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## GERMANS NOW CLAIM THEY HOLD GRODNO

Was Not Nicholas' Intention to Allow Garrison to Be Penned Up There

ORDER WAS GIVEN THAT  
FORTRESS BE EVACUATED

Gen. Ivanoff's Forces Are Inflicting Heavy Losses on the Enemy

Berlin, Sept. 3.—It was claimed in an official statement issued here to-day that the army of Field Marshal von Hindenburg has occupied Grodno, the last of the strong fortresses on that line retained by the Russians.

It also was claimed that the German troops which are attempting to advance on the Russian port of Riga, on the Baltic, have made a further gain by capturing a position northwest of Friedrichstadt, which is about forty miles from Riga.

London, Sept. 3.—The evacuation of Grodno is under way. Petrograd has stated officially that the Russian forces are being withdrawn from the right bank of the Niemen. It has been expected for some time that "drag" Duke Nicholas had no intention of allowing the number of men required to maintain a long defence to be penned up in any fortress which could be invested.

Along the Galician border General Ivanoff continues to retire, but not without inflicting heavy losses on the Austro-German forces, which have been shaken several times by vigorous counter-attacks. In the centre and the extreme north the Germans are making very little progress. The Russians have won another local success near Vilna.

The great artillery duel continues along a large part of the western front. The ultimate purpose of this activity on the part of the French artillery still is obscure.

The British press is not greatly pleased at the reception by the United States of Germany's promise to modify her submarine campaign. The papers declare that a promise which does not include protection for the crews of freighters is inadequate.

Negotiations between Bulgaria and Turkey concerning railroad concessions to the former are under way again. It is not expected here that they will prove successful.

## BRITAIN MUST BEAR MAIN WEIGHT OF WAR

All Men and Resources Must Be Mobilized, Declares J. L. Garvin

London, Sept. 3.—James L. Garvin in a review of the war in the Observer, predicts that the allies are "in for it" during the next few months, and that on Great Britain must fall the main weight of the war until Russia, recuperated, resumes the offensive. He holds that the defeat of the Germans in the naval battle in the Gulf of Riga and the "masterly" strategy of Grand Duke Nicholas in preserving intact the great Russian armies will force the Austro-Germans to attempt an advance on Petrograd, Moscow or Kiev, which, he says, is foredoomed to failure.

"But," declares Mr. Garvin, "Britain must not count on this, as in order to make assurance of final victory doubly sure the empire must mobilize all its men and resources and the western allies must come at once to the relief of the glorious but hard-pressed armies of Russia, no matter at what cost. If this is done, if there is a great movement on the western front and in the Dardanelles, which, if forced, will change the whole character of the war, Russia, with her army heavily reinforced and with a full supply of munitions, now sorely needed to use against the savage foe, will do more than its share to achieve victory for the forces of civilization.

"This, however, cannot be achieved without exhausting every resource at the command of the nations and armies fighting for the freedom of the world."

## ONE OF OFFICIALS COMMITTED SUICIDE

Paris, Sept. 3.—One of the government officials involved in army frauds in connection with the purchase of munitions committed suicide yesterday to avoid arrest. Warrants for other persons charged with having acted in complicity with technical agents of the army and navy have been issued.

## BELIEVED BULGARIA DELAYING DECISION

Thought in Rome She Has Certain Purpose in Prolonging Negotiations

PUTTING OFF DAY WHEN  
SHE MUST STATE PLANS

Serbia, Roumania and Greece Have Agreed to a Revision of the Treaty

Rome, Sept. 3.—A revision of the treaty of Bucharest has been agreed to explicitly by Serbia, Roumania and Greece, according to reports received here, but it is said these countries are not willing to satisfy entirely Bulgaria's claims for territorial compensation for participating in the war.

The treaty of Bucharest, which ended the Balkan conflict following the victory over Turkey, was signed August 10, 1913, between Bulgaria and Roumania, Greece and Montenegro. By the treaty the Roumanian-Bulgarian frontier starts from the Danube, above Turtukai, and ends on the Black Sea, south of Ekranie. The Serbian-Bulgarian frontier starts from the Patarka mountain, continues along the old Turkish-Bulgarian frontier and the watershed between the Vardar and the Sigrina, and ends at the mountain of Belashetza. The Greek-Bulgarian frontier starts on the coast of the Belashetza range and ends at the mouth of the river Nestor, on the Aegean Sea.

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## BOMBARDMENT STILL BEING CARRIED OUT

French Guns Are Throwing Many Shells Against German Positions

Paris, Sept. 3.—The official statement issued to-day, though brief, indicates that the French artillery is continuing its bombardment of the German positions throughout the greater part of the front. At several points trenches and shelters have been demolished.

There has been no explanation so far as to why this extensive attack is being carried out, but it is believed a great move is imminent.

Paris, Sept. 3.—The following official communication was issued last night: "In Belgium, replying to bombardments directed against the town of Nieupoort and the sectors of Steenstraet and Boesinghe, our artillery brought into play a very effective fire against the bomb-throwers and batteries in action and against the assemblies and parks of the enemy."

"On the Artois front there has been an exchange of bombs and grenades in the sap heads. Between the Somme and the Oise our batteries have silenced the fire from the German artillery in the environs of Agincourt and Cannes. The enemy has fired a number of incendiary shells on Soissons and the region round about."

"Bombardments have taken place on the Alsace front, between Ville-Aux-Bois and Codat; in champagne and on the west of the Argonne. Cannonades were occurred in Tormaine and in the Vosges, in the sector of the Fecht."

## FOUR EX-MINISTERS WILL APPEAR NEXT WEDNESDAY

Winnipeg, Sept. 3.—A remand until next Wednesday was granted at the request of defence counsel when Sir Edmund Roblin, J. H. Howden, Dr. W. H. Montague and G. R. Caldwell appeared in the city police court this morning charged with conspiracy to defraud the province.

The ex-ministers appeared before police Magistrate P. A. Macdonald, who was appointed to act when Sir Hugh John Macdonald, declined to deal with the cases. F. M. Burbridge, counsel for the ex-ministers, asked for a remand of one week but this was opposed by R. A. Bonnar, K. C., appearing for the crown. The remand for five days then was granted. No witnesses were called and the proceedings were purely formal.

**FLOODS IN INDIA.**  
Bombay, Sept. 3.—Damage exceeding \$5,000,000 has been caused by heavy rains and floods throughout India. Several are reported killed at Cawnpore. Hundreds of houses collapsed.

## STEAMSHIP ROUMANIE SENT DOWN BY GERMANS

London, Sept. 3.—The British steamship Rumanie has been sunk, presumably by a German submarine. The crew has been landed safely.

1,000 KILLED; 4,000  
DIED OF DISEASE

Majority of Christians at Urumiah, Persia, Were Robbed by the Turks

THEIR TOTAL LOSSES  
PUT AT \$2,500,000

New York, Sept. 3.—At least 1,000 Christians were killed and about 4,000 died of disease in Urumiah, Persia, during the five months of Turkish occupation, according to a letter received by J. L. Callwell, American minister at Teheran, from Dr. William A. Sheehy, of Urumiah, and made public here to-day by the Presbyterian board of foreign missions.

Dr. Sheehy stated that these figures were based on careful investigation and record, there having been 3,500 Christian burials alone in the city of Urumiah and the American college compound. He said that before the Russians left Urumiah on January 2, there were between 32,000 and 33,000 Christians in the city and the surrounding villages. Within a few days after January 2 between 3,000 and 3,500 left the country.

Of 6,500 Christian families in the district, Dr. Sheehy said that all but 1,000 had been robbed of all their possessions, and nearly all suffered some loss. The total losses of Christians had been estimated at \$2,500,000. The Presbyterian mission had sustained a loss of \$10,000 during one attack.

Considerably more than one hundred Christian girls turned Moslem during the Turkish occupation, the writer said, in the hope of escaping violence.

## RESULT OF VOTE WILL BE KNOWN TO-NIGHT

Employees of B. C. Electric Railway Company Marking Ballots To-day

Vancouver, Sept. 3.—A final vote on the compromise outlined yesterday by a number of mediators between the B. C. Electric railway and its men is being taken to-day by the employees. On this vote rests the formal decision as to whether or not there will be a strike. The international union has advised against a strike, and intimated that no funds for one will be forthcoming, and on the whole the interest-ed parties are hopeful that the matter will be adjusted without any cessation of work.

Certainly there is but one feeling among the general public. The announcement yesterday that a compromise practically had been arranged between the leaders and the officials of the company was received with the greatest satisfaction throughout the city. Business men especially expressed their belief that through a compromise there apparently had been averted a difficulty which would have added to the heavy burdens that Vancouver citizens are carrying just now. Many of the older heads amongst the men, especially those who have families, and are paying for their homes, counselled the moderation which resulted in the tentative arrangement outlined yesterday.

The subject was discussed briefly at a special meeting of the trades and labor council last evening. The delegates from the street railwaymen's union reported that "it had been done."

On the subject of the failure of the international headquarters to come to the assistance of the local union in the proposed strike, one member of the trades council last night asked if the international had been fully apprised of the serious point to which matters might come.

Fred A. Hoover, business agent of the street railwaymen, said that a letter had been sent to Detroit intimating that the negotiations might reach a crisis but details of the situation had not been conveyed as fully, for instance, as Vancouver people were aware of them.

Balloting was going on this morning at the various car barns in the city where motormen and conductors congregated before going on duty. It will finish about 7 o'clock to-night, after which the vote will be counted and the result made known. It was not known this morning if a mass meeting of the men would be held to announce the result. (Concluded on page 14.)

## WIDE FLUCTUATIONS AT NEW YORK TO-DAY

New Record for Changes in Prices of European Money Set

POUND OPENED \$4.70-4.75;  
STEADY LATER AT \$4.65

Britain Reported to Have Arranged Credit of Over \$50,000,000 in States

New York, Sept. 3.—Foreign money values soared from low to high and back again in frantic and erratic fashion to-day. All ballast was thrown overboard at the opening of the market and values, under the leadership of sterling, moved swiftly upward for an extreme rise of ten cents over last night's quotations. Within an hour they had settled, with many falls and recoveries, to within two cents of yesterday's close. In their spectacular flights the sales held only to a general sense of direction upward.

Opening quotations on the pound sterling were all the way from \$4.70 to \$4.75, the latter figure being quoted in only one instance. At \$4.72, it was reported, there were several transactions. The next quotation to appear on the tickers was \$4.65, a drop within ten minutes of 4 cents. The market reacted to \$4.66 and there seemed fairly stationary.

In a market where sensations have succeeded one another daily, no such startling variations as those of to-day had ever been recorded before. The confusion of the first hour pointed clearly, in the opinion of local bankers, to one thing—that values, upward-bound, were groping blindly for a stable position. Analysis of the financial matters attributed the quest for high levels chiefly to the theory that both here and in London speculators had realized simultaneously that they had long overstayed their position and were rushing to cover.

The rising value of the pound sterling was reflected in the stock market by fewer foreign sales of American securities. Shortly before noon sterling was quoted at \$4.64. The market then was easy.

France were quoted at 5.91, a gain of four cents overnight, and lire at 5.46, a loss of one cent from yesterday. Reichsmarks were quoted at 80%, as against last night's close of 80%.

It was reported that Great Britain had obtained a preliminary credit loan here to tide over pressing obligations and stem the downward trend of sterling exchange rates until a mammoth credit loan can be floated here.

The preliminary loan was estimated at \$50,000,000 to \$100,000,000, and was said to be based on collateral of the American securities brought here in two recent shipments of gold and securities from Halifax to Britain's account and further shipments of securities said to have reached here on the steamships Adriatic and St. Paul, which arrived yesterday.

The report was circulated in the face of a violent upward trend of exchange rates. The establishment of a preliminary loan of this character, intended as a move to stabilize rates temporarily, was believed generally to have been the cause for the unprecedented fluctuations toward higher values.

London, Sept. 3.—There were further erratic fluctuations in American exchange this morning and the cable market was nervous for a time. Cable transfers opened unsettled and considerably higher than New York at \$4.65 to \$4.67. The quotation jumped almost immediately to \$4.70.

About noon there were some covering operations, which caused a decline to \$4.65-\$4.65 1/2.

The rise already has had a detrimental effect on the market for American securities. American railroad stocks are one to three points below yesterday.

## GERMAN MILITARISM MUST BE CRUSHED

London, Sept. 3.—Commenting to-day on Germany's action in granting the demands of the United States in regard to submarine warfare, the Pall Mall Gazette says:

ARE INCLINED TO  
ACCEPT PROPOSAL

Americans Probably Will Agree to Reparation Being Fixed at The Hague

ONE PRINCIPLE CANNOT  
BE RULED UPON THERE

Washington, Sept. 3.—The American position toward a method of fixing reparation for lives and property lost in German submarine operations, such as the Lusitania and the Arabic, has not been determined finally, but there probably will be no opposition to fixing the amounts by arbitration.

An arbitration, however, could cover only the extent of damages and not the question of the principle that unarmed merchant ships must not be sunk without warning and the giving of opportunity for the escape of non-combatants.

Berlin dispatches, apparently officially inspired, saying that Count von Herttorff, the German ambassador, has wide discretionary powers to speak for his government in the final negotiations over submarine warfare, have caused a large measure of gratification among American officials, who have had many evidences of the ambassador's efforts to prevent a break between Germany and the United States.

## AUSTRIA SOON WILL ATTEMPT A BLOCKADE

Will Try to Interfere With Italy's Shipping, It is Reported

New York, Sept. 3.—Austria-Hungary shortly will attempt a submarine blockade against Italy identical with the one that has been attempted with so little success by German against Britain.

This was the word brought here to-day by passengers on the Italian liner Tomaso di Savoia.

The Adriatic sea and that portion of the Mediterranean adjacent to Italy will be included in the war zone which the Austrians will declare and in which they will attempt to operate.

London, Sept. 3.—The German and Austrian armies on the eastern front are about to part company, according to a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Amsterdam. This quotes a message from Vienna announcing that Field-Marshal Archduke Frederick, commander-in-chief of the Austrian army, to-day had bid official farewell to Field-Marshal von Mackensen, the German commander, at Brest Litovsk, as henceforth the armies of the two commanders were to cease co-operating.

The message says it is believed the Austrian armies that have been operating in Poland shortly will be removed in the direction of Serbia.

Berlin, Sept. 3.—The kaiser has conferred upon Field-Marshal von Mackensen the Order of the Black Eagle, the highest decoration within his gift.

## HAVE ENCOUNTERED STRONG RESISTANCE

Winter Will Upset Germans' Plan of Campaign in the North

MUST WRESTLE WITH  
PROBLEM OF SUPPLIES

Italian Artillery Soon Will Be Within Range of Rovereto

London, Sept. 3.—Military experts here refused to be downcast to-day at the claim made by the Germans that they had occupied Grodno. They believed that the reports that large Turkish forces on the Gallipoli peninsula had been surrounded were vastly more important news. It was pointed out that Berlin made no claims of great captures of men or munitions at Grodno, and the evacuation by the Russians was declared to have been merely a continuation of the Russian tactics of the last few weeks. Even should Vilna fall, it was contended, the Germans would be far from a real victory.

Great importance was attached to the stiff resistance the Russians are offering to the German attacks in Courland, particularly in the Riga section, and the prediction was made that the early approach of winter will rob the Germans of any advantage they might have gained, leaving them with long lines of communication to maintain in a country where winter transportation is extremely difficult.

The British, French and Italian forces, it was believed here, were within measurable distance of success in the attack on Constantinople.

Absolutely no credence was placed in the allegation made by the discredited Overseas News Agency, the official press bureau of the German government from which so many false reports have been sent out, that dispatches from Sofia reported that "off the entrance to the Dardanelles a British transport had struck a mine and had sunk with 320 officers, 1,250 soldiers and 300 members of the crew, all of whom were drowned, and a hundred bodies being recovered." It was pointed out, as so frequently in the case with Overseas News Agency reports, no date for the sinking was given and that the story bore a curious resemblance to the true account of the sinking of the transport Royal Edward on August 11, when, as was stated by the British admiralty, about 60 were saved.

Little interest was manifested here to-day in the conference yesterday between President Wilson and Cardinal Gibbons.

It was noted with satisfaction that President Wilson practically had declared there was no hope of any effort he might make proving successful at the present time, this being taken to indicate that it is realized throughout the world that there will be no looking backward on the part of the allies until German militarism has been crushed.

The reports that Bulgarian troops were holding manoeuvres near the Greek frontier were viewed from several angles. The consensus of opinion, however, was that the situation in the Balkans from the standpoint of the entire powers still was most promising and that an alliance between any of the Balkan states and Turkey was out of the question. Suggestions that the Austro-Germans might attempt to strike by way of Odessa to relieve Constantinople were deemed most improbable, the difficulties in the way of such a campaign being too great with winter rapidly approaching.

Dispatches stating that Italian troops had advanced to the vicinity of Rovereto were taken as evidence that the Austrian defence was weakening, and predictions were made that before long the constant battering of the Italians would show results on both the Trentino and Isonzo fronts.

Zurich, Sept. 3.—Innsbruck dispatches to-day reported that the Italian artillery is almost within range of Rovereto and that the civilian inhabitants are evacuating the city.

Laibach dispatches reported that Austrian reinforcements to the number of 200,000, mostly youths, had arrived at the front, as well as eighty new batteries and large quantities of ammunition. It is thought the Austrians are preparing to attempt to assume the offensive. Despite this, the Italians have made marked progress on the Carso plateau.

## NO MOVE WILL BE MADE BY WILSON

Will Not Act Until Allies Are Prepared to Discuss Terms

POPE'S MESSAGE CAN  
HAVE NO RESULTS

Germany, Austria-Hungary and Turkey Desire to Arrange Peace

Washington, Sept. 3.—The United States will make no further effort to bring about peace in Europe until it has received information that its good offices will be welcomed by both sides in the conflict. This was stated authoritatively here to-day in discussions by officials of the message from Pope Benedict, delivered to President Wilson yesterday by Cardinal Gibbons.

From the fact that the vatican is in close touch with Austria, the construction placed by officials on the pope's message is that the Germanic powers would be willing to discuss peace at this time. It was stated by those in closest touch with the administration that similar word will have to be received from Great Britain and her allies before the president will make any further move.

President Wilson has made it clear several times that his original offer of service is to bring about peace still stands and that he will do everything possible to further the movement. The United States, however, will do nothing likely to endanger its position as a friend to all belligerents. It was said authoritatively.

The pope's message will not be made public by this government, although there will be no objection if Cardinal Gibbons gives it out.

## FROM SOLDIERS AT FRONT TO CANADA

Hughes, Back in Ottawa, Says He Brings Message of Good Will

Ottawa, Sept. 3.—"I bear a message of good-will from the Canadian troops at the front and in England to the Canadian people."

This sentence in the speech by Major-General Sir Samuel Hughes, marked the culminating point of an enthusiastic reception tendered to the minister of militia on his arrival at the Central station to-day. Sir Samuel was standing in an automobile, surrounded by staff officers, when he conveyed this message to the several hundred who stood about. Having done so, he saluted in approved military fashion, resumed his seat and was whisked away to the militia department, where he immediately resumed the duties of his department.

## WILLIAM T. LEWIS AT BOTTOM; CREW SAVED

San Francisco, Sept. 3.—The British ship William T. Lewis, owned by Hind, Rolph & Company, of San Francisco, was sunk to-day off Queenstown by a German submarine, according to a message received here by the marine department of the chamber of commerce. She sailed from Everett, Wash., March 29, for Sheerness, Eng., with a cargo of lumber.

Captain E. E. Manning and his crew were taken aboard the Danish motorship Australia. No lives were lost. It was reported later that the William T. Lewis had foundered.

## BULGARIAN TROOPS NEAR THE FRONTIER OF GREECE

Athens, Sept. 3.—Bulgarian troops have taken up a position near the Greek frontier for their annual manoeuvres.

**IN GERMAN PRISON CAMPS.**  
Washington, Sept. 3.—The United States public health service announced to-day that cholera is raging in German prison camps in Silesia, Brandenburg and Posen, and also is prevalent throughout Austria, Russia, China, Egypt, Ceylon, the Philippines and the Balkans.

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### SEVERAL TRENCHES LOST BY AUSTRIANS

#### Ammunition Depot Blown Up by Italian Guns; Official Statements

Rome, Sept. 3.—The following official statement was issued last night: "The enemy's artillery has continued to bombard Borgo, in the Sugana, and has begun to shell Roncogno, starting several fires there.

"Our artillery has bombarded and blown up a depot of munitions above Anderter, in the Sexten valley, and effectively repelled to the enemy's batteries in the Sebach valley, beyond the Predil defences.

"The cupola of Fort Herman, north of Plezzo, also has been struck by our fire.

"A medium calibre enemy battery threw a few shells upon the station and railroad track at Cormons without doing any damage. In the Val Grande zone, in Carnia, reconnoitering parties sent out towards the enemy observed that in some trenches recently lost, 108 bodies had been abandoned.

"On the Carso plateau the enemy also has abandoned several trenches, leaving quantities of arms and ammunition, which were gathered up by our troops."

Vienna, Sept. 3.—The following official statement was given out last night: "In the Tyrolean district, the Tormale fortifications, the plateaux of Lavaronne and Folgarida and our fortifications and vantage points at Monte Jaronia and Monte Cosson are kept under the enemy's gunfire.

"On the Carinthian frontier, weak Italian attacks against Monte Serriba and the bridge were repelled.

"In the coastal district artillery engagements continue. Works of the enemy at several places have been disturbed successfully."

#### WILL VOTE IN NOVEMBER.

St. John's, Nfld., Sept. 3.—The question of prohibition of the liquor traffic is the leading issue to-day in the politics of this colony. A vote will be taken in November on a prohibition bill referred to the people by the last legislature.

### AUSTRIA-HUNGARY NEAR END OF TETHER

#### Last Landsturm Class Called; Reinforcements Coming From Hospitals

London, Sept. 3.—A special dispatch from Budapest says: "The official decree calling upon all men of the last Landsturm class, between the ages of 43 and 50, to report themselves for medical examination throughout the monarchy, and, if found fit, to join their respective assigned units as directed, between August 23 and October 1, has created great alarm throughout the country, because it was stated early in the summer that the men of the last Landsturm class would not be called until late in the year and would be employed at the front only if it became absolutely necessary. Since then things have changed considerably, and, according to the decree, they have to be enrolled within the shortest possible period.

In connection with this new measure there is much talk about the great losses sustained during the campaign in Galicia and Poland, as well as on the Italian front. It is said that the estimates made on the basis of former wars, and this made it necessary for the general staff to shorten the time of grace given when the Landsturm bill was introduced. Nobody has any idea regarding the real extent of the losses sustained during the campaign begun on May 2, but it is believed in well-informed quarters that they are not behind those of the Carpathian battles during the two months of the winter, which simply were appalling.

According to figures available, the two winter months in question cost something like half a million men in ill, wounded and killed, and the two months of the Galician campaign, May and June, were not behind these figures, with the exception of the 100,000 prisoners lost to the Russians, which is not the case with the Galician campaign, where the losses in prisoners do not exceed 20,000 men.

It is estimated that the last Landsturm class will add some 700,000 to 800,000 men to the strength of the army, and spring will see the 18-year-old men, those who are 17 now, filling the gaps. Another winter campaign, on the other hand, will cost another million men, counting that it lasts for six months. How they will manage to keep up this pace the most expert observers do not profess to know, especially if they consider the question of the men with 'victories,' which they cannot do when the winter sets in, even though the Russians were to refrain from using the great strength they have conserved during their long retirement. Reinforcements, the Austro-Hungarians are drawing upon now, north and south, are coming out of the hospitals.

Petrograd, Sept. 3.—The following official statement was issued last night: "On the Riga-Dvinsk front, generally speaking, there has been no important change. The German attack in the region of Friedrichstadt again has been repulsed.

"Our troops are making successful progress between the Sventa and the Wilica rivers. They are approaching very near Vilkomir, and farther on they occupy the front of Sventyany-Muzayala-Dukshly.

"On the evening of the 1st of September, near Sventyany, our cavalry carried two villages at the point of the bayonet, repulsing the Germans in disorder and making prisoners.

"In our progress along the right bank of the Wilica, we captured from the Germans in the Dukshly region one mortar and several bazouks. The situation between the Wilica and Niemen rivers is unchanged. The enemy's efforts are directed chiefly along the Olita-Merecz road, where, on the night of the 1st, we repulsed many obstinate attacks. A stubborn fight occurred near Crany.

"Near Grodno, after having held the enemy as long as necessary to enable us to evacuate this point, our troops on the night of the 1st crossed to the right bank of the Niemen river.

"To the south of Grodno, on the whole front as far as the Pripiet river, the situation is without essential change.

"In the region of Lutsk, after having held the enemy in obstinate combats on the River Sty, our troops on the night of the 1st fell back upon the Olyka-Rudiswiliw front. During the day we captured a hundred prisoners, including officers, and machine guns.

"The enemy has occupied Lutsk.

"In conformity with the retreating movements from the River Sty, our troops in Galicia have occupied numerous positions enabling us to cover our movements. The enemy again has suffered very heavily in rear guard actions in the regions of Zolozow and Zborow and at the mouth of the Stripa. After repulsing repeated attacks we assumed a partial offensive, securing many prisoners and much war material."

#### STRUGGLE LASTED FOR FOUR DAYS AND NIGHTS

London, Sept. 3.—The representative of the British press at the Dardanelles, in a dispatch describing in detail the great battle which ended August 30, after a four days' hand-to-hand struggle for the crest of Sari Bahr, which the British corps at Anzac, including the Australian and New Zealand forces, actually reached, but was unable to hold owing to the Turkish counter-attacks and the failure of one of the co-operating strategic movements, says: "It was the most ferocious and sustained soldier's battle since Inkerman. But Inkerman was over in a few hours, whereas the British forces kept up this terrific combat for four successive days and nights amidst the hills and ravines 500 feet above the sea. To this point all water, rations and ammunition had to be borne along paths which do not exist except on the map, and

#### CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Sept. 3.—The following casualties have been announced:

First Battalion—Dangerously wounded: Pte. C. Cosson, England.

Wounded: Pte. Frank Smart, England.

Third Battalion—Previously reported died of wounds while prisoner; now officially reported alive and serving with his unit: Pte. A. J. Grundy, Toronto.

Fourth Battalion—Wounded: Pte. J. F. Morrison, Columbia Gardens, B.C. Returned to Unit: Lance-Corpl. E. Lee, Scotland.

Fifth Battalion—Died of wounds: Pte. Chas. Jackson, Herman, Neb.

Seventh Battalion—Seriously wounded: Pte. E. C. Brooke-Smith, England.

Eighth Battalion—Wounded: Pte. Thos. Walters, Winnipeg.

Tenth Battalion—Wounded: Pte. W. A. Macalpin, Southwood, Ont.; Pte. John Wilson, Scotland.

Princess Patricia's—Wounded; previously reported sick: Corpl. H. H. White, Scotland.

Second Divisional Ammunition Column—Seriously ill: Pte. Jas. Pascock, Toronto.

No. 3 Canadian Field Ambulance—Wounded slightly: Pte. C. H. Appleby, Halifax, N. S.

### PROGRESS BETWEEN SVENTA AND WILICA

#### Russian Forces Are Approaching Vilkomir, Says Report Issued at Petrograd

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### DECISION DOES NOT PLEASE VON TIRPITZ

London, Sept. 3.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Amsterdam says: "Telegrams received here from Berlin express fears that the German government's decision to relax its submarine campaign will cause most serious internal troubles as the chancellor's action conflicts with the opinion of all the maritime chiefs.

"It is rumored that Admiral von Tirpitz, the minister of marine, has gone to the headquarters of Emperor William to confer with the chief of the emperor's naval staff, and that he intends to resign. It is said he will be succeeded by Admiral von Pohl, chief of the admiralty staff and commander of the German battle fleet.

### RESUMED ON AUGUST 31.

London, Sept. 3.—The correspondent of Reuter's Telegram Company at Sofia, Bulgaria, sends the following: "On August 31 the Turco-Bulgarian negotiation for the rectification of the frontier, with a view to Bulgaria's acquiring the Turkish section of the Dejazirah railway, which recently were temporarily suspended by the return of the Bulgarian delegates from Constantinople, were resumed. Officials, however, appear to entertain little hope of results."

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### NOTICE

In the Matter of the Estate of Isabella Graham, Deceased, Late of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having any claim against Isabella Graham, who died at the City of Victoria on the 23rd day of July, 1915, are requested to send the same, duly verified, to the undersigned before the 1st day of October, 1915, after which date the Executors will proceed to distribute the estate, having regard only to claims of which they then have notice.

Dated this 24th day of August, 1915.  
WALTER WALKER, Executors of the last Will of Isabella Graham, deceased.  
Address, care of R. P. Ribbet & Company, Limited, Wharf St., Victoria, B. C.

### NOTICE

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Cameron, Late of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the late Mary Cameron, who died on or about the 11th day of March, 1914, in the City of San Francisco, in the State of California, one of the United States of America, are requested to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned Solicitors for Walter Scott Chambers, the administrator of the estate of the above-named deceased, their names and addresses and full particulars of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, duly authenticated by affidavit.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the 25th day of September, 1915, the said Walter Scott Chambers will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice, and that the said Walter Scott Chambers will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person whose claim he shall not then have received notice.

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### GANGHOFFER'S OUTBURST ABOUT HINDENBURG

### German Bard's Heart Stopped Beating; "Hindenburg" Resounded Through His Soul.

Amsterdam, Sept. 3.—Herr Ganghofer, the poet, dramatist and novelist, whom the German government selected out of many aspirants to be the official literary spectator and narrator of the great war events, has seen Field-Marshal von Hindenburg. He already had seen other heroes and told the tale in prose.

He it was who described that scene when the commander of the marauding submarine received his orders to go out on a raid of death and destruction in the dark, and who pictured the noble heroism of the seaman who, with a cold gleam in his eye, went out into the mist and rain of the North Sea on a mission for the fatherland—to seek out some unsuspecting, unprotected merchant ship bound upon a peaceful voyage and, without warning, to launch the deadly missile that would send many innocent non-combatants, all unprepared, before their Maker.

He also has told of talking with the Kaiser once, of seeing him many times, as that individual, to the infinite annoyance of his generals and to the complete ruin of their plans, flitted about from point to point, in fact, after every so-called "victory" of the Teutonic arms Herr Ganghofer goes the Kaiser and proceeds to tell with many trills and heart throbs how the Kaiser took on the emperor's face has been replaced by an expression of rebuff.

But all these, favors of fortune seemed as nothing when the poet learned that he was to have a meeting with Field-Marshal von Hindenburg. What a message he would have for the nation, when this great event took place! He would have to be worthy of the occasion.

Herr Ganghofer prepared himself for it. In advance he wrote, with trepidation: "When is fate to donate to me that hour in which I shall see him face to face, in which I may seize and press his hand with all a German's gratitude?"

The hour came. Herr Ganghofer was ready. All the rapture that exuded from another bard when Jennie kissed him was his, combined with the tender awe of Berenice's "Grandmother," who had seen Napoleon, to whom Napoleon had spoken.

Herr Ganghofer saw Field-Marshal von Hindenburg. His narration of the event is given at considerable length in the Muenchener Neueste Nachrichten. He saw Field-Marshal von Hindenburg, but he did not speak to him, he did not seize his hand or press it.

It fell out unexpectedly. The poet was going along in his automobile, following a column of troops—his feet on the ground, as it were, his head in the clouds. Suddenly they came across a carriage of the general staff. The poet goes on:

"A presentiment, partaking of the incredulous and of the ardent, flamed up within me. With the anxiety of a madman I tore myself from my benzine car. I jumped on the road.

"There he is coming! My heart stops; or perhaps it merely seems to, and really beats so fast that the rapidity of its throbs resolves itself into a long light flutter of felicity. I recognize the ponderous mustaches and the pensive tranquil eye of the captain.

"Hindenburg" resounds through my soul. I have no time to think. Shall I fling him a shout of salutation?  
"Feverish, dumb, I snatch my cap from my head, as does a happy boy before one he venerates. The carriage already is gone by. I cannot think; I cannot smile. I only know that on the road between Grudusk and Przasnysz I passed the three most precious seconds of my life.

"This silent joy reigns in me as we resume once more our way."  
Herr Ludwig A. Ganghofer was born at Kaufbeuren in 1835, and received his first recognition for dramatic work in 1881. Since then he has been a prolific author, steadily producing poems, plays and novels.

### SWEPT OFF CANOE BY STEAMER'S WASH

### Francis Pike, of Courtenay, Loses His Life in Johnstone Straits

Courtenay, B. C., Sept. 2.—After fighting for his life for over an hour in the treacherous waters of Johnstone Straits, Francis Pike, of this place, was swept off an overturned canoe, to which he was clinging, and drowned, while his company, who had swum to shore, was attempting to rescue him with a rope.

News of the tragic fatality was brought here by Samuel E. West, who was in the canoe with Pike when it was overturned.

West stated that he and Pike were returning to Courtenay from an up-coast prospecting trip on August 20, when their canoe was caught in a tide rip and upset. After West and his companion had clung to the craft for several minutes with no prospect of rescue the former struck out for shore.

Swirled here and there by the fierce currents, it took him nearly an hour to reach land. He secured a rope and while trying to toss it to Pike the Chelohin passed close by the overturned canoe, the backwash creating such a heavy swell that Pike was swept from the craft and sank to his death.

He leaves a wife and child here.

### NOW IN COMMAND OF SIXTEENTH BATTALION

London, Sept. 3.—The promotion of Major J. E. Leckie, D.S.O., 16th Battalion, Canadian Infantry, to be a temporary lieutenant-colonel and to command the battalion, is announced officially. He succeeded Lieut.-Col. R. G. Edwards Leckie, who vacated the command.

Lieut. Conover, 48th Battalion, becomes a temporary captain, and R. G. Hooton, of the Fort Garry Horse, a lieutenant.

160,000 SHELLS.  
New York, Sept. 3.—The Crucible Steel company, it was reported yesterday, has received an order for high explosive shells valued at \$10,000,000. The order calls for about 150,000 shells.

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Many new styles, with high and low neck, long and short sleeves, belt, lace front fastening, and patch pockets. See window. Extra value at \$1.75  
Holiday Kid Gloves at, Per Pair, \$1.00  
Dent's Tailored Gloves, of fine quality. Cane kid, tan and brown. Special, per pair, \$1.00  
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Chas. Perrin's Fine Quality French Kid Gloves, all shades. Per pair at \$1.00  
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### SIR WILFRID LAURIER SPOKE AT NAPANEE

Napanee, Ont., Sept. 2.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier was the chief speaker at a magnificent patriotic meeting held here yesterday in the new armory, at which large contingents from Picton, Belleville, Trenton and other places were present. Sir George Foster was to have been on the platform also, but unfortunately missed his train.  
Sir Wilfrid expressed himself as opposed to the saying, "In time of peace, prepare for war." Taking the German record as an instance, he said that to put the youth of the country into barracks for two or three years would instill in them a desire for war which some time or other would take effect. He did not disapprove of the principle of compulsory service, he said.  
"This is a war which to every British subject means that before we consent to this spirit of the German army we are prepared to shed our last drop of blood."  
"I have come here to talk to the young men. I have only one argument to make with them, and if it does not touch them nothing will. It is that only the brave deserve the fair. If there is a young man who is not touched by that, I despair of him."

### TURKS BURNED TOWN; MASSACRED ARMENIANS

London, Sept. 3.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Athens says:  
"Travelers arriving from Constantinople announce that, on Friday last, the Turks burned the town of Ismid and massacred a large number of the Armenian inhabitants."  
Ismid lies at the head of the Gulf of Ismid, in Asia Minor, about 56 miles southeast of Constantinople. It has been the residence of both Greek and Armenian archbishops. Its population numbers about 25,000.

### BRITISH STEAMSHIP SUNK BY SUBMARINE

Hartlepool, Eng., Sept. 3.—The British steamship Whitefield has been sunk by a German submarine. Her crew was saved.  
The Whitefield was a vessel of 2,422 tons. She was owned by W. Maclean & Company, of West Hartlepool.

### REVIEWED BY KING.

London, Sept. 3.—The Canadian troops in the Shorncliffe district were reviewed at Bechborough park yesterday by the king, who was accompanied by Lord Kitchener and his staff.  
All the battalions belonging to the second contingent were represented in the review, accompanied by massed Canadian bands. Afterward the king complimented Major-General Steele on the fine appearance of the officers and men.

### BANK WINS.

Winnipeg, Sept. 3.—The Northern Crown bank has won a big suit involving half a million dollars against the Great West Lumber Company. The case was heard in Calgary, the court giving judgment in the bank's favor. An appeal was taken to the privy council and has been withdrawn now. The bank can now recover all advances made to company and dispose of its assets if necessary.

### SURRENDER IMMINENT.

Paris, Sept. 3.—"An important part of the Turkish forces on the Gallipoli peninsula has been surrounded by the allied forces and its surrender is imminent," says an Athens dispatch to the Fourrier agency.

### TO THE HAGUE.

Berlin, Sept. 3.—Germany, according to Count von Bernstorff's instructions, offers to submit the claims arising out of the Lusitania and Arabic cases to The Hague for adjudication.

COST \$90,000,000.

Washington, Sept. 3.—The cattle tick cost the United States approximately \$90,000,000 during the past year, according to estimates by Dr. A. B. Melvin, chief of the federal bureau of animal industry. This includes destruction of the cattle, decreases in value of hides and in production of milk, etc.

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IS HE THE GOAT?

An Amsterdam report says that Admiral von Tirpitz is about to retire, to be succeeded as the head of the German admiralty by Admiral von Pohl.

Von Tirpitz was strong for frightfulness at sea, and up to a short time ago the Kaiser was thoroughly in accord with his policy.

CANNOT BE FOOLED AGAIN.

The scepticism of the public regarding the latest undertakings of Sir William Mackenzie and Sir Richard McBride is thoroughly justified by the record.

But there is one thing the public should have been spared in the latest assurances. It is the excuse that the work was delayed by the war.

ly becoming acquainted with their methods. While he lasted he was a veritable treasure trove, but like the people of Canada, he ultimately grew weary of filling Sir William's sack every time it was opened to him.

WILL SUSTAIN THE BURDEN.

A writer in the Economic World estimates the increase in the world's debt at \$16,836,500,000 as the result of the first year of war.

The writer of the article takes issue with those financial prophets of woe who declare that Europe is dashing to irretrievable ruin and that the powers never will be able to meet the huge interest charges that will confront them.

The wars of the last few years have shattered many pet theories of the financial expert. After the struggle between Turkey and Italy it was declared that the Ottoman empire had had enough of war to last it for a generation.

Men and women are the main assets of a nation, and as long as they do not decay in native worth the countries in which they live are endowed with inexhaustible vitality.

STRIVING FOR PEACE.

Bernard Pares, professor of Russian in Liverpool University, who acted as British official eye-witness on the eastern front, declares that the object of the Austro-German campaign in that region is to detach Russia from her allies by forcing her to accept a separate peace.

her a weapon with which to negotiate an inconclusive peace.

Germany wants peace, and wants it badly. Although she has not done what she set out to do, a cessation of hostilities at this juncture would enable the militarist party to justify its policy to the German people.

Peace talk at this stage is grotesque. Peace now would mean more wars, the conversion of the world into an armed camp, the repression of freedom of thought, action and conscience.

Well, they are not going to have it. The allies are not sacrificing their blood and treasure for nothing. Moreover, they can read the signs of the times. They know the real source of these desperate attempts to bring about an inconclusive peace and the reasons thereof.

The public will expect Sir Robert Borden and Sir Sam Hughes to take drastic measures against the propaganda of Bourassa and Laverne notwithstanding the presence in the ministry of Messrs. Blondin and Coderre.

Germany, with all her boasted successes, realizes that she is nearing the end of her resources. Her allies are in extremis. Hence by making "concessions" to the United States, she thinks she can enlist the services of that powerful neutral in arranging terms of peace.

The morning paper confesses to a delicate shade of disappointment because the undertakings of Mackenzie-Mann-McBride were not completed according to schedule.

Now that Sir Robert Borden and Sir Sam Hughes have returned from abroad it is hoped they will cut out the frills and expedite Canada's military organization and equipment.

The editor of our morning contemporary is annoyed because somebody presented him with two white feathers. He really should feel complimented, because the incident shows that the donor regards him as equivalent to two men in fighting value.

In Berlin it is considered quite proper for arrogant young Prussian officers to elbow civilians of the sidewalk as they strut along.

Dr. Simpson, whose shockingly sudden death occurred last night, was a well-known, popular and highly successful physician in Alaska, where he practised for many years.

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LISSAUER BEGINS TO REAP.

Detroit Free Press: Ernest Lissauer says now he is sorry he wrote his "Hymn of Hate" against England, and would like to recall it if he could.

FOR A DISTANT FRIEND.

Why are thou silent? Is thy love a plant of such weak fibre that the treacherous air of absence withers what was once so fair?

WHAT BRITAIN HAS DONE.

La Guerre Sociale, Paris: What would have become of us even after the battle of the Marne, if the German fleet had driven us from the seas and had blockaded us?

ARMORED SOLDIERS.

Nobody contends that any armor a man could carry would save him from death if he was squarely over a vital spot by one of the projectiles now in use.

THE AMERICAN NOTES.

New York Outlook: So long as the subject of our communications with Great Britain concerns the legal status of property brought before prize courts there cannot be very wide popular interest in such communications.

NATURE OF HIS WORK AFFECTED HIS MIND.

Paris, Sept. 2.—The idea that a soldier of France could desert the army at the time of his country's greatest need, so weighed upon the mind of Lieut. Penet that he committed suicide to-day under the hallucination that he himself was a deserter.

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DAVID SPENCER, LTD. RESULT OF VOTE WILL BE KNOWN TO-NIGHT. Mr. Hoover said this morning that it was by no means certain that the new agreement would be ratified by the men's vote to-day.

HEADQUARTERS EDISON MAZDA LAMPS. Ironing is a Pleasure With a Hot Point Iron. It is the general favorite for its hot point—always cool handle—non-scorching attachment stand—cool grip, removable switch plug—and 10 years' guaranteed on heating element.



An Independent Columbia Record File for \$3.50. A feature of the handsome new Macey Equipment for music lovers. Can be used on stand or table like a book-rack.

EMPLOYED IN MEXICO BY AMERICAN CONCERN. Vera Cruz, Sept. 3.—Henry W. Francis, a newspaper correspondent who was here August 10 by order of General Carranza, charged with distributing news in the United States unfavorable to the Carranza party, is to be released to-night.

ARE SEARCHING FOR MEXICAN BANDITS. Brownsville, Tex., Sept. 3.—The search for the band of Mexican marauders who killed two Americans and lost one of their number in a fight yesterday with United States soldiers was pressed with vigor to-day.

# LABOR DAY

(Monday, Sept. 6.)

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A pair of high pressure stern wheel engines have just been completed by Spratt and Gray, of this city, for a new steamer now building in New Westminster, and they will be sent up to-morrow.

The vacancy in the land registry office has been filled by the appointment of S. Y. Wootton, in place of the late H. H. Wootton.

Since Messrs. Hall, Rose & Company first started the Victoria rice mill, the importation of rice has slowly decreased, while shipments to outside cities are of daily occurrence. It is to be hoped they will be equally successful with the new flour mill that is expected to be running full shortly.

It is stated that during his visit in Victoria Hon. Mackenzie Bowell will, besides arranging for a quarantine station for cattle, look into the matter of erecting an appraiser's residence.

### SEPTEMBER MORN

Somehow it seems to be the birthday of those twin sisters—work and worry.

Playtime is over and the things to be done loom very large. The school bell will remind grown-ups as well as "kiddies" that the long grind is near.

In a business way the signs are encouraging—the times look like more work and less worry.

And the new impulse for energy naturally suggests the meeting ground for helper and helped—the advertising columns of the Times.

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### GOVERNMENT CANNOT SUPPORT PROPOSAL

#### The Citizens' Unemployment Scheme is Considered Too Costly for Adoption

A letter has been received from the premier, indicating the attitude of the executive council to the scheme of the citizens' unemployment committee. The accompanying letter, which speaks for itself, will be presented to the executive committee of the organization this afternoon, when it will be determined whether any further steps can be taken in the matter.

Premier's Office, September 2, 1915.

Rev. William Stevenson, Victoria, B. C.

Dear Mr. Stevenson,

I have delayed answering you for the simple reason that I have been making most careful inquiries into the whole subject of the unemployment question, and after getting the best expert advice on the subject, I am of the opinion that the suggestions submitted to me by your committee are not practical.

We have given the subject the most careful consideration with, I may say, sympathetic consideration of what has been advanced, because if it were possible to find a solution in the way you suggest we would be only too glad to co-operate. I hope you understand that any arrangement we might make with your people locally would necessarily apply throughout the province, and we cannot at the present time undertake to go into a relief system which would involve millions of dollars.

Yours faithfully,  
(Sgd.) RICHARD McBRIDE.

Ivy Leaf Club.—A whist drive will be held by the Ivy Leaf Social club in the K. & P. hall this evening.

Bank Clearings.—The total bank clearings in Victoria for the month of September amounted to \$1,197,904.

Signs of the Times.—An address on this subject will be given in Claverdale hall this evening at 8 o'clock by Mark Lev, Los Angeles, the Hebrew Christian evangelist.

Winning Ticket.—The drawing for the bedroom suite offered as a premium by Smith & Champion resulted in number 2194 being entitled to the suite.

St. Barnabas Girls' W. A.—The girls' branch of the W. A. of St. Barnabas parish is planning a social evening for Tuesday next, in the school room. There will be games, music and refreshments.

Sunday School Rally.—The first rally of the boys and girls in St. Columba church, Oak Bay, will be at the Sunday morning service, when the whole service will be specially prepared for young people.

Saanich License Commissioners.—The Saanich license commissioners will meet on Wednesday, instead of Tuesday as previously announced. The only application is for a transfer of the license of the Burnside hotel from G. H. Patton to Terrence Carline.

I. O. O. E. Garden Party.—A garden party will be held by the Esquimalt Chapter, I. O. O. E., at "Ashburn," the residence of Colonel and Mrs. Peters, on Thursday next, from 1 to 5.30 p. m. The proceeds will be divided between the Red Cross and the chapter funds.

Changed Its Name.—The Agricultural and Trades association of Okanagan mission, at the annual meeting held in Kelowna three years ago, decided to adopt the name of Kelowna Agricultural and Trades association, and has now carried that decision into effect.

Timber Sales.—Tenders are being called for by the forestry branch for the purchase of timber license x462, to cut 288,000 feet of cedar on an area on Powell lake, and timber license x383, to cut 4,584,000 feet of Douglas fir, hemlock, cedar and balsam on an area on Forward Harbor.

Tenders Invited.—The provincial department of public works is calling for tenders for three school buildings—a large one-room school and outbuildings at Vanderhoof, in the Cariboo district; a large one-room school at Royston, in Comox; and a one-room addition to the schoolhouse at Hedley, in Similkameen.

Sends His Thanks.—A Yamauchi, counselor of the department of agriculture and commerce of Japan, who visited this city early in June to look into the prospects of increased trade between British Columbia and the Oriental Kingdom, has written a letter to P. Elworthy, secretary of the Victoria Board of Trade, from Tokio, thanking him for the attention which was given him while here. The letter in part says: "Sincere thanks for your cordial support, as well as your kind attention, which was extended to me while I was a visitor to your city."

### ISLAND ARTS CLUB PROPOSE EXHIBITION

#### Committee May Decide to Hold One During Christmas Holidays

The anxiety of the Island Arts and Crafts club to assist the Red Cross work by some practical and united effort on behalf of the funds of that organization was evidenced in the unusually large attendance of members at the meeting called last evening at the Alexandra club. Dr. Hassel, president, occupied the chair, and put forward a suggestion early in the meeting that a sale of antiques, similar to that recently held at Christie's, London, should be organized, members to contribute the articles from their own collections.

The meeting did not accept the suggestion with enthusiasm, and a number of alternative suggestions were mooted with no greater success. Finally J. A. Kyle proposed holding an exhibition and sale during Christmas holidays, when some room in the High school would be available for the purpose. The suggestion was put in the form of a resolution, and was passed with the hearty endorsement of the meeting. Further consideration of the matter is left to the executive committee of the club, who will report at some future meeting of the organization.

The matter of a meeting-place for the club during the coming months was also discussed. Owing to the financial condition of the organization it was felt necessary to carry on such sessions with a minimum of expense, and a suggestion that members should invite the club to their homes until other accommodation could be found also met with some favor.

Some reference to the Handicrafts school elicited the following resolution, which was passed by the meeting:—That this meeting cordially endorse the proposal to continue the art school at the High school this winter, and to re-elect the committee which had charge last year.

J. J. Shallock reported that the cost of the classes last season to the Handicrafts school was \$38.75 only, with the assistance received from the government. The government subscribed two-fifths of the actual fees paid to the teachers, and other expenses were largely made up by the pupils' fees. There was still a sum of \$70 in the bank available for the work of the Handicrafts school. Unfortunately, it was pointed out, two of the teachers who assisted were no longer available.

Reorganization Approved.—Mr. Justice Murphy has approved of the reorganization plan of the Home Loan & Contract Co., Ltd., as proposed at the meeting held on August 17.

Emmanuel Baptist Church.—Rev. William Stevenson will preach on Sunday morning at Emmanuel Baptist church on the topic, "The Two Debtors." In the evening his subject will be "Castles in the Air."

Sunday School Resumes.—The Sunday school of the James Bay Methodist church, which has been meeting in the morning during the summer months, will again revert to the afternoon hour, 2.30 p. m., beginning next Sunday.

Division of Territory.—Formal notice is given in the Canada Gazette of an application to be made to parliament next session by the governing council of the Salvation Army in Canada to divide the country into two divisions, and to vest the property in separate boards. The commissioner for the West, Commissioner Sowton, is paying his first visit here on Thursday next.

Drunk Fall in Water.—William Dawson, while under the influence of liquor, toppled into the harbor at the foot of Bastion street last night about 8.30 o'clock. On coming to the surface he called for help and assistance soon came. The patrol was summoned and Dawson was taken to the police station. He appeared in court this morning charged with being drunk and was fined the customary amount.

Fifth Regiment Band.—At the Fifth Regiment band concert, which is to be held on Sunday evening at the Royal Victoria theatre in resumption of the series, Gunner Scriver, who last year sang several times for the band, will contribute a vocal selection by Toati. As Gunner Scriver is a member of the company of artillery, which has had orders to hold itself in readiness to leave on active service in the near future, it is possible that this is the last time he will be heard before his departure. Other soloists will be Corporal Willis and Miss R. L. Barker.

Gold Medal Contest.—A very interesting and instructive entertainment took place on Wednesday evening in Esquimalt Methodist church, under the auspices of the West End Women's Christian Temperance union. The main feature was a keen contest among five young people of the district for one of the gold medals of the public given as a mark of merit for the public recitation of some gem of temperance literature. Mrs. McAdam, president of the union, carried the judges' verdict into effect by presenting the prize to Miss Amy Johnson, who excelled with a splendid selection entitled "Christian Patriotism." Musical selections were interspersed between the several recitations, rendered by Miss Harcourt, Mr. and Mrs. Hodge and Messrs. Daniels, Muir and Young. Rev. Mr. Hughes, the pastor of the church, presided.

"Well, parson, is your flock lib'ral in their 'nevolences?" "Liberal Well, when I asked them to sing 'Ole Hundred' dey done sung 'The Ninety and Nines.'"

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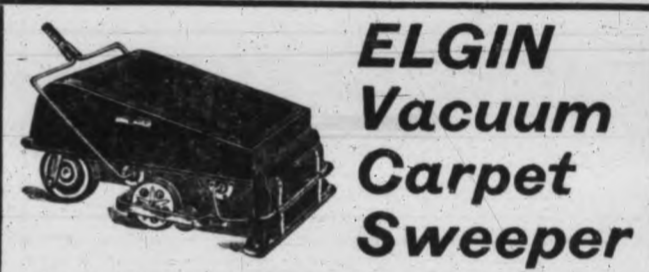
- Inflammatus—Stabat Mater (G. Rossini), Marie Rappold and Chorus. Soprano, orchestra accompaniment.
- Nightingale's Song (Ethebert Nevin), Christine Miller, Contralto, orchestra accompaniment.
- Alabama Jubilee (George L. Cobb), Arthur Collins and Byron G. Harlan, Baritone and tenor, orchestra accompaniment.
- Are You the O'Reilly? (Blime Well), (Rooney-Emmett), Billy Murray and Chorus Tenor, orchestra accompaniment.
- Bird Imitations, Charles Crawford Gorsl. Whistling.
- Ever of This I'm Fondly Dreaming (Foley Hall), Elizabeth Spencer and Thos. Chalmers, Soprano and Baritone, orchestra accompaniment.
- Forgotten (Eugene Cowles), Thos. Chalmers, Baritone orchestra accompaniment.
- Good-bye Everybody—A Modern Eve (Jean Gilbert), Joseph A. Phillips, Helen Clark and chorus Baritone and contralto, orchestra accompaniment.
- I'm on My Way to Dublin Bay (Medley)—One-step. Jaudas' Society Orchestra. For dancing.
- The Kiss (Il Bacio), (Liszt Song (Luigi Arditi), Mary Carson and Chorus. Soprano, orchestra accompaniment.
- Some Little Girl Named Mary (Godfrey, David and Wright), Irving Kaufman, Tenor, orchestra accompaniment.
- There's a Little Spark of Love Still Burning (Fred Fischer), Walter van Brunst and Chorus Tenor, orchestra accompaniment.
- War Talk at Punkin Center (Stewart). Rural sketch.

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### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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H. G. Chisholm, Fort Fraser, is at the Dominion.  
R. S. Robinson, Chehalis, is a guest of the Dominion hotel.  
W. C. Shelly, Vancouver, is staying at the Dominion hotel.  
R. T. Ward, Bullion, Cariboo, is staying at the Dominion hotel.  
C. J. Kay is over from Vancouver and is stopping at the Strathcona.  
Mrs. G. B. Stratton, of Canton, Ohio, is registered at the Empress hotel.  
Robert Gillespie, of Seattle, registered at the Empress hotel yesterday.  
Grant E. Sargeant, of Vancouver, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Kirby and family, Hazelton, are staying at the Dominion hotel.  
Mrs. J. W. Townsend and son, of Seattle, have arrived at the Empress hotel.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Keny, of Glasgow, Scotland, are registered at the Empress hotel.  
Misses K. E. Edwards and Esther Edwards, of Chicago, are staying at the Empress hotel.  
Minneapolis arrivals at the Empress hotel include Misses Clara L. Doerr and C. T. Ganine O'Connell.  
Miss Eleanor Dunne and Miss S. Edith Townsend, of Baltimore, are guests at the Empress hotel.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Givier, Seattle, are visiting Victoria for a few days and are registered at the Strathcona hotel.  
J. Stewart, Calgary, general superintendent of catering for the Hudson's Bay company, is staying at the Dominion hotel.  
Mrs. H. W. Nichols, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Miss Emilie M. Brown, of Yonkers, N. Y., arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.  
Amongst yesterday's arrivals at the Dominion is a party from Duncan comprising L. R. Hartell, Bernard F. Burrows and W. Fernyhough.

Mrs. Wilford P. Jones and Miss Ivy Jones, mother and sister of F. A. Jones, Burnside road, have left for their home in Vancouver after a two weeks' visit.  
H. R. Greaves, for fifteen years a member of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, is here from Regina, to enlist and is stopping at the Hotel Strathcona.  
Miss May Gillespie, Chatham, Ont., who has been spending a few days with her uncle, Malcolm Gillespie, Victoria avenue, Oak Bay, on her way from visiting the Panama-Pacific fair, returned home to-day.

Frederick Wagner, automobile editor of the Seattle Times, will arrive here to-morrow to go over the Island highway for the purpose of obtaining information and pictures for an illustrated page in a Sunday issue of the paper. The Victoria and Island Development association was notified yesterday afternoon from Seattle to expect Mr. Wagner to-day.

A marriage was quietly celebrated on Wednesday evening by the Rev. R. A. Macconnell, between Mr. Willie Eddie and Miss Margaret Watson, both of Victoria, in the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Kemp, Milton street, Oak Bay. The bride came in on the arm of her brother-in-law, Mr. James Kemp. After the ceremony dainty refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie will reside at 1461 Bank street.

Dr. J. J. Murtagh, who is so familiar to Times readers by the excellent articles from his pen which have appeared in its columns from time to time, is lying ill in the Jubilee hospital, and is under the care of Dr. R. I. Fraser. Dr. Murtagh had intended leaving for Australia, but he will now be delayed for some time, and has had to cancel some engagements to speak in San Francisco, Portland and Los Angeles. Since the news of his illness became known there have been countless inquiries as to his condition. He is much improved but still seriously ill.

Thaddeus S. Lane, of Spokane who returned to his home town on Wednesday, after spending some months on Vancouver Island with his family, before leaving for Australia.

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### WEATHER BULLETIN

Victoria, Sept. 3-5 a. m.—The barometer remains high over this province and fair warmer weather may prevail for several days. The weather is also fair in the prairie provinces and showers have occurred in Southern Saskatchewan.  
Forecasts:  
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Saturday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate wind, generally fair and warm to-day and on Saturday.  
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warm to-day and on Saturday.  
Reports:  
Victoria—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, clear.  
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, clear.  
Nanaimo—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 48; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.  
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 50; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
Barkerville—Barometer, 30.30; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.99; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles N. E.; rain, 3.5.  
Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, cloudy.  
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San Francisco—Barometer, 30.30; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 58; wind, 10 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Temperature	Max.	Min.
Fort George	65	45
New Hazelton	71	51
Pentlton	75	55
Nelson	79	59
Calgary	70	50
Edmonton	74	54
Qu'Appelle	62	42
Winnipeg	50	30
Toronto	61	41
Ottawa	60	40
Montreal	60	40
St. John	60	40
Halifax	54	34

**GERMANY'S CONDITION**  
The Truth Revealed; Desperate State of Affairs.  
According to the Morning Post correspondent at Berne a German merchant, in a letter to a friend in Switzerland, says:  
"What is now beginning to knock with its bony finger at many a door in Germany. Manufacturers are running short of nickel, aluminum, copper, zinc, manganese, and tin, not to speak of the shortage of gold. Mineral and vegetable oils and cotton are also becoming scarce, and their prices have more than doubled. Wool and jute have also risen greatly in price, and leather enormously, so that soiling and patching a pair of men's boots now costs from seven to nine marks. Even semi-officially this general rise in the cost of living is no longer denied.  
"In the large German cities millie now costs 30 pfennigs a litre, and owing to the poor quality of a great deal of it infant mortality has greatly increased.  
"Much shipping being inactive, the population inhabiting the north-western coast of Germany are in absolute want. Reports from those in a position to know working-class conditions say that over a million men dependent for their livelihood on the North German Lloyd and the Hamburg Amerika lines, or belonging to the Geestemunde fishing fleet or employed as lightermen, pilots, and deck laborers are in a desperate state, and as the winter draws near their condition must become worse."

**A LONG WAR?**  
A distinguished citizen of a neutral country, who has just visited Germany and France, interviewed by the Daily News and Leader, said: "The total effect of my visit is to leave the impression that it will be a long war. It is useless to speculate on a speedy breakdown of Germany through economic and financial pressure. The idea that the modern social structure cannot survive the impact of war does not hold. It does not hold because the conditions of life under peace consist so largely of non-essentials. No, it would be unsafe to count on a short war owing to pressure from want. The world is getting on to a war basis, and it is finding an enormous power of adapting its life to new conditions."  
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Scene from the feature film, "The Face in the Moonlight," at the Dominion theatre to-day and to-morrow.

## Majestic Theatre

TO-DAY

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rich clear tenor. His rendering of "Mother Machree" and of "Minstrel Boy" are particularly fine. Winsch and Poore make an admirable pair for an idyll, and as a pair of clopping lovers are seen in "No Trespassing."

## DOMINION THEATRE.

"The Face in the Moonlight," at the Dominion, makes an impressive picture. It is a story of the Napoleonic days and the settings and furnishings of the rooms were selected with a keen eye for artistic results. Frequently scenes were photographed from an unexpected angle, gaining effects at once pleasing and novel. The story of Victor, aristocrat and officer, and that of his half brother Rabat is made entirely clear and quite engrossing. Robert Warwick plays the two parts of Victor and Rabat, varying his man-

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ner and appearance so effectively that at times one might readily believe the characters were being played by the different persons. Some splendid pictures of wild animal life in Northern British Columbia are also shown, while the Bully Boy cartoon film, which is always looked forward to at the week end, is unusually interesting and funny.

## PRINCESS THEATRE.

"Baby Violette" will be the central figure at the Princess theatre matinee to-morrow afternoon, where she is appearing with such great success as "Sourie" in "The Three of Us." She renders two patriotic songs that are well worth hearing. Miss Vera Felton and the entire company are seen to excellent advantage in a most entertaining and instructive play. It is a bill that will interest most children because it is a fine story with a good moral. Seats may be booked by phone for the matinee and the prices are reasonable.

## MAJESTIC THEATRE.

To-day and to-morrow, at the Majestic, "In the Mesh of the Net" will be seen. Captain Royals' wife, Leona, does not know the source of her rich husband's income, and when she learns it refuses to accompany him on his "yachting" expeditions. She is made a prisoner by her domineering husband, however, and so becomes an unwilling accessory. In the smuggler's cave, Leona rebels and is promptly threatened with force by her brute husband, in attempting to shield the wife, one of the smugglers is beaten unconscious and dropped into the sea by Royals and his followers.

Merrick and Taylor, two detectives, get themselves shanghaied by Royals, who is short of men. Merrick sees the position Leona is in, and his pity awaking a stronger feeling, he decides to give her a chance to prove her honesty. She casts her lot with the secret service agents. The smugglers are apprehended and, in the sweep of the government's net, Leona is the only treasure not hauled. However, Merrick makes a cast on land, and with what success can best be seen and appreciated on the screen.

## ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE.

The series of pictures that are being shown at the Royal Victoria theatre for the last three days of this week are well worth a visit. The picture of the 5th British Columbia Hospital Corps leaving for the front, taken and loaned by the provincial government, is a film that all should see. The photography is good and all the faces are clear, and friends are able to recognize the different members what left for the front.

The balance of the programme is of the usual excellent quality. The English comedy in three acts, "Mr. Buttles," presenting the well known English actor, Richard C. Travers, who has the support of Miss Edna Mayo and Harry Dunkinson, is a photoplay that many will remember as being one of the hits of a London season. The story deals with a house party in England in which the butler is the man who straightens out all things, but not before he has been able to collect a nice little sum in tips.

Another one-reel comedy is "The Honey-moon Baby," in which Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Drey are seen in one of their funniest sketches. "The Imposter" is a two-reel Biograph special. There is also shown a Pathéplay educational, the programme being rounded

## COLUMBIA THEATRE

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ed off with another one-reel comedy with William Wordsworth in "A Superfluous Baby," by Mark Swain. The Royal orchestra has a new selection of music. A continuous performance is given from 2 to 5, and from 7 to 11.

## ISLAND INSTITUTES TO MEET NEXT WEEK

Conference to Be Held at Parliament Buildings is to Open Tuesday

A conference of the Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island will be held in the exhibition hall, department of agriculture, parliament buildings, outside of the official and other delegates who will attend from the fifteen institutes of the island, as the programme promises many interesting features.

The conference proper will meet at 8 o'clock on Tuesday evening there will be a reception at the Temple building by the Victoria branch of the Canadian Red Cross society to the visiting delegates. On Wednesday evening, at the same hour, the delegates will meet at the Y. W. C. A., when Miss Alice Ravenhill will discuss interesting problems and give suggestions for future work, whilst Miss E. H. Jones, who has been appointed as one of the lecturers to the institutes this autumn, will also be at the meeting, and will speak with regard to practical nursing in all its phases. She will bring with her the lecture equipment to show the delegates.

The programme of the business sessions on Tuesday will begin at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, after the chairman's address, the superintendent of institutes, W. E. Scott, to speak briefly. In welcoming the ladies to the conference, during the afternoon Mrs. J. C. Kemp, president of the B. C. Consumers' league, Vancouver, will give an address which, it is anticipated, will attract much attention. Her topic will be "Co-operation Between Producer and Consumer." Other interesting discussion will be opened by Mrs. G. L. Foulkes and Mrs. Hanington and Mrs. Parsell, of West Saanich.

The subjects of eugenics and nursing will occupy practically the whole of Tuesday. The conference will convene at 9 a. m. on that day, and at 10 o'clock Miss Alice Ravenhill, a member of the advisory board of women's institutes, will give her address on "What is Eugenics?" At 11 o'clock Dr. Watson, medical inspector of schools, Victoria, will talk on "The Duty of Parents in Respect to the Medical Inspection of School Children," and Mrs. Hutchinson, of Garden City institute, will open the discussion. In the afternoon "The Nursing Problem in Rural Districts" will be dealt with by Miss Arl Mackenzie, head of the Victoria order of Nurses, who is at present in the city. The other topic of the afternoon will be "Recreations for Your People in Rural Districts" by Mrs. Graves, of Victoria.

In connection with the conference the B. C. Manufacturers' association will exhibit a number of interesting things at the request of the B. C. Consumers' league, the exhibition to be in the exhibition room of the department. The officials and members of the L. O. D. E. and of the Women's Canadian club have also been invited to attend the conference in the exhibition hall on both days.

A very successful conference of the lower mainland institutes has already been held at Chilliwack, the attendance the first day being over 100, and many interesting features of women's institute work being discussed. The conferences for the upper country have just been concluded, and one will be held at Nelson on September 7 and 8.

## LABOR AND PROHIBITION

Meeting of Brewers and Brewery Workers to Be Held Next Wednesday.

At the meeting of the Trades and Labor council on Wednesday evening it was decided to call a special meeting of the delegates with a view to discuss prohibition. An invitation was extended to the brewery workers, and to the brewers. The former have seceded from the international union.

An intimation was received from the minister of public works of the payment of \$1,000 compensation to the widow of the man recently killed while working on the Indian reserve.

Immigration questions after the war were referred to the delegates to the Trades and Labor congress at Vancouver shortly, with a view to bring them before the congress. The delegates will be A. S. Wells, C. Silvertz and John Day.

"What shall be done with the property of soldiers," the question to be brought before the premier by the Civic Retrenchment association, with a view to extension of time for payments on property, was before the meeting.

The secretary was instructed to write to the premier asking that similar treatment should be given to industrial workers who would suffer equally, and many of whom would be unable to find any money to pay their liabilities.

A butcher's boy drove one of his master's worst nags a little too hard one day, and the animal became ill and died. "You've killed my horse, you young rascal!" the butcher said to the boy the next morning. "Who's going to pay for it?" "I'll make it all right," replied the boy. "You can take the value of it out of my next Saturday's wages."

Little Clarence had been having trouble with the boy next door. "I hope you remembered that a soft answer turneth away wrath," said his mother. "I did," replied Clarence. "I threw a rotten apple at him."

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## PROMOTED TO BE ASSISTANT MASTER

H. B. McLean Has New Position at Normal School; Provincial Appointments

H. B. McLean, former principal of the George Jay school and since then principal of the model school in connection with the Normal school, has been promoted to the position of assistant master of the Normal school.

Miss Kate Scannan succeeds Mr. McLean in the model school. H. H. McKenzie, new Westminister, becomes assistant master in the Vancouver Normal school, having resigned his position as an inspector of public schools. Alexander R. Lord succeeds him as an inspector.

The appointment is gazetted of Alexander J. Dove, principal of Ashcroft public school, as inspector of schools for the Nelson district, in place of Henry E. Hope, resigned.

Hospital directors named by the government are: Arthur W. Gray and Thomas H. Smith, for two years, and David S. Cameron, for one year, for Royal Columbian hospital, New Westminster; Henry B. Little, for one year, Hazelton hospital; Dr. George H. Tuttle, for one year, Nicola-Valley general hospital, Merritt. Dr. Tuttle has also been appointed a member of the police board for Merritt, in place of A. B. Kennedy, resigned.

George Henry Southwell, Pender Harbor, is appointed a justice of the peace.

Ald. Frederick W. Kerton is named as a member of the license board for the city of Courtenay, in the place of Ald. W. E. Grompton, who has resigned.

Mrs. E. Maud Sutherland, a graduate in medicine of Edinburgh university, replaces Dr. W. E. Davis as resident physician at Bella Coola.

Stephen H. Hoskins, government agent at Hazelton, will act as gold commissioner for the Peace River mining division.

## WILL BE HERE WEDNESDAY

Pan-American Congress Delegates Will Spend Two Hours in Victoria En Route South.

An interesting party of visitors en route to San Francisco to pass through on Wednesday will be the delegates to the Pan-American Road congress, which opens at Oakland on September 11. This congress will be under the joint auspices of the American Road-Builders' association and the American Highway association. The secretary of the former body, E. L. Powers, was in the city on Wednesday, and then stated that he would act for the Pan-American congress in a similar capacity.

The party, which is traveling by a special train which left yesterday from the headquarters in the east, will arrive in Vancouver on Wednesday morning in time to enable the delegates to catch the 10 a. m. boat to Victoria. They will be here for two hours only, leaving again at 1:30 p. m. for Seattle. The head of the congress is Governor C. W. Gates, of Vermont, a former state highway commissioner in that New England state. He is expected to accompany the party.

The gathering will be of international character, every important road building association on the continent having given its support to the congress. In the special train are a number of notable engineers, some of whom have never been west of British Columbia before.

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A certificate of incorporation was this week granted to the Canada-Bukkyo Seinen Kai, of Vancouver. The English translation of the name is Canada-Buddhist Young Men's association.

It is organized for the encouragement and promotion of the propagation, study and practice of the worship of Buddha; to make provision for the relief of widows and orphans of members; to aid social intercourse and promote mental and moral improvement and rational recreation; to encourage literature, science and the fine arts and to maintain a clubhouse and gymnasium.

The directors of the society are Junichi Shigeno, Buddhist priest; Junshiro Nakayama, merchant; Mohel Sato, merchant; Takematsu Matsumoto, contractor; Hanyemon Hayashi, capitalist.

Companies which have received charters during the week are: Boston Lunch, Ltd., head office at Vancouver, capitalized at \$10,000; Hunter-Cross Co., Ltd., Vancouver, \$10,000; Ocean Foods, Ltd., Vancouver, \$50,000; Raven Roy Shingle Manufacturing Co., Ltd., Hazelton, \$10,000; United Fruit Co., Ltd., Vancouver, \$15,000; Vancouver Cremation Society, Ltd., South Vancouver, \$45,000; Western Coal Co., Ltd., Vancouver, \$100,000.

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### Blue Serge Special \$25

Another very special suit offer for Saturday will be our special English model, in high-grade wool serge guaranteed fast navy. This cloth will be almost impossible to buy very shortly.

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orte for this event. A farmers' race for animals owned by the yeomen will also be included, the programme consisting of six running events and four harness races.

Half a dozen men and a team of horses are now at work at the Willows track getting the circuit in the finest possible shape for the Labor Day card. Records are looked for and the complete list of events, together with the entries and officials will be announced to-morrow.

## GARRISON EXPECT TO LENGTHEN LEAD

Only Two Matches Are Scheduled To-morrow in the Victoria and District League

League Standing.	P	W	D	L	Pts
Garrison	13	12	0	1	26
Albion	14	11	0	3	23
Fifth Regiment	14	9	0	5	25
Civil Service	15	8	1	6	25
Victoria A1	15	7	2	6	23
Five C's	15	7	0	8	21
Civic Ath. Assn.	14	5	1	8	16
Congregationals	15	3	0	12	9

There are only two league games scheduled for this week. They are as follows:

Civic Athletic association v. Civil Service, at Albion ground.

Garrison v. Five C's, at Work Point.

The Civil Service should have no difficulty in climbing into third place at the expense of the Civic Athletic association, who have been experiencing great difficulty in fielding a team in recent games.

Garrison also ought to considerably strengthen their position at the head of the league, although it is not likely that they will be allowed to have things all their own way. The Five C's lost heavily to them on the last occasion, but they were not favored by the best of luck. It is not expected that the Five C's will win, but they are hoping to give the Garrison a good run for their money.

The following will represent the Five C's: Gordon Leeming, H. S. Groely, A. E. Lea, H. S. Radcliffe, R. V. Lea, R. S. May, J. Nicholls, S. Marshall, R. H. Barker, J. S. W. Clowes, and P. C. Payne (captain). Reserve: George Leeming.

Team and reserve are requested to meet at the corner of Douglas and Yates, at 1:45 p. m. to catch car to Esquimalt.

H. R. G's cricket eleven play at Dunbar on Saturday. The Victoria team will leave town early on Saturday morning, many going up by motor car, and others by the E. & N. train, the game being timed to start at 11:30.

A large number of tickets have already been sold. Those who have not yet subscribed can obtain their tickets from either of the following gentlemen, who comprise the committee in-charge of the arrangements: Mr. H. R. G., Victoria; Mr. Sanford, Duncan, or Mr. Hindmarsh, Nanaimo.

The following players and reserves have been selected to represent the Civics in their league match with the Civil Service C. C. on the Albion ground to-morrow, viz: F. C. Bossion (capt.), F. Bossion, W. Shearman, H. Whiteak, W. A. Aueker, F. Rowanley, E. D. Todd, W. W. Northcott, G. W. Allison, G. Downes, H. G. H. Neville, T. Rhodes and J. Rhodes. Any of above who find they cannot play, will kindly notify the secretary at phone 737 before 11 a. m. Saturday morning.

Match commences at 2 o'clock sharp.

### MAILS IS NEUTRAL

Seattle, Sept. 3.—Big League umpires and players have nothing to fear from Walter Mails, southpaw, who departed from Seattle to-day to take up the task of pitching Brooklyn into first place in the National league. Walter declared before leaving that he climbed out of his belligerence when he shed his Seattle uniform and promised that in the big league fights he would be strictly neutral.

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In the Sunday school girls' shuttlecock tournament, which is being played at the old High school grounds every Saturday afternoon, a very keen competition has been developed between the Belmont team and the two Fairfield teams. In the first two days' play the W.H.O. team, of Fairfield, took the lead, with Belmont second and Philathea third. After four days' play Belmont is first, with Philathea and D.H.G. next in order. The standing at the present time is:

Played	Won	Pct.
Belmont	33	21 .639
Philathea	33	19 .575
W.H.O.	33	18 .545
Knox	30	12 .400
Metropolitan	33	11 .333

The Metropolitan team have strengthened their team for the remaining games to be played and are promising the leaders some hard-fought games in the next two Saturdays' play, which will finish the tournament.

The Knox team have been improving from the very start, and are a factor to be seriously considered in the remaining games. The schedule provides 48 games for each team, about one-half of the remaining games of each team will be played to-morrow and the balance next Saturday.

Boag Johnson thinks the Victoria team has a chance to whip New Westminster on September 6.

Vancouver will have at least five teams in their senior soccer league this fall.

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# SPORTING NEWS

## BEAVERS SIGN UP FORMER LEAF;

### TACOMA TO BE DROPPED NEXT YEAR

Seattle Has Good Chance to Nose Spokane Out of Pennant; Mails to Join Brooklyn

Joe McGinnity has dropped a small fortune in the City of Destiny during the past two seasons, and it would not be surprising if he tossed up the sponge, but rather than be deprived of a good advertising medium it is expected that the business men will get together and finance the club.

Following are some figures on the interesting pennant race in the Northwest league, assuming that Seattle and Spokane are the clubs between which the fight must be decided:

There are 18 games remaining to be played.

If Spokane breaks even from now until the end of the season, Seattle will have to win 12 and lose 5 to win the pennant.

If Seattle loses 6 games, Spokane will win the pennant, assuming that Spokane will break even the rest of their games.

Spokane will have 9 of its 18 games to be played with Seattle.

Spokane will be on the road the rest of the season, while Seattle will play but 5 games away from home, in Vancouver.

As Seattle has played 4 more games than their rivals, the Giants will have to win 4 games, beginning to-day, in order to forge ahead of the Indians, as three wins will leave them 2 points shy.

Seattle, Sept. 3.—Harkness was easy money for the locals in the first three innings, and this, coupled with ragged fielding by the visitors, gave Seattle

an easy victory yesterday over Spokane, 6 to 3.

Score	R	H	E.
Seattle	6	9	1
Spokane	3	10	6

Batteries—Rose and Cadman; Harkness, Kelly and Altman, Brennegan.

Tacoma, Sept. 3.—McGinnity had Vancouver well in hand, while the locals knocked Arlett out of the box in the fourth inning, and Tacoma won, 11-1.

Score	R	H	E.
Vancouver	1	7	5
Tacoma	11	11	1

Batteries—Arlett, Williams, B. Brown and Brotten; McGinnity and Hoffman.

Bill Rose worked 38 consecutive innings without being scored upon. His record, by games, is as follows:

August 18—Shut out Tacoma in last four innings.

August 26—Beat Tacoma, 2 to 0, in nine innings.

August 26—Beat Tacoma, 5 to 0, in nine innings.

August 29—Beat Tacoma, 1 to 0, in twelve innings.

September 2—Pitched four scoreless innings against Spokane.

Chicago, Sept. 3.—Mike Doolan, considered one of the best infielders in the National league at the time he jumped from the Philadelphia club to the Baltimore Federals, two years ago, has been signed by the Chicago Federals. It was said here, and he will play with the team in the game at Kansas City to-day.

Walter Mails, the 19-year-old southpaw of the Seattle club, leaves for the east to-day, where he will get his chance to make good in fast company with the Brooklyn club.

The Dominion Lawn Bowling championships will be held at Toronto next month.

## FASTEST RUNNERS IN PROVINCE TO START

Vancouver Crack Entered for Five-Eighths Dash on Monday; Ten Events on Card

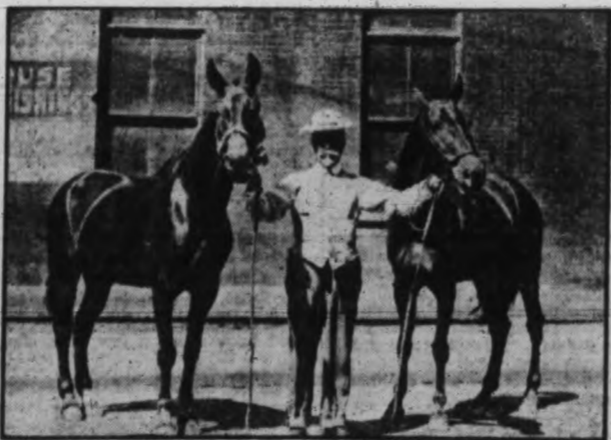
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MINNIE M. AND SPOT GIRL

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# SPORTING NEWS

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## SURPRISES STILL FEATURE TOURNEY

Sawyer Beaten Easily by Gardner; Semi-Finals to Be Played To-day

Detroit, Sept. 3.—Two heart-breaking battles which resulted in the defeat of Detroit's star survivors were sparkling incidents yesterday in the third round of match play for the national amateur golf championship. Three easterners and one winner from the west are left to compete in the semi-finals to-day.

Max R. Marston, of Springfield, N.J., and Howard B. Lee, of Detroit, played the poorest golf, but took part in the longest and most desperate match. Marston, after being seemingly beaten on the home stretch, came up from behind and wrested victory from his opponent on the thirty-eighth hole. Jas. D. Standish, Jr., of Detroit, after being far behind Sherill Sherman, of Utica, completed the New Yorker to play 36 holes before the latter won, one up. Robert A. Gardner, of Chicago, and Yale, former national champion, gave "Ned" Sawyer, of Wheaton, Ill., a fearful beating, the count being seven up and six to play. Nelson Whitney, of New Orleans, lost to John G. Anderson, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., three and two.

The semi-finals to-day will bring together Gardner and Marston in what is expected to be the feature match. Anderson will oppose Sherman, the Utica man, "dark horse" of the tournament. The decisive manner in which Standish won from Champion Oulmet has made him an overwhelming favorite.

The Lee-Marston test was followed by a large gallery, which included hundreds of the Detroit's supporters. Jerome Travers, national open champion, acted as caddy for his conqueror. The New Jersey youth was one up from the forenoon, and the out half of their afternoon game was a grinding task for both men.

Sherman probably played the greatest game of his career. He was one hole behind Standish in the forenoon, but after the three first holes of the second half were played he was two up. Twice he holed his putt to beat par by a stroke. Standish drove into the ditch at the short twenty-fifth, and then pitched over the green, while Sherman holed his third shot.

The latter was three up on the turn. Standish putted better and took the twenty-eighth, 4-5, but drove into the rough and lost his ball and the twenty-ninth hole. He recovered neatly by winning the thirtieth, thirty-second and thirty-third greens. Sherman sank his putt to again take the lead at the thirty-fourth, but Standish accomplish the same feat on the next hole.

A short drive to the last pin put Standish in trouble, and he needed four strokes to approach the cup. Sherman's second putt and fourth effort won him the match.

Sawyer, four down in the forenoon, won only two holes during the rest of the tilt with Gardner.

Anderson's steadiness and the erratic nature of Whitney's short game brought victory to the New Yorker. The New Orleans player was forced to trail all afternoon and the strain told on his nerves.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE		
Yesterday's Results.		
Seattle, 6; Spokane, 3.		
Tacoma, 11; Vancouver, 1.		
Standing.		
Spokane	77	53
Seattle	76	53
Tacoma	69	67
Vancouver	67	67

## REMARKED ON THE SIDE

### White Sox Not Sparing Coin to Grab Gentolan.

It has often been said that Charlie Comiskey wanted to win another world's pennant before he retired from baseball. The actions of the Old Roman, this year, would lead one to believe that he now is making his big effort to cop the much-sought title. Comiskey coughed up a lot of money when he bought Eddie Collins and followed this up by purchasing Felsch, Murphy, Leibold and others. Now he has put through a deal whereby he secures Joe Jackson, the noted slugger, in exchange for a small fortune and a number of Chicago players. Comiskey is very popular in Chicago, and if the White Sox can only win the pennant, he will more than repay his expenditure in building up such a formidable aggregation with Collins and Jackson as the backbone of the team.

### Westminster Must Defeat Local Twelve.

Until now, Westminster defeat the Victoria club here on Sept. 6 they cannot be sure of the coast amateur lacrosse championship. The efforts of the Vancouver club to upset the league has only added interest to the struggle for the title, carrying with it the Mann cup. Victoria has only lost two games, both of them to the New Westminster club. The locals trimmed Vancouver here in splendid fashion, and right now have a grand old chance to come through with a couple of wins and tie up the league. Hard work and steady practicing will accomplish wonders, and this is the programme that the local club must follow if they are going to be in shape to give the Royals a battle here next month.

### Schafer Wizard With the Cue.

The late Jacob Schafer probably was the central figure in more interesting billiard stories than any other player of his day. His wonderful finish against Frank lives in their match at Central Music hall, Chicago, in 1893, when he needed 1,305 on the final night as against 800 by his opponent, and made them, is probably the best known of his cue feats.

Thirteen years before this Jake won the championship at the champions' game, a style of play that modern players know little about except by hearsay. It was first introduced at an exhibition game played at George Slosson's 23rd street room, New York city, in 1879. Years before there had been some play with a small triangle in the corner, but in this game a line was drawn from the second diamond on the end rail. In the 14-28 spaces so formed the balls could rest only one shot, having to be driven out on the second, as in balkline. George Slosson won the exhibition game from William Sexton, 100 to 76.

The first tournament was staged at historic Tammany hall, on November 11 to 24, 1879, Sexton winning the first prize of \$1,000, after a tie with Slosson. Jacob Schafer was third, Maurice Daley, fourth, Albert Garner, fifth. The other starters were Eugene Carter, A. P. Rudolph and Randolph Heiser.

Lacrosse, football and auto racing enthusiasts will probably get a grain of pleasure out of the news that a Boston man has been badly injured playing golf.

## NEW GOLF TROPHY.

Word comes from Portland that Harry Davis, Pacific coast champion, has put up a large cup, to be played for next spring in Spokane by teams in the Pacific Northwest Golf association. Cities to contend for the Davis cup will be Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle, Spokane and Portland. It will be a perpetual trophy, to be defended annually on the course of the holders.

## MAJOR LEAGUES

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.  
At New York—First game: Philadelphia, 3; New York, 1. Second game: Philadelphia, 3; New York, 0.  
At Pittsburgh—St. Louis, 7; Pittsburgh, 2.  
At Boston—Brooklyn, 10; Boston, 1.  
(No other games scheduled.)

Standing.		
	W.	L.
Philadelphia	53	56
Brooklyn	47	54
Boston	43	52
Chicago	33	49
St. Louis	31	45
New York	24	47
Pittsburgh	19	46
Cincinnati	15	41

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.  
At Philadelphia—Boston, 8; Philadelphia, 3.  
At Detroit—Chicago, 6; Detroit, 8.  
At Washington—New York, 1; Washington, 0.  
At St. Louis—Cleveland, 2; St. Louis, 4.

Standing.		
	W.	L.
Boston	81	58
Detroit	82	58
Chicago	73	55
Washington	63	52
New York	62	47
St. Louis	48	50
Cleveland	47	55
Philadelphia	36	53

### FEDERAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.  
At Brooklyn—Baltimore, 2; Brooklyn, 1.  
At Pittsburgh—St. Louis, 4; Pittsburgh, 3.  
At Kansas City—Chicago, 5; Kansas City, 2.  
At Buffalo—Newark, 5; Buffalo, 1.

Standing.		
	W.	L.
Pittsburgh	69	54
Newark	66	52
St. Louis	68	54
Chicago	67	52
Kansas City	65	52
Buffalo	61	47
Brooklyn	57	45
Baltimore	42	50

### COAST LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.  
At Salt Lake—Oakland, 3; Salt Lake, 4.  
At Los Angeles—First game: Vernon, 2; Los Angeles, 1. Second game: Vernon, 1; Los Angeles, 1.  
At San Francisco—Portland, 3; San Francisco, 5.

Standing.		
	W.	L.
Los Angeles	85	55
San Francisco	85	55
Vernon	75	50
Salt Lake	72	47
Portland	65	41
Oakland	62	48

### NO GAME MONDAY.

According to word received from the Westminster Lacrosse club, the latter will not play here on Labor Day, because of the financial difficulties for such a trip. The Victoria club has decided to call off the game and will appeal to the league to take action against the Royals.

### RINK DESTROYED.

Moose Jaw, Sask., Sept. 2.—The Royal skating rink, one of the largest in western Canada, was completely destroyed by fire which broke out about half past two o'clock yesterday afternoon. The damage, which is covered by insurance, is \$17,000.

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## DIRECTUM 1. SHOWS WONDERFUL SPEED ON SLOPPY TRACK

Yonkers, N. Y., Sept. 3.—Over a track which trainers estimated to be from three to four seconds slow, Directum 1. passed a mile in 2:01 at the Grand Circuit meeting at Empire City park here yesterday. Before the trial all experts thought he would do well to beat 2:04 on the loose, cuppy footing. Starting to beat his own unequalled record of 1:58 without a windshield, he paced the first quarter in .32, the second in .30, the third in .21 and the fourth in .23.

Nine heats sufficed to decide the three races on the programme. Audrey Grey, driven by Walter Cox, was an easy winner in the 2:30 trotting race and Lustrous McKinney with equat ease won the race for 2:11 pacers, putting in her last two heats in 2:08 and 2:07.

The star performer in the races, however, was the three-year-old filly Miss Harris M., winner of the pacing division

of the national championship stalling stake.

Summaries:  
Pacing, three-year-old class, National championship stalling stake, \$2,200.  
Miss Harris M., b. f., by Peter the Great—Mary Ellen Stout by Ondale (McDonald) . . . . . 2 1 1  
Sad Thought, b. f., by Blagen—Pleasant Thought by Prudgal (Cox) . . . . . 1 1 1  
Time—2:12, 2:07, 2:10.  
Pacing, 2:11 class, purse \$1,000.  
Lustrous McKinney, b. g., by McKinney—Splendor by Manabring Starke (Rodney) . . . . . 1 1 1  
Jean, b. m. (Murphy) . . . . . 2 2 3  
Budd Elliott, br. g. (Geers) . . . . . 2 3 3  
Maj. Byons, bl. g. (Cox) . . . . . dis.  
Time—2:12, 2:08, 2:07.  
Trotting, 2:30 class, purse \$1,000.  
Audrey Grey, b. m., by Moko (Cox) 1 1 1  
Edd McGregor, ch. h. (Rodney) . . . . . 2 2 5  
Mary Guy, ch. m. (Murphy) . . . . . 2 2 2  
Also started—Jess Y., Dame Danvers, Prineida, Helena Constantine, Allerta, Notice B.  
Time—2:12, 2:12, 2:14.  
Den Moines, Ia., Sept. 3.—Gov. Davison, a bay horse from California, won the 2:15 trot for the purse of \$1,000, the feature event on the card in the Great Western

## GARDNER LEADS SAWYER

Poor Golf Was Displayed on Detroit Links This Morning.

Detroit, Sept. 2.—Play ranging from fair to mediocre marked the first half of the third match play round for the national amateur championship at the Country club this forenoon.

The only man who made a showing worthy of himself was Robert A. Gardner, Chicago. Gardner with a medal card of 75 for the 18 holes was four-up on Ned Sawyer of Wheaton, Ills. Max R. Marston of Springfield, N. J., and Howard B. Lee, of Detroit, played all over the course. Marston won the 18th hole, which gave him a lead of one up. James Standish, Jr., of Detroit, after a disheartening start made a splendid recovery and finished the round one-up on Sherill Sherman, of Utica.

Poor approach shots were not unus-

## EASTERNERS PLAY ERRATIC TENNIS M'LAUGHLIN WINS

Forest Hills, N. Y., Sept. 3.—Erratic play on the part of the leading contenders for the title was the outstanding feature of the third round of the national tennis championship singles tournament on the courts of the West Side club here yesterday. Although the weather conditions were favorable for the fastest kind of court work and the largest gallery of the week was on hand to applaud every winning stroke of the play, the general form was not as high as in the earlier rounds.

While there was no upset to check the progress of the favorites, there was an almost entire absence of the sen-

national tennis that so thrilled the spectators at Wednesday's matches. R. Norris Williams II, of Harvard and Philadelphia, the playing-through champion, defeated Walter Merrill Hall, of New York, 6-2, 9-7, 2-6, 6-1.

Maurice E. McLaughlin, of San Francisco, who captured two legs on the champion bowl in 1912 and 1913, won from Leonard Beckman, of New York, 6-2, 2-6, 6-2, 6-2; Karl Dehr, of New York, disposed of Robert Le Roy, also of New York, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4, 6-4; W. M. Johnston, of San Francisco, put out D. S. Watters, of New Orleans, 6-1, 6-2, 6-2, while Clarence J. Griffin, of San Francisco, eliminated a Pacific teammate in Ward Dawson, of Los Angeles, 6-2, 7-5, 6-2.

Without exception the victors were never in danger of being defeated, and this may have had something to do with the erratic standard of play of several selected as most likely to appear in the semi-final round. This was particularly true of both Williams and McLaughlin. The former started like a whirlwind against Hall, stomped badly in the third set, which he lost, and won at the same speed at which he began.

**BOOKS AND PAPERS  
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**As Kelly is Not in Winnipeg,  
His Firm's Offices Were  
Searched**

Winnipeg, Sept. 3.—By authority of a search warrant, the Winnipeg city police entered the offices of Thomas Kelly & Sons, in the Lindsay building last night and ransacked the books and records of the business, seeking information relevant to the criminal case now before the courts, in which Sir Rodmond Roblin, the former premier, and three other former ministers of the province are charged with conspiracy to defraud.

The search started at 2 o'clock and was superintended by Deputy Attorney-General John Allen, assisted by J. B. Coyne and R. W. Craig, crown counsel. A considerable quantity of documents and a number of books were taken and placed in the city police station. Two constables were left in charge of Kelly's office during the night, pending the resumption of the search this morning.

The search warrant was sworn out by E. J. Elliott, chief of provincial police, who previously had sworn out the information leading to the arrest of ex-Premier Roblin and Messrs. Howden, Coldwell and Montague.

No official statement was made with regard to the search, though one of the lawyers dropped the significant remark that it was more important for what they had not found than for what they had found. No part of the office was left untouched, filing cabinets and loose files being examined thoroughly. While this was being done safe experts drilled the door of the safe, forcing it open, and this in turn was examined and papers and books were retained by the police.

A detective inspector initiated everything taken and gave a receipt to the office manager.

During the search, Maurice Kelly and W. T. Sweatman, one of Kelly's legal advisers, were present, as well as H. L. Worthington, the firm's estimator, who objected to the retention of some of the documents, because, he stated, he was engaged on an estimate of the work done by the firm on the parliament buildings prior to the stoppage.

A search also was made of the residence of Thomas Kelly, and other documents were secured. Mr. Kelly still is out of town, so nothing could be obtained from him in the way of comment.

**YOUNG AMERICANS  
ANXIOUS TO FIGHT**

Many Have Come to Canada and Joined, Misrepresenting Their Ages

Washington, Sept. 3.—More than 500 American boys under eighteen years of age have been discharged so far from the British army upon requests from the state department. The majority of these boys went to Canada and misrepresented their ages to recruiting officers.

Peter Dougal, of Lambert, Minn., after having been discharged once upon the application of the state department, escaped from his parents and re-enlisted. He was released again only to take passage on the Arabic. He escaped death when that liner was sunk by a submarine.

The Walsh twins, of Boston, though only fifteen years of age, also managed to enlist twice, and the last time were found on Salisbury Plain just about to be embarked for France.

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**TWO HEAVY STORMS.**

Washington, Sept. 3.—Two West Indian storms are headed for American coasts. Hurricane warnings have been ordered on the gulf.

The more pronounced disturbance was in the Gulf of Mexico this morning headed northward. Weather bureau officials said it would strike the gulf coast to-night or Saturday morning somewhere between Cedar Keys and New Orleans.

The second storm, about which very little information has reached the weather bureau, is in the vicinity of the Bermuda Islands.

**TO GIVE RELIEF.**

Ottawa, Sept. 3.—An order-in-council has been passed prolonging for six months after the war the period of absence from Canada of Chinamen now absent from Canada but who possess the right of free entry into Canada. The object of this further extension is to give relief to unemployment conditions in western Canada, more particularly British Columbia.

**REPORTED TO HAVE ESCAPED.**

Athens, Sept. 3.—The escape of a large Turkish force which had been surrounded by the allied forces on the Gallipoli Peninsula was reported today in dispatches from Smyrna.

**THE USE OF ARMOR.**

Sir Conan Doyle, writing to the Times, as "an advocate of armor in modern warfare for the last 25 years," says it has always seemed to me extraordinary that the innumerable cases where a Bibie, a cigarette case, a watch, or some other chance article have saved a man's life, have not set us scheming so as to do systematically what has so often been the result of a



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\$2.50 Tweed Trousers going at ..... \$1.25	75c Cash's Poplin Ties, going at ..... 35¢	<p><b>COPY OF TELEGRAM</b> [Original on show in our window]</p> <p><b>CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.'S TELEGRAPH.</b></p> <p>Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 12, 1915</p> <p><b>KIRK &amp; DUNKLEY, LTD.</b></p> <p>Empire Clothing Co.</p> <p>563 Johnson Street, Victoria, B. C.</p> <p>Your offer of 50c on the dollar cash for Chambers' bankrupt stock has been accepted.</p> <p><b>J. E. BRANSTON, Assignee.</b></p>		President Suspenders 40¢	75c Leather Dress Belts at ..... 35¢
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happy chance. As a man faces a hostile rifle his forehead and his heart are the only points presented which are certainly vital. The former would be protected by such a helmet as the French have now evolved. The second should be covered by a curved plate of highly-tempered steel, which need not be more than a foot in diameter. With this simple and light equipment, the two centres of life are safe. The remaining dangers to life are the severance of a large artery or a wound of the abdomen. The former is not common from a rifle bullet and cannot be guarded against without complete armor, which is out of the question. The latter is no longer a certain death wound, thanks to the advances of surgery, but a third curve of steel strapped across from the border of the ribs to the crest of the hip bones would afford protection. But granting that the individual life would be saved, this does not bear upon the capture of a position, since so many would fall wounded that the weight of the attack would be spent before the stormers reached the trenches. For this armor which will give complete protection is needed, and since the weight of this is more than a man can readily carry, it must be pushed in front upon wheels. I picture a great number of plates held together like the shields of a Roman tortoise, and pushed by the men who crouch behind them. Such apparatus would not necessitate a great addition to the impedimenta of an army.

Aunt Priscilla was horrified. "She had found her pretty niece, aged 17, allowing a bold young man to kiss her. And now Esmeralda, the pretty niece, was 'getting it hot.'" "I am shocked—expressly shocked!" said the maiden lady, in slow, grieved tones. "That you—my niece—should permit any man to take such liberties with you! What would your mother say, Esmeralda? You know she has always taught you not to let any man kiss, save the one to whom you are engaged."

"Well, I was engaged to Jack last night," protested Esmeralda, quickly. "You were engaged—last night," gasped prim Priscilla feebly. "What do you mean, girl?" "Well, we got engaged for the evening so that he could kiss me, and then, when we had said good night we broke it off!"

Just to show how much averse to slang he was, a small boy in a Chicago school explained to the teacher one day that he had been walking with a friend,

but neglected to take off his hat when they met a lady, both knew. His friend had nudged him and whispered, "Take off your lid, you stimp!" "What he should have said," explained the boy, "was, 'Remove your hat, you nut!'" The general sentiment is summed up in the words of a small boy, who ventured this, "Anyway, it's only rough-necks who use slang nowadays."

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WELLINGTON EXPERTS TO RETURN TO PACIFIC

Vessel is Now Bound From Cuba to New York

Writing to the Times office from Santiago de Cuba Capt. M. Cutler, of the freighter Wellington, states that he has completed unloading his cargo at that port and is proceeding to New York, where he expects to receive orders to proceed back to Victoria via the Panama canal. Last June the Wellington took a cargo of lumber from Genoa Bay to New York. She was then chartered to proceed to Norfolk News, Va. and load coal for St. Thomas in the Danish West Indies, thence proceeding to Santiago de Cuba. There was considerable sickness among the crew in the tropical zone, a number being confined to the hospital suffering from fever. Included in those stricken with the disease was Hardy Buckman, son of Capt. and Mrs. Buckman, of this city, who received word recently from the British consul at St. Thomas that their son was steadily improving. On her return passage to the Pacific it is probable that the Wellington will stop at St. Thomas to pick up the members of her crew who were stricken, providing they have fully recovered.

DORA REPLACES SANTA ANA IN ALASKA SERVICE

Seattle, Sept. 3.—Lying idle at Seattle for more than six months the little steamship Dora has been recalled into service by the Alaska Steamship Company for service between Seward and Western Alaska ports. She will leave Seattle next Monday for Seward to enter the service. To-day, the little vessel was placed in drydock at Seattle to undergo a thorough overhauling before entering the service as a passenger carrier in the northern waters. She is to replace the steamer Santa Ana of the same fleet, as the volume of travel has greatly increased and the little Dora could be operated in the service with much more economy. The route of which the Dora is to operate is from Seward to Seldovia, Port Graham, Homer, Kenai, Ship Creek, Hope, Anchorage, Susitna, Kodiak, Uyak, Cold Bay, Chignik, Unka, Sand Point, Cold Harbor, Belkofsky, Sarachef lighthouse, Scotch Cap lighthouse, Dutch Harbor and Unalaska.

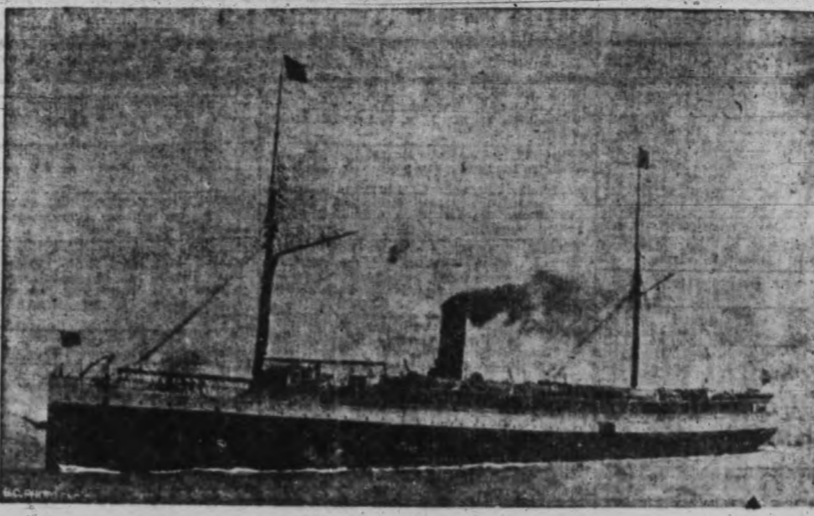
FISHERMAN LOST IN FOG FOR SOME DAYS

New Westminster, Sept. 3.—A. Anderson, a Steveston fisherman, had a rather trying experience in the gulf during the recent prevalence of the thick fog and smoke. On August 18 he left River's Inlet in his fishing smack and proceeded under favorable weather conditions until August 20 when he encountered the fog banks. He drifted about in the open boat, when he caught the sound of a fog alarm, and proceeded in the direction of the sound until he landed safely at the Entrance lighthouse. He was almost worn out, having gone for several nights without sleep. Lighthousekeeper Morrison assisted him in making a landing. He remained with the keeper over night and proceeded the following morning to Nanaimo.

HARRISON LINERS SPOKEN

The British freighter Ormliston, Capt. McKillop, of the Harrison Direct fleet, sailed from San Francisco direct to London via the Panama canal yesterday. She is loaded to her capacity with general merchandise. To complete loading her cargo for the United Kingdom the Harrison Direct liner Discoverer, Capt. Rushforth, arrived at San Francisco yesterday from the Puget sound.

VESSEL DELAYED SEVERAL HOURS BY FOG



Pacific Coast Steamship Company steamer Umatilla which was delayed several hours on her departure for San Francisco owing to the thick fogs encountered on her weekly round-the-Sound excursion.

NEW SERVICE BETWEEN SEATTLE AND BRAZIL

Grace Liner to Load on Sound for South America

Seattle, Sept. 3.—Seattle representatives of the shipping firm of W. H. Grace & Co. announce that the steamer Columbia, which is due on the Sound to-day from Chile, with a cargo of 1,850 tons of copper ore, will inaugurate the first direct freight and passenger steamship service Seattle has ever had to Brazil, sailing from this port some time next week. It is also announced that the line will be permanent if there is enough freight offering. The Columbia will load 500,000 feet of lumber at Tacoma and 500,000 feet of lumber at Bellingham for South America; 300 large piles for the Panama canal zone and general freight at this port, completing her cargo at San Francisco for Santos, Brazil; Acajutla, Ponta Arenas, Balboa and Colon. The sailing of the Columbia will be the first instance of a vessel steaming direct from Seattle for Brazil. The Columbia will go to the east coast of South America via the Panama canal and will load a full cargo of coffee at Santos for Seattle and San Francisco. The steamer George W. Fenwick, under charter to Grace & Co., and now at Tacoma loading 750 tons of flour, will load 500 tons of wheat and 500 tons of rice in Seattle; 200 tons of explosives at Dupont and 225,000 feet of lumber at Port Angeles for ports on the west coast of South America.

HUGE SUM SUBSCRIBED TO FINANCE NEW LINE OUTWARD ON PANAMA

Chinese-American Company Vessel Will Sail This Evening; Two Japanese Liners En Route

San Francisco, Sept. 3.—Announcements that \$5,000,000 has been subscribed and half a million already set aside, subject to instant call toward the financing of a new Chinese-American trans-Pacific steamship company, was made here to-day, on authority of John L. McNab, attorney for the Chinese Six Companies. Since the arrival here of Dr. Wellington Koo, China's first minister to Mexico, who stated on reaching this port that contracts for the financing of the line have been signed, those interested here have been working quietly but rapidly toward putting the big project into actual operation. The Chinese, McNab said, expect to begin with vessels adapted to the peculiar conditions of their Oriental trade; that is, they will have limited cabin facilities and great stowage and freight capacity. Later, according to Attorney McNab, the Chinese hope to have several first-class vessels equipped to handle the best tourist trade in the world. If the Chinese cannot purchase their ships, they will have them built.

LIGHT PASSENGER LIST OUTWARD ON PANAMA

Vessel Will Sail This Evening; Two Japanese Liners En Route

Outward bound to the Orient, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Panama Maru will leave the outer docks this evening at 5 o'clock. She has a very light passenger list, the majority of persons going to the Far East hanging back to book passage on the new Hawaii Maru, which leave on September 17. Several thousand tons of freight was taken on by the Panama Maru at Seattle and Tacoma. Nineteen stowage passengers will embark here, six of these being Russians and the remainder Japanese. Shidzuoka, En Route. With 6,000 tons of freight and a heavy passenger list the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Shidzuoka Maru is one day out from Yokohama, bound for North Pacific ports. Included in the passenger list of the Shidzuoka is a party of eleven Japanese girls selected by S. Yamakami, a Japanese editor, as wives for Japanese on this continent, when the editor arrived in the Far East to make his selection he received over twenty applications from girls anxious to come to this continent to marry.

Next Wednesday the Awa Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha fleet, is due to arrive at the outer wharf from the Orient. She has 6,000 tons of freight and 112 passengers for North Pacific ports. Of the freight 855 tons will be discharged here and some 21 passengers are booked for Victoria.

SHORTAGE OF VESSELS INJURY TO COAL TRADE

Last month's issue of the Labor Gazette of the Dominion department of labor summarizes the coal trade of the previous month in Canada as follows: Coal mining in Nova Scotia continued active, with a fair demand for coal. Work was a little broken at the Dominion Collieries owing to a shortage of coal-carrying vessels. A number of vessels were laid off at one of the Sydney mines collieries, but were not expected to be out of employment long. In the west some improvement was noticeable at Lethbridge owing to an expected improvement in the demand for coal with the approach of fall and cooler weather. The two Galt mines were working three days a week. Coal-burst and Commerce mines were working full time. At Fernie conditions remained practically the same as during the previous month. There was a brisk demand from smelters for coke and the coke ovens at Fernie were busy. At Nanaimo the mines in the city and district did better during the month than for some time, but were not working at full capacity.

FRISCO MARINE NEWS

San Francisco, Sept. 3.—So great is the demand for Pacific coast products along the Atlantic coast that the Luskenbach Steamship company is to commence regular monthly service to Philadelphia and to Norfolk, a freighter to be dispatched to each of the ports once every four weeks. This new service is in addition to the regular weekly departures for New York. First of any Cunard liner to come to San Francisco is the little steamer Polymnia, Capt. Baker, which arrived here yesterday morning from London via Norfolk. The vessel is of 1,500 tons net, and came here in ballast consigned to J. S. Booth. After taking on fuel the Polymnia will load a full cargo of distillate and oil which is to be taken direct to Great Britain. With 2,500 tons of general merchandise cargo for this port, the Grace freighter Navajo arrived from New York yesterday afternoon. After discharging her cargo the Navajo will go to Puget sound to complete discharge and to start loading for another voyage to the east coast. Loaded to capacity with coast freight, the British freighter Ormliston cleared yesterday afternoon for London direct. The Matson freighter Hyades cleared this afternoon for Honolulu via Seattle. At the northern port she will take on considerable cargo for the islands. To complete her cargo for the United Kingdom, the Harrison Direct liner Discoverer, Capt. Rushforth, arrived at San Francisco yesterday from the Puget sound ports yesterday afternoon.

INTERNED GERMAN SHIPS HAVE LEFT QUARANTINE

New York, Sept. 3.—Dr. Joseph Stack, health officer of Hoboken, yesterday released from quarantine all of the German steamships tied up at the Hoboken piers except the Hamburg, American liner President Lincoln, on which there are several cases of illness resembling cholera, and the Vaterland. The quarantine against the Vaterland was retained pending the result of the autopsy to be performed upon the body of a steward who died suddenly Wednesday night. The ship's physician gave the cause of death as heart disease.

TRAVEL IN COMFORT To the East and to Europe Via the New Transcontinental Route OF THE GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC RAILWAY

Table showing train schedules for the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. Columns include destination (Lv. Victoria, Lv. Prince Rupert, Lv. Edmonton, Ar. Winnipeg, Ar. Toronto, Ar. Montreal, Ar. New York), day of week, and time. A note mentions 'The CANADIAN ROCKIES afford unparalleled MOUNTAIN SCENERY through the Yellowstone Park and Jasper National Park.' Agent: C. F. EARLE, Passenger and Ticket Agent, 900 Wharf St. Phone 1242.

BRITISH COLUMBIA COAST STEAMER SERVICE

Table for British Columbia Coast Steamer Service. Includes 'SPECIAL HOLIDAY RATES' for Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 6, 1915. A prominent rate is shown: \$2.70 VANCOUVER AND RETURN \$2.70. Tickets on sale Sept. 4, 5 and 6. Final return limit Sept. 7. Steamers leave Victoria daily at 10:30 a.m. and 3 and 11:45 p.m. daily. Return trip leave Vancouver 10 a.m., 2 and 11:45 p.m. Full particulars on application C.P.R. offices, 1102 Government St. Phone 174. L. D. CHETHAM, City Passenger Agent.

SOPHIA SAILED THIS MORNING FOR SKAGWAY

Made Early Departure to Pick Up Heavy Freight at Vancouver

Owing to the heavy freight shipments from Vancouver to Skagway the C. P. R. steamer Princess Sophia sailed from Victoria this morning instead of this evening, her scheduled hour of departure. This trip the Sophia has a capacity freight shipment awaiting her at the Terminal City for Skagway, and it was necessary for her to make an early departure in order that she might clear from the mainland on time for the north. This morning, previous to her sailing, she took on a freight shipment at the Evans, Coleman, Evans dock. Passengers who have booked passage to Skagway on the Sophia will embark here on the midnight boat and join the vessel at Vancouver. After undergoing a thorough interior overhauling, the C. P. R. Princess Mary returned to the Vancouver-Victoria morning service to-day. During the period she was undergoing a survey the Princess Sophia replaced her on the Vancouver run.

Through Steamers to San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego

Leave Victoria every Wednesday, 8 a.m., S.S. City of Puebla or Umatilla. Leave Seattle Tuesday and Fridays, 11 p.m. S.S. Congress, Governor or President. To Alaska: S.S. Spokane or City of Seattle. Leaves Seattle Sept. 5, 11, 17, 23, 29. Calling at Sitka, Wrangell, Ketchikan and Prince Rupert. R. P. RITHEH & Co., 1117 Wharf St. R. L. OSBORNE, 1003 Government St.

MORNING STEAMER FOR Seattle and Tacoma

S. S. "IROQUOIS" Daily at 8:30 a.m. from C. P. R. Dock. Returning arrives daily at 6:30 a.m. S. S. "SOL DUC" For Port Angeles, Duwamish, Port Williams, Port Townsend and Seattle, daily, except Sunday, at 10 a.m. from Evans, Coleman & Evans dock. Returning, arrives daily, except Sunday, at 9:00 a.m. Connections are made at Port Angeles for Sol Duc Hot Springs. Secure tickets and information from E. E. BLACWOOD, Agent, 1234 Government St. Phone 454.

The Union Steamship Co.

Sailings to Northern B. C. Ports. S.S. "OCELOCHIN" Leaves Victoria every Wednesday at 11 p.m. for Campbell River, Alert Bay, Port Hardy, Shushartie Bay, Rivers Inlet and Bella Coola. S.S. "VENTURE" Leaves Vancouver every Friday at 4 p.m. for Prince Rupert, Skeena River, Naas River and Granby Bay. S.S. "CAMOSIN" Leaves Vancouver every two weeks for STEWART and QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS. GEO. MCGREGOR, Agent, 1003 Government St. Phone 1252.

BIDS ARE ASKED FOR RAISING OF VESSEL

Seattle, Sept. 3.—The Alaska Pacific Steamship company, owners of the steamer Admiral Watson, under charter to the Pacific Alaska Navigation company, yesterday asked for bids for the work of raising the steamer Admiral Watson, rammed and sunk in the harbor here by the steamer Paraiso, owned by the Long Beach Steamship company, and under charter to the Pacific Coast Steamships company. The Alaska Pacific company, owning the steamer Admiral Farragut, now plying between Puget Sound and San Francisco, will be withdrawn from that run, and beginning September 5 will be placed on the Alaska run. It was announced yesterday that the Admiral Farragut will replace the Admiral Watson.

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Extract From "BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL" March 23, 1907

"A Most Valuable Food"

At a time when the preparation of artificial foodstuffs is receiving more attention than ever before, and when new forms of easily assimilable fat to take the place of cod liver oil are being frequently brought to the notice of the medical profession, it is desirable that some of the older forms of administering natural fats should not be lost sight of. Among natural fats, butter easily takes first place for nutritive value, and when combined with a suitable soluble carbohydrate a most valuable food is produced. The BUTTER SCOTCH which Messrs. Callard & Power (Cheese) Ltd., 100, Broad Road, W. C. 1, have prepared for fifty years is such an article, which has the great advantage of being palatable, and is in fact, that children are more likely to need restraining from excess than any remaining to take it. This BUTTER SCOTCH is stated to contain 11.7 per cent of fat and 79.3 per cent of sugar, and the fact that it is a natural product, which we have made scientific specimens substantially confirm these figures; further chemical examination of the fat extracted showed it to be genuine butter fat. This confection can therefore be recommended, not only as a harmless sweetmeat, but also as a very useful addition to the diet in suitable cases. In all the Principal candy stores in Victoria.

Country Justice—I'll have to fine ye a dollar, Jeff. I'll have to bury it of ye, Jedge. Country Justice—Great snakes! It was only to git a dollar I was fining ye. Git out! Ye ain't guilty, anyway.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

Shipping chart with multiple sections: DEEP SEA ARRIVALS (listing ships like Awa Maru, Benafactor, etc.), DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES (listing Panama Maru, Fado Maru, etc.), COAST SERVICES (listing Prince George, G.T.P., etc.), FERRY SERVICES (listing Princess Mary, etc.), and SAILERS COMING (listing Endymion, Russian barque, etc.).

WIRELESS REPORT

Sept. 3, 5 a.m. Point Grey—Clear; calm; bar, 30.17; temp., 58. Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; bar, 30.15; temp., 52; sea smooth. Pachena—Clear; calm; bar, 29.86; temp., 52; sea smooth. Estevan—Clear; calm; bar, 30.01; temp., 51; sea smooth. Triangle—Foggy; S. W. light; bar, 30.18; temp., 59; sea moderate. Alert Bay—Foggy; calm; bar, 30.01; temp., 51; sea smooth. Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; S. E.; bar, 29.98; temp., 58; sea smooth. Ikeda—Raining; S. E. light; bar, 29.90; temp., 61; sea smooth. Prince Rupert—Raining; S. E. strong; bar, 29.90; temp., 65; sea moderate. Noon. Point Grey—Clear; N. W. light; bar, 30.12; temp., 68. Cape Lazo—Foggy; calm; bar, 30.04; temp., 71; sea smooth. Pachena—Clear; N. W. light; bar, 29.80; temp., 66; sea smooth. Estevan—Clear; N. W. light; bar, 29.92; temp., 64; sea smooth. Triangle—Foggy; S. light; bar, 30.20; temp., 59; sea moderate. Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; bar, 29.98; temp., 56; sea smooth. Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; S. E.; bar, 30.07; temp., 60; sea smooth. Ikeda—Overcast; S. E. light; bar, 29.85; temp., 63; sea smooth. Prince Rupert—Raining; S. E. strong; bar, 29.90; temp., 65; sea moderate.

TIDE TABLE

Tide table for September. Columns: Date, Time of High Water, Time of Low Water, Height of High Water, Height of Low Water. Includes a note: 'The time used is Pacific standard, for the 120th meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.'

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ADVERTISEMENTS under this head, 1 cent per word per insertion; 50 cents per line per month. No advertisement for less than 25 cents. No advertisement charged for less than 10.

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DENTISTS. DR. LEWIS HALL, Dental Surgeon, Jewel Block, cor. Yates and Douglas streets, Victoria, B. C. Telephone: Office, 671; Residence, 125.

ELECTROLYSIS. FORTY-EIGHT years' practical experience in removing superfluous hairs. Mrs. Barker, 212 Fort street.

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LANDSCAPE GARDENERS. LANDSCAPE GARDENERS AND DESIGNERS—Groups of any size laid out. Staff of skilled gardeners. Estimates free. The Landscaping Floral Co., Jas. Manton, Mer. 1291 Hillside Ave., Victoria, B. C. Phone 125.

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MEDICAL MASSAGE. MITCHELL GEARY, MASSAGE—Vapor, tub and shower baths, hand, electric massage. Acute, chronic, neuralgic and scalp troubles. The Geary Rooms, 319 Fort St., Victoria, B. C. Select patrons. Phone 3690.

NOTARY PUBLIC. WILLIAM W. GAUNER, Room 146 Hibben-Bone Block, The Griffith Co., real estate and insurance, notary public, 101 Wharf street, behind Post Office.

NURSING. MISS J. WEAVING, private maternity nurse; patients taken in 206 Caladonia avenue. Phone 2731.

OPTICIANS. J. H. LE PAGE, graduate optometrist, ground floor, entrance, Hayward Bldg., Douglas street. Phone 1625.

RUPTURE SPECIALISTS. T. M. N. JONES, specialist in treatment of rupture. Phone 2061. Office, corner Hillside and Cedar Hill roads.

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METAL WORKS. PACIFIC SHEET METAL WORKS—Copper work, skylights, metal window metal, slate and felt roofing, hot air furnaces, metal ceilings, etc. 1000 Yates street. Phone 112.

MILLWOOD. GOOD MILLWOOD, 53 per cord. Phone 4319.

MOTORCYCLE SPECIALISTS. MOTORCYCLES—Motorcycle works 850 Johnson street. Motorcyclists are recommended to R. Shanks, the English motorcycle engineer, for repairs, clutch and other defects. High reputation for good and reliable work. Phone 36.

MOTORCYCLES. MOTORCYCLES, bicycle and supply store, 284 Yates. Repair parts for all makes. Agents for motorcycle. Phone 314.

PAWNSHOPS. AARONSON'S LOAN OFFICE moved to 1213 Government street, next to Columbia Theatre. Phone 737.

POTTERYWARE. SEWER PIPE WARE—Field tiles, ground floor, etc. 1000 Yates street. L. D. corner Broad and Pandora streets. Phone 112.

PLUMBING AND HEATING. VICTORIA PLUMBING CO., 163 Pandora street. Phone 2703.

ROCK BLASTING. ROCK BLASTING, Paul R. M. D., No. 4 Gordon Head. Phone 421.

REPAIRING. CARPENTRY ALTERATIONS, repairs, Phone T. Thickett, 321.

SCAVENGING. VICTORIA SCAVENGING CO.—Office, 102 Government street. Phone 982. Ashes and garbage removed.

SHOE REPAIRING. WHITE shoe repairer, opposite Public Library. Boots and shoes repaired. Phone 2731.

TAILORS. LANGE & BROWN—Specialty, Naval and military uniforms. 1008 Stobart-Pearse Bldg., 745 Yates St. Phone 630.

TRUCK AND DRAY. VICTORIA TRUCK & DRAY CO. LTD.—Office and stables, 70 Broughton St., Telephone 11, 628, 478.

TAXIDERMISTS. WHERRY & TOW, taxidermists, successors to Fred Foster, 629 Pandora, corner Broad street. Phone 221.

VACUUM CLEANERS. HAVE THE AUTO VACUUM for your carpets, satisfaction assured. Phone 4615.

WATCH REPAIRING. P. O. NOOT, 724 Yates street, graduate Canadian Horological Institute, 1903-4. I make a specialty of watch repairing. Every watch carefully repaired and accurately timed by the best methods.

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WOOD AND COAL. NEW WELLINGTON COAL, \$7.00 ton. Dry cordwood blocks \$5.25 per cord, for sale on the immediate future require skilled or unskilled labor, either male or female, should send in their names at once to the Central Employment and Relief Bureau.

DENTAL APPRENTICE WANTED. Splendid income assured right man to act as our representative after learning our business thoroughly by mail. Former experience unnecessary. All we require is honesty, ability, ambition and willingness to learn a lucrative business. No soliciting or traveling. All or spare time only. This is an exceptional opportunity for a man in your section to get into a big paying business without capital and become independent for life. Write at once for full particulars. National Co-operative Realty Company, 1129 Marston Building, Washington, D. C.

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NEATLY FURNISHED BEDROOM and full board, in private family, home comforts, centrally located. Phone 112.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS. WANTED—Contractor's hotel, double (drum and operated by steam preferred. Box 1125—Times.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS. WANTED—6 yds broken rock, second hand lumber, doors, window sash and frames. Reply P. O. Box 322. at CASH PAID for slightly worn ladies' and gents' clothing and a old gold. M. Stern, 609 Yates St. Phone 4210.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS. WANTED—Large parrot cage, must be in good shape. Box No. 1098, Times.

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ESQUIMALT MEAT MARKET—Home-buffed meat, fish and dairy produce. Phone 2411, or residence 1711. J. B. JAMES BAY DISTRICT

RINE'S GROCERY—Preserving fruits arriving daily. Alberta freestones this week. Phone 573.

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H. J. WAYNE (late P. Burns & Co.), 147 Menzies street, James Bay. Meat market. Fresh fish daily. Phone 169.

JAMES BAY BOAT REPAIRING DEPOT in the new block, corner Menzies and Simcoe streets. Phone 2005.

ROOM AND BOARD at 182 Menzies. Home comforts. Moderate terms. Phone 533.

SMITH, the Oak Bay plumber, first-class jobbing a specialty. Phone 533.

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RELIABLE ELECTRIC CO., 171 Oak Bay avenue. Electrical repairs and supplies, house wiring. Estimates free. Phone 494.

OAK BAY WOODWORKERS—Builders' repairs and designs. Hapeo Paint Agency. Call and see us. At car terminal. Phone 112.

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THE ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS, Court Camouso, No. 233, meets at Foresters' Hall, Broad St. at 8 p. m. on 2nd and 4th Tuesdays. T. W. Hawkins, Secy.

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FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES.

FOR SALE—Smith Motorwheel with blower attached. P. O. Box 563. BROWNIE, good condition, for sale. 110 University Road. Phone 333.

FOR SALE—8-55 Marlin, 7.9, 30-50 S&W, \$24.00; Winchester repeater, \$20; 22 Remington repeater, \$30; 30-30 Winchester, \$15.00; Toinin hammerless shotgun, \$17.00; Stevens hammerless shotgun, \$12.00; 4 Winchester, \$5.00; 4 Colt automatic, \$14.00. J. B. Jaffe, 1411 Stobart street.

FOR SALE—Leather job, water exchange for good rowboat. 25 Quebec. Phone 112.

FOR SALE—Mallaboo and steel govern. \$1 down, \$1 per week. 2001 Government street.

CURIOS AND ENGLISH FURNITURE—Deaks, office fittings, cash register, Toledo scales, and household requisites generally. Murdoch's Pandora Market. Phone 539.

FOR SALE—Rifles, Winchester, 22 cal., \$3.00; Browning automatic, 32 cal., \$8.00; shotgun, 12-gauge, \$10; Winchester 304, \$10.00; large plumb album, \$1.50; marine telescope, \$3.50; large Hohner accordion, \$2.00; solid leather mandolin, case and cushion, \$2.00; 12-gauge shot hats, \$1.50; canvas summer hats, 25c; gun metal wrist watches, regular \$2.00, \$1.00; 12-gauge shot hats, \$1.50; musty box, plays ten tunes, \$2.00; Gillette safety razor, \$2.75; Wade & Butler's cards, \$2.00; playing cards, \$1.00; Jacob Aronson's new and second-hand store, 32 Johnson street, Victoria, B. C. Phone 112.

GOOD ROWBOAT, just painted, motor, cash. Apply Causeway Boat House. Phone 345.

SUTTON, the bicycle repair man, is still leading the way for second-hand bicycles. 1213 Government street. Phone 112.

FOR SALE—Commercial course with International Correspondence school, bookkeeping and stenography. P. O. Box 87. Phone 112.

22-GAUGE, hammerless, Clarendon gun. Price, \$45. 12-gauge, hammer gun, \$35.00. W. A. King, 2250 1/2-gauge, single shot, Tver Johnson, 55, Massey Harris 12-gauge, 28-gauge, 20-gauge, 12-gauge, \$17.00; 12-gauge, 28-gauge, 20-gauge, 12-gauge, \$17.00; 12-gauge, 28-gauge, 20-gauge, 12-gauge, \$17.00.

WALTON, the bicycle repair man, is still leading the way for second-hand bicycles. 1213 Government street. Phone 112.

FOR SALE—Commercial course with International Correspondence school, bookkeeping and stenography. P. O. Box 87. Phone 112.

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FOR SALE—Fine Wealthy apply, 200 North Victoria street. Phone 112.

HEATEL'S—Cheapest and largest stock used heaters, same as new. Exchange with Eastern Stove Co., 848 Fort St. at 112.

FOR SALE—Boats, garden sheds, chicken houses in sections, long and short ladders, Douglas, 200, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. 1129 Marston Building, Washington, D. C.

W. A. KING, Maywood Meat Market. Home-killed meat, fresh, salted, and cured. Vegetables and own dairy produce. Phone 220.

DRUGS, stationery, Kodak cameras and supplies. Full line of Nyal remedies. R. W. Hilly, Douglas and Oak streets. Phone 2451.

RINE'S GROCERY—Preserving fruits arriving daily. Alberta freestones this week. Phone 218.

LODGES. DAUGHTERS AND MAIDS OF ENGLAND B. S.—Lodge Primrose, No. 22, meets fourth Tuesday at 8 p. m. at R. of P. Hall, North St. L. A. Warren, W. Secy., 1132 Leonard St. A. M. James, W. Secy., 119 Discovery. Meeting on 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. Visiting members cordially invited.

THE ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS, Court Camouso, No. 233, meets at Foresters' Hall, Broad St. at 8 p. m. on 2nd and 4th Tuesdays. T. W. Hawkins, Secy.

A. O. F. COURT NORTHERN LIGHT, No. 555, meets at Foresters' Hall, Broad street, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. W. F. Fullerton, Secy.

LOYAL ORDER OF MOBS, No. 728, meets at 4 of P. Hall, North Park St. at 8 p. m. on 2nd and 4th Tuesdays. A. C. Holmes, 1829 Fern street. C. E. Copeland, secretary, 1320 Minto street. P. O. Box 1017.

BENEVOLENT ORDER BEAVERS, Hall at 2nd and Douglas. C. H. Watson, secretary.

HELP WANTED—(Female) EMPLOYERS OF HELP who are now or in the immediate future require skilled or unskilled labor, either male or female, should send in their names at once to the Central Employment and Relief Bureau.

DENTAL APPRENTICE WANTED. Splendid income assured right man to act as our representative after learning our business thoroughly by mail. Former experience unnecessary. All we require is honesty, ability, ambition and willingness to learn a lucrative business. No soliciting or traveling. All or spare time only. This is an exceptional opportunity for a man in your section to get into a big paying business without capital and become independent for life. Write at once for full particulars. National Co-operative Realty Company, 1129 Marston Building, Washington, D. C.

ROOMS AND BOARD. COMFORTABLE ROOM AND BOARD, reasonable, 0.30 in, 615 Vancouver St. Phone 3600.

NEATLY FURNISHED BEDROOM and full board, in private family, home comforts, centrally located. Phone 112.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS. WANTED—Contractor's hotel, double (drum and operated by steam preferred. Box 1125—Times.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS. WANTED—6 yds broken rock, second hand lumber, doors, window sash and frames. Reply P. O. Box 322. at CASH PAID for slightly worn ladies' and gents' clothing and a old gold. M. Stern, 609 Yates St. Phone 4210.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS. WANTED—Large parrot cage, must be in good shape. Box No. 1098, Times.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS. WANTED—Furnished housekeeping rooms, close in. Apply Box 1985, Times.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT.

CENTRAL PARK APARTMENTS, cor. Queen's and Vancouver streets. Three rooms, suit for rent.

A FURNISHED FLAT, modern, Normanside Apartments, phone 1591.

TO RENT—Well furnished front apartment, freshly done up; \$15 per month, including light and heat. 1176 Yates street.

APARTMENTS TO RENT, two blocks from City Hall. Apply 1721 Quadra street. Phone 112.

TO RENT—Large, steam-heated suite in Linden Apartments at \$15 per month. Apply Linden Grocery, Phone 1247.

THE KENNINGTON, 904 Pandora Ave. Furnished suites; also sleeping rooms. Hot and cold water. Phone 112.

MELLOH APARTMENTS, 521 Broughton street, adjoining Royal Victoria Theatre. To let, modern apartments (unfurnished), hot water and hot water heating. Apply Melloh Bros. Ltd., 613 Broughton street. Phone 112.

TO LET—Modern apartments, McDonald Block, first telephone. Phone 311.

OAK BAY JUNCTION—Comfortable, modern suite, furnished or unfurnished, by the week or month. Apply Suite 3, phone 3421, or P. R. Brown, agent. Phone 112.

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Unfurnished) 2-ROOMED COTTAGE, with gas stove, to let, 47 Luxton St. Apply 42 Luxton, or phone 1574.

FOR RENT—Blackwood St., five rooms, with or without garage. Phone 112.

10-12 LILLIAN ROAD, 1 room house, furnace, basement, well finished, fully modern, close to car, rent, \$15 per month. Apply 10-12 Lillian Road, phone 112.

FOR RENT—Three-room cottage on Second street. Apply 238 Fowl Bay, near Arena. Phone 112.

TO RENT—Modern six room house, 112 Apply 100 Coburg St., James Bay. Phone 112.

FOR RENT—HOUSES AND APARTMENTS, furnished and unfurnished, in all parts of Victoria. Bayward, Young & Russell, 1012 Broad street, ground floor, Pemberton Building. Phone 432.

SEVERAL new houses to rent at low prices. The Griffith Company, Hibben-Bone Building. Phone 112.

TO RENT—Five rooms, modern dwelling, 318 Cook street, built about a year ago. \$15 per month. Apply Richard J. C. 122 Government street. Phone 112.

TO RENT—Six roomed house, with modern conveniences, Mary street, Victoria. West. Apply 120 Springfield avenue, Victoria. Phone 112.

TO LET—Seven roomed house, 214 Galloway street, 1225 Montrose avenue. Phone 2261.

NEW, MODERN BUNGALOW to let, three rooms, furnished or unfurnished. 147 Crescent road. Phone 112.

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Furnished) TO RENT—5 roomed modern house; furnished; \$20; nr. Williams. 234 Lee Ave. at 112.

FOR RENT—Semi-furnished or fully furnished houses. Toller, phone 296.

FOR RENT—Furnished cabin, all conveniences. 1008 Hillside avenue. Phone 112.

FURNISHED CABINS TO LET, at Seaside. Apply Barber Shop, at Pool Room. Phone 112.

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS DENTIST—Good business location, rent cheap. Call or write 1008 Hillside Avenue. Phone 112.

ONE AND TWO-ROOM OFFICES to let in Tibbia Building. Apply at Times Office. Phone 112.

EXCHANGE. WANTED TO EXCHANGE—Horse, harness, etc. of 1914 Ford truck for cow. Box 1118, Times. Phone 112.

EXCHANGE—3 acres, with 1 room house, barn, etc. 2 acres in strawberries; cow, chickens and implements. Will consider suitable house, value \$2,000. Curly & Power, 124 Douglas St. Phone 1655.

LAWN MOWERS collected, cleaned, ground, adjusted, delivered, \$1.00. Dandridge, phone 10912 or 418.

CIRCULARS and dodgers done quickly, delivered or addressed and mailed. Nelson Advertising Agency, 707 1/2 Bldg. Phone 112.

BEST PRICES PAID for discarded clothes, shoes, etc. 541 Johnson. Phone 4431. Will call at any address. Phone 112.

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES. FOR SALE—McLaughlin Buick bullet for sale very cheap, just been thoroughly overhauled and in first-class condition. owner needs the money. Apply 1102 King's road. Phone 112.

THROUGH CAR, 5 passenger, renovated throughout, at sacrifice price. Box 1117, Times. Phone 112.

CHALMERS car, in first class shape, for sale. Will take Ford as part payment. Box 1114, Times. Phone 112.

FOR SALE—Ford 4 passenger, in good working order. Phone 3341.

1913 PASSENGER "Hudson" automobile, fully equipped and in O. K. running order; a bargain for cash. Apply Thoburn, Garage, or phone 699.

HELP WANTED—(Female) BAINSTER requires English family in Victoria to take sister and nephew (aged 2) as paying guests for winter. Payment by cash money and application with terms to Box 642, Times. Phone 112.

TAILORS WANTED. Apply 1209 Douglas. Phone 112.

WANTED—Woman to make cakes, pie, and pastry; must be practical; \$40 per month, plus board, \$100. Box 1090, Times. Phone 112.

IF YOU HAVE WORK for a few hours, days or weeks, won't you send in your name to the Central Employment and Relief Bureau and let us send you the man or woman to do that work?

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS. CLEAN, furnished, housekeeping rooms, cabins. \$4 month up. 1008 Hillside Avenue. Phone 112.

LOST AND FOUND. LOST from 217 Linden Avenue, Tuesday, 4 fox terrier pup, reward. \$10.00. Apply 217 Linden Avenue, Tuesday. Phone 112.

LOST—Wire haired fox terrier pup, neighborhood Ruyndamde avenue and Foul Bay road. Reward. Phone 471 at 112.

LOST—Between Sooke and Victoria, white bag, containing money and some books. Reward \$2.00 for information of finder. Phone 1973, 466 Courtney St. at 112.

# Two Choice Bits of Acreage

**COBBLE HILL**—Five acres, three under cultivation, 2,000 strawberry plants, raspberries, currants, etc. New house of five rooms, bath and pantry, shack and chicken house, creek runs through property; good fishing and hunting, close to Mill bay and school. Price **\$2,700** on terms, or for cash **\$2,200**.

**DUNCANS**—2 1/2 acres with 4-roomed modern cottage, well worth investigating, as owner is very anxious to sell. Price on application.

## P. R. BROWN

Money to Loan. Insurance Written. 1112 Broad St.

"You say you have no references as a cook. How is that?" "Well, you see, mum, I've always stayed in wain place until the people died."

### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

**DIGGONISMS**—Say, why not open up a box of matches and a can of gasoline and blow down to the Diggon Printing Co. in the Pemberton Bk. They print anything at the right price.

**DEER IS CHEAP AFTER THE FIRST** September, see revised game regulations. But this has always been the case. Murdoch's Pandora Mart, where the dearest things may be had at sacrifice prices.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—Shaw and writer's outfit, including drawing table, paper, books, etc. Box 106, Times.

**WANTED**—Boy's bicycle, in good condition. Must be cheap. Box 112, Times.

**MRS. JAFFRAY**, cert. Royal Academy, London, Eng. pianoforte and theory of music. Pupils prepared for examinations if desired. 27 Michigan St. Phone 3641.

**WANTED**—8 or 9 room furnished house, centrally located. Box 112, Times.

**FOR SALE**—5 passenger Ford, good tires and running gear, price, \$400 cash. 34 Pemberton Bldg.

**FOR SALE**—Pedigree fox terrier, good ratter, trained. Box 112, Times.

**SMALL HOUSE WANTED** in Esquimalt, near Head St. preferred. Box 112, Times.

**SOME SNAP**—Have equity of \$2,100 in a modern 6-room house, which I will sell for \$50; balance of \$2,150 payable \$20 monthly, without interest. House built by day labor and situated on Cook St., ten minutes' walk from city hall and close to High school. Apply Box 112, Times, or 1319 Douglas St.

**WANTED**—A few cheap lots, inside the city limits, on easy terms. Green & Burdick Bros., Limited, Cor. Langley & Broughton Sts.

**FOR RENT**—Three-room cottage, furnished absolutely complete, including bed linen, crockery, cutlery, kitchen utensils, etc., modern, with portable bath, beautiful location on waterfront lot at Fowl Bay; rent \$15 month to careful tenant. Apply Mrs. Penny, 1809 Crescent road. Phone 1131.

**NO. 1 FIR CORDWOOD** (not beach wood)—4-foot wood, \$3.75 per cord; stove lengths, \$4.50 per cord; bark, \$3.00 per cord; cedar kindling, \$3.00 per cord. Victoria, Wood Co., 809 Johnson, Phone 2774.

**FOUR-ROOM COTTAGE** to let, \$4 month to careful tenants. Box 112, Times.

**TO RENT**—4-room house, all conveniences, Esquimalt. F. Cherry, 522 Joffe.

**LOST**, at Pathway theatre, on Thursday night, lady's purse, containing cash, door key, etc. reward. Phone 5301.

**FOR RENT**—4-roomed house, partly furnished, 509 King's road. Apply Mrs. Russell, 512 King's road.

**OAK BAY**—Unfurnished bungalow to rent. Would lease from October. Box 112, Times.

**TO LET**—4-room new bungalow, close Jubilee hospital, \$9 per month. 502 Bayward. Phone 95.

**WANTED FOR CASH**—Good Ford car, no Jimmy. Apply F. Bence, 257 Hill side.

**GOING AWAY**—Must sacrifice my lot and shack on good improved street for \$50. Apply Box 112, Times.

**A VERY ATTRACTIVE** and well-built bungalow in Oak Bay, containing 4 1/2 rooms; stone front, all built-in features, garage, cement walks, etc. Lot 50 x 125. Price, only \$2,500, on easy terms. Heisterman, Forman Co., 219 Broad St.

**DUNFORD'S DAILY**—Two large building lots to trade for small cottage; will assume. Also 160 acres good island land to trade for small bungalow. 312 Union Bank.

**OFFICERS' ATTENTION**—Well-furnished suites in Oak Bay's only up-to-date apartment on the beach—short walk to Willows; modern; call J. O. Dunford. Phone 2671 and 42.

**CIVIC RETRENCHMENT ASSOCIATION**—General meeting, Tuesday evening next, 8 p. m. Taxpayers only. Board Room, Belmont Building.

**DIED.**  
**HOWELL**—On the 1st inst. at Jubilee Hospital, Alfred Hill, at Jubilee, born in Cowes, Isle of Wight.  
Funeral services will be held at the First Congregational Church, Quadra St., on Friday, at 2 o'clock. September 3. Members of the Sons of England will attend in a body and are requested to assemble at the Congregational Church at 1:45 p. m. Friends kindly accept this intimation. Arrangements with the Thomson Funeral Co.

**BOARD OF LICENSING COMMISSIONERS**  
The next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners will be held in the Police Court, City Hall, on Wednesday next, the 8th inst. at 2:30 p. m.  
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.  
City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., Sept. 3, 1915.

**PLANT FOR SALE**  
The Corporation of the City of Victoria, B. C., have a large quantity of Contractors' Plant for sale, consisting of 50 tons of 2 1/2 lb. rail, hand cars, hoisting gears, pipes, etc. A complete list of the above equipment, and any further information may be obtained upon application to the office of the City Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Victoria, B. C.  
W. GALT, City Purchasing Agent, Victoria, B. C., Sept. 4th, 1915.

## CUT OFF ALLOWANCES TO SOME DEPENDENTS

### Where Men Are Only on Home Service Economy Distates Change of Policy

A circular has been issued by the headquarters of the Canadian Patriotic fund, Ottawa, stating that in view of the heavy demands on the fund, and the likelihood of the war lasting for some considerable time, allowances would be discontinued from Sept. 1 to dependents of men on active service.

His honor, Lieutenant-Governor Barnard, who is chairman of the provincial Patriotic fund, which operates through the Canadian organization at Ottawa, was questioned by the Times this morning with reference to the effect of the new ruling.

The whole of British Columbia, however, explained, comes under the regulations made at Ottawa. In the past these allowances had provided a certain allowance for men on home service who had children. Owing to the rapid diminution of the fund, and the possibility of there not being sufficient to disburse for more imperative needs later on, the executive at Ottawa had decided to discontinue the allowances to men on home service who had not volunteered for overseas service. Those, however, who were on active home service and had volunteered for active service abroad would continue to receive their allowances where there were children dependents.

Some of the branches of the Patriotic fund, it appears, have expressed a wish for the withdrawal of the allowance for dependents of men on home service. It is generally felt throughout the Dominion that the dependents of those who are on active service at the front should be looked after first of all, and that men should be discouraged from offering for home service when they are able to take overseas service.

The drain on the fund, moreover, is more likely to increase as additional men are added to the service overseas. The charter of the fund, granted by parliament, has been amended so that local organizations may be able temporarily to assist the widows of men who have been killed while on active service, as well as any who have been wounded or disabled by sickness. These are increased responsibilities which the people must bear as their part of the war.

The secretary reported that several citizens, including the mayor and council, have been invited to attend this meeting.

Information has been received that the Curtis Aeroplane Manufacturing Co., Ltd., which has a training school at Toronto, contemplates the establishment of a branch on the Pacific coast for the winter, and it was decided therefore that the club should put forth every effort to induce the company to locate its school on Vancouver Island and in the vicinity of Victoria.

It is purely a patriotic movement, the club desiring to assist the young men who have not money enough to go east to take a course in aviation. The club is determined, should its efforts to attract the school to Victoria fail, to inaugurate an independent school, with adequate equipment and an efficient instructor, and procure the insurance from the authorities that graduates from such a school would be recognized.

The death occurred Wednesday morning at St. Joseph's hospital of James Poirier, aged 36 years, born at Sooke, and a resident of that district all his life. The deceased leaves to mourn his loss, besides a widow and five children—a mother, three brothers—and eight sisters. The remains are reposing at the chapel of the Sands Funeral Furnishing company, and will be removed on Saturday morning to his mother's residence at Scarf, B. C., where the funeral will take place that afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Thirty minutes later services will be held at the Sooke church, and interment will be in the Sooke cemetery.

The death occurred Wednesday at her home, 2722 Avebury street, of Mrs. Mary Maud Rennie, wife of P. M. Rennie. The late Mrs. Rennie was aged 32 years and 8 months, born at Dumblane, Bruce county, Ont., a residence of Victoria for the past four years. She leaves, besides her husband, two sons and one sister, Mrs. Nell B. Pollock, 528 Simcoe street, all of Victoria; a father, mother and two brothers at Dumblane, Ont.; one sister, Mrs. D. McInnes, Rouleau, Sask.; one sister, Mrs. J. H. Sissons, of Estevan; a brother, J. K. Bryce, at Ogema, Sask.; brother, T. M. Bryce, at Estevan; and Robert Bryce, of this city. The funeral will take place on Friday at 2 o'clock, from the chapel of the Sands Funeral company. Interment in Ross Bay cemetery.

While waiting for the calling of the case of Ditts against Kirja and Melia, with Haram Singh as claimant in the interpleader action in the county court this morning, several Hindus interested in the case engaged in conversation at the rear of the court. They were suddenly startled and brought to order by the clerk of the court, H. E. Ward, who in severe tones called out "Choo-er-row." The Hindus sat up and took notice.

Choo-er-row, in one of the Hindu tongues, means "order in court." Mr. Ward was for many years in India, where he served as a lieutenant in the British army.

The action before Judge Lampan is on a claim by Ditts for \$225 due on a promissory note. Judgment was obtained some time ago and certain property seized by the sheriff to satisfy it. Then came Haram with the interpleader action claiming ownership in the cows seized.

Ward Five Liberals.—There will be a meeting of the executive of the Ward Five Liberal association this evening at the Junco block to discuss organization and other matters.

Kindergarten School.—Miss M. Thompson will open a kindergarten school in the primary room of Wesley Methodist church, McPherson avenue, next Tuesday morning, at 9.30. A number of children between the ages of 4 and 6 years have already applied for admission, and any wishing to make inquiries may phone 8620 R, or call at Wesley paragonage.

Dr. J. K. Barrett, of Winnipeg, Dominion Inspector of malt houses and breweries, is in the city on a visit of inspection.

## MAJORITY OF TROOPS TO MOVE FROM VERNON

### Will Return to Coast for Winter Training; New Highland Corps

Announcement was made this morning by Col. A. T. Ogilvie, D.O.C., who left yesterday for the mainland, that the majority of the troops now in training at the central mobilization base at Vernon would be returned to the coast for their winter training.

Explaining that no definite date had yet been set for transferring the troops into winter quarters, Col. Ogilvie expressed the opinion that no move would be made until next month, probably the latter end. It would depend upon the weather conditions, he intimated.

The 72nd Overseas Battalion, the new Scottish regiment to be raised in Vancouver, will go into camp at Hastings park. One of the infantry battalions, it is understood, will join the new unit in quarters at Hastings park. Another infantry battalion and a mounted rifle regiment, presumably the 11th C.M.R., will go into billets for the winter at the exhibition park in New Westminster. The 54th Kootenay and Boundary Battalion is to be sent overseas as a unit, as already announced, and therefore will not return to the coast with the other units.

Mobilization of the 72nd Overseas Battalion is to be started immediately. Announcement to this effect was made to-day by Lieut.-Col. J. A. Clarke, officer commanding, following a conference with Col. Ogilvie. Recruits for service with this Scottish unit will be taken on the strength-at-once. Col. Ogilvie, Lieut.-Col. Clarke and Captain Ward, of the 6th Field Engineers, visited Hastings park today to make arrangements for billeting the troops. The 72nd Battalion will be raised mainly in Vancouver.

The Voluntary Aid Detachment of Victoria applied to the parks' committee for permission to use the Dupont residence in Stadacona park as a headquarters for their work. The house has not been occupied for some time, but is in fairly good condition for the purposes of the organization. The parks' committee will propose the matter at the meeting of the city council to be held on Tuesday, and an effort will be made to secure immediate possession for the detachment.

Col. Ogilvie, D.O.C., is making another visit to the Vernon training camp and will be away about a week inspecting the various units.

The new officers of the Victoria Jitney association, elected at a general meeting of the body, are: President—Owen Hartley. Vice-President—Frederick Letts. Secretary—George I. Warren.

Directors—H. K. Smith, Gordon Duncan, V. Wolfenden, H. H. Foster and William Reid. A unanimous vote of thanks was passed to the retiring officers, and H. F. Pullen, the retiring president, and the first Jitney operator in Victoria, was made an honorary member of the association.

Rates were adopted to all outlying points, and a committee consisting of H. F. Pullen, George I. Warren, W. P. R. Blaikie, William Reid, V. Wolfenden, F. Letts and G. Duncan were appointed to appear before the city council at its session to-day, with reference to the proposed Jitney regulations.

Retrenchment Association.—There will be an important general meeting of the members of the Civic Retrenchment association in the board room of the Belmont building at 8 p. m. on Tuesday next, Sept. 7. All members and supporters are requested to attend.

A Curious Mistake.—To think that when you have to move the paper away from your eyes to see better, that it is a sign of improved vision. It means that you need glasses, and you had better see me. Frank Clugston, optician, 65 1/2 Yates street (corner Douglas), upstairs.

Lusitania Passenger's Will.—In suit preme court chambers this morning Knox Courtney made application for probate in the case of George E. Stokes, who was lost on the Lusitania. The only proof of death submitted was the statement that the Lusitania had been sunk and that Mr. Stokes had been on board at the time. The application was adjourned for further proof of death. Mr. Stokes resided at Victoria West while a resident of Victoria.

Patient Resting Well.—Hugh Campbell, who was the victim of a serious shooting affair on Saturday afternoon while driving towards the Sooke post office, was reported to be resting fairly well at St. Joseph's hospital this afternoon. He is holding up very well under the severe shock which his system has suffered. The provincial police so far have not discovered any clue to the person who did the shooting, but the officers are still pursuing the case and an arrest may be made in a day or two.

Street Railway Vote.—The Victoria employees of the B. C. Electric Railway company, in common with those of other sections of the system, are to-day voting on the acceptance or rejection of the compromise mentioned in yesterday's Times. The indications here are that the proposals will be accepted by a substantial majority, the agreement to last until six months after the conclusion of the war.

The pretensions of that fellow Furbury give me an awful pain. "Furbury" why, he's the greatest actor on the stage to-day. "Sure! But that's his limit. The nerve of him trying to associate with us movie players!"

## RECENT FIRE DAMAGE

### Report of Minister of Lands Shows Something of Extent of Destructive Fires During August.

Telegraphic advices to the minister of lands up to the end of last week recorded hot and dry weather with few exceptions throughout the province; fires for the most part, however, being under control. In the Lillooet district, all burning permits have been cancelled as a precautionary measure.

"From Kamloops," the report says, "word has been received that a fire in the Blue River district, started by lightning, was threatening timber limits, but although difficult of access is now under control. With the exception of the Lower Thompson country, occasional showers are keeping the fires in check in the Kamloops forest district, and a similar condition prevails in the Cranbrook division."

"Thunder storms with destructive lightning have caused many fires in the Fort George country, and a further report is expected. Many fires in the Vancouver provincial forest district are reported, but outbreaks having occurred at Reid, Valdez, Thurlow and Texida islands, also at Campbell River, Gordon Pasha Lake, Potlatch Creek, Gambler Island, Smiths Landing, Seymour Creek, North Arm, Ardley, Burnaby, Crescent, White Rock, Townsend, Surrey, Sperling, Bradner, Langley, Abbotsford and Aldergrove, in addition to a number of smaller fires."

"Houses were burnt at Gambler Island, Burnaby, North Vancouver, Newton, White Rock, Bradner, Langley and Abbotsford. These fires are now all under control, and were in slash without any appreciable loss of timber. In the Vancouver island forest district all fires are for the most part under control, with little damage to green timber."

At Philadelphia—R. H. E. Boston 10 15 3 Philadelphia 2 9 5 Batteries—Shore, Greer and Gady; Sheehan, Ancker and Lapp.

At Chicago—R. H. E. Cleveland 2 5 2 Chicago 8 7 1 Batteries—Mitchell, Jones and O'Neill; Benz and Schalk.

At Washington—R. H. E. New York 0 4 0 Washington 2 8 1 Batteries—Pleh and Nunemaker; Johnson and Williams.

At Pittsburgh—R. H. E. Chicago 1 5 2 Pittsburgh 4 6 1 Batteries—Humphries, Standridge and Breenahan; Mammaux and Gibson.

At Cincinnati—R. H. E. St. Louis 2 8 0 Cincinnati 1 7 4 Batteries—Mendows and Snyder; Schneider, Lear and Wingo.

At Boston—R. H. E. Brooklyn 3 5 3 Boston 6 10 0 Batteries—Douglas, Smith and Miller; Rudolph and Gowdy.

At New York—R. H. E. Philadelphia 0 4 1 New York 2 7 0 Batteries—Mayer, McQuillan and Killifer; Perritt and Doon.

## PRACTICED AT JUNEAU

### Dr. J. K. Simpson Passes Away Suddenly as Result of Heart Failure.

The death occurred last night suddenly, owing to heart failure, of Dr. J. K. Simpson, who for the past year had lived at 418 Helmecken street. Death occurred at the residence.

The deceased was a native of Ontario and came to this country about twenty-six years ago, going north to Juneau, Alaska, where he practiced for twenty-six years. He left there a year ago, however, and came to Victoria, where he had been practicing ever since.

A bachelor, the only immediate relative in the district are Rev. William Kidd, of Mount Tolmie; and Rev. C. Kidd, of Union Bay, who are both cousins.

The deceased received part of his medical training at Minneapolis, and was a student under Dr. Edward Kidd, an uncle, who is now serving the colors at the Dardanelles.

Dr. Simpson, on the 15th of this month, would have celebrated his fifty-third birthday.

The remains will be sent to Ontario to-morrow, for interment there. Dr. Simpson was a member of the Masonic order.

## DRAFT CONSTITUTION

### Working Committee of Victoria Aero Club Convened; General Meeting on Tuesday.

The working committee of the Victoria Aero club met on Wednesday night and executed a considerable amount of business. A constitution was drafted which will be presented for consideration at the next general meeting to be held on Tuesday, Sept. 7, in the King-Edward hotel at 8 o'clock.

The secretary reported that several citizens, including the mayor and council, have been invited to attend this meeting.

Information has been received that the Curtis Aeroplane Manufacturing Co., Ltd., which has a training school at Toronto, contemplates the establishment of a branch on the Pacific coast for the winter, and it was decided therefore that the club should put forth every effort to induce the company to locate its school on Vancouver Island and in the vicinity of Victoria.

It is purely a patriotic movement, the club desiring to assist the young men who have not money enough to go east to take a course in aviation. The club is determined, should its efforts to attract the school to Victoria fail, to inaugurate an independent school, with adequate equipment and an efficient instructor, and procure the insurance from the authorities that graduates from such a school would be recognized.

## KILLED IN ACTION

### Pte. Clifford E. Hitchcox, of This City, Gives Life for His Country.

Another young Victorian has given his life for his country. This is Clifford Earl Hitchcox, who enlisted at the outbreak of the war for overseas service and went away with the 30th Battalion, C. E. F. He has been fighting with the Seventh Battalion, and from the news received by his brothers here has been in several engagements and spent long spells in the trenches.

This morning word was received by his brothers by cable from their parents, in Rugby, England, that he had been killed in action. This news will be learned with regret by the many friends he had made in the city during the three years he had been a resident here.

Pte. Hitchcox was but nineteen and was a fine young fellow. In the old country he had been quite a runner as a lad and won several races, but he had not followed that up here, although he retained an interest in athletic events. He was a draughtsman, and in that capacity was well known to surveyors and engineers.

This is the second son that Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hitchcox have given to the empire, their eldest boy being killed during the South African war. There are two other sons living in Victoria, Frederick W. and Walter C. Hitchcox.

## TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Philadelphia—R. H. E. Boston 10 15 3 Philadelphia 2 9 5 Batteries—Shore, Greer and Gady; Sheehan, Ancker and Lapp.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At New York—R. H. E. Cleveland 2 5 2 Chicago 8 7 1 Batteries—Mitchell, Jones and O'Neill; Benz and Schalk.

### At Washington—R. H. E. New York 0 4 0 Washington 2 8 1 Batteries—Pleh and Nunemaker; Johnson and Williams.

### At Pittsburgh—R. H. E. Chicago 1 5 2 Pittsburgh 4 6 1 Batteries—Humphries, Standridge and Breenahan; Mammaux and Gibson.

### At Cincinnati—R. H. E. St. Louis 2 8 0 Cincinnati 1 7 4 Batteries—Mendows and Snyder; Schneider, Lear and Wingo.

### At Boston—R. H. E. Brooklyn 3 5 3 Boston 6 10 0 Batteries—Douglas, Smith and Miller; Rudolph and Gowdy.

### At New York—R. H. E. Philadelphia 0 4 1 New York 2 7 0 Batteries—Mayer, McQuillan and Killifer; Perritt and Doon.

The pretensions of that fellow Furbury give me an awful pain. "Furbury" why, he's the greatest actor on the stage to-day. "Sure! But that's his limit. The nerve of him trying to associate with us movie players!"

## "Sam Scott Suits Boys"

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Large, new fall shipments have just been opened at this Boys' Specialty Store. It pays well to buy from a specialist in boys' wear. His knowledge of values in Boys' Clothing is bound to be superior, and his concentrated buying power is greater.

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Splendid quality clothes made for boys 7 to 18 years of age. Made in new styles; smart and durable.

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Tea, special value, 3 lbs. \$1.00  
Blue Ribbon Tea, 2 lbs. 75c  
Tetley's 50c Tea. Our price 45c  
B. C. and St. Charles Cream, 3 large tins ..... 25c  
Fine Fresh Salmon, per tin. 5c

B. C. Sardines, 4 tins..... 25c  
English Brown Vinegar, per bottle ..... 10c  
Tomato Catsup, bottle..... 10c  
Aylmer Gold Medal Marmalade, at ..... 25c

Quaker Corn, Peas, Tomatoes, per tin ..... 10c  
Heinz and Van Camp's Pork and Beans, per tin ..... 10c  
Clark's Pork and Beans, 3 tins for ..... 25c  
Corn Starch, 3 pkts..... 25c

Quaker Oats, per pkt..... 10c  
Davies' Large Tins Peas and Beans, 2 for ..... 25c  
Molasses, per tin..... 10c  
Heinz Sweet Pickles..... 25c  
Blue Label Ketchup..... 25c  
Aylmer Gold Medal Marmalade, at ..... 20c

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Butter that is giving the liveliest satisfaction. Should be in every household.

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Large Basket Ripe Peaches..... 25c  
See window.

## SPECIAL ATTENTION IS GIVEN TO THE MEAT DEPARTMENT

Swift's Cooked Ham, sliced, per lb. .... 35c  
Swift's Famed Picnic Hams, per lb. .... 15c  
Swift's Back Bacon, by the piece, per lb. .... 22c  
Fine Smoked Bacon, sliced, per lb. .... 25c  
Clark's Potted Meat, 4 tins 25c

45c Lobster. Our price..... 35c  
Davies' Large Tins Peas and Beans, 2 for ..... 25c  
Cheese, per lb. .... 20c  
3-lb. Pail Swift's Lard..... 45c  
Macaroni, per pkt..... 10c  
Finest Lemons, 2 doz..... 35c  
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Saanich Fruit.—Alexander Angus, of Royal Oak, brought to the offices of the Victoria and Island Development association to-day some very large Gravenstein Apples and Monarch plums, grown on his fruit ranch. Both in size and quality the plums and apples are excellent. Examples of farm and fruit ranch produce are brought in daily to the offices of the association, showing what is being done by the ranchers round Victoria.

District visitor to mother of a large family, some of whom have measles. "I hope you isolate the sick ones!" "Oh, yes, miss! Them as 'as it is one end of the bed, and them as 'asn't is at the other."

Officer to boy of thirteen who, in his efforts to get taken on as a bugler, has given his age as sixteen—"Do you know where boys go who tell lies?" Applicant—"To the front, sir."—Punch.

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Will be received to be used in payment for labor on vacant lots until such time as they will be productive.

### SHOT ONE; HELPED TO CAPTURE OTHER

Hingham, Mass., Sept. 3.—With his skull fractured and his nose broken by blows from a hammer, Chief of Police Washington James today shot and killed one prisoner and assisted in capturing another after the two prisoners had beaten him severely and locked him in a cell in an attempt to escape. Two street car employees saw the prisoners leave the jail and released the chief, who started in pursuit. He overtook the men a half-mile from the jail and in a revolver duel shot and killed James Harmon. Wallace Williams, alias "Walter Weiss" the other prisoner, made a dash, but was captured a few minutes later.

### FIVE EXECUTED

Ossining, N. Y., Sept. 3.—Five murderers were put to death in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison today.

### GERMANS CLAIM THEY LACK INFORMATION

Paris, Sept. 3.—Premier Dato, of Spain, stated today that his government had received no reply from Germany to its protest against the sinking of the Spanish steamship Isidoro by a submarine, except the statement that Germany still lacks information concerning the incident. The correspondent of the Havas Agency at Madrid adds:

"The Spanish government has made formal denial of the statement published abroad that it has determined upon a general mobilization of 500,000 troops in October."

### 534 REFUGEES

Paris, Sept. 3.—A dispatch to the Matin from Canek, Crete, filed yesterday, says: "The United States cruiser Des Moines arrived with 534 refugees, mostly French, from Jaffa, Palestine."

## \$500 AT ONCE; AN AMOUNT EACH QUARTER

### What Widows and Children of Miners Killed at Nanaimo Will Receive

Vancouver, Sept. 3.—Settlements of \$1,500 apiece to the widows and families of miners killed in the explosion at the Bessie mine of the Western Fuel company at Nanaimo on May 27, were sanctioned by Mr. Justice Murphy in the supreme court today. In each case \$500 is to be paid out at once to the widow and the balance is to be paid out in quarterly instalments for the support of the families.

In the case of James McEwan, who left three children and no separate estate, his widow is to get \$60 quarterly for the support of the children. In the case of A. J. Williams, who left a small private estate for the benefit of his three stepchildren and one daughter, the allowance is to be \$30 per month. In the case of Fred Crews, who left three children, aged 12, 10 and 8 years, and who had a separate estate of \$750, the allowance was fixed at \$60 per quarter. The same allowance was made for the five children of R. S. McMillan, as the eldest boy is at work earning \$10 per day. In the case of William Edgar Ball, the eldest of whose three children is at work as a children's nurse, the allowance is to be \$40 per month.

In one case the court interfered with the proposal. E. M. Yarwood, in the case of the widow of J. L. Mays, said she had only one child, a year old. He suggested allowing the widow \$20 and an allowance for the support of her child at the rate of \$30 each three months.

"Why should this woman get \$750 and the others only \$500? This little child of a year old needs more protection. At that rate the money will be all gone before the child is ten years old. The widow, in all probability, will have married again in another two or three years. This infant must have more protection," insisted the judge.

After further discussion with Mr. Yarwood, his lordship ordered that Mrs. Mays is to have \$500 paid out to her at once and the balance of \$1,000, with accrued interest, will be paid out for the benefit of her child at the rate of \$30 each three months.

## SAY FIGHTING TOOK PLACE IN STREETS

### What Germans Claim Regarding Change in Possession of Grodno

Berlin, Sept. 3.—The following official statement was issued today: "Field-Marshal von Hindenburg's army conquered Grodno after rapidly forcing a passage of the Niemen and fighting the Russians in the streets of the city. The Germans reached the Niemen between the Augustow canal and the Swislock-Lenewarden line. German cavalry advanced to the northwest and west of Vilna. The Russians attempted to oppose our advance but failed, suffering extraordinarily large losses. Southeast of Merez the Russians were thrown back. General von Gallwitz's troops broke the resistance of the enemy on the Alekszyce-Swislock road. More than 3,000 Russians, as well as one cannon and eighteen machine guns, were captured.

"The army of Field-Marshal von Mackensen, pursuing the Russians, reached the Jasoldia river near Slink and Beresa and also in the district of Antopolo, east of Kobryn. Austro-Hungarian troops are advancing to the east and south of Boboto and Dubowka. "Southeastern theatre of war—General Rothner's army is advancing and is fighting in the Soroth district. "Western theatre of war—Near Souchez attacks delivered by the French with hand grenades were repulsed. In Flanders and the Champagne mines were exploded successfully."

### W. H. DINSMORE WAS KILLED IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, Sept. 3.—William H. Dinsmore, an official in the Vancouver customs department, was killed at noon today by being struck by an elevator. He was 50 years of age and high in the Orange lodge, having been grand master for Vancouver for several years.

### SAGGED UNDER WEIGHT OF OFFERINGS TO-DAY

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Chicago, Sept. 3.—There was no continuation of yesterday's buying in wheat today and the market sagged under the weight of offerings. Prices sagged two cents and closed softly. Some little buying of futures by the Winnipeg market was said to be for European. Kansas City reported the country marketing freely and estimated the sales at three times as much as on any previous day. Omaha cash houses said there were no bids for export, which was a big disappointment. Today's decline can be attributed only to short element reinstatement.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
Sept.	97 1/2	97 3/4	97 1/4	97 1/2
Dec.	94 1/2	94 3/4	94 1/4	94 1/2
May	92 1/2	92 3/4	92 1/4	92 1/2
Barley—				
Sept.	73 1/2	73 3/4	73 1/4	73 1/2
Dec.	69 1/2	69 3/4	69 1/4	69 1/2
May	61 1/2	61 3/4	61 1/4	61 1/2
Oats—				
Sept.	30 1/2	30 3/4	30 1/4	30 1/2
Dec.	29 1/2	29 3/4	29 1/4	29 1/2
May	28 1/2	28 3/4	28 1/4	28 1/2
Pork—				
Sept.	12 1/2	12 3/4	12 1/4	12 1/2
Dec.	12 1/2	12 3/4	12 1/4	12 1/2
Lard—				
Sept.	8 1/2	8 3/4	8 1/4	8 1/2
Oct.	8 1/2	8 3/4	8 1/4	8 1/2
Short Ribs—				
Sept.	8 1/2	8 3/4	8 1/4	8 1/2
Oct.	8 1/2	8 3/4	8 1/4	8 1/2

## PRICES YIELDED AT WALL STREET MART

### European Liquidation Now Reckoned as Large and Domestic Interests Sell

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.) New York, Sept. 3.—There was not much in political news to alter the aspect. It is quite possible, however, that Mexico shortly will be brought to the fore as a disquieting influence. With the short interest largely contracted, the public demand for securities subsiding, European liquidation in progress and large domestic interests inclined to realize, advances at this period do not prove of great extent or duration. On the contrary, prices yield easily, and this was the disposition of market today.

Allis-Chalmers	294 3/4	294 3/4
Do, pfd.	694 3/4	694 3/4
Amn. Coal Products	101 1/4	101 1/4
Amn. Agr. Chemical	63 1/4	63 1/4
Amn. Sugar	67 1/4	67 1/4
Amn. Car & Pdy.	67 1/4	67 1/4
Amn. Cotton Oil	194 1/4	194 1/4
Amn. Locomotive	32 1/4	32 1/4
Amn. Sugar	109 1/4	109 1/4
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	122 1/4	122 1/4
Anacosta	71 1/4	71 1/4
Atchafalpa	109 1/4	109 1/4
Balto. & Ohio	314 1/4	314 1/4
Bohler	284 1/4	284 1/4
Brooklyn Rap. Tr.	93 1/4	93 1/4
C. & P. R.	194 1/4	194 1/4
Central Leather	41 1/4	41 1/4
Ches. & Ohio	46 1/4	46 1/4
C. & G. W. Pfd.	39 1/4	39 1/4
C. & N. W. Pfd.	32 1/4	32 1/4
Colo. Fuel & Ice	64 1/4	64 1/4
Cruella Steel	81 1/4	81 1/4
Com. Gas	124 1/4	124 1/4
Eastman	76 1/4	76 1/4
Godfrich	24 1/4	24 1/4
Great Northern pfd.	118 1/4	118 1/4
Gr. Nor. Ore. pfd.	42 1/4	42 1/4
Guggenheim	64 1/4	64 1/4
Int. Metropolitan	21 1/4	21 1/4
Kas. City Southern	27 1/4	27 1/4
Lehigh Valley	142 1/4	142 1/4
N. Y. Air Brake	119 1/4	119 1/4
Maxwell Motor	41 1/4	41 1/4
Rock. Petroleum	34 1/4	34 1/4
St. P. & N. O.	182 1/4	182 1/4
M. K. & T.	71 1/4	71 1/4
Mo. Pacific	44 1/4	44 1/4
Nat. Biscuit	124 1/4	124 1/4
Nat. Lead	63 1/4	63 1/4
New Haven	56 1/4	56 1/4
N. Y. Central	124 1/4	124 1/4
N. Y. O. & W.	27 1/4	27 1/4
Norfolk & West	114 1/4	114 1/4
Northern Pacific	107 1/4	107 1/4
Pacific Mail	33 1/4	33 1/4
Penn. Steel	124 1/4	124 1/4
Pittsburg Coal	32 1/4	32 1/4
Reading	102 1/4	102 1/4
Rep. Iron & Steel	62 1/4	62 1/4
Do, pfd.	111 1/4	111 1/4
Southern Pacific	84 1/4	84 1/4
Studebaker Corp.	41 1/4	41 1/4
Tenn. Copper	53 1/4	53 1/4
Union Pacific	124 1/4	124 1/4
U. S. Rubber	49 1/4	49 1/4
U. S. Realty	39 1/4	39 1/4
U. S. Steel	74 1/4	74 1/4
Do, pfd.	114 1/4	114 1/4
Western Union	74 1/4	74 1/4
Westinghouse	114 1/4	114 1/4
Granby (Boston)	51 1/4	51 1/4
Total sales, \$75,000		

### NEW YORK CURB PRICES

Ann. Marconi	44 1/4
Can. Car. Pdy.	117 1/4
Do, pfd.	117 1/4
Can. Copper	1 1/4
Buffalo	1 1/4
Can. Marconi	1 1/4
Hedley Gold	26 1/4
Howe Sound	31 1/4
Dome Mines	21 1/4
Crown Reserve	40 1/4
Baly West	22 1/4
Em. Phon.	13 1/4
Gold Cons.	11 1/4
Hollinger	26 1/4
Kerr Lake	34 1/4
La. Rose	46 1/4
Mines of Amk.	2 1/4
Nipissing	13 1/4
Standard Lead	13 1/4
Stewart	14 1/4
Yukon	29 1/4
Success	34 1/4
Winona	8 1/4

### NO COMMENT.

Rome, Sept. 3.—News of the conference in Washington yesterday between President Wilson and Cardinal Gibbons caused great interest in official circles here today. The Vatican refused to discuss the matter.

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### TO-DAY'S TRADING ON THE WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, Sept. 3.—Quite a slump occurred in wheat prices today, the decline being due to the fact that Oats was steady and flax was stronger. Opening wheat figures were 1/4 to 1/2 lower and weakness was apparent during the most of the day. At noon wheat was 2 1/2 under the high point on October and December, in which there was a tendency to rally. In cash circles trading was active and there was a good demand for all grades of wheat by exporters and millers. Offerings are becoming freer daily, farmers being disposed to sell. Oats was 15 good request for spot and September delivery. Barley also was in good request. Shorts covered in barley September futures and the price opened 1/2 cents higher on that month. In cash, flax there was practically no activity. For export there were some small sales of wheat made. The future trade is quiet generally. The number of cars in sight for inspection today was 23. The total inspections yesterday were 22 cars, of which 22 were wheat, and of that number 13 graded No. 1 Northern. The number of inspections on the same date last year was 50, quite a fair trade was turned over in futures.

Winnipeg wheat futures closed 2 1/2 cents lower on contract grades, oats closed 1/2 lower, flax closed 1/2 to 1/4 higher.	
Wheat—	Open Close
Oct.	82 1/4 82 1/4
Dec.	80 1/4 80 1/4
Coronation Gold	37 1/4 37 1/4
Int. Coal & Coke Co.	124 1/4 124 1/4
Lucky Jim Zinc	18 1/4 18 1/4
McMillan Coal	15 1/4 15 1/4
Portland Canal	31 1/4 31 1/4
Rambler Cariboo	27 1/4 27 1/4
Red Cliff	27 1/4 27 1/4
Standard Lead	152 1/4 152 1/4
Snowstorm	14 1/4 14 1/4
Stewart M. & D.	35 1/4 35 1/4
Slocan Star	23 1/4 23 1/4
Stewart Land	17 1/4 17 1/4
Victoria Phoenix Brick	15 1/4 15 1/4

### LUCKY JIM REACHES EIGHT CENTS AGAIN

Local Exchange Tendencies Similar to Yesterday's; Granby Easy

Recent movements of Lucky Jim have been peculiar. Quotations have recorded first an upturn, then a setback, each successive session. This has given the impression that some of the trading element are buying on the dips and selling on each high. This morning the market was over the eight-cent mark—granby position showed lessened support of an immediate speculative character but a well-maintained investment—imply nevertheless.

Blackhead Syndicate	410.00	420.00
Can. Copper	32.00	32.00
Crow's Nest Coal	136.00	136.00
Can. Cons. & R.	37.00	37.00
Granby	81.00	81.00
Int. Coal & Coke Co.	124.00	124.00
Lucky Jim Zinc	18.00	18.00
McMillan Coal	15.00	15.00
Portland Canal	31.00	31.00
Rambler Cariboo	27.00	27.00
Red Cliff	27.00	27.00
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Stewart M. & D.	35.00	35.00
Slocan Star	23.00	23.00
Stewart Land	17.00	17.00
Victoria Phoenix Brick	15.00	15.00

### NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, Sept. 3.—Raw sugar nominal. Centrifugal, \$1.64@1.77; molasses sugar, \$2.99@3.00. Refined steady; sugar futures opened quiet, but steady today and at noon prices were unchanged to five points higher.

### NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Open High Low Close  
Jan. .... 19.25 20.28 19.25 19.25  
Mar. .... 19.50 20.52 19.48 19.50  
May .... 19.75 20.78 19.74 19.75  
July .... 19.85 20.87 19.85 19.84  
Oct. .... 19.71 20.73 19.71 19.71  
Dec. .... 19.98 20.25 19.97 19.98

Be not angry that you cannot make others as you wish them to be, since you cannot make yourself what you wish to be.—Kempis.

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To-morrow we will put together a great number of \$5.50, \$5.00, and \$4.99 lines, all good standard makes, well known, and clean up our shelves ready for the winter, at the amazing price— all sizes—of pair ..... \$3

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With beautiful fabric tops and patent leather vamps; also button styles. All regular \$4.50 Boots and in splendid condition, and up to the minute style.



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CHILD'S SLIPPERS  
Black or tan; sizes 3-6. At only ..... 50¢

MISSIE'S SLIPPERS  
One strap, in tan canvas; sizes 8-2 ..... 50¢

## School Shoes that will always give Reliable Wear



### Boys!

Reliability, that's the last word in the boys' shoe argument. Get him these to-morrow in Box Calf, double soles, solid.  
Sizes 8-10 1/2 ..... \$1.65  
Sizes 11-13 ..... \$2.00  
Sizes 1-5 ..... \$2.45

### MEN'S WORK BOOTS

Bellows tongues; double soled soles. To-morrow ..... \$2.75  
BABY'S SOFT SOLES  
All sizes, Reg. 65c and 75c, 25¢  
POLISH  
The Quick Shins 100 tins of "Staan." To-morrow, tin ..... 5¢

### Girls!

To-morrow we put on sale a line of Gunmetal School Shoes without equal in the city. The "Star" Shoe, button style, with two-ply soles. Note low prices:  
Sizes 8-10 ..... \$2.00  
Sizes 11-3 ..... \$2.45  
Sizes 2 1/2-6, ladies' ..... \$2.15

### Child's Cut Price 75c

About 90 pairs, sizes 3-7 1/2, will be put on sale to-morrow. They sell from \$1.00 to \$1.25 in the regular way. Come in black or chocolate, and are rattling good value at our clean-up price ..... 75c



### New Arrivals

This just shows one of the hundred of new Shoes received from the east during the week. In patent or kid, with cloth tops. All sizes and fittings. Regular price \$4.50. "Classie" make.

\$3.95.



### LADIES' SPATS

Get a pair now in the new styles, just in. White, grey, fawn, brown, etc. From pair ..... \$1.25

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- Blue Blythwood, 97-piece set ..... \$10.80
- Peacock Canada, 96-piece set ..... \$9.45

- Green Patricia, 96-piece set ..... \$9.45
- Beaumont, with gold handles, 98-piece set ..... \$10.80
- Brenton, pink and grey, 98-piece set ..... \$20.25

### SEMI-PORCELAIN SETS

- Premier Milldale, pink and green, 95 pieces ..... \$22.50
- Floral Decoration, pink and yellow with gold lines, 134 pieces ..... \$22.50
- Quaint Shape, Grecian border, pink and green with black lines, 98 pcs. \$20.25
- Gold Border with Black Lines, 97 pieces ..... \$20.25
- White, with Gilt Handles, 98 pieces ..... \$10.80

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## WANT EARLY WORK ON BUTTLES LAKE ROAD

### Government Petitioned to Have It Done by Spring and to Protect Malahat

Urge that the government, as soon as possible, undertake the construction of the road into Buttles Lake, the Island Automobile association has written to the premier, Sir Richard McBride. The letter sent yesterday asks that the work be commenced in time to finish it before spring, so that one more attraction can be advertised as a draw for tourists.

The association at the last meeting decided that the government shall be petitioned to have a moderate amount of work done at some of the sharpest and more dangerous curves and turns on the Malahat so as to widen the road at those points and to lessen the danger of accidents. The association asks that at a few dangerous turns inexpensive log parapets be erected on the outer side of the road.

The matter of widening the Gorge road from the city limits to Craigflower bridge has been taken up by the Saanich municipality, according to a reply sent the automobile association. The Saanich clerk writes that the matter is being actively taken in hand and it is hoped eventually to have the road widened to at least fifty feet. It is necessary first, however, that the property-owners deed the land to the municipality, the letter states.

## BANKING ASSOCIATION

### HERE IN TWO PARTIES

#### Schedule May Modify Arrival; Special Trains Are Conveying Members

More complete details to hand with regard to the visit of the American Bankers' association indicate that the sections to pass through Victoria for the Seattle convention will be two in number. The first is routed over the New York Central lines, the second over the Pennsylvania system.

While it was originally expected that the first party would arrive to-morrow afternoon, the schedule apparently will not land the party in Vancouver till shortly before the night boat leaves for Victoria. Definite information of the hours of arrival may not be wired to the Empress hotel, where the reservation has been made, till to-morrow.

The Washington State Bankers' organization is also holding a convention contemporary with the National association, and some of the eastern visitors are to speak there. The delegation of the American association is headed by William A. Law, president of the First National bank of Philadelphia, who is the association president.

Brooklyn's representation at the coming convention will consist of twenty-five men and women, who left that borough last Saturday for a tour of Glacier National park and the Canadian Rockies. After the convention the members of the party will tour the Colorado Rockies, the Grand canyon and visit the San Francisco and San Diego expositions. Three trains of eastern bankers, numbering 300, are also on their way from New York City, each train being provided with a barber, maid stenographer and valet.

For financial importance the parties are undoubtedly the most representative passing through Victoria this season, but the fact of their arrival on a Sunday, particularly on the eve of a public holiday, when so many business men will be out of town, will probably detract from the attention which would otherwise be given to their arrival. It is this factor which is deterring the local Clearing House association in announcing what programme will be followed.

## CHARGE WAS DISMISSED

### William Taylor Given Benefit of Doubt in Disorderly House Case; Women Discharged.

In the police court yesterday afternoon Magistrate Jay dismissed the charge against William Taylor of keeping a disorderly house at the Victoria hotel, and discharged the two colored women, Hecie Zigfield and Nivian Kennedy, who were charged with being inmates.

When the case was resumed in the afternoon, Taylor was called to the witness box. He stated that his house had always been conducted in a thoroughly respectable manner and that on occasions he had found it necessary to order certain women to leave, owing to his suspicions as to their morality. He denied every word of conversation which the Chinese attributed to him. The Oriental had asked him about girls, but he explained to them that there were none in the house.

Mrs. Taylor, wife of the accused; Joseph Balagno, proprietor and licensee of the Victoria hotel, and Percy Barton, who has been engaged there for the past month, were called and swore that they had never seen any signs of disorderly conduct in the hotel.

Magistrate Jay, in delivering his finding, stated that the evidence of the prosecution consisted of the two Chinese who were employed by the police to visit the house and get evidence leading up to conviction. To make a conviction on the evidence of stool-pigeons would be decidedly unfair. While he did not doubt the conduct of the Chinese and the negro

women, still it had to be shown to him that the accused had knowledge of such conduct. There was no corroboration of the conversation which the Chinese had with the accused. His honor thought that the women could have corroborated the evidence of the Chinese had the story been correct, and that they should have been called. However, as they were not he could only infer that their evidence would have been damaging to the prosecution. He gave the accused the benefit of the doubt and dismissed him.

## OUR LETTER BOX

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter its chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name of the writer. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

### "CHATS WITH THE DOCTOR."

To the Editor:—I have read Ernest A. Hall's harangue on the university scheme propounded by the educational authorities of British Columbia, but with any amount of enthusiasm or commendation.

In my humble opinion, we have too many arts and sciences which tend not to the benefit or commercial advantage of this western province. I enclose for the edification of your readers an excerpt from the Weekly Scotsman, which, I think, is very applicable at the present moment. What we require in this age is not arts and sciences, but brain and muscle, with a view to the development of our natural resources, such as agriculture and mining. It is manufactures we require and not book worms.

The tendency of the age is towards over-education. We require more physical culture for our children.

J. G. ELLIOTT.

We live in an age of tremendous nerve-pressure and strain, such as has never before been known in the history of the world. There have been very numerous periods of war, plague, famine, and misery from all sorts of causes. Man has never endured under such conditions as present themselves now, when, without dwelling on the terrible sources of woe we see on every side, his nervous system has been so depressed and weakened beforehand—rendering him ever so much the more unfit to bear it, the less capable of throwing off the effects on his bodily and mental health.

The past forty years have witnessed an unparalleled increase in industrial and every other kind of competition. The struggle for life, or at least for the means of living, has become peculiarly intense throughout the civilized world. All men and women who have to work for their livelihood, and are not artificially shielded by pecuniary resources passed down to them by an ancestor—or otherwise accruing independently of personal exertion, feel this more or less acutely.

The little towns have mostly grown into big ones, and the big have often trebled or quadrupled their previous size—one, London, has changed itself into a county. This all means incomparable bustle, rendering irritable and unstable the nerves. And unfortunately, which is worse than any amount of tension and direct hard work, the system involves immeasurable worry, mental trouble, and anxiety.

Also about that same period we and most other nations as well adopted an elaborate system of forced and compulsory education, whereby the nervous system aforesaid was commenced in early years. Almost in the cradle, children were crammed, at museum, with indigestible and often practically valueless book-knowledge; until often their physical health broke down completely, and they remained permanently unfitted for the real battle of life in later years. This often took place among those whose parents could not procure them sufficient food; and who therefore were the less able to endure premature mental strain; or to be worked up by the teacher to pass test-examinations.

What wonder then that the last half-century has seen an enormous in-

crease in many or most diseases of the nervous system; in insanity, paralysis, and the like; in cancer—among women brought on mostly by worry. I take it that we are all of us infinitely more nervous than our parents; and they than theirs, and but for the tradition of athleticism at our public schools and colleges, matters would be still worse.

Correspondents often complain of neurasthenia; others of neuritis; and ask me what these high-sounding words really mean. A doctor has told them that is what they suffer from. I hardly know how to answer. These words have a different meaning in each individual case; perhaps in each doctor's mouth. They mean anyhow that your nerves are out of order. And I should be very much disposed to put it in the form of the degrees of comparison. Positive neuritis; comparative neurasthenia; superlative dotiness—running to absolute insanity.

The lesson from it all—a lesson every parent and every prospective parent should lay well to heart—is to strive to prevent undue strain of the nerves in the young—to seek their conservation and healthy balance in adult life. Children should not be unduly pressed, with an eye to examinations. Better almost for them to be idle—Goldsmith was a dunce at school, and so have been many other distinguished men. Even Gladstone, I think, took no prize at school. But of course moderate industry should be encouraged.

Then for the adult—well, few of us can escape worry and trouble. But we can commonly go early to bed—much earlier at any rate than we do—and give ourselves the proper allowance of sound refreshing sleep. Also we can avoid excess in tea—a sin to which women are specially prone—or dilute in alcohol, the besetting sin of many men. We can make up our minds not to worry unnecessarily over trifles—over things which are not trivial also to a large extent. We can strive to secure wholesome food, cleanly living, and fresh air in abundance.

If we should actually get run down and become "neurasthenic," the best tonic will be 5 drops of liquor strychnine in two tablespoonfuls of water twice a day, an hour before meals. And a valuable addition will be a cold sponge or shower bath every morning when we get out of bed.

### KILLING THE GOOSE.

To the Editor:—Re Mr. E. S. Woodward's civic retrenchment letter in your yesterday's paper, his views are decidedly "killing Peter to pay Paul." Keeping unrequired help would "kill the goose that lays the golden eggs" by driving many from the city and ultimately they (the help) would have to go too. His logic is pauperize the backbone of the city (the workingman) to avoid pauperism of unrequired civic help.

Spokane, Wash., population 100,000, civic requirement this year \$600,000; Victoria—civic requirement \$1,300,000. The requirement should be reduced to \$500,000 so the present owners may retain their homes.

J. I. SEABROOK.

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## CIVIC AND SCHOOL BOARD EXPENDITURE

### Great Interest Taken in Vancouver Situation; Difficulty When Delinquency Occurs

A considerable amount of interest has been stimulated in the city hall by the discussion which took place yesterday at Vancouver with regard to the financial clauses of the municipal and public school acts affecting the levying of taxes for school purposes.

While Vancouver operates under a special charter, once the principle was established in the province, there would not be a great jump to embody it in the general municipal act. Representation of the council on the school board or a separate levy were the alternatives discussed.

It will certainly be debated at the meeting of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities, shortly, as both Vancouver and Merritt have forwarded resolutions on the subject. The first alternative of the Vancouver proposals is practically the English system, as it exists under the Balfour act, where half the members of the education committee are members of the council, and the other half are appointed persons, selected for their interest in education. This gives the financial control to the council.

The provision of a separate levy would tell the public in very emphatic language what the cost of education is, for at present little attention is given to the separate column in the tax notices which indicates the cost for educational purposes. If the actual receipts fall short of the estimated revenue, as is generally the case, and will be particularly the situation in dull times, the balance has to be made good out of the revenue collected for general purposes. Thus if the board asked for \$250,000, and the citizens only paid 60 per cent of the taxes levied, the council, as matters now stand, would have to find \$100,000 from its revenue in order to make good the shortage.

The question of financial responsibility between the councils and the school boards has been the subject of controversy for years. In the smaller municipalities, where the revenue is limited, the board practically demands the bulk of the revenue, and roads and bridges are left out of repair in order to maintain schools. As the school trustees convention of British Columbia is also meeting this month, the position from the aspect of the trustees will also be brought before public attention.

The Vancouver resolution to be presented to the Union of B. C. Municipalities says: "That it is the opinion of this council that the time has arrived when the cities and municipalities of the province should be given greater control over the expenditure of school boards and police commissioners, as the uncontrolled expenditure of these bodies is becoming a serious burden on the taxpayer."

## COSTLY HOME DESTROYED

Residence at Royal Bay, Owned by Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson and C. Harris, Burned to Ground.

During the forenoon of Wednesday the large house at Royal Bay, owned jointly by Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson and Chester Harris, took fire, and to-day only the chimney remains standing. It is believed by residents in the district that the fire was of incendiary origin, as a man is alleged to have left the house shortly before the flames broke out. The building burned rapidly and no attempts could be made to extinguish the fire.

The building was erected by a Capt. McCullum at a cost of \$11,900. It had fourteen rooms and was beautifully finished in the interior. The furniture in the house was valued in order and not an article was saved. The insurance carried amounted to \$4,500. Some little time ago McCullum disposed of the house to the Andersons and Harris.

## For Acid Stomachs Use Magnesia

The almost universal use of magnesia by physicians and specialists in the treatment of stomach troubles, is due to the fact that it stops food fermentation and neutralizes the acid—the direct cause of nearly all stomach troubles. Of the many forms of magnesia, such as oxides, citrates, carbonates, sulphates, etc., the most suitable and efficient, and the one prescribed by leading specialists is bisulphated magnesia, a teaspoonful of which in a little warm water immediately after eating will instantly neutralize the acid, stop fermentation, and thus ensure painless normal digestion. Care should be taken to get bisulphated magnesia, as its action is infinitely more effective. It is also, by the way, usually stocked by druggists in convenient compressed tablets as well as in the ordinary powder form. Stomach sufferers and dyspeptics who follow this plan and avoid the use of pepsin, charcoal, soda mints, drugs and medicines are invariably astonished to find that the stomach, relieved of the irritating acid and gas, soon regains its normal tone, and can do its work alone without the doubtful aid of artificial digestants.

In a little village in Kent it was the custom on Saturday afternoons for the farmers and tradespeople to meet together on the common and have a good game at cricket. At one time when the game was first started, a greyhaired old rustic fielded the ball very well, but to everyone's surprise, he threw it away with great force at the batsman as he was halfway across the pitch, and knocked him senseless. The umpire, in great rage, yelled: "Man, you are not allowed to do that!" "Bain't it the same as rounders, then?" Was the quick rejoinder of the astonished villager.

## MOUNT DOUGLAS PARK BOUNDARIES QUESTION

### Some Points Are Not Yet Cleared; Conference With Jitney Men To-day

Before the city solicitor leaves for Winnipeg, a draft memorandum is being prepared of the city's position in regard to the boundaries of Mount Douglas park.

When an inquiry was made some two years ago into the title under which the government conveyed the land to the city for park purposes, the solicitor found that some of the cleared land was occupied by a neighboring farmer, and was alleged to have been exchanged for other land in the vicinity. The formal claim has never been settled, and to clear up the conveyance has been the object of the parks committee for a long time.

There appears to be some obscurity as to exactly what are the southern limits of the park, and the matter is receiving attention to clear up the uncertainty. For years the city attached so little value to its beautiful property that the subject appears never to have been fully inquired into.

There will not be a meeting of the streets committee of the council this afternoon, no business having arisen to warrant calling the members together. The conference with the jitney association is occurring at 4 o'clock, and half an hour later there is a special meeting of the council to pass a resolution with regard to the civic tax sale, to which attention was made fully yesterday.

From the hired vehicles' amendment by-law, which received its first reading, and now lies on the table for further attention, it has already been stated that Alderman McNeill will strike the clause with regard to bonding the surety bond against accident being a general principle adopted with all jitney by-laws on the coast, but is naturally resented by the men running their cars. On the other hand it is proposed to insert a clause which would give the traveling public some security by insisting that the cars should be inspected by some competent man before being put into use on the streets for hire. As things are to-day, apart from the street by-law affecting all traffic, there are absolutely no regulations at all for motors plying for hire, except such as the jitney association members voluntarily agree to, and which they respect as a matter of self protection.

There is expected to be much greater activity in the jitney business this winter than has been the case for the last three months, during which a number of men have suspended running their cars. When the training of large numbers of men resumes at the Willows, the motor traffic situation, particularly on Fort and Yates streets, will badly need regulating.

## SOLDIERS' NEEDS TOLD BY LT.-COL. ODLUM

### Comforts Induce Cheeriness and Good Spirits; Provisions Would Help

Lt.-Col. Victor Odium, of Vancouver, now at the front, has written to a friend in the mainland city a letter which outlines something of the needs of the soldiers who have gone to fight for the empire. His suggestions may have practical value to many who are working for the soldiers in Victoria.

The importance of comfort in keeping up the spirits and health of the men, he says, should not be overlooked. Comfort can be assisted by enabling the men to purchase, at their own expense, small articles to supplement their rations. With the object of making it possible for the men to do this, Lt.-Col. Odium asked Capt. J. V. N. Spencer to take measures to establish a traveling regimental canteen, to be stocked at the base canteen. The old canteen fund, which was still intact, could be used for the initial supplies of such canteen. The wagon would have to be paid for, and horses and feed would probably cost something.

"Orders from the companies in the trenches will be collected daily," the writer explains, "and sent to this traveling canteen, and the goods will be sent in at night through the quartermaster's department when rations are delivered. Only groceries and such other articles as are usually found in a dry canteen will be carried."

"Underwear, vermin-powder, soap, and towels are also needed in larger quantities. Cheeriness is the one big factor which will increase endurance and improve health; and it is only the exceptional men who can continue to be cheery when the tense strain under shell fire is aggravated by personal bodily discomfort of an extreme type."

This is a struggle of pure nerve, and nerve seems to depend very largely on spirits. And spirits rise with good warm food and cleanliness."

The officer says that of those who went to France as officers only Major Cooper and himself are left with the battalion besides Capt. Macmillan the quartermaster and Capt. Gibson the medical officer. Capt. W. Barton was struck by a bullet at the close of a funeral service, and died instantly.

A German prisoner of war said to one of the sentries at an internment camp: "There is a great difference between you and the German soldier. You fight for money; he fights for honor." "I know—we for money, you for honor," the sentry responded. "We are both fighting for what we haven't got, and what we most need!"

## MATINEE PROCEEDS TO HELP RED CROSS

### Courtesy of Picture Theatre Owners to Aid Success of Oak Bay Branch Enterprise

By special arrangement the Oak Bay branch of the Canadian Red Cross society will take over the sale of the matinee tickets at the Avenue theatre, Oak Bay, and the Variety, Romano and Empress theatres, Victoria, during the last two weeks of September. The proceeds will be devoted to the Red Cross fund. The enterprise has been made possible through the generous suggestion of Mr. Watson, of the Avenue theatre, and the co-operation of E. J. Quagliotti, the manager for the system of theatres, who courteously offered to help Mr. Quagliotti's letter to the Red Cross society was as follows:

"With reference to our conversation, and the opportunity you suggest to me of helping the Red Cross society, I freely and happily give the accommodation of the three theatres I own and operate for all the matinee performances during the last two weeks in September. The seating capacity during that time would be about 20,000."

"I am only too grateful for the chance of helping the Canadian Red Cross society, and can assure you that during the period the tickets are operative I will have some of the finest films obtainable."

"There will not be one cent of expense for the society, as I will pay for printing, advertising and everything else. You can sell as many tickets as you like."

The indications are that the undertaking will receive the support of many patriotic citizens. Already a number of prominent men have come forward and purchased blocks of tickets which will be given to some of the children's institutions, probably for the pleasure when they may give in the way of entertainment and the impetus which is given to the purpose of the undertaking in helping the Red Cross funds.

Tickets in lots of fifty and upwards can be obtained by writing to the Oak Bay branch of the Red Cross, Municipal hall, Oak Bay.

Extract from a soldier's letter: "The trenches are really quite comfortable except for the mud and the people who live opposite it."—"Punch."

The Old 'Un: "Scuse me, mister, but be you one of them nuts?" Algy the Almond: "Hi ham." Old 'Un: "Then I reckon it's time you nipped off to the front and got shelled."



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## New Shapes in Hand Bags

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### Black Melton Skirts, \$2.35

Skirts of black Melton cloth, made in good serviceable styles for fall wear. On sale in the basement. Price ..... **\$2.35**

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