Victoria, knowing she was an authority on the city's history, as her father, Sir James Douglas, had been the first governor of the island. Some questions as to the young man's story brought out the fact that he had been a weaver, but could get nothing to do at his trade. He, too, was glad to throw up his temporary job at which he was a tyro and turn to weaving.

The loom was first set up in the dining room of the Harris home and several of the family learned to weave, experimenting on rag rugs at first. But the noise was too much for the comfort of the household, so a factory recently vacated was rented and the work transferred there.

As the story was told, one had only to turn to the examples on every hand as illustrations of the varied output of the loom. A happy idea was shown in the skirt lengths of different plaids, with each of which went wool of colors to match for sweater, cap and mitts.

But it was not of the evenness of the weaving, nor the cunning art shown in color combinations, nor the promising future that opens up for this baby industry that intrigued the visitor's fancy.



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of sticking-plaster on his chin proved this—eaten in a semi-panic and run off without his wife's morning kiss, and this capped all. He thrust the hateful thing from him and when the radial reached town rose and keeping well in the rear of Jones and White, passed out to dignified freedom—as he thought.

But scarcely had his foot touched earth than the conductor came running after him, clutching the despised parasol.

"You left this behind, sir," he called, hurling it at Mr. Puffer with a grin. "Noticed you little it. Don't mention it. We'll have our little absent-minded spells."

Mr. Puffer gritted his teeth. The downtown car was coming round the curve. He grasped the parasol amidstships and ran. Once aboard he herded in the vestibule with others till the conductor invited him pressingly to move on in. He stood strap-hanging in front of a stout man with an empty market basket, who regarded him with an air of large-minded disapproval. Two snickering flappers kept up an audible whispering a few seats away. Otherwise the passengers were only mildly diverted. Stranger sights than this could be seen on the downtown car.

A bright idea struck Mr. Puffer. If so he had to carry the double-dashed thing any further, he'd wrap it up! So disintering his newspaper from the depths of his overcoat pocket, he proceeded as swiftly and as deftly as he could with one hand—while he swayed and lurched to the motion of the car—he proceeded to hide the horrible object beneath wrapping of paper. But

"Some woman must've—" the latter was beginning with a look of surprise well done. But the youth laughed sardonically and said: "Gwan! Quitcher kiddin'. I seen yuh drop it!"

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Green, in the corridor, wanted to know if he wasn't rushing the season. Two stenographers passed and giggled unrestrainedly. Mr. Puffer strode grimly on.

His phone was ringing as he entered his office.

"Dear," said the voice of Mrs. Puffer, "I saw you running down the street with the wrong bumblebeehood, and I called and called from the window, but you didn't hear. Now be sure and bring that parasol back this evening." The children hold it in high esteem. You—suddenly suspicious—"you haven't done anything with it, I hope?"

"Not yet," replied Mr. Puffer, with great self-control.

hardly had he begun when a lady behind him reached over and touched his arm.

"Oh, is that the Morning Groan—and are you quite finished with it? Could I—?" she hinted.

Mr. Puffer handed it to her, the entire paper in a bunch. He thrust the parasol, in a furtive way, as though he had shoplifted it, up under his overcoat. Ha! Fine idea. Funny he hadn't thought of this before! Of course, it made him a little bulky—it was one of those parasols with a gathered ruffle round the edge—and the handle stuck up over his muffler and now and then dealt him a sharp blow in the vicinity of his jugular vein. Otherwise he was very comfortable, considering.

The car gradually began to empty. Mr. Puffer found himself facing a long stretch of vacant seat.

"Sit down, brother," a genial fellow behind Mr. Puffer cried. "May as well use a seat while you can. Getcher money's worth."

Mr. Puffer shook his head.

"Like standing," he said, briefly. But as two women began to concentrate stares upon him he reconsidered and sank cautiously to a seat. The parasol had to do one of two things—go down or up. It selected the latter course and gave him a smart rap on the ear. Mr. Puffer rose abruptly and sought the front exit. He'd walk the rest of the way!

It was seven blocks, but he footed it. He arrived at a downtown intersection where skyscrapers create a continuous gale through stone canyons—and his hat blew off. He chased it, intent only on its recovery and quite forgetting his guilty secret. As he placed the hat back on his head the parasol decided that its turn for a get-away had come and it slid out from under. Mr. Puffer walked on with an elaborate air of unconcern. But twenty paces further along a breathless boy caught up with him.

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Beavers are Engineers In Building a Big Dam

Extraordinary Houses Stretch a Quarter-Mile and Block a River.

A LARGE number of beavers have executed an extraordinary engineering feat in the Cascade Mountains in the state of Washington by building a dam twelve feet high and over a quarter of a mile in length, according to deputy game wardens who have been seeking the cause of a reduced flow of water in Yakima river.

Seven beaver houses at the centre of the dam are of elephantine proportions, one is fifteen feet high and thirty feet across at the bottom. They are unusually spacious for beaver homes, but according to Indians were made so tall because of floods which are sure to come in the spring thaw.

In building the great dam the ingenuity of the most intelligent of the animals was taxed, for logs over a foot thick were carefully balanced between two large rocks for the middle or point of greatest pressure of the structure.

Not much water was held in by this log and rock wall, but in fresher season two months hence an enormous amount would be impounded: So great a menace did this huge dam present that the state commissioner of game gave the district game warden permission to destroy the colony. Over 200 beavers of all sizes were trapped and the pelts sold at auction.

Under the protective laws beavers in all parts of the northwest multiply rapidly, their dams often disturbing the proper flow of water feeding irrigation canals.

The Universal Lottery
THE FRIEND: "But why didn't your own minister marry you?"
The Bridegroom: "He is so strict that he objects to games of chance."—Ruy Blas.

With the Fish
MISTRESS (engaging servant): "And remember, Jane, we like to be served at table with alacrity."
Jane: "Certainly, ma'am; and when will you have it after the soup?"—Pearson's Weekly.

Where Words Fail
AN autoist, after being held up by highwaymen, beaten, robbed and left along the roadside, upon recovering from his experience, found himself sitting opposite a sign which the board of trade from a nearby town had put up and which read: "Thank you—Come Again."—Judge.

OVERHEARD AT A HAT SHOP
By AMY CARR

SALES LADY No. 1: "Say, Mayme, did you ever see anything like the service this morning?" I thought I'd never get here."
Saleslady No. 2 (powdering her nose): "Gee! I'm tired! After dancing nearly every dance last night Bill wanted me to walk home just because it was moonlight—life just seems to be one 'ouch' after another when your feet hurt."

Fat Lady: "I want to get a hat to make my face look smaller—something of a cool shade."
S. No. 1: "Yes, madam; you need a hat to lengthen your face—here's a nice grey."
Fat Lady: "Oh! there's a pretty hat." (Tries on a large flat hat with drooping plumes).
S. No. 1 (aside): "Some women seem to have no sense at all; she looks like an elephant trying to be romantic. All right, madam, it does look nice. Address, please!"
Bride and adoring groom from the country enter.
Mrs. Bride (blushing coyly): "I want to get a hat—one of the new spring styles; something with cherries on it."
S. No. 2: "Yes, madam; here's a pretty one." (Tries it on bride, who smiles inquiringly at the bridegroom).
Mrs. Bride: "How do you like it, George, dear?"
Bridegroom (rapturously): "Oh, lovely, lovely, darling!"
S. No. 2 (aside): "Help! help! It's too early in the morning for that sort of thing. Oh, yes, madam, it does suit you. (I believe if she had a coal scuttle on her head he would think her lovely!)"
Miss Forty: "I want to get a jaunty hat, something cute in the new shades."
S. No. 1: "Yes, madam; we have a very fine choice."
"I can't see it," said the man, "there's a cow standing in front of it."—Pearson's Weekly.

Young Nellie; or Goodness Gracious! She Is Froze

(By Lawrence Seabury in New York Sun.)
(Have you a little opera in your home? If not, here is one with more or less familiar, though frankly stolen, music, but this minor detail should not worry the opera fan in the least. You have clamored incessantly for it and we are proud to submit the libretto and score of the long-awaited and GREAT AMERICAN OPERA!)

Act I.
YOUNG NELLIE lived by the mountain side, in a wild and lonely spot,
(Orchestra: From Greenland's Icy Mountains!)

No dwelling there for three miles around except her father's cot;
And yet on many a winter's night young swain would gather there,
For her father kept a social board and she was very fair.

(Orchestra: Through all my days, I'll sing the praise of brown October Ale!)

Her father liked to see her dressed as fine as a city belle,
For she was the only child he had, and he loved his daughter well.
It was New Year's Eve—the sun had set. Why looks her anxious eye
So long from the frosty window forth as the merry sleighs pass by.

(Orchestra: Jingle Bells, Jingle Bells!)

(Note: This is the first introduction of the great Love Motif.)
At the Village Inn, fifteen miles off, there's a merry ball to-night,
(Orchestra: There's a Hot Time in the Old Town To-night.)
The piercing air is as death, but her heart is warm and light.

But Ah! How laughed her beaming eye as a well-known voice she hears,
And dashing up to the cottage door, young Charles and sleigh appears!
(Orchestra: My Hero! from the Chocolate Soldier.)

"O daughter, dear," her mother said, "this blanket round you fold,
For it is a dreadful night abroad and you'll catch your death of cold."
"Nay, mother, nay," fair Nellie said, and she laughed like a gipsy queen:
"To ride in blankets muffled up I never can be seen."

(Orchestra: They're wearin' them higher in Hawaii!)

"My silken cloak is quite enough, it is lined throughout you know;
Besides, I have a silken scarf which around my neck I throw."
(Orchestra: And ye shall walk in silk attire.)
Her gloves were on, her bonnet tied, she jumped into the sleigh,
And away they ride by the mountain side and o'er the hills away.

(Orchestra: Jingle Bells, Jingle Bells!)

There is life in the sound of the merry bells as o'er the hills they go,
What a creaking noise the runners make as they bite the frozen snow!
With muffled faces, silently o'er five long miles they pass,
When Charlie with these frozen words the silence broke at last!

(Orchestra: The shades of night are falling fast. Tra la la! Tra la la!)

"Such a night as this I never saw, the reins I scarce can hold."
When Nellie, shivering faintly, said, "I am exceedingly cold."
He cracked his whip and urged his team more swiftly than before
Until five other dreary miles in silence were passed o'er.

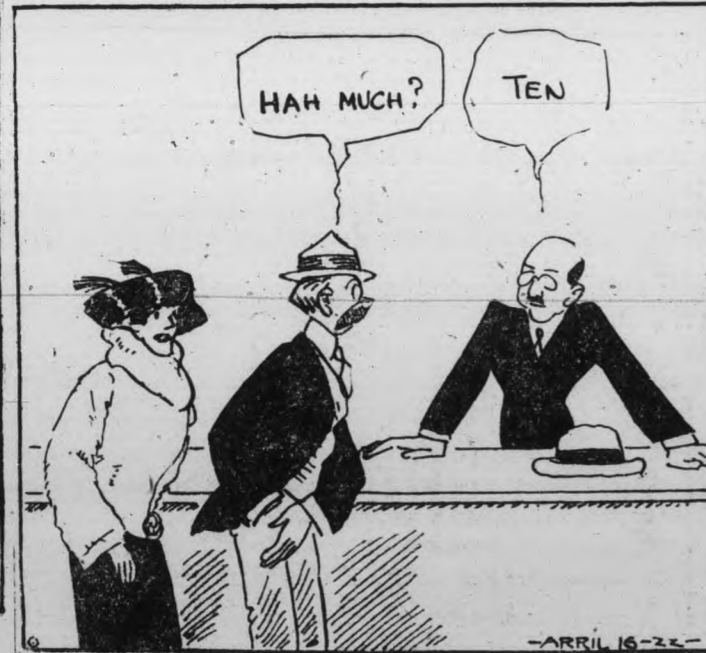
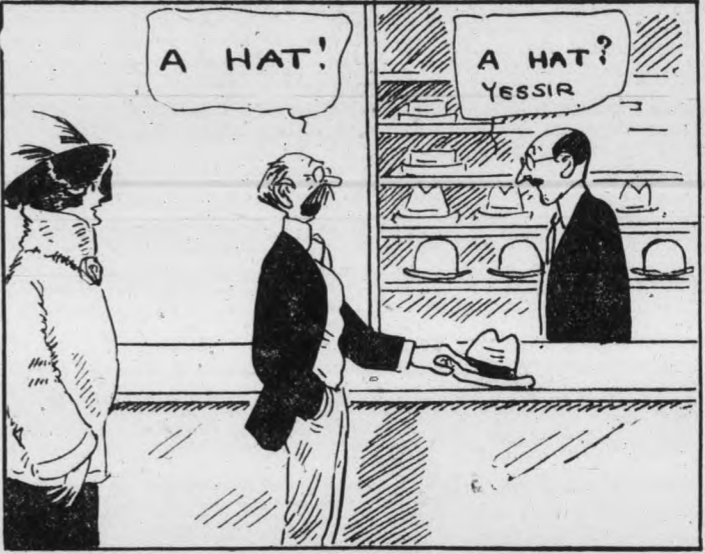
(Orchestra: Jingle Bells, Jingle Bells! A trifle sadly.)

(Curtain.)

Flapper No. 1: "Show me some hats!" (rouges lips and powders her nose generously)—"Isn't Jimmy a dear boy? He sent me five pounds of the best last night."
S. No. 2: "It's in the system, girl; it's in the system, and it seems to always break out worse in the spring."
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S. No. 1: "Do you want a cire satin or a cellophane straw? The fuchsia shade's very new."
Flapper No. 1: "Oh, I want one of the ribbon hats—a floppy one. How do I look in this, Sibyl?"
Flapper No. 2: "Just dear."
S. No. 1 (aside): "The little cat! She knows it doesn't become her at all. Here is one that will go well with your fair hair."
Flapper No. 1 (ecstatically): "Oh! that's too sweet! Jimmy'll just love me in that. Yes, I'll take it with me; I'm in a hurry to wear it; thanks awfully, Sibyl, for helping me choose it."
S. No. 1: "This a pity we salesladies aren't contented so we can wait on a dozen people at once. Yes, madam, the new styles are all in. Step this way. Just a moment. I'm waiting on this lady. I'll be right back in a moment."
First Matron: "I want something to go with a blue suit." (Aside: "Yes; I was up nearly all night waiting for Jack to come home. I'm worried to death about him.")
Second Matron: "Oh, don't be foolish, Dolly." (Tries on hat.) "Aren't those grapes lovely? I'll take it! You mustn't worry so much, Dolly; let him browse round a little. Husbands are like elastic—they always come back to where they start from."
S. No. 1: "And at that you said a mouthful, Mrs. Solsmith!"

Mr. and Mrs. - By Briggs

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Services in the City Churches +

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Corner of Douglas and Broughton Streets.
 Rev. W. Leslie Clay, D.D., Minister. Mr. A. Crowther Smith, Director of
 W. F. Work. Mrs. Jesse Longfield, Organist.
 Sunday, April 16
 11 a.m. Worship—"THE VINDICATION OF JESUS"
 Anthem—"King of Kings"..... Miss M. Morton
 Solo—"The Resurrection Morn"..... Rodney
 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes
 7.30 p.m.—"THE HOMELAND OF THE SOUL"
 Anthem—"The Victory of the Cross"..... Willard
 Solo—"I Know That My Redeemer Liveth"..... Handel
 Chorus—"Lift Up Your Heads"..... Miss Beth Simpson
 Recitative—"Behold, I Tell You a Mystery"
 Air—"The Trumpet Shall Sound"..... Handel
 Chorus—"Hallelujah"..... Handel

"Christ Is Risen"

Who Jesus Christ Was and Is
 Speaker, W. S. Cannell.
 SUNDAY, 7.30 P.M.
PRINCESS THEATRE, YATES ST.
 Auspices International Bible Students' Association.
 SEATS FREE ALL WELCOME NO COLLECTION

COMMON PRAYER

BOOK OF ANGLICAN CHURCH IS READY
 Will Be Utilized Throughout Dominion on Sunday

First among new features found in "The Book of Common Prayer" new authorized for use in the Church of England in Canada are the printed directions on page two: "How to follow the services," indicating that all copies and editions, small and large, of the revised Prayer Book are pegged exactly alike. The value of this provision for reference in either the public or private use of the book is obvious.

The preface to the Canadian revision gives the key to the changes found in the body of the book. "The Book of Common Prayer," the preface states, "is a priceless possession of our Church. By its intrinsic merits, as a book designed for the reverence and solemn worship of Almighty God, as well as by its historic associations, it has endeared itself to generation after generation of devout Christians throughout the world. None would desire or advocate any change therein which would impair or lessen this deep-seated affection.

and encourage more Christian parents and households to adopt the practice of daily family prayer. In the words of the concluding paragraph of the preface: "This present book, the fruit of much prayer and toil, is set forth in the firm belief that, by the alterations and additions herein made, it will both provide greater variety in public worship and better meet the needs of the church in this land, and in good hope that, thus adapted and enriched, it may prove more generally serviceable to both clergy and people in the worship of God throughout this Dominion."

Editions of the new Prayer Book, published separately and combined with the Hymn Book used by the Anglican Church in Canada, are obtainable at city book stores in a variety of sizes and styles of binding. The book will become the official Prayer Book of the Church of England in Canada from next Sunday, Easter Day.

AMONG THE BOYS IN BUENOS AIRES

Development of Y. M. C. A. in Neglected Field in Argentina

"The story of the work of H. E. Ewing, our Student Secretary, with Buenos Aires street boys, bootblacks and others who have leisure enough to get into trouble has so many angles I don't know where to start," says Herman de Anguera, Y. M. C. A. secretary at Montevideo, Uruguay.

"I can't seem to decide which is the more important—the fact that practically 4,000 members of the University Department at Buenos Aires helped to prepare the plans for a War Hut to serve as a Community Centre in a needy section—or the results of twenty years of work."

"But anyway, I spent a few days recently in Buenos Aires helping out and the thing that Ewing has done there is simply superb. I know he won't tell you about it, so I will.

"There has developed between him and about 100 boys a fraternal relationship which has resulted in 'gangs' of the poorer vicinities uniting in the programme he proposed a few months ago—they rented a vacant house near their 'Athletic Field'—a vacant lot—and called it their 'Club.' The entire community improved and then the time came for a step forward.

"This type of work endears the Y. M. C. A. to the community in a very intimate way. It is the key to the heart of the Latin-American people because it takes them where they live and gives them what they want and demonstrates a type of Christianity in action that is thoroughly attractive.

"A meeting of influential men was called, a history of this section of Buenos Aires Presbyterian Church history of what had been done was told by a Y. M. C. A. secretary, and endorsed by a young man who lives in that section and knows from the inside what has been done for the boys.

"Then the four sets of simple plans were produced, and a type of building was selected to cost \$300 pesos; and with this two years' maintenance was voted at 5,000 pesos a year; a professional man at the meeting guaranteed all the lumber necessary, and the meeting closed after a campaign committee had been appointed.

"These loyal citizens feel that this class of work affords a field for the training of students in social uplift and unselfish service that is invaluable in the development of the spirit of fraternal Christianity in the community."

Silver Tea.—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the above Presbyterian Church held a successful silver tea yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. C. Eaket, 2833 Colquhoun Avenue. About fifty ladies attended, and the handsome sum of \$25 was realized. Musical numbers were given by the Misses Calder and Foster.

"Resurrection."—On Sunday at 8 o'clock a lecture will be given by Will Griffiths, F. T. S., on "Resurrection" before the Theosophical Society in the rooms, 101 Union Bank Building. Open discussion will follow the lecture, and the public is heartily invited to attend and join in the consideration of this Easter subject.

Special Music Will Feature Easter Services In All City Churches

To-morrow being the chief festival of the Christian Church, Easter Day will be celebrated by special services in all the city churches. Musical features have been arranged and suitable music, appropriate to the Resurrection, selected for the occasion. Some of the programmes are as follows:

Metropolitan.
 Morning Service.
 Anthem—"Awake Up My Glory"..... Barney
 Anthem—"As It Began to Dawn"..... Myles
 Solo, Mrs. Lewtas
 Soprano Solo—"Hosannah"..... Granier
 Mrs. Hollinrake Erick
 Evening Service.
 Anthem—"They Have Taken Away My Lord"..... Stainer
 Soprano Solo—"I Will Extol Thee"..... Costa
 Miss Isa Taylor
 Anthem—"Lights Glittering Morn"..... West
 Tenor Solo—"The Prince of Peace"..... Behrend
 Mr. J. O. Dunford
 Anthem—"The Strife is O'er"..... Bruce Sterne
 Solo, Mr. A. Palmer
 Contralto Solo—"Open the Gates of the Temple"..... Knapp
 Mrs. S. Morton
 Soprano Solo—"I Know That My Redeemer Liveth"..... Messiah
 (by) Mrs. J. O. Dunford
 Anthem—"As It Began to Dawn"..... Martin
 Solo, Mrs. Downard
 Bass Solo—"The Trumpet Shall Sound"..... Messiah
 Mr. P. Edmunds
 "Hallelujah Chorus"..... Messiah
 Choirmaster, E. Downard
 Organist, Edward Parsons.

First Presbyterian.
 Morning Service.
 Easter Carol—"Welcome Happy Morning"..... Field
 Easter Carol—"Come See the Place Where Jesus Lay"..... Traditional
 Evening Service.
 Anthem—"I Will Mention"..... Sullivan
 Soloist, William Draper
 Soprano Solo—"I Know That My Redeemer Liveth"..... Handel
 Mrs. G. Morrison
 Easter Carol—"Christ Is Risen"..... Traditional
 Anthem—"King All Glorious"..... Barry
 Soprano Solo—"The Trumpet Shall Sound"..... Traditional
 Earth Tells Abroad"..... Traditional
 Choirmaster, Jackson Hanby.
 Organist, Alfred Curney.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian.
 Morning Service.
 Organ—"La Resurrezione"..... Handel
 Organ—"The Resurrection Morn"..... Rodney
 Anthem—"King of Kings"..... Clare
 Soprano Solo, Miss Morton
 Bass Solo, Wm. Melville
 Organ—"The Resurrection Morn"..... Gullmant
 Evening Service.
 Organ—"a) Jubilate Deo"..... Silver
 (b) "Eastern Dawn"..... Ashmal
 Anthem—"The Victory of the Cross"..... Willard
 Soprano Solo, Miss Elsie Hole
 Soloist, Mrs. J. O. Dunford
 "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth"..... Handel
 Miss Beth Simpson
 Chorus—"Lift Up Your Heads"..... Handel
 Recit—"Behold, I Tell You a Mystery"..... Handel
 Air—"The Trumpet Shall Sound"..... Handel
 Choirmaster, Jesse Longfield.

Wesley Methodist.
 Morning Service.
 Anthem—"The Lord Is King"..... Pittman
 Soprano Solo—"Easter Morn"..... Mrs. A. W. Stokes
 Tenor Solo—"Mount of Olives" from "Oliver"..... Maunder
 Evening Service.
 Anthem—"There is a Green Hill Far Away"..... Booth
 Soprano Solo—"I Know That My Redeemer Liveth"..... Handel
 Mrs. A. W. Stokes
 Violin Solo—"The Palms"..... Fauve
 Mezzo Soprano Solo—"Come Unto Me"..... Coenen
 Mrs. Styles Sehl
 Quartette—"I Will Appear Over the Mountain" from "Redemption"..... Gounod
 Mrs. A. W. Stokes, Mrs. Styles Sehl
 Tenor Solo—"O Was There Ever Loneliness Like His"..... Maunder
 George G. Guy
 Anthem—"Christ Is Risen"..... Turner
 Choirmaster and organist, Oliver Stout.

Christ Church Cathedral.
 The Bishop of Columbia will preach at the 11 o'clock service in Christ Church Cathedral to-morrow, the Dean of Columbia will officiate at the 7 o'clock service. Holy Communion will be held at 6.15 a.m., 7 a.m., 8 a.m., 9.15 a.m., and 11 a.m., and a children's service will be conducted in the cathedral at 2.45 p.m.

St. Mary's, Oak Bay.
 Services will begin with celebrations of the Holy Communion at 7, 8 and 9.30 a.m., also at 12 noon. Morning prayer, with special music will be at the usual hour of 11 a.m., and evening, at which special music will again be sung, will be at the usual hour of 7 p.m. Music for the day will include: Te Deum, Jackson; Anthem, "King of Kings"; Simper; Magnificat, and Nunc Dimittis; Clare.

St. Barnabas.
 Holy Communion will be celebrated at 7 and 8 a.m., also at 11 a.m., with procession. Children's service at 2.30 p.m. Festal evensong, procession and "Te Deum" at 7 p.m.

St. Mark's, Cloverdale.
 There will be celebration of the Holy Communion at 7 and 8 a.m., Choral Communion (Simper) at 11 a.m., children's service at 2.30 p.m.

evensong at 7 p.m., with Bunnett's Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, Simper's anthem, "If We Believe That Morning and Evening." The vicar will preach both morning and evening.

St. Saviour's.
 To-morrow's music will be: 11 a.m., organ voluntaries; Kullak; invocation; Himmell; Te Deum in F, Maunder; solo, "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," Handel, Miss Isabel Taylor; 7 p.m., organ voluntaries, Prelude in E Flat, Gullmant; evensong; Krutzer, Magnificat in F, Simper, Nunc Dimittis; Anthem, "They Have Taken Away My Lord," Stainer.

Reformed Episcopal.
 Holy Communion will be celebrated at both services, the rector preaching morning and evening. On Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock an open Sunday School will be held with a special programme, when everyone is invited to attend.

First Congregational.
 On Sunday the full programme of special music will be "Why Seek ye the Living" (Schnecker); "They Have Taken Away My Lord" (Brown); the quartette "Why Seek ye" (Simper) and the Easter cantata to be rendered at the evening service "Death and Life" (Shilley) for four voices and chorus. The soloists will be Mrs. Beal, soprano; Miss Sewerfort, contralto; W. Ellis tenor, and E. R. Lock, baritone.

Emmanuel Baptist.
 The Sunday music will consist of "We Declare Unto You Glad Tidings" by Maunder; "Behold the Lamb of God"; "He Was Despised"; and "Surely He Hath Borne Our Griefs" from the Messiah; the solo will be taken by Mrs. J. Nixon, also "Blessed Be the God and Father," by Wesley will be given. The orchestra will assist at the evening service.

St. Paul's Lutheran.
 Special Easter services with special music will be held to-morrow at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Princess Avenue and Chambers Street. Festal services will be conducted at 10.30 a.m. At 11 a.m. the pastor will preach on the subject: "Jesus Lives" after which Holy Communion will be celebrated. A special Easter programme will be rendered with a sermonette by the pastor. Special services will be conducted in the morning at 8 a.m. and at 11 a.m. The programme will be assisted by the choir, with Mrs. L. Schmeitz at the organ. At 2 p.m. the James Turner Monument at Mountainview cemetery will be unveiled.

Programme for B.C. Conference.
 Methodists Will Unveil Monument During Convention

The 26th session of the B. C. conference of the Methodist Church will convene on Thursday, May 18, at nine a.m. Preliminary meetings of committees and the ministerial associations will take place the preceding three days so that all will be ready for the opening on Thursday. Rev. J. H. Wright, president of the conference will conduct communion service on Wednesday evening at a public gathering in the church. On Sunday, May 21, the visiting delegates, who will number several hundreds, will preach in the various churches of the city. Election of officers will take place on Thursday at 9.30 a.m., followed by delegations from sister churches, W. M. E. church, Sec. U. E. club, deacons, etc. At nine p.m. on the same evening, Rev. W. J. Sippell, D. D., will give the Eucumenical report. On Saturday at two p.m. the James Turner Monument at Mountainview cemetery will be unveiled.

The programme for the conference is as follows:

Public Meetings.
 May 17—8 p.m., Annual Conference Sermon by Rev. J. H. Wright, president of conference; communion service, by president, assisted by superannuated brethren.
 May 18—8 p.m., delegates; 9 p.m., report of Eucumenical conference, by Rev. W. J. Sippell, D. D.
 May 19—3 p.m., reception service; address, Dean H. Coleman, of B. C. University.
 May 22—8 p.m., address, Rev. A. Tremayne, D. D., of the University of Victoria.
 May 23—8 p.m., conference business, open session.
 Sunday, May 21—7 a.m., morning watch, conducted by Rev. D. W. Scott.
 9.30 a.m., conference love feast, led by Rev. Wm. Elliott, B. A.
 11 a.m., morning prayer, in charge of the president of conference.
 3 p.m., open session of Sunday school, under auspices of religious education council, Rev. F. Langford and Capt. Fred C. Jones.
 7 p.m., missionary anniversary, Rev. Lloyd Smith, M. A.

First Spiritual Church of Victoria.
 Harmony Hall, 724 Fort Street.
 Mrs. Perkins, Pastor.
 Evening Service, 7.30.
 Sunday School, 2.30.
 Circle, Mondays and Thursdays, 7 p.m.

CHRISTIANS FORCED BECOME MUSLIMS

Persian Priest, Here to Appeal for Aid, Tells of Terrible Conditions

Native Christians and Armenians in Persia are being forced to become Mohammedans to avoid the most barbarous treatment and even death, according to Rev. E. O. Eshoo, a Persian priest, who escaped from his native country and is in Victoria now attempting to raise money for the relief of his fellow countrymen.

"The Mohammedans in Persia say to the Christians if you wish to live and have houses you will have to become Mohammedans and then you will be protected," Mr. Eshoo, who is staying at the Y. M. C. A. here, explained. "Then the Mohammedans say, if you do not join us Mohammedans you must leave the country, and if you do not do that you must pay a sum of money for each year during which you remain. But these Mohammedans know full well that these people have no money." Mr. Eshoo added, "They know, too, that they cannot leave the country as Canada, the United States and Australia have closed their doors upon them. Thus these unfortunate people will be forced to become Mohammedans."

Little Help Offered.
 "There is no help offered by Christian churches in this country and in Europe sending their children as missionaries to Persia or Turkey as long as these conditions prevail. From my own experience I see no zeal on the part of the Christian powers to protect their religious brothers in these countries. They can do it, but they have only one hundredth of the religious fervor and ambition of that of the Mohammedan. Praying for these people alone is insufficient. Action must be taken to save them. If the Christian Church at large were to rise and demand that these people be protected by the bloodshed, I am confident, would be stopped inside of twenty-four hours. What is the use of sending relief to people who may be massacred the day after the relief arrives?"

Mr. Eshoo, who fled from Persia in time to escape death and returned to find his congregation massacred, described in detail the terrible plight of his people, thousands of whom had been butchered, he said.

SPECIAL ROTARY SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S

Features for Easter Day; Building Decorated

St. John's Church will, as usual, be beautifully decorated for the Easter services, all the members of the congregation having been especially invited to assist the Chancel Guild in the work of decoration. There will be a service at 8 a.m. and at 11 a.m. there will be morning prayer and Holy Communion. The rector, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, will be assisted in the communion services by Rev. W. Drummond, Col. N. W. Woods, and Rev. E. H. Patt. At the morning service special music will be rendered by the choir, and Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick will give the Easter sermon. There will be a children's service at 2.30 at which Holy Baptism will be celebrated and the Sunday school children will present their Lenten offerings.

At the evening service the Rotary Club of Victoria and their families will attend, and visiting Rotarians are also cordially invited. The lessons will be read by President Lester Patrick and Vice-President Percy Scourrah, and the rector, who is one of the directors of the Rotary Club, will give an address on the "Resurrection of Business Ideals," or the "New Ideals of the Business Man." Special music will be rendered by the choir, including the Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis by Mr. G. J. Burnett, and the Eastern anthem, "As It Began to Dawn," also by Mr. Burnett. The evening service will commence at 7.30.

HOW PAMPHLETS WERE STITCHED INTO TESTAMENT

Further Details on Unusual Discovery

A curious discovery has been made by the Tientsin agent of the British and Foreign Bible Society, which is printed in Chinese in Chinese printed and distributed by that organization in the Pootung district, copies have been found into which a communist manifesto has been stitched. The editor of The Peking and Tientsin Times has had placed at his disposal a specimen of the cover of the simple Kuan Hua, into which the pamphlet has been introduced, of the same size and printed in the same style as the Gospel, the cover of which has been unstitched and then restitched with the pamphlet added. There is, however, one difference, that the Gospel itself is printed in simple Kuan Hua, while the inserted pamphlet is written in Wenli by someone who is evidently an accomplished scholar.

The style of the pamphlet is, indeed, said to be so abstruse as to be beyond the understanding of the average Chinese reader, so that evidently

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The writer was not catering to the general public. It is stated that the casual reader would not notice that the pamphlet had been inserted, but would take it as part of the Gospel, but in view of the difference in style, and the fact that the place of sale of the pamphlet is stated, and a list given of other publications of the issuer, the People's Publishing Association, it is difficult to believe that any deception was intended.

It was probably bound with the Gospel to enable a larger circle of readers to be reached, or less probably, by some malicious persons who desired to get the Christian teaching into disfavor. Our contemporary prints a translation of the pamphlet, which runs to some eighteen pages in the original. It appears to preach a form of Communism, advocating the abolition of capital and the abolition of government.

ANGLICAN
 CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL—Easter Day: Holy Communion, 6.15 a.m., 7 a.m., 8 a.m., 9.15 a.m., and after shortened Matins at 11 a.m.; preacher at 11 a.m., the Bishop of Columbia; Sunday School, 2.30 p.m.; children's service, 2.45 p.m.; Holy Baptism, 9 p.m.; Evensong, 7.30 p.m., 7 p.m., preacher, the Dean of Columbia; Very Rev. C. S. Quainton, D.D., Dean and Rector.

ST. JOHN'S—Quadrant Street, corner of Mason; 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Morning, children and Holy Communion; 2.30 p.m., children's service; 7.30 p.m., Evensong; Rector, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, M. A.

ST. BARNABAS—Corner Cook and Caldera; Car No. 2; Easter Day: 7 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Holy Eucharist and Procession; 2.30 p.m., children's service; 7.30 p.m., Evensong, Procession and "Te Deum."

ST. JUDITHS—Obed Avenue, Easter Day, Celebration of Holy Communion, 8 a.m., Evensong, 7 p.m.

BAPTIST

MANUEL—Fernwood Col. (No. 3) rector of music, Mr. Fred Parfitt; 11 a.m., "The Message of Easter," baptism and communion at morning service, anthem, "We Declare Unto You Glad Tidings" (Maunder); 7.30 p.m., "Christ Unbound"; selections from "The Messiah"; "Behold the Lamb of God"; "He Was Despised" (Soloist, Mrs. Nixon); "Surely He Hath Borne Our Griefs"—music with orchestra accompaniment.

CHRISTADELPHIANS
 CLARE ST. Hall, off Oak Bay Avenue, Memorial service, 11 a.m., subject "THE RESURRECTION AND HUMANITY"; "What is a Soul?" All Welcome. No collection.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
 FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—Corner Chambers Street and Pandora Avenue, Services, Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Wednesday, April 16, "Doctrine of Atonement." Testimonial meeting, Wednesday, April 19, 8 o'clock. Visitors are welcome to the services and to the Reading Room and Lecture Library, 515 Savard Building.

MISCELLANEOUS

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST of Latterday Saints (Mormon)—Sunday School, 10.30 a.m.; evening service, 7.30 o'clock, A.O.F. Hall, 1415 Broad Street.

UNION MISSION—Garden City; 11 a.m., "The Tenants Tomb"; 7.30, Mr. J. Bryan; "The Greatest Triumph of History," Rev. E. H. Patt; 7.30, "Joyful Meeting," Supt. Dr. W. E. Daly.

OAKLANDS HALL
 OAKLANDS GOSPEL HALL—Hillsdale Col. terminus. Christians meet at 11 a.m. worship, 7 p.m. school; 7 p.m., Gospel address. All welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN

DRISKINE—Harriet Road, Sunday evening sermon, 7 o'clock. "An Easter Message." Subject, "The Resurrection." There is a hearty welcome for all. There is a welcome for you at this church. Rev. Daniel Walker, Pastor.

GORGE—Tillamook Road, Sunday morning service, 11 o'clock. "The Resurrection of Jesus Christ." Sunday School, 2.30. There is a hearty welcome for all. Rev. Daniel Walker, Pastor.

KNOX—No. 2825 Stanley Avenue, Rev. Jos. McCoy, M. A., minister, Sabbath services, 11 a.m. subject "The Resurrection and Its Significance"; 2.30 p.m., Sabbath School; 7.30 p.m., "Wisdom and Polly," special Easter music. The young people's meeting immediately after close of the evening service. A very cordial invitation is extended to all.

ST. PAUL'S—Henry Street, Victoria, West. Services, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.; Sabbath School at 2.30 p.m. Rev. John P. Patterson, late of Three Bells, Alberta, will preach at both services.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL

CHURCH OF OUR LORD—Corner Humboldt and Blanshard Street, Morning service, 11 o'clock, evening service, 7 p.m., Rev. A. de B. Owen.

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS
 SOCIETY OF FRIENDS—Meeting house, Fern Street, off Port. Meeting for worship, 11 o'clock.

THEOSOPHY

MYTHOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, 101 Union Bank Building, Sunday, 8 p.m., lecture by Will Griffiths, F. T. S., on "Resurrection," followed by discussion. All welcome.

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY—Lectures in the Alexandria Hall, April 24 and 25 by Mr. E. P. Wade, of India. Particulars later.

UNITARIAN

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Corner of Fernwood and Balmoral Roads, Morning service only, 11 o'clock.
 Y. W. C. A.
 YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, Y. Stobart Building, 745 Yates Street, Bible Class for young women, 4.30 p.m.

UNITY CENTRE

600 Campbell Building
 Children's Service, 11 o'clock
 Evening Service, 8 o'clock
 Speaker, H. E. Hallwright
 Subject "LAW AND LIBERTY"
 Thursday, 8 o'clock, Study Class.

7.30 p.m.—"Rising to Newness of Life"

ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED
 Monday, 8 p.m., Psychology
 Wednesday Evening, Healing

First Presbyterian Church

Corner Quadra and Balmoral
 Minister—REV. W. G. WILSON, M. A., D. D.
EASTER SERVICES
 11 a.m.—"AN EASTER MESSAGE"—The Minister
 7.30 p.m.—"A SERVICE OF PRAISE—At Which the Choir Will Render SPECIAL EASTER MUSIC"
 We Heartily Invite Visitors and Friends to Come and Rejoice With Us on This Glad Day

Metropolitan Methodist Church

Corner Quadra and Pandora
 Rev. W. J. Sippell, D.D., Pastor
 G. A. Downard, Choirmaster
 S. Parsons, Organist
 11 a.m.—Love Feast and Fellowship Service
 7.30 p.m.—"I Will Extol Thee"..... Dr. Sippell
 Anthem—"Awake Up My Glory"..... Barney
 Soprano Solo—"I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" (Messiah)..... Myles Peter
 Solo, Mrs. Lewtas
 Soprano Solo—"Hosannah"..... Granier
 Mrs. Hollinrake Erick
 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School Session.

A SERVICE OF SACRED SONG

Anthem—"They Have Taken Away My Lord"..... Stainer
 Soprano Solo—"I Will Extol Thee"..... Myles Peter
 Solo, Mrs. Lewtas
 Soprano Solo—"Hosannah"..... Granier
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 Bass Solo—"The Trumpet Shall Sound" (Messiah)..... Handel
 "Hallelujah Chorus" (Messiah)..... Handel
COME AND WORSHIP
 Monday, J. W. Bengough, 9 p.m., 25c; 8 p.m., 50c

FAIRFIELD METHODIST CHURCH

Cor. Moss and Fairfield Road. Minister, REV. S. COOK
 Choirmaster, Mr. Sidney Rogers

11 a.m.—THE PASTOR

Solo—"Christ the Lord Is Risen"..... Jordan
 Miss Richards
 Anthem—"Christ Is Risen From the Dead"..... Elvey
 Solo—"Hosanna"..... Mr. J. O. Dunford
 Organist, Granier

7.30 p.m.—DR. SAUNBY

Solo—"The Trumpet Shall Sound"..... Handel
 Mr. Palmer
 Anthem—"All Ye Nations Praise the Lord"..... Muller
 Solo—"Resurrection"..... Rowe Shelly
 E. Rogerson
 Reception of Members at Morning Service

CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor, REV. J. L. BATTY
 Gorge Road Near Government
 Acting Pastor, Rev. J. W. Saunby, 2929 Sumas Street—Phone 5783
 Class Meeting, 10 a.m. Sunday School, 2.30 p.m.
 11 a.m. Subject "THE RESURRECTION AND HUMANITY"—Dr. Saunby
 7.30 p.m.—REV. SAMUEL COOK Will Have Charge
 2.30 p.m., Forum Will Be Addressed by Mr. Ira Dilworth
COME AND ENJOY THE EASTER SERVICES WITH US

Hampshire Road Methodist

11 a.m. Subject—"WHY BELIEVE IN THE RESURRECTION?"
 7.30 p.m. Subject—"THE RELATIONSHIP OF THE RESURRECTION AND THE CROSS"—EASTER MUSIC
 Minister, W. C. Frank
 Organist, E. Musgrave

CHRISTADELPHIAN LECTURE

"WHAT IS THE GOSPEL?"
 A lecture will be delivered on above subject Sunday next, D.V., 7.30 p.m. in hall, No. 825 on Burnside, just off Douglas Street.
SEATS FREE NO COLLECTION COME—YOU ARE WELCOME

St. Columba (Presbyterian) Oak Bay

Minister—Rev. Thos. McConnell, B.A.
Easter Message to the Children
 The Rev. E. A. Eshoo, Persia, Will Also Give an Address
 Anthem—"Awake Up My Glory"..... Barney
 Solos, Miss Dorothy Gardner and Mr. Sidney White
 7.30 p.m. The Minister
"Christ Holds the Keys of Death"
 Solos, Miss McNaughton, Miss Gardner and Miss May Muir
 Quartette—"God So Loved the World" (Crucifixion)..... Stainer
 Anthem—"For as in Adam All Died"

GRACE ENGLISH LUTHERAN

Blanshard and Queen's Avenue Rev. P. E. Baisler, B.D.
 Reception of New Members and Holy Communion
 2.30 p.m.—Bible School
 4 p.m.—Service for Baptism of Children
 7.30 p.m.—EASTER SERVICE BY THE BIBLE SCHOOL
THIS INVITES YOU

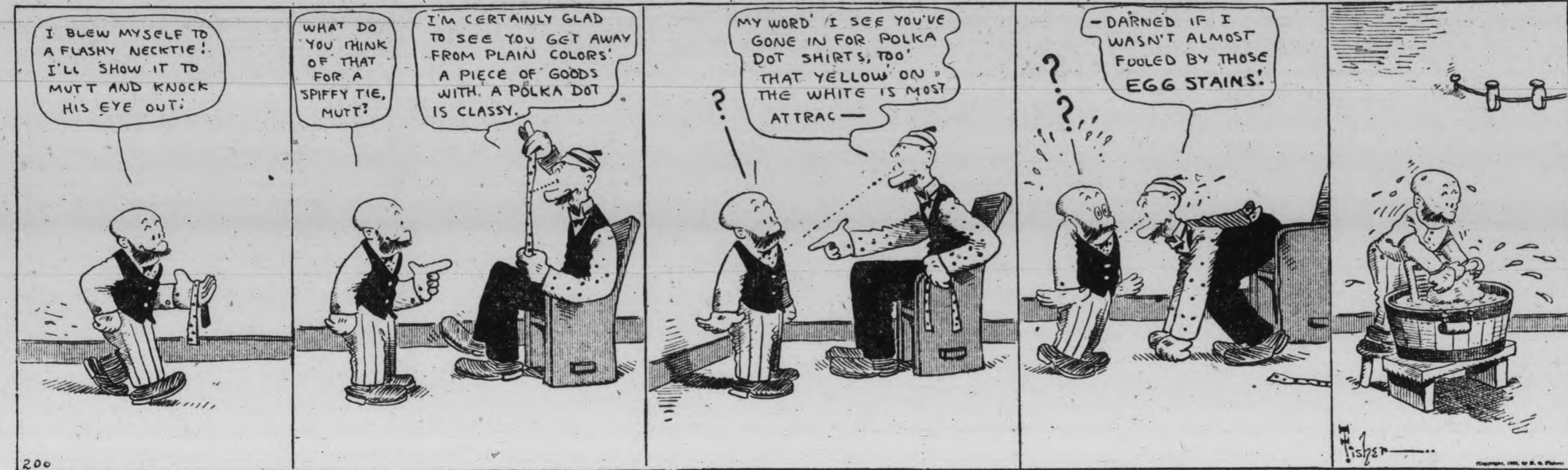
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Cor. Yates and Quadra. REV. W. P. FREEMAN, B. A., Pastor.
THE CELEBRATION OF EASTER
 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
 The Lord's Supper at the Morning Service
 Baptism Both Morning and Evening—Open
 Sessions in the Sunday Schools—Special
 Music for All Services
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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

TAYLOR - On Thursday, April 13, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor, a daughter, Vancouver, B.C. Birth weight, 10 lbs. 10 oz.

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**MOTORISTS AWAIT
NEW FERRY SERVICE**

Publicity Bureau to Mark Roads Leading to Victoria

Discarded circular saws formerly used in the single mills of the Pacific Coast will be used for mile posts in directing motorists traveling the Pacific Highway to the new scenic route to Victoria via Anacortes and Sidney. The huge saws will be finished in orange and black, and will be novel as well as striking.

George I. Warren, Publicity Commissioner of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, conceived the idea and has placed orders for fifty of these signs to be made and installed along the Pacific Highway before May 1, by which time the new Sidney-Anacortes motor car ferry will be in full operation.

In addition to the new mile posts orders have been placed by the Publicity Bureau for the erection of six large billboard signs which will be placed at the most advantageous places to attract motor tourists to the new route. Hundreds of additional motorists will visit Vancouver Island this year in consequence of the facilities placed at their disposal insuring quick service in getting to and from Vancouver Island.

D. E. Fisher, one of the directors of the Western Washington Automobile Club, informs Mr. Warren that a large number of the club members will participate in the inaugural trip of the new ferry.

Motorists are impatiently awaiting the opening of the service as the wonderful scenery to be encountered on the three-hour voyage through the beautiful San Juan Islands to Sidney is well known to many who have heretofore been deprived of the opportunity of making the trip in account of the lack of a ferry service. The Victoria Automobile Club will also play a big part in the opening ceremonies connected with the ferry service.

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TO USE PROSPECTORS

New Mining Company Plans to Send Them Out to Find Mineral Wealth.

T. J. Kerruish, an old-time mining man, is the general manager of the Interprovincial Mines Development Co., Ltd., which has been organized to send out competent prospectors to parts of the Province, not only to new fields, but also to older fields which have already seen development. Alderman Woodside, of Vancouver, is president, and Pederson & Jones, of Vancouver, form the board of directors.

Mr. Kerruish has come to Victoria to get the Mines Department to open trails and roads to the Nip and Tuck and the Silver Tip mines in East Kootenay.

FOUR CANTATAS ARE RENDERED

Good Friday Features Draw Large Congregations

Of all similar works it is very doubtful if any has been given more frequently than has "The Crucifixion" by Sir John Stainer. This work is a meditation on the sacred passion of the Holy Redeemer, and was first produced at London in 1887, since which time it has become constantly embodied in church music and seems to be "part and parcel" of the religious ceremonies during Good Friday. It is singularly appropriate for this occasion, and the music graphically depicts the passion of the Holy Redeemer. His agony, the procession to Calvary; the majesty of the Divine humiliation; His crucifixion; His Divine petition for forgiveness; the malefactors at the Cross; the appeal of the Crucified one, and His final accomplishment, when Jesus said, "It is finished." Father, into Thy hands I commend My spirit."

This beautiful cantata was given last evening by the choir of Christ Church Cathedral before a very large congregation, and its rendering under the recently appointed organist, Harold Davies, reflected great credit upon all concerned. The work is written for two solo voices, tenor and bass, which were sung by the brothers Petch, with considerable distinction and much devotion. The shorter solos being taken by other members of the choir. There was some good singing in the choruses: "Jesus, Lord Jesus, Bowed in Rigid Anguish," "Bring With Thee the Gates," and particularly beautiful was the chorus, unaccompanied, "God So Loved the World."

The final chorus, "From the Throne of His Cross," was given with fine exclamatory effects and excellent tonal gradations. Indeed, throughout the evening the results obtained by the choir, consisting of about thirty-five voices, were most praiseworthy, and under the present organist, and with such excellent material, there is no reason why it should not even greater importance in its future music affairs.

At Hampshire Road.

Hampshire Road Methodist Church choir gave an excellent rendition of Stainer's "Crucifixion" last evening. The pastor, Rev. W. C. Frank, presided, and G. Deary was the conductor. Messrs. M. Thomas and H. J. Sedgeman were the tenor and bass soloists respectively.

At St. John's.

Moore's "The Darkest Hour" was also presented at the St. John's Anglican Church with an augmented choir. The soloists were very good. They included the Misses Moore, Fox, Purdy and Wise and Messrs. Rowley, Irish, James and Breakie.

Emmanuel Church.

Mauderer's "Olivet to Calvary" was sung, the unaccompanied choruses being particularly fine. The soloists were G. Guy, J. Mitchell and Miss Violet Parritt; Fred Parritt, conductor.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B. C., 5 a. m., April 15.—The barometer is rising on the coast, and fair weather is becoming general on the Pacific slope. Light haze, fog and snow in Eastern Washington. The weather remains cold in British Columbia, snow is reported in Southern Alberta.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 30.11; temperature, maximum yesterday, 53, minimum, 32; winds, 12 miles S.W.; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50, minimum, 34; winds, 4 miles N.E.; rain, 0.1 inch; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52, minimum, 33; winds, 4 miles W.; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54, minimum, 18; calm; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46, minimum, 30; calm; weather, cloudy.

Tatoush—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46, minimum, 42; winds, 4 miles S.; weather, cloudy.

Calgary—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 54, minimum, 28; snow, 2 inches.

Winnipeg—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 42, minimum, 26; snow, 1 inch.

Place	Temperature	Max.	Min.
Portland, Oregon	42	49	40
Seattle	48	56	44
San Francisco	54	62	46
San Diego	62	70	54
Regina	47	55	39
Saskatoon	42	50	34
Toronto	47	55	39
Ottawa	52	60	44
Montreal	52	60	44
St. John	50	58	42
Halifax	54	62	46

CANADIAN SCOTTISH

Sixteen Battalion, Canadian Scottish, shot at Clear Lake Range Good Friday morning at 9.30 o'clock with the following scores:

Name	200	500	600	Tl.
Sgt. Ashe	25	32	30	87
N. Hibbes, Jr.	27	32	30	89
A. C. Kennedy	29	28	30	87
C.Q.M.S. H. Burton	32	33	31	96
Lieut. S. Henson	36	30	35	101
Capt. V. E. Tapley	36	29	29	94
S. H. Lindgren	28	29	25	82
Major R. G. Monteith	32	31	19	82
J. Boshier	29	17	25	71
Sgt. C. Coult	29	22	23	74
C.Q.M.S. Lesney	25	22	23	70
Corp. E. Perry	18	21	27	66
J. E. Edwards	18	21	27	66
Sgt. W. Fowler	29	22	14	65
Sgt. H. Brown	31	12	21	64
F. W. Hamilton	23	21	20	64
F. Lardesley	18	23	22	63
S. Raybone	21	22	13	56
Lieut. Bate	23	20	11	54
T. L. Moore	22	13	16	51
Scotty	15	15	15	45
H. Baulier	26	5	13	44
N. McMillan	18	15	9	42
Corp. E. R. Frampton	20	13	6	39
W. J. Boshier	14	11	3	28
E. Leekie	14	9	15	37
A. Maine	17	4	11	32
Sgt. W. E. Mitchell	22	10	0	32
W. J. Boshier	12	12	0	24
A. Campbell	21	7	3	31
C. Christy	18	10	2	30
L. Johnson	15	10	2	27
W. Wyndham	4	4	4	12
G. G. Taylor	5	5	0	10

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LIKELY GULCH WAS PROSPECTED BEFORE

Rainbow Chaser Is Now in Old Men's Home at Kamloops

(Special Correspondence.)

Likely Gulch, Cariboo, B.C., April 10.—This gulch which runs into Coquette Pass, which in turn runs into Quesnel Lake, was prospected years ago by an old-timer in the district whose name was John Likely, and who is now in the Old Man's Home at Kamloops.

John Likely has prospected round the immediate vicinity of Quesnel Dam for many years, and he knows every foot of the ground. Last Spring John Lyne was in Kamloops and went to see the old man, and had a long talk with him. One of the things that Likely impressed upon Lyne was the fact that there was a splendid prospect ground on Cedar Creek. It was high up, he said, and for this reason no one had ever listened to him, though he had told many. He drew a map of the country, and gave Lyne every direction for finding the ground, which Likely stated, most emphatically was one of the richest in the country.

Lyne and Platt on their prospecting trip last Spring, remembered the old man's words and more out of duty than from conviction, went up to the high ground and sank a prospect hole. They encountered no pay and soon continued their trip up the lake.

However, day after day, those words of old John Likely's there is gold up high on Cedar Creek kept recurring to Lyne's mind, and he seemed to be drawn to the swampy ground eight hundred feet above the water of the lake. The call sounded so strongly that before very long the two prospectors were back there—the rest is common knowledge, how in idly taking a shovel of dirt gold was found "from the grass roots down."

I thought of this as I sat in John Likely's old cabin in the seat of the Gulch which bears his name. The irony of fate decreed that after a lifetime of rainbow chasing, the end of the rainbow was to be found so near his cabin as to be almost visible. Piles of rock all up Likely Gulch show the vast amount of work this sterling old pioneer put in following his hunch. It is a delightful spot. This old cabin of the rainbow chasers, Coquette Pass here widens out into a meadow, and at the end of the meadow lies Coquette Lake, with its icy face resembling the face of one dead or asleep; but in a few short minutes the Sleeping Coquette will awaken and become gay and laughing.

Likely's Gulch, which is a large fissure in the mountain-side, stretches like a gaping wound until it winds out of sight in a riot of fir and cedar monarchs. Above the pine forest on John Likely's cabin, which is chinked with moss and with clay—a snug retreat after twenty-five miles of slippery snow.

I walked some distance up the Gulch. There were numerous piles of rocks and holes in the mountain showing where John Likely had been chasing the rainbow. But his holes were all at low level. Glancing up I saw the tunnel which brought me to the Gulch. I looked from the old to the new; from the ancient to the modern. Five hundred feet from where I stood, straight up the side of the Gulch was Joe Ehope's tunnel. This tunnel which Ehope has put in this winter, is 195 feet long and represents a vast amount of work for one man. But Joe is certain that the work will be well repaid. He has struck a rich streak of pay, and is only waiting for the water to start washing. He showed me some of the gold from this lease and it is a high grade of coarse gold.

Following the new idea that Gulch is being staked as well as the benches on Coquette Pass, Mrs. Ehope has staked a lease on this Pass, and a streak of pay has been encountered which shows 25c to the pan. Work will begin on all the numerous leases between here and Spanish Creek, almost immediately. For seven miles along this Pass the ground is staked.

FISHING IS GOOD

Fishing is good at Cowichan Lake, and the roads are in good condition. H. Arden, Vancouver Island manager for Braid's Limited, reports.

Mr. Arden motored to Cowichan Lake a few days ago and tells a fine fish story. He is one of the well-known salesmen of the Island, having traveled the Island for a number of years in the interests of other large concerns prior to signing on with Braid's. He says that this is the time of year to make the trip to Cowichan, and really enjoy the outing.

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SAYS AMALGAMATION IS BOUND TO COME

Major Crehan, Head of Army and Navy Veterans, Speaks

That the Army and Navy Veterans should stand firmly for amalgamation of all ex-service organizations in Canada was the decision reached at the Dominion convention held in Winnipeg, and that the organization would not recede from its stand, was the declaration made by Major M. J. Crehan, Dominion president of the Army and Navy Veterans during an address to the local unit on the history of the amalgamation movement.

When the Dominion Veterans' Alliance was formed all ex-service organizations were represented, but as the G. W. V. A. and the Imperial Veterans were holding out the Army and Navy Veterans had decided to hold its charter and such time as all bodies are prepared to sink their differences and merge their membership into one unit, said the Major, who added that the Army and Navy Veterans were doing well and carrying on good work in all parts of Canada. The speaker averred that amalgamation was sure to come. "If I will, I think, come into all organizations joining together under the banner of the Army and Navy Veterans' Association," said the Major.

Presentation Made.

Seymour Rawlinson, president of the Army and Navy Veterans, was presented with an illuminated address Thursday evening, following the talk by Major Crehan. Mr. Rawlinson has taken a keen interest in the work of the association, and the address was presented as a small token of appreciation of the splendid services which he has rendered the Army and Navy Veterans.

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"THE DOUBLE EXPOSURE KING"

George Benoit, cinematographer for "The Masquerader" can rightly lay claim to the title of "King of Double Exposures." Recently Benoit made forty-nine exposures on one strip of film. In "The Masquerader," when Mr. Post plays two leading roles that share many scenes, Benoit promises to reveal a new method of double exposure photography.

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