

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday: Victoria and vicinity—Westerly winds, generally fair, stationary or higher temperature.

Victoria Daily Times

Royal—The Unpardonable Sin. Princess—The American Citizen. Pantagone—Vaudeville.

GERMANS HAND ANSWER TO ALLIED POWERS

CAVALRYMEN INVITED TO DO STRIKE DUTY IF SERVICES NEEDED

Men of Strathcona Horse, Fort Garry Horse and Royal Canadian Dragoons Asked to Volunteer; Majority Are Willing to Serve if Required

Halifax, May 29.—All members of the Canadian Corps Cavalry Brigade, consisting of the Fort Garry Horse and the Strathcona Horse, of Winnipeg, and the Royal Canadian Dragoons, of Toronto, have been invited to volunteer for strike duty in case the need should arise.

CITY EMPLOYEES WANT JOBS BACK

Winnipeg Street Men Anxious to Resume Work, Council Informed

Winnipeg, May 29.—When the sympathetic strike of Winnipeg union workers went into its third week at noon to-day there were several developments in progress which to unprejudiced observers indicated that the control of a few leaders was being slowly but steadily crushed.

COAL STRIKE CAUSE OF GREAT LOSS

Cessation of Work in District 18 Now Practically Complete

Lethbridge, May 29.—The strike of the coal mine workers in District No. 18 of the United Mine Workers of America, is now practically complete, extending to all branches of the industry.

WORLD CAPITAL

Rio de Janeiro, May 29.—The Brazilian Chamber of Deputies has received a note from the Belgian Chamber of Deputies asking the support of Brazil for the efforts being made by the Belgian peace delegation to have the seat of the League of Nations changed from Geneva to Brussels.

Another Note to Allied Powers Sent By German Delegates

Paris, May 29.—(Associated Press).—Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, head of the German peace delegation, sent another note yesterday to M. Clemenceau, President of the Peace Conference, which, it is understood, has no connection with the counter-proposals delivered by the Germans.

C. P. R. PRESIDENT DOUBTS EFFICIENCY OF RAILWAYS UNDER PUBLIC OWNERSHIP

Speaking to the Canadian Club of Victoria this afternoon, E. W. Beatty, K.C., President of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, dealt with the question of government ownership versus private control of railway undertakings in Canada.

TACOMA LABOR MEN MAY JOIN SOCIALISTS

Tacoma, May 29.—After a hot discussion and the resignation from his office and departure from the room of President Frank Krutzky, the Tacoma Central Labor Council last night voted endorsement of a resolution submitted by the political committee to affiliate its political action with the Socialist Party.

RAILWAY OFFICIALS MET PREMIER TO-DAY

Local and Provincial Matters Discussed by Railway and Government Chiefs

Matters related to Johnson Street bridge, an extension of the Kettle Valley Railway, minerals in the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway belt, and railway construction on Vancouver Island were discussed at a conference at the Premier's office this morning.

LIBERAL INFORMATION BUREAU CONTINUES

Ottawa, May 29.—Official denial is made of the report that the Information Bureau of the Liberal Party has been closed.

FLUME INDEPENDENT UNDER SCHEME FOR SETTLEMENT OF THE ADRIATIC QUESTION

Paris, May 29.—It was stated in high quarters to-day that a settlement of the Adriatic question now is a certainty as a result of the negotiations of yesterday.

GERMAN-HELD C. P. R. STOCK TO CANADA

Montreal, May 29.—The Quebec Court of Appeal has dismissed the appeal of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company from an order given by Mr. Justice Dugas in the Supreme Court here under Section 28 of the consolidated Orders-in-Council respecting trading with the enemy.

THE KING'S BIRTHDAY

His Honor the Lieut.-Governor is in receipt of a dispatch from the Secretary of State at Ottawa in which it is stated that it is His Majesty's wish that in the ceremonial observance of his birthday, on June 3, the precedent of the last four years shall be strictly followed.

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CABINET CONSIDERS DRYDOCK QUESTION

May Not Be Necessary to Send Delegation to Ottawa; Prospects Brighter

The prospects of Victoria securing the Esquimalt drydock are much brighter to-day, and it is not thought probable that it will be necessary to send a delegation to Ottawa to push the question, according to a statement made by Mayor Porter this morning.

CONDITIONS REPORTED TO BE GROWING WORSE IN MEXICO

Havana, May 29.—Passengers who arrived here yesterday from Vera Cruz and Tampico said conditions in Mexico daily were becoming more chaotic.

ATTACHES OF GERMAN DELEGATION GO FROM FRANCE TO GERMANY

Versailles, May 29.—The first group of attaches of the German peace delegation to return to Germany left yesterday afternoon. The party numbered twenty-two.

COUNTER-PROPOSALS OF TEUTONS, LENGTHY AND WRITTEN IN GERMAN, DELIVERED AT 12.20 P.M. TO-DAY

Copies in English and French to Be Delivered Later, Proposals Cover 146 Pages; Germans Want Commission to Settle Territorial Questions

Versailles, May 29.—Baron von Lersner, of the German peace delegation, informally delivered the completed counter-proposals of the German delegation to Colonel Henry, the French liaison officer, at 12.20 o'clock to-day.

READY TO ENFORCE BLOCKADE AGAIN

Paris, May 29.—In the section dealing with territorial questions, the German counter-proposals to the terms presented by the Allies say, according to a synopsis which has reached Paris by way of Basel, that "the territory of the Saar, inhabited by 600,000 persons, is to be detached from the German Empire solely because of claims upon its soil."

AMERICAN PLANE TO FLY TO-MORROW

Aviators Hope to Pilot N.C.-4 From Lisbon to Plymouth

Brest, May 29.—The United States naval plane N. C.-4 probably will start from Lisbon to-morrow, weather permitting.

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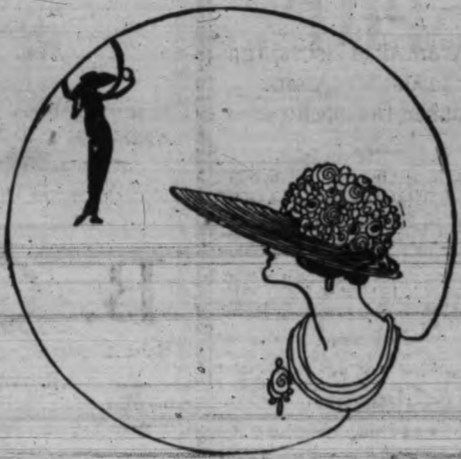
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SUBMARINE GIVEN BY MOTHERLAND NOW AT HALIFAX

Halifax, May 29.—The British submarine S-14, which Great Britain recently presented to Canada, is now at the dockyard here. The submarine arrived here from Bermuda and is understood to have made the 800-mile trip unescorted and in quick time.

REMOVED FROM LIST.

Ottawa, May 29.—The Canadian Trade Commission has removed butter, cheese, milk and grain screenings, canned salmon, maple sugar and maple

syrup from the list of goods requiring individual export licenses to all destinations. The only foodstuffs now requiring individual import licenses are wheat, wheat flour, sugars, sardines and canned salmon.

GREAT PRICE PAID FOR HOLSTEIN BULL

Buffalo, N.Y., May 29.—Ragapple the Great, a two-year-old Holstein bull, was sold for \$125,000 at the dispersal sale of the stock farm of Oliver Cabana, Jr., here yesterday. The price is said to be the highest ever paid for a sire. Robert E. Pointer, of Detroit, Mich., was the buyer.

DAYLIGHT SAVING IN U. S.

New York, May 29.—Marcus M. Marks, president of the National Daylight Association, to-day sent appeals to the Chambers of Commerce throughout the United States to join in a protest against the repeal of the daylight saving law. A rider on the agricultural bill calls for its repeal.

AN ITALIAN DENIAL.

New York, May 29.—The Italian Bureau of Information here received from the Italian Government yesterday a cablegram denying recently published reports from Salonica that 5,000 Bulgarian prisoners in Macedonia and Bulgaria had escaped through Italian captivity.

LENINE IS LAYING BLAME ON BELA KUN

London, May 29.—"Budapest cannot become the centre of a world revolution; Moscow remains the only centre of the social revolution and all other centres must obey Moscow. The Hungarian revolution has deeply disappointed Russia, for which Bela Kun is most of all to blame."

This statement was made by Lenin, the Russian Bolshevik Premier, according to a Bolshevik wireless dispatch received here yesterday.

London, May 29.—Further internal troubles face the Bolsheviks. A Bolshevik official statement received here by wireless yesterday from Moscow referred to the "internal front," an advance against Yinnitsa had been stopped.

There also has been an uprising against the Bolsheviks in the district of Shunga, around Lake Onega, northeast of Petrogron. The Bolsheviks are reported to have killed and dispersed the Red Guards. According to a telegram received here from Kem, the Bolshevik Commissioners in the Shunga district were killed and the Red Guards dispersed.

The Moscow statement also added that the Bolsheviks continued to retire in the Petrograd region before the Estonians.

Yinnitsa is in the Ukraine southwest of Kiev. It is in the rear of the Bolshevik forces engaged against the Rumanians in Bessarabia.

T. A. BARNARD PAYS TRIBUTE TO MINISTER

New Westminster, May 29.—"The Provincial Government is up against a hard proposition in the Vancouver district, where it is proposed to establish land settlement areas for soldiers under the Land Settlement Board scheme, for a vast section there is held by speculators who are bucking, and bucking hard against parting with their holdings at a reasonable figure. I do not see how the board is going to succeed without having recourse to the courts."

This is T. A. Barnard's summary of the situation faced by Premier Oliver's government, after a fortnight's journey through the interior of the province with Hon. E. D. Barrow and Lieut. Kercher and Capt. Leighton. Mr. Barnard reached the city last night. He is president of the local G. W. V. A.

He is quite enthusiastic over the potentialities of the areas he inspected. There are millions of acres of arable land waiting the hand of the producer. The land is not hard to clear, and none of it is more than twelve miles from the G. T. P. or the P. G. E.

"I want to say," Mr. Barnard added, "that we found Mr. Barrow eager to assist in every possible way. I am satisfied that he is conscientiously trying to do his very best for the returned man."

BIG WHISKY SEIZURE MADE IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, May 29.—A ton and a quarter of "ink" was seized by provincial police yesterday while in transit from the "Dominion Ink Company," of Montreal, to the "B. C. Printing Ink and Roller Company," of Vancouver. The "ink" is now safely locked up in a steel cell in the courthouse here, where it can do no harm.

It was a very peculiar ink. That was why it roused curiosity. The whole ton and a quarter was of a light amber color, and was contained in quart bottles with gold labels on, packed a dozen to the case. The labels proclaimed the ink to be of the "G. and W." variety. The stuff looked, smelled and tasted more like rye than ink. In fact it was whisky.

ROBERT BACON SERIOUSLY ILL IN NEW YORK

New York, May 29.—Colonel Robert Bacon, former Secretary of State, and Ambassador to France, is seriously ill at a hospital here, where he underwent an operation last Saturday.

MANCHESTER LIBERALS MOVING AGAINST HEREDITARY TITLES

London, May 29.—The Manchester Liberals have included in a programme for submission to the National Liberal Federation a resolution recommending that no more hereditary titles be created within the United Kingdom and that all existing hereditary titles, with the exception of those of the Royal Family, cease at the death of the present holders. It was moved to confine the titles to the King and Queen, but the resolution as outlined was passed.

Canada. London, May 29.—The Manchester Guardian says it will be impossible for the King to refuse to act upon the request which has come from Canada granting no further titles in Canada. It is fairly certain that other Dominions will follow Canada's example, the newspaper adds.

Affiliates with A. F. of L. St. Louis, May 29.—The Order of Railway Conductors in triennial convention here authorized its Board of Directors yesterday to take steps toward affiliating with the American Federation of Labor. Approximately 55,000 railroad men are members of the order, it was said.

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NEW WORLD ALTITUDE RECORD IS MADE

Paris, May 29.—Adjutant Casale, a French aviator, in a flight for altitude yesterday, ascended 31,000 feet. This constitutes a world's record.

The former altitude record was made by Capt. Laing, of the British army, in January of this year, when he flew to a height of 29,500 feet. Laing carried one passenger.

BARRIEAU OUTPOINTS AUSTRALIAN FIGHTER

Beat Mickey King in Ten Rounds, Lost One, and Four Were Even

Vancouver, May 29.—Frank Barrieau, pride of the Vancouver A. C. in pre-war days and winner of many international championships in the palmy days of the winged "V," established his claim to the Canadian middle-weight championship last night at the Vancouver Arena when he outpointed Mickey King, Australian champion, in a fifteen-round battle. Battling furiously from start to finish the Vancouver lad scored a clean-cut victory in what proved to be one of the fastest and most entertaining ring contests ever staged in a local ring. The verdict of the three judges, Messrs. W. D. Woods, C. P. Muldon and A. P. Garvey, was unanimous. Barrieau beat his man in ten rounds, four were declared even, and in only one, the ninth round, was King given the edge.

There was action from start to finish and many times the fans were up on their toes cheering as Barrieau and King mixed. Barrieau showed all his old time speed and hitting ability. He rushed the Antipodean in the first eight rounds, jolted him up with an assortment of blows and gave the visitor no chance to set himself. The Vancouver boy was master of the situation at long range and managed to protect himself well in the infighting, at which King excelled whenever the opportunity presented itself.

Barrieau let King have everything and got full power behind his punches, but the Australian came back strong and at no time, with the possible exception of the second round, did Barrieau's punches appear to worry him. In the second round the former V. A. C. battler landed a right swing, followed by an uppercut that took King off his feet and he was going down for the count of six, but was going just as strong as ever when the bell ended the round.

REVOLUTION GOES ON.

San Salvador, May 29.—The revolution against the Government of President Tinoco of Costa Rica has not been overcome and the revolutionists are receiving strong reinforcements, according to a dispatch from Nicaragua.

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When specks start to float before the eyes, when everything turns black for a few seconds and you feel as if you were going to faint, you may rest assured that your liver is not working properly.

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"That sounds to me like a good idea. Now you just get me half a dozen boxes at the drug store and we will try it out. If it will only steady my nerves so I can rest and sleep I am sure that I shall soon be better." "I know that it will help you, for I have watched so many cases in which it was used and never saw a failure yet." "And I was told about it often enough before I left home, but thought I had to have more expensive treatment. They will have the joke on me if the Nerve Food cures me, but we will give it a chance, anyway." Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, 6 for \$2.75, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto. On every box of the genuine you will find the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., the famous Receipt Book author.

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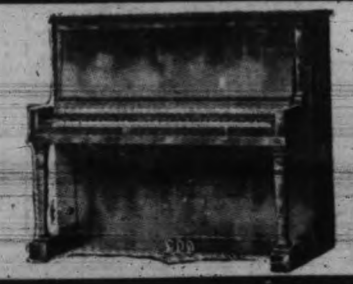
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MR. BEATTY'S VISIT.

A visit from the head of the world's greatest transportation system is always a noteworthy incident, but unusual interest is attached to Mr. Beatty's presence in the city because he is on his first tour of inspection since he succeeded Lord Shaughnessy as President of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

There are, however, still further circumstances which give to the new President's tour special importance and significance. It is being conducted at a time when industrial unrest and economic and social problems in Canada have reached an acute stage. In the very nature of things his company's interests are inseparably connected with all these developments and problems, and it is impossible to overestimate the value of the services it can render in helping to restore national equilibrium and in bringing about sane and sound reconstruction.

Mr. Beatty, on this trip, has an opportunity of studying the situation at close range and with a discerning eye. He is a Canadian through and through who knows this Dominion, its history, its people and its capabilities and upon this knowledge and his instinct he bases his faith in its future. He is in a position to play a big part in directing the development and character of the Dominion along the right line. He has an opportunity such as none of his predecessors has had and by virtue of that condition a responsibility different from what they have had to bear. How that opportunity will be met and that responsibility discharged will affect very largely the future of this country.

FIRST COME FIRST SERVED.

It has been an immemorial custom here, as well as in other places, to combine with an effusive welcome to a railway chief or a Cabinet Minister, a list of directions for the expenditure of the company's, or the public's, money. It has also been very much the custom for the railway chief or the Cabinet Minister to combine an equally effusive acceptance of the effusive welcome with the assurance that the list which accompanied it will receive "careful consideration."

President Beatty appears to have anticipated our list in one particular at any rate, for he announced two days ago that construction of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway extension from near Alberni would be proceeded with immediately. No doubt other enterprises will be undertaken by the company on this island and in the Province generally, for we understand it has been decided to undertake considerable construction work over the entire system in the near future.

These projects are inspired by business considerations, not philanthropy or nice compliments. As far as this island is concerned it is worth remembering that we have connection with two great transcontinental railway systems, both of which have vast resources behind them—one of them a national road. Both have important programmes of railroad extension for Vancouver Island, the ultimate objective being the northern end of the island.

The one which completes its island programme first will have the other at a very definite disadvantage which, everyone familiar with the resources of Vancouver Island must realize, some day will mean a great deal. So far Government enterprise on the island is still in the talking stage, but pressure is being exercised upon Ottawa to go ahead with its programme and to link up the ends of the various projects which have been started but which are far from completion.

If, as a result of President Beatty's trip, the C. P. R. should very greatly increase its lead over the C. N. R. in accomplished work, it will not be because the Government railway authorities were not made aware of the situation. Vancouver Island regards the railroad question as it affects itself just as the railroads regard the island—as a business proposition. Neither system—not even that owned by the people of Canada—has a divine right to public business. The successful competitor must earn it.

HOPEFUL SMELTING FIGURES.

If there is an electric smelting process capable of producing pig iron from the ores of British Columbia at \$13.55 per ton, an actual demonstration of the fact should be well worth the \$2,000 voted for the purpose by the Provincial Cabinet yesterday. On the other hand if the claim of the originator of the particular type of furnace is not upheld, then the first practical test will still have its value as an experiment. Further, the delegation which explained the process to the Government even predicted a reduction in cost of production from \$13.55 to \$11.00 per ton by employing a larger plant. Scandinavian smelters, moreover, have demonstrated the theory of "cheapness" by operating in large units.

These figures are particularly interesting in the light of Dr. Alfred Stansfield's report on the commercial feasibility of electrical iron ore smelting in this Province. It will be recalled that electrical energy was one of the chief factors emphasized by Dr. Stansfield in his details of prime costs, while he inclined to the view that only by a wider development of latent water powers could the fundamental charge be reduced to any appreciable extent. But there is a very considerable difference between the cheapest computation made by Dr. Stansfield and that mentioned to the Government yesterday by the originator of the improved furnace.

Assuming that power could be purchased at \$15.00 per horse-power-year, Dr. Stansfield calcu-

lated that the cost of a long ton of pig iron by employing the Swedish furnace need not exceed \$29.75, the actual cost of electrical energy for the single ton amounting to \$6.75. The report states, however, that under given conditions, energy might be obtainable at the rate of \$10.00 per horse-power-year, thus reducing the cost of the long ton of pig iron to \$27.50.

With these figures in mind, therefore, it would appear to the layman that if the new and improved method of electric smelting will do all that was promised by yesterday's delegation, the newly created Department of Industry will not be lacking an opportunity for its organizing ability and the establishment of an iron and steel plant in British Columbia should be no longer in doubt.

"WET" DISGUISES.

It is a matter of surprise that some energetic and enterprising public official has not risen to the occasion and invented a sort of pocket X-ray apparatus for issuance to municipal and provincial policemen. Some such innovation will be necessary if the inventive faculties of eastern shippers of "wet" goods continue to develop at the present rate of progress.

Liquor, that relic of a by-gone age, wends its way across the continent as an insistent masquerading intruder. Some imaginative policeman first detects it as electrical goods and promptly proves that the amber liquid resembles the decorative chandelier in not the least particular. Only yesterday the provincial police in Vancouver failed to appreciate the requirements of a local printing ink firm to the extent of a ton and a quarter of ink, and its scepticism led to the discovery of liquid—but not ink.

The Eastern shipper's repertoire of camouflage must be fairly well exhausted by this time. Chewing gum, ink, paint, feeding bottles and talcum powder have failed. Hair-oil, however, is yet to be heard from.

THE ROCK BAY BRIDGE.

The offer to the City Council of a local contractor of 4,000 yards of material excavated from a building site to be dumped into Rock Bay at the end of the old bridge, suggests an effective and economical method of re-establishing connection between Store and Bridge Streets. It should not be difficult to reclaim a considerable part of the bridge site by this means, plus the construction of a retaining wall to hold the material in place. Ample provision could be made for the requirements of the mills in the erection of the bridge span that would connect the two ends.

In any case it is high time communication between Store Street and Esquimalt Road was restored. Without that connection Store Street, one of the oldest thoroughfares in the city and one which has marked industrial possibilities, remains a cul-de-sac with its business development hopelessly handicapped, and its property constantly depreciating in value. This matter should be taken in hand without any further delay.

YUKON WOMEN ENFRANCHISED.

Enfranchisement of the women of the Yukon Territory has become law by a measure of the Yukon Council, and the fair sex of British Columbia will congratulate their sisters of the great Northland. In all territorial elections in the future there will be a new influence, and it will not be surprising if the energetic women organizations of the Yukon contribute no little influence to the legislative proceedings after the electors select their representatives at the next general election. With British Columbia and Alberta possessing women representation in the legislature, the women of the Yukon will not have to look very far for an example of what the vote can do for their sex.

Through the columns of "Truth" the late Henry Labouchere did a great deal to unearth a number of unsavory conditions in Britain. He brought a crop of costly libel actions upon his own head which he was compelled to charge to "advertising account." But although he is removed from earthly troubles and denied his earthly usefulness, the columns of the journal to which he devoted many years of his life are still maintaining a fearlessness which continues to lead it into hot water. It is regrettable, however, that "Truth" should misrepresent Col. Peck's observations in Parliament as mud-slinging at the British Army. Criticism of a British General cannot be considered a reflection upon the British Army, and certainly no such reflection was intended by Col. Peck.

The Manchester Guardian commenting on labor troubles in Canada says profiteering on a scale unknown in Great Britain has been rife here. That is a sweeping statement indeed. According to the Sankey Commission inquiry the profits of the British collieries alone in 1916 were \$219,000,000, or three times their profits of pre-war days. This single item is more than half the entire annual war expenditure of Canada. And there are numerous other instances of the same kind.

THE HOME COMMANDS.

The decision of Sir Ian Hamilton and Sir Julian Byng to refuse high commands in order that, as Sir Ian puts it, "younger men should now be given a chance," is close akin to the attitude that is becoming fashionable in the Navy, where Rear-Admirals wait for a step in rank and then at once go on to the retired list to make way for their juniors. It is a measure of self-sacrifice that has much to commend it, and both Sir Ian Hamilton and Sir Julian Byng can well afford to be generous. They are men with great reputations, who have distinguished themselves as few soldiers have done.

WHAT SHOULD BE.

All railwaymen who enlisted and went overseas will get their jobs back again when they return, according to an announcement by the Canadian Railway Board. That should be true not only of railwaymen but of all others who quit their jobs to defend their country.

HIGH ENOUGH ALREADY.

The Sun reminds us of the death in close succession of three men who in turn did things to the sky line of New York. P. G. Bournes, who built the Singer tower; J. R. Hegeman, who built the Metropolitan tower; P. W. Woolworth, whose building rises higher still. "The enough. Let no one seek to project New York further into space."

COAL STRIKE CAUSE OF GREAT LOSS

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erans, who help to man the mine, insist that public utilities be maintained. The Lethbridge city power house, therefore, is being supplied with fuel, but some towns in the Crow's Nest Pass are without light owing to lack of fuel for the power houses.

Work Resumed.
 Drumheller, Alta., May 23.—Although the strike of the coal miners is general in this valley, the Rosedale mine, which is operated by Frank Moodie, resumed work with full equipment of men yesterday.

It is understood that while the foregoing workers are fairly well supplied with savings to continue the strike, the English-speaking workers, who spend more money, will shortly be without funds. The engineers are still trying to persuade the miners to join the strike so that the mines may be flooded and made inoperative for three or four months, perhaps forever. The engineers, however, have vowed to stay on the job and to protect the mines if they can.

POLICE ON DUTY IN EDMONTON NOW

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and Labor Council in Edmonton. A committee formed of two members from each of the thirty-four striking unions is in control of the campaign for the strikers. There is a finance committee, a public safety committee and a propaganda committee. The latter will undertake to keep the public informed of developments of the strike and changes in conditions throughout the city.

Labor Announcement.
 It has been announced from labor headquarters that the public health is the first consideration of the strike committee. The hospitals will be fully protected. Police and fire protection has been promised, although the members of these unions voted in favor of a walk-out.

A limited service in hotels and restaurants will be provided. Milk deliveries will be maintained and a limited bread delivery will be permitted.

The local labor paper will publish daily editions.

In Cape Breton.

Halifax, May 23.—A Sydney dispatch to The Halifax Herald says:

"That the soldiers and the trades unions of Cape Breton are about to unite in what will be virtually a workmen's and soldiers' council, although far removed in sentiment, motives and methods from the organizations of similar name which have sprung up in Europe, is the significant information gleaned from a most reliable representative here.

"In pursuance of this scheme, a meeting was held last week between representatives of the local veterans and members of the Sydney Trades and Labor Council, and it is learned that notable progress was made. The Herald is assured that the meeting was of the most friendly character and that all united in declaring against any decisions which might give capital an opportunity of playing one organization against the other."

RAILWAY OFFICIALS MET PREMIER TO-DAY

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render, Mr. Beatty said that, after all, this phase of the question was one which devolved more upon the people of Victoria to settle than it concerned the company. In other words as soon as the final plans have been approved by the Premier and the Minister of Railways for British Columbia, and subsequently by the Montreal officials of the railway company, it would appear that the submission of a bill to the citizens of Victoria is the next step.

Mr. Oliver understands that the final plans will be ready for inspection in a day or so. At the present time the destiny of minerals in the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway belt—subject to what has become popularly known as "dual control"—is being dealt with by means of correspondence and conferences between the Minister of Mines and the officials of the Railway Company. And by reason of the fact that negotiations so far have been almost exclusively concerned with the proper steps to be taken in this matter, the subject was but tentatively referred to this morning. President Beatty expressed no opinion on the question of dual control and for the moment no pronouncement may be expected, pourparlers resting with Sir Sloan on behalf of the Government, and the Railway Company.

Reference has already been made in these columns to the suggestion that the Kettle Valley Railway might be extended to its own and the Province's benefit by allowing the system to serve the new agricultural area acquired by the Government south of Penticton. Mr. Beatty saw the point in the Premier's argument this morning, and he promised that the General Manager of the K. V. R. should investigate the matter at once and report on cost, prospects and so on. With the report in his hands, Mr. Beatty said that consideration would be given to the Government's suggestion.

AMERICAN PLANE TO FLY TO-MORROW

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to give the N. C-4 and its crew a great reception. Three flying boats, in addition to two aeroplanes, will go out to escort the American craft to the Royal Air Force mooring station in the Catwaster.

Received by President.

Lisbon, May 23.—Via London, May 23.—(Associated Press)—Commander John H. Towers, Lieut.-Commander A. C. Read and Lieut.-Commander P. N. L. Bellinger, the commanders of the American trans-Atlantic seaplanes, were received to-day by President Cantoy Castro, who formerly was an admiral in the Portuguese navy. The American officers thanked the President for the act of the Portuguese Government in bestowing upon all three of them the Grand Cross of the Order of the Tower and Sword.

The Municipal Council of Lisbon to-day decided to award a gold medal to each of the aviators.

The newspapers print long articles expressing friendship for the United States, and all reproduce the phrase "You have done what the Portuguese did centuries ago, but they reached America by sea, while you reached Portugal by air."

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REQUESTS GRIEVE TO TRY ONCE MORE

Raynham Wants Hawker's Companion to Essay Atlantic Flight With Him

St. John's, Nfld., May 23.—Lieut.-Commander Mackenzie Grieve, rescued in mid-ocean with Harry G. Hawker, has been invited by Frederick P. Raynham, a British aviator here, "to try it again," this time as navigator of the Martinsyde plane to be piloted by Raynham.

Captain Charles W. Morgan, originally selected as Raynham's navigator, was so seriously injured when the Martinsyde plunged its nose into the turf while attempting to "hop off" immediately after Hawker's Sopwith that physicians forbade him to think further of flying.

Raynham said he hoped Commander Grieve would be able to accept, but that in any event he was certain of the services of a navigator.

The number of British expeditions with representatives here preparing for a trans-Atlantic flight was increased to five with the arrival of Lieut. W. F. Williams, R. A. F. Lieut. Williams came here to select an aerodrome for an Alliance machine—a two-seated biplane with a single Napier engine of 450 horsepower.

Capt. Boyd.
 New York, May 23.—Captain J. Errol Boyd, a Canadian aviator who, although shot down by German anti-aircraft guns while flying over Zebrugge, managed to avoid capture by guiding his plane into Dutch territory, where he was interned October 2, 1915, has announced himself here as an entrant in the race for The London-Daily Mail's £50,000 non-stop trans-Atlantic flight prize.

Captain Boyd is making final plans for his attempt, he said, and will leave for Newfoundland by the middle of June.



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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, May 29, 1894.

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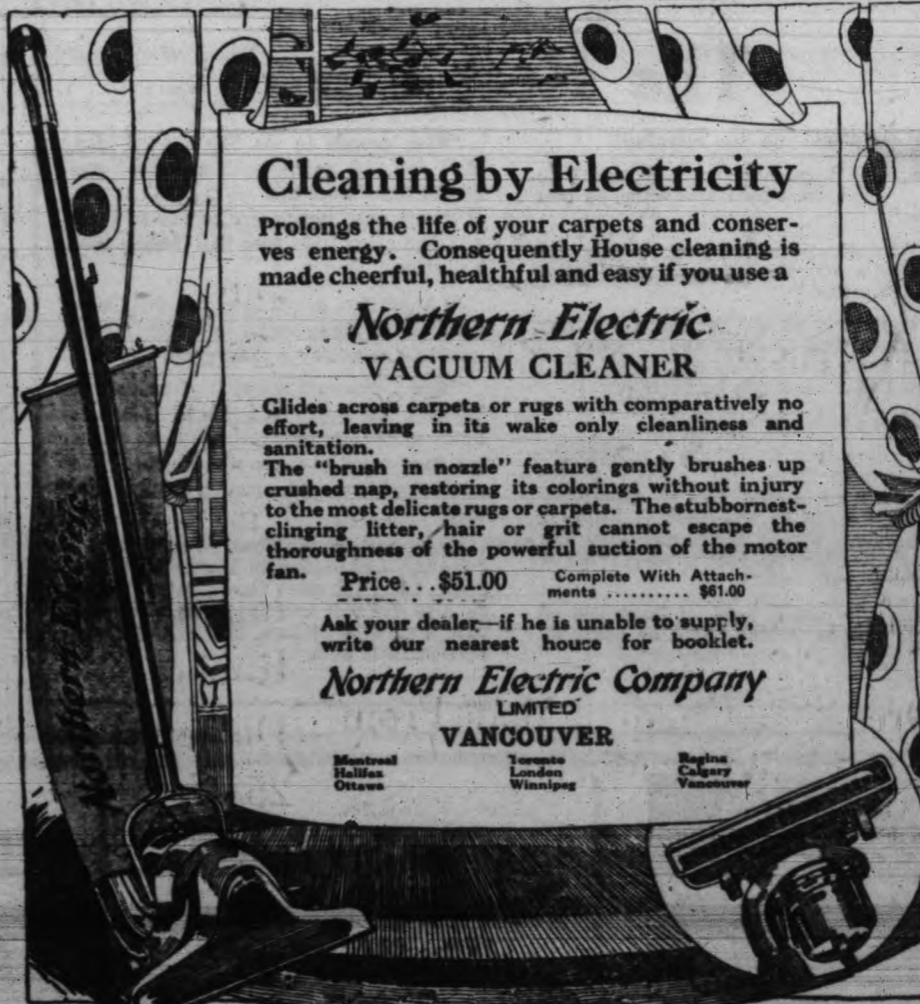
The steamer Premier was taken off the marine ways at Esquimalt this afternoon. She has been undergoing repairs and will be again placed on the Vancouver route.

The new South Ward school building has been completed and is ready for acceptance by the Board of School Trustees.

INSANITY OVERTAKES EX-KING LUDWIG

Geneva, May 23.—Via London, May 23.—The aged Ludwig, former King of Bavaria, is showing signs of insanity, which ailment is hereditary in the former royal family. An expert on mental diseases arrived the other day at Zizers, near Coire, from Munich. The aged ex-monarch has been residing in Switzerland since the middle of last month.

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A BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggly and the May Basket

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Here and there, through the green woods under the shadow of the Orange Ice Mountains, flowers were growing in beds of moss. There were red flowers, blue flowers and purple blooms, and near a silver spring, nestled some golden blossoms.

"These are very beautiful flowers," said Baby Bunty one day, when she was riding through the forest with Uncle Wiggly in the automobile. "I think we ought to make a May basket."

"A May basket for whom?" asked Uncle Wiggly, as he steered his machine to one side so he wouldn't run over a little red ant lady who was carrying home a drop of honey dew to sweeten the roseleaf pancakes.

"We'll make a May basket for Nurse Jane," said Baby Bunty. "But it's a bit late to give out May baskets, but I didn't think of it before. May I gather some flowers, Uncle Wiggly?"

"Oh, yes," said the old rabbit gentleman. "But I have no basket in which to put them. I guess you'll just have to call it a May bouquet for Nurse Jane."

"No," spoke Baby Bunty, with a shake of her head, which made her sky-blue-pink hair ribbon rattle. "I want a May basket!"

"Oh, dear!" sighed Uncle Wiggly. "You are a very positive little rabbit girl. Next, I suppose, you'll want me to chase you or play tag, and I am quite too old and fat for that!"

"Then you should walk and hop more and not ride so much in your auto!" laughed Baby Bunty. "But I won't chase you, but you can chase me if I chase you. I'll give you a May basket for the flowers," went on the little rabbit girl who was found in a hollow stump.

"Now you be nice, Uncle Wiggly," went on Baby Bunty, "and while I am gathering the flowers you make me a May basket!" and she began to pick some purple blossoms.

"But how can I make a May basket when I haven't anything to make it from?"

"Any rabbit gentleman who has a turnip for a steering wheel on his auto ought to be able to make a May basket," answered Baby Bunty, picking some golden yellow blossoms. "I leave that to you," she added as she nodded over to where some red flowers nodded their heads in the wind.

"Oh, dear! This is worse than playing tag when I'm stiff from the rheu-

SOON PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Duncan of Vancouver are on a visit to their daughter, Mrs. R. L. Carter, in this city.

Miss Sutcliffe, Western Field Secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association, is registered as a guest of the Y. W. C. A., Yates Street.

Capt. and Mrs. W. H. Mayhew returned to Victoria at the early part of this week, after an absence of three months in southern California.

Mrs. G. Lovitt, 1781 Haultain Street, announces the engagement of her youngest sister, Annie Boardman, to Frank Edwards, of Victoria. The wedding will take place in Christ Church Cathedral at 5:40 p. m., on Friday, May 30.

Dr. Margaret Patterson, of Toronto, is registered as a guest at the Y. W. C. A., Yates Street. Dr. Patterson has lived a great many years in India, and at King Edward's Coronation was decorated with the Kaiser-I-Hind medal. She is now head of the Health Education Department of the Young Women's Christian Association of Canada. She will speak to-night and tomorrow night at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Eric Wilkinson (nee Kitty Smith) was among the passengers on the Empress of Russia which arrived from the Orient yesterday and is held at the William Head Quarantine Station. Mrs. Wilkinson left Victoria last summer and since then has circled the globe, having been in England, then Egypt, and since March last has been in Hong Kong. She is on her way to England to join her husband and they will make their home in Cambridge for the next few years.

Mrs. James Dunsmuir, assisted by her daughter Mrs. John Hope, entertained the committee, who have in charge the arrangements for the forthcoming garden party, at tea at her residence at Hatley Park yesterday. The party comprised the following members of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, under whose auspices the fête is to be held on June 26: Mrs. Prior, Mrs. J. L. Beckwith, Mrs. A. B. Hudson, Mrs. R. W. Wilkinson, Mrs. George Lillie, Miss Lovell, Miss Jessie Winterburn.

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Purchase of a sterilizer for surgical instruments, representing an outlay of \$770, was one of the important items of expenditure authorized at the meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Jubilee Hospital yesterday morning. In addition tag day bills amounting to \$20.82 were passed, and \$240 of the tag day receipts was voted for the purchase of a gas range for the diet kitchen at the Jubilee Hospital.

Mrs. Collison and Mrs. Andrew Wright were appointed delegates to attend the meeting of the Rotary Club's Association at which the Oriental problem will be discussed. Plans were also discussed for the annual meeting to be held Tuesday, June 24, and the purchasing committee was asked to order a large quantity of flannel, cotton and sewing thread. Mrs. Rhodes made an appeal for volunteers to help in collecting the membership fees which are now due.

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"If you could only make a May basket for Baby Bunty, that would be a great favor," sighed Uncle Wiggly, as he looked at his bouquet.

"A May basket? Why certainly!" laughed the bear, who was now kind and good. "I'll make you one out of some white bark from the birch tree."

With his claws and teeth the bear stripped off some flat pieces of bark, and soon he had made them into fine Baby Bunty as the bear shuffled off to his den.

"I knew you could make a May basket if you tried!" said the little rabbit girl. Then she filled the basket with her flowers and Uncle Wiggly's bouquet. Nurse Jane said the May basket was just lovely! And Mr. Longears just had to laugh.

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Delightful Function at Residence of Regent, Mrs. Andrew Wright Yesterday

Designed to aid the funds of the Camosun Chapter, I. O. D. E., the bridge-tea held at the residence of the regent, Mrs. Andrew Wright at Uplands yesterday afternoon attracted many visitors and proved to be one of the most delightful functions of the spring season.

Devoted to bridge and five hundred were enabled to indulge in these pastimes, tables being arranged in the charming and receptive dining-room and in two upstairs sitting-rooms, each of which was further beautified by bowls of tulips and other spring blossoms.

Mrs. E. M. Love presided over the ninety-nine tables, and at the close of the afternoon announced the prizes as follows:

Bridge, first prize, Miss Amy Angus, second, Mrs. M. M. Jones, cup and saucer. Charming arranged with masses of white and purple lilacs of the double variety, and the flower vase, the entrance hall made a delightful setting for the flower stall at which Miss Agnew sold roses and purple violets.

In another corner Mrs. Kippen presided over a candy stall at which delectable sweetmeats in dainty containers found ready purchasers. A series of raffles were in charge of Mrs. M. M. Jones, Helen Bennett, a green jersey, knitted and presented for the purpose by Mrs. Love, being won by Mrs. Charles Todd after a very large number of tickets had been disposed of.

A hand-painted dish presented by Miss Watson was won by Miss Adair and a box of candy was won by Master Andrew Wright.

Afternoon tea, the arrangements for which were in charge of Mrs. Frank Bennett, was served in the dining-room, the charmingly appointed table being centred with a bowl of pink tulips and blue forget-me-nots. Mrs. Andrew Wright and Miss Felt collected the tickets and Mrs. M. M. Jones, Mrs. Watson, and Miss Richards and Miss Letch took the gate money.

During the afternoon a number of visitors took the opportunity of viewing the lovely grounds, Mr. Wright acting as cicerone and pointing out the many beauty spots with which the gardens and district abound.

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The popularity of the dances arranged by that energetic body of patriotic women, the "J" Unit Chapter, I. O. D. E., was again demonstrated last night when nearly two hundred dancers attended the enjoyable affair held at the Alexandra House. The spacious ballroom has seldom looked more beautiful. Festoons of crepe paper in gold and blue—the Chapter's colors—covered the walls and hung gracefully around the huge electrolites. A similar motif was carried out in the downstairs cafe where the delicious supper was served, the floral decorations at each table reflecting the general color scheme with charming effect.

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MINIMUM WAGE FOR WOMEN EMPLOYED IN PUBLIC HOUSEKEEPING

Vancouver, B. C., May 29.—After receiving evidence from employers and employees a minimum wage of \$11 a week for a forty-eight-hour week for females over eighteen years of age engaged in "public housekeeping occupations," was yesterday established by the Minimum Wage Board of the Province. The finding will come into effect on July 1, and covers a considerable body of employees.

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BELIEVES BRIDGE QUESTION ON VERGE OF ADJUSTMENT

E. W. Beatty, K.C., C.P.R. President, Satisfied Controversial Situation Near Settlement; Company to Develop Ocean Services With Additional Tonnage

"My interview with Premier Oliver this morning was most satisfactory, and I have every reason to believe that an adjustment will be reached to permit work being started on the structure right away," declared E. W. Beatty, K.C., President of the C.P.R., speaking of the Johnson Street Bridge question. Mr. Beatty spent some time in the Premier's office during the forenoon and went thoroughly into every phase and angle of the controversial question concerning the bridging of the Inner Harbor to provide adequate access to the industrial area on the old Songhees Reserve.

Since his arrival here Mr. Beatty has been a particularly busy man, but he spared the Times representative a few moments briefly to discuss matters of topical interest. On his first visit to the Island as President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Mr. Beatty is accompanied by D. C. Coleman, vice-president and Western general manager. He was joined in Vancouver by R. Marpole, chief executive agent for British Columbia; H. J. Cambie, chief engineer, Vancouver; and H. E. Beasley, Superintendent of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway, met the party in Nanaimo.

The president's party arrived in the city last night after making a tour of the up-Island system as far as Courtenay and Alberni, from which latter point the C.P.R. proposes immediately to commence the construction of a branch line.

In making reference to the development of the trans-Pacific service of the company, Mr. Beatty stated that the heads of the transportation concern has every faith in the future of the Pacific, which was borne out by the decision of the company to build another mammoth and palatial liner to assist in taking care of the ever increasing traffic between British Columbia and the Far East.

The Empress of Canada, as the new 22,000-ton liner will be known, has been laid down at the Clyde yards of the Fairfield Shipbuilding & Engineering Company, which firm has turned out some of the largest ships built for the C. P. R., including the Empress of Russia and Empress of Asia, the finest and speediest craft plying the Pacific ocean.

"I expect that the Empress of Canada will be launched early next spring," said Mr. Beatty, and the vessel should be ready for operation in the trans-Pacific service by the summer of next year.

In tonnage, speed and magnificence of design, the Empress of Canada will be the largest, speediest and finest vessel yet built to fly the checkered house-flag of the company.

To other cargo steamships will either be diverted or acquired to take care of the company's trade on the Pacific. While the company realizes the commercial prospects of the vast hinterland of Siberia the Vladivostok route will not be exploited until Russia has been placed under stable government when the company will lose no time in establishing trade relations with Siberia. In the meantime the company proposes to develop its Oriental trade.

Princess Margaret.
With reference to the probable date of the release of the 5,000-ton coastwise steamship Princess Margaret from the Admiralty service, Mr. Beatty had no information to impart.

He stated that the Princess Margaret was still controlled by the British Government, and he was unable to predict when the craft would be available for the British Columbia coastwise service.

This vessel, together with the sister ship Princess Irene, was designed for the Victoria-Vancouver-Seattle service and were on the point of being dispatched from the United Kingdom when war broke out. Both ships were



E. W. BEATTY, K.C.

promptly commandeered by the British Admiralty, and proved very valuable ships because of their speed. The Princess Irene was destroyed by an internal explosion while lying in the Thames, but the Princess Margaret continued to do splendid work as a mine-layer, and during the war had the reputation of being the most successful mine-layer attached to the British fleet.

Would Use Drydock.
Questioned as to the attitude of the company regarding the docking of the trans-Pacific liners for overhaul and repairs on this coast in the event of the Dominion Government building a large drydock at Esquimalt, Mr. Beatty stated that the company would not doubt give favorable consideration to the docking of its large liners here providing adequate facilities were available. Under the present conditions the company is forced to dock its large ships at Hongkong, which boasts one of the largest drydocks in the world.

Touching briefly upon his trip across the continent the C. P. R. president spoke of the excellent conditions prevailing everywhere, and the bright prospects of a good wheat crop.

"It was just splendid," said Mr. Beatty, "the outlook was never better in the Middle West at this season, and the prospects for a record wheat crop appear to be excellent." This afternoon, Mr. Beatty addressed the Canadian Club, and this evening he will return to the mainland.

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OBITUARY RECORD

The remains of the late John Roger Bell, who was a victim of the Sophia wreck, were laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery yesterday afternoon. Service was held at the B. C. Funeral Chapel at 3 o'clock. Rev. William Stevenson officiating. There was a large attendance of friends, and many floral offerings covered the casket. The hymns, "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" and "The Sands of Time Are Sinking" were sung. The following acted as pallbearers: W. Steven, M. McGregor, S. Henderson, K. Ferguson, Jas. Bell and C. Pilgrim.

MUCH ROAD WORK.
Portland, May 23.—Contracts have been awarded by the Oregon Highway Commission for \$1,700,000 worth of road improvements, including fifty-four miles of hard surface pavements, twenty miles of grading and macadamizing and fourteen miles of plan grading.

WHAT HE CALLS HIS PIG.
Farmer—"See that pig?" I call him Ink.
Land Girl—"Why? He isn't black."
Farmer—"No; but he keeps running out of the pen."—London Tit-Bits.

QUITE AMICABLE.
"Why did you quit your job?" Did you have a disagreement with the boss?
"Oh, no, not at all. I told him I had to have more money or I would quit, and he said that was mutually satisfactory."

The British Board of Trade announces that under an inter-Allied agreement all commodities, except war materials, may be imported to the northern neutral countries and Switzerland without restrictions as to quantity. The existing restrictions against re-exports are to be maintained.

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Export Associations.
Very briefly it may be said that there are two methods of working, both of which, by a coincidence, are open to Canadian business men so far as British and colonial trade is concerned under the Empire preference. In a way in which they are most certainly not open even to their nearest American competitors. The first method, that generally adopted in the United States, is by the establishment of large export associations. It means really the building up of a direct overseas sales system. The drawback to this method, where only a limited number of manufacturers is concerned and many divergent markets in different parts of the world have to be considered, is the relatively great initial expense. Yet it seems to appeal especially to the American pushfulness.

A writer in The Exporters Review, however, put the difficulty very shortly when he said:
"A careful boiling down of all the papers written on the subject of American foreign trade and the optimistic predictions made for our export opportunities, fail to show in the final crucible how the manufacturer could carry on a direct business in foreign climes and eliminate the credit risks and the responsibilities which have been a deterrent factor in the upbuilding of a large volume of overseas business. It is indeed strange that the position of the objector to the well-recognized export specialty—the export merchants—was entirely overlooked. It cannot be impressed too strongly upon the manufacturer that as thought the present demand was an opportunity to exploit a temporary bonanza. This would be a very serious mistake. We should view the gradual development of this business as a means to an end, a permanently established foreign demand for goods."

An Alternatives System.
The quotation brings one to the second, or British, method of differentiating from the so-called American system in that the manufacturer never enters into direct relationship with his ultimate customer abroad, but he grows the duties of foreign commerce, and has taken forms which may roughly be divided into two parts, though both shade into each other by numerous modifications of the main systems. First, there are the large commission buying houses established in England receiving foreign "indents" from importers all over the world, which they distribute among British manufacturers for the best fulfillment of the particular class of goods required. They do not necessarily place a whole "indent" with one manufacturer, but split it up as convenient suits. The second sub-division is formed of the export commission houses and "merchant-shippers" who undertake the whole work of shipping British manufacturers' goods into a dozen different countries. Really they act in the same way as an export department of one large branch, but they utilize their organization far more economically because they operate for scores of manufacturers in an endless variety of goods in several countries. All of these British agencies, however, differ basically from the export section of an American manufacturer's organization for specific exporting in being absolutely independent of importer or of exporter, and free to take and place in the best markets at choice. They offer to manufacturers the tremendous advantage of relief from the financial responsibilities; for any order placed with them under the "indents" they themselves receive from foreign customers.

No consideration of Canada's future overseas trade would be complete which omitted this exporting machinery that must be built up. It is none too soon to take up the commencement now—the building of the machine—when European orders coming in are flashing before the imagination of Canadians the golden possibilities in foreign fields. It is not the purpose of this article to discuss the relative merits of British and American systems, but to point out the opportunity for careful and perhaps collective thought being given to preparing all things which the Canadian Trade Commission trusts will make the permanent export trade run smoothly.

Friends—So your discharged son has become an author? Does he write for money?
Father—Yes, about five times a week.—Pearson's Weekly.

There is a great demand for Canadian fish in all parts of the globe. During the Easter recess the Trade Commission received inquiries from Suva, the Fiji Islands, from Otago, New Zealand, and elsewhere. Salmon, herring, and sardines were asked for.

Belgium's new loan for reconstruction will be five per cent, one at ninety-five with interest payable half-yearly on June and December 1st. The amount of the loan is unlimited and an appeal is being made to the patriotism of the Belgian people to subscribe as largely as possible.



ROYAL VICTORIA

Much of the comedy in "The Unpardonable Sin"—for there is comedy aplenty in addition to pathos in this extraordinary Harry Garson production—is provided by two able little screen actors who will be particularly welcomed everywhere by members of the Boy Scouts of Canada. One of the youngsters plays the part of a member of the Belgian organization of the Boy Scouts and the other announces to his chance acquaintance that he is an American Boy Scout hailing from a little town in Kansas. The two youngsters match their wits against those of adults in the cause of Humanity and get results which, in some instances, are as amusing as they are gratifying. Bobby Connolly, well-known to picture patrons the country over because of past performances plays the part of the Belgian youngster and Fred Joyce, a comparative newcomer in big photoplay productions, does remarkable work as the ragged little American who ran into so many difficulties when a work-

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TO-DAY'S AMUSEMENTS

Pantages—Vaudeville.

Princess—R. N. Hincks's production, "The American Citizen."

Royal Victoria—Photodramatic spectacle, "The Unpardonable Sin."

Dominion—Marguerite Clark in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch."

Variety—"The Brand," featuring Kay Laurell and Russell Simpson.

Columbia—Ethel Clayton in "A Soul Without Windows."

Romano—"The Other Man," Blue Ribbon Feature.

ribes tragedy left him friendless and alone in Europe. Both the youngsters play up to the best traditions of the world-wide organizations which they represent. "The Unpardonable Sin" is the attraction at the Royal Victoria all this week.

DOMINION

During the filming of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," the latest Paramount photoplay starring dainty Marguerite Clark, which is showing at the Dominion Theatre, Miss Clark arrived at the Fifty-sixth Street studio in New York in an automobile with a half dozen children. All wore ragged clothing, including the star, and all looked like typical denizens of the slums.

Miss Clark spoke to the boy at the gate, rigged up as she was for the part of Laverie Mary, and when he saw the risks and little Marguerite tugging at the gate he shouted, "Hey, you get out of here, all you kids, and stay out. Don't you know any better than to be swinging on this gate all the time?"

Marguerite made a face at him and her pigtails stuck impudently in the air as she tossed her head. When the real door man, "Hughey" came out and saw what was going on he nearly fell in a faint. To treat Marguerite Clark in this manner was a thing unheard of in all his door-tending life. But the star says she enjoyed the whole thing and if she can fool the boy at the door, then her make-up must be good.

COLUMBIA

The fascinating love story of the society girl who goes to live in the slums on a \$10,000 wage and loves and redeems a derelict surgeon she meets there, loses him and then falls in love with a world renowned surgeon, turns and marries the derelict, only to find the two surgeons are one and the same person, is told in "The Other Man," the Vitaphone Blue Ribbon Feature, which will be the attraction at the Columbia for three days, beginning today.

Harry Morey with Grace Darmond and Florence Deshon, are featured players.

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VARIETY

More terrifying than noise is the quiet of the great outdoors. To a city-bred person the noiseless tranquility of the forest, the desert or the snow fields is at once frightful and maddening. This fact is well-known to Rex Beach, the novelist, who has lived in more cover-ties, and made them the subject of his books, than perhaps any other writer. He knows the effect of the great silence on the man or woman fresh from civilization and he has depicted it many times. In "The Brand," one of his most sensational works and the newest to be produced in motion pictures, the author makes this condition one of the pivotal points in the drama.

"The Brand" is proving a popular drawing card at the Variety this week.

ROMANO

Charming Ethel Clayton, the immensely popular star of World-Pictures, will appear at the Romano today and for the remainder of the week in "A Soul Without Windows." The latest World-Picture in which Miss Clayton is seen in one of the most delightful and pleasing roles she has ever had.

This is a picture that every motion picture fan will enthuse over. It is a story of a Shaker colony in which a little girl waif is brought up in the Shaker faith. But the restraints of her bubbling spirits, her inborn desire for happiness and the bright, pretty things of life. When wandering musicians come to the colony and the girl hears them playing she becomes entranced by the music. Later she steals the violin from one of the players and from it extracts strains that had never been heard before. This genius for music has a vital effect on her later life, and it has a direct bearing on the climax. Another episode of the new serial, "The Hand of Vengeance," will also be shown on the same programme.

PANTAGES

At the conclusion of her present contract with Alexander Pantages, which will be in Los Angeles the first week in July, Miss Ruth St. Denis will bid farewell to the vaudeville stage and devote herself for two years to Greater Denishawn.

Greater Denishawn is the university of the dance, and its related arts which was established four seasons ago in Los Angeles by Miss St. Denis and her husband, Ted Shawn. In the extended scheme which they now propose to establish permanently in Grecian architecture on a twenty-five acre tract, particular attention will be given to fostering struggling students in the arts. The days of the garret poet, the hungry painter and the real musician who plays in a cabaret to earn money for food, will be gone. For each will be given a cottage in which to live and food to eat while he struggles to fame under the plan of Greater Denishawn. All the return expected will be a contribution of artistic accomplishment.

for the permanent beautification of the institution.

Miss St. Denis's appearance at the Pantages Theatre this week has been one of the outstanding attractions of the year. Her presentation is a most exalted example of the highest attainment of the descriptive dance, and it is set in gorgeous stage hangings and costumed in expensively brilliant designs.

PRINCESS

"An American Citizen," the play in which the late Nat Goodwin and Maxine Elliott secured their greatest dual success, is enjoying a well-merited degree of popularity at the above theatre. The finished work of Mr. R. N. Hincks and his excellent company in their various parts has occasioned much favorable comment and it is a matter of opinion whether they have ever been seen to better advantage. The present run will end on Saturday evening next and judging by the bookings already made for the remaining performances, full houses are practically assured. A play that is bound to please the most discriminating audience has been produced, a most enjoyable evening's amusement and entertainment is guaranteed by the management. None should miss attending one of the remaining performances of this truly excellent production.

ROYAL BRINGS "MICKEY" FOR A WEEK'S RUN

The fight shown in "Mickey," at the Royal next week, puts an ideal melodramatic climax on the story, is handled with equal skill. The scene of action is an old country place with winding stairs. The villain has pursued "Mickey" to the roof, a slanting peak. Here she barely manages to hang. Below the villain and the hero wage one of those exciting, smashing combats which, in its handling and the manner in which suspense has been built up, recalls to mind some of Fairbanks' best scraps. But this fight has not the conventional finish. As the men combat, "Mickey" slowly loses her grip on the top edge of the roof and begins to slide down. There is a sheer drop of a dangerous height which she seems unable to avoid. And when the villain apparently triumphs and sends the hero falling down stairs the cause of virtue seems about to be dragged about in the dust. But instead, the hero dashes to the window and grabs "Mickey" inside to safety just as she is about to fall from the eaves to the street below. These light scenes alternating with flashes of "Mickey" in her hazardous predicament on the roof afford some of the finest thrills imaginable.

The story with its comedy, its romance and its wonderful thrills, is of the simplest sort. And simplicity is always greatness. Particularly when simplicity has so many enjoyable things about it. The modern-day audience, surfeited with war-films and spy melodramas, will welcome "Mickey." It is simplicity itself, it is humorous, human and thrilling and pleasing every minute of the way. It was built by a master of his craft. Interest in it rises as a wave and culminates in a thrilling crash, like the wave beating the sands.

As for the details of the production, these are appropriate in every instance. From the village setting in the early part of the picture to the contrasting shots in the home of Mickey's aunt, there is ever an atmosphere of reality maintained. The lighting is effective and the photographic work excellent from every angle.

Miss Normand's supporting cast was well chosen. Each player is perfectly fitted for his part. Wheeler Oakman is a fine hero, Lewis Cody an equally fine villain. George Nichols was aptly cast as Joe Meadows, "Mickey's" guardian. Minnie, the old Indian, who has appeared in so many pictures, never gave a better performance than in "Mickey." Minta Durfee, Lauris La Varie and Tom Kennedy complete the cast.

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Dr. W. H. Nichols Comes to Inspect Granby Company's Holdings on Island

"If our country was neutral, there was never a day's neutrality with us," said Dr. W. H. Nichols, President of the American Chemical Society, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the General Chemical Company and President of the Nichols Chemical Company, of New York, to The Times last evening.

Dr. Nichols comes to British Columbia to inspect the newer developments of the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting & Power Company, of which he is president. It will be his first visit, he stated, to the great smelter at Anyox, and for that purpose the company has developed its collieries at Cassidy, on Vancouver Island to provide the necessary coal. Dr. Nichols indicated that he would leave today with General Manager F. M. Sylvester, to visit the plant at Cassidy, later going north.

Referring to the production of chemicals during the war, Dr. Nichols remarked that the production of acids for explosives purposes had exceeded the best expectations of the United States Government. Every class of explosives was ready and the war continued, for the campaign on a greater extent than before.

Dr. Nichols stated that he was now concentrating attention on industrial developments, particularly on this coast, and was greatly interested in the development of the Granby properties. He spoke of enthusiastic welcomes during his tour, and stated that the American business men were awake to the necessity of foreign trade development as an outlet for the increased production of the country.

Yesterday afternoon Dr. Nichols, who was accompanied by Mrs. Nichols, drove to Britwood with Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester, and in the evening dined with Premier Oliver and Hon John Hart.

In addition to being president of the American Chemical Society and the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting & Power Company of British Columbia, Dr. Nichols is chairman of the board of directors of the General Chemical Company, president of the Nichols Chemical Company and vice-president and director of the Corn Exchange National Bank of New York City. He holds the degree of doctor of science of Columbia University and the degree of doctor of laws of Lafayette College. He was made a member of the Order of the Crown of Italy by King Victor Emanuel in 1912.

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Women's Independent Political Association—Regular meeting Friday, May 30, at 8 p.m., Victoria Club, Campbell Building, Hon. Dr. MacLean to speak on Venereal Disease. Public invited.

Dance in the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, on Thursday, May 29, under the auspices of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society. Dancing 8.30 to 12. Heaton's orchestra. B. C. E. Ry. car leaves Saanichton for Victoria at midnight.

Skates Hollow Ground, at Wilson's Repair Shop, 512 Cormorant.

Dr. M. W. Thomas has resumed practice at his former office, cor. Fort and Quadra Sts.

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Court of Appeal. There will be a sitting in Victoria of the Court of Appeal on Wednesday, next, June 4. The sitting will begin at 10.30 o'clock, and there are a number of cases to be disposed of.

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Boxing Tournament Next Week—Eight entries from Nanaimo, two from Ladysmith and one from Cumberland have already been received. Mr. McLernan reports, for the Foundation Boxing Tournament June 6. He looks for a large entry of men from the yards, and the way plans are shaping up he figures that the tournament will be among the most successful ever held in the city. The entry list is thrown open to all amateurs, and he asks that any ring artist anxious for honors should communicate with him at the Foundation Club House. Two entries for wrestling have been received from Nanaimo, and there is one man in the yards whom the shipbuilders consider capable of upholding their reputation against all comers.

Men Register as Fruit-Pickers—The demand for fruit-pickers is so urgent that a number of men—many of them ex-service men—have applied to the Government Labour Bureau on Broughton Street for work as berry-pickers and will shortly be leaving with their wives for the Gordon Head and Keating district. About 150 of the 600 pickers needed have registered, and in order to secure more help Miss Marlat on Tuesday went up to Nanaimo to enlist the cooperation of the women and girls of that city.

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Although the horticultural section of the Department of Agriculture have notified Ward Seven Cottage Gardeners that the prizes to the value of \$30 offered last year for the best garden in the district will not be again forthcoming from the Department, the competition is to be held as usual. At a meeting of the committee of the Cottage Gardeners held last night, it was decided to offer \$30 in prizes for the best garden in the district, the amount to be raised from the entrance fees of those taking part in the competition and from the funds of the society. Judging will take place three times during the year. Gardens may be of any size not under one thousand square feet, and twenty points will be awarded for quality and value of crop, twenty for assortment and range of seasonal variety, twenty for industry, enterprise and skill and twenty for cleanliness and neatness. Five prizes will be awarded. The competition created a great deal of interest in Ward Seven last year, and the general excellence of the gardens made it an extremely difficult task for the judges to select the winners. Residents of the district will welcome the decision of the Society again to hold the competition.

LIST OF SAILINGS AND PARTIES ARRIVING.

Revised to Noon, May 29.

The S. S. "Regina" is due at Halifax on May 28 with 22 other ranks for Victoria.
The S. S. "Carmanla" is due at Halifax on May 29 with 1 officer and 12 other ranks for Victoria.
The S. S. "Araguaya" is due at Portland, Maine, May 29, with Convalescent officers for this district.
The C. P. R. Troop Train 758, from the S. S. "Aquitania," with 1 officer and 54 other ranks for Victoria, left Winnipeg 11.50 a. m. on May 28.
The S. S. "Meganic" is due at Quebec May 21 with invalided cases for this district.
The Troop Train 1475, from the S. S. "Bohemian," now running as second No. 1, C. P. R., left Winnipeg at midnight May 28 with 58 other ranks for this district.

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Premier Oliver is Advised by G. W. V. A. That Its Nominee Is Delighted

In a letter to Premier Oliver this morning, C. Wesley Whittaker, President of the Provincial Branch of the Great War Veterans Association, expresses official pleasure in connection with the recent trip undertaken by the Association's nominee, a company with the Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture. The letter reads as follows: "The appointment of the Great War Veterans Association, T. A. Barnard, who accompanied the Minister of Agriculture on his trip up country, has returned. I am happy to say he is delighted with the situation as he found it and speaks in glowing terms of the treatment accorded him by the Minister of Agriculture. He states that every facility possible was granted him to make a complete survey of the lands of that area."

It will be recalled that the trip was undertaken by the Minister for the purpose of "sifting out" suitable tracts of land adaptable for conversion into settlement areas for soldiers and others. It was to get the soldier's point of view on the spot that Mr. Barrow asked the returned men to select a representative to go with him. The above is the result.

NO RECTOR CHOSEN

Question of Successor to Rev. McKenzie at St. Luke's Not Decided.

At a meeting of the congregation of St. Luke's Episcopal Church last night in the Parish Hall Cedar Hill a discussion took place with Bishop Schofield relative to the choice of a rector for the Parish. No definite step was taken, but the matter was left to the Bishop and a small committee of the congregation to work out.

The vacancy in the rectorship has been occasioned by the decision of Rev. J. D. McKenzie Naughton to resign and return to England. He was granted leave of absence to join the Canadian Siberian Force about two years ago and is now desirous of returning to the Old Country. Rev. D. H. Moore, who arrived in Victoria en route to Great Britain from Japan has been filling the pulpit in the interim and he too is now desirous of proceeding on his journey.

Concert at K. of C. Hut—A concert has been arranged and will be given at the K. of C. Army Hut on Fort Street tomorrow evening, to which all service and ex-service men and their lady friends will be welcomed. The following artists have kindly offered their services: Miss Dorothy Bobb, Miss Mamie Fraser, Major L. Bullock-Webster, J. H. Rickaby, Frank Sehl, and Mr. and Miss Menslow. Miss Elsie Dumbleton will officiate as accompanist.

Admiralty Court—There will be a sitting of the Admiralty Court at 10.30 Monday morning, when Mr. Justice Wray will hear the claim of Alfred Pepper for wages in connection with work done on the gas-boat Cecl W., operated out of Quacell. Harold Beck with is appearing for Mr. Pepper and the case is undefended.

For Victorian Nurses—The Victoria Reconstruction Group will wait on the City Council on Monday night to request an increase in the vote for the Victorian Order of Nurses from \$500 to \$1,500. The matter has already been brought to the attention of the Council, and the Reconstruction Group is going to add its influence in securing the increase.

Mrs. George Tachett says because her husband quoted the Scripture to her and gave her biblical admonitions, she left him and is suing for \$16 a week alimony. She says they had lived happily for twenty-five years until the husband joined a religious sect to which the wife does not belong.

HON. DR. MACLEAN TO SPEAK TO WOMEN

Will Explain Venereal Disease Act to Independent Association To-morrow Night

Hon. Dr. MacLean, Provincial Secretary, is to speak on Venereal Disease and the act recently passed for its suppression, at a public meeting to be held in the Victoria Club, Campbell Building to-morrow night. The meeting will be under the auspices of the Women's Independent Political Association, but every citizen having the welfare of the community at heart is invited to attend. The subject is one having a close bearing on the home life, and the Act recently passed will lose its efficacy without the support of the general public. It is hoped that there will be a large gathering at the Victoria Club at 8 o'clock for this address by Dr. MacLean who, as a medical man, is fully qualified to discuss the question.

Selection of Bank Premises—Judgment has been handed down by Judge Lammpan in the County Court in the case of Fox vs. Bank of Toronto where in plaintiff claimed \$100 for services claimed to have been rendered by the bank in the fall of 1917 in connection with securing premises for the bank in Victoria. Judge Lammpan found that there was no evidence to support plaintiff's claim, and the action was dismissed.

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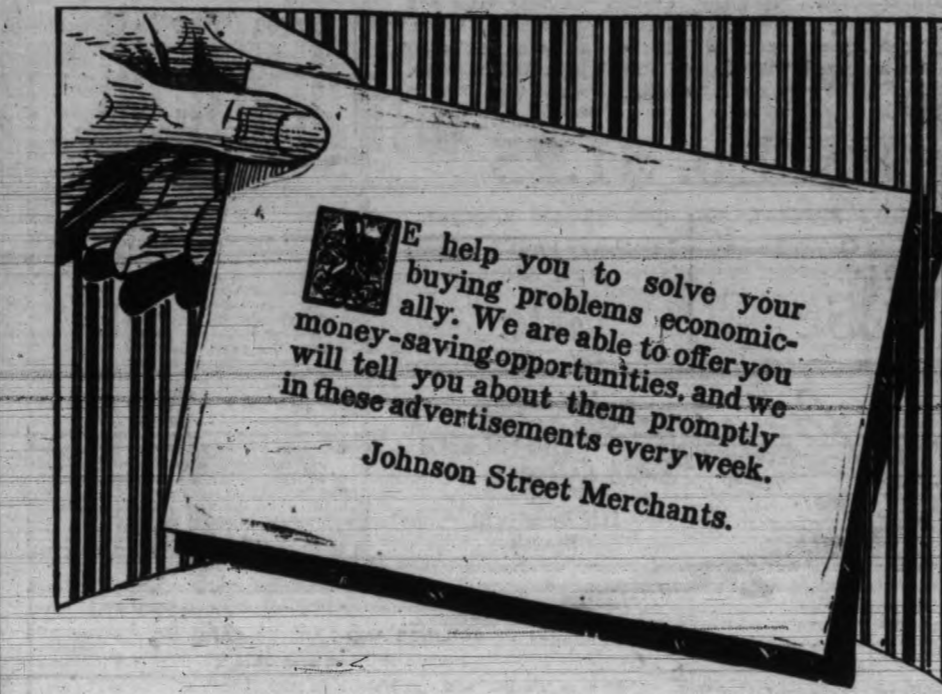
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monopoly, and that is probably true, but it has not been determined in any satisfactory way up to date, whether Government management of our systems is feasible or, even possible. Until it is determined, I should conclude it would be well for the Government and the people to withhold their final judgment. Among the advocates of this system are many men who are sincerely and honestly convinced that in the last analysis it will be for the benefit of the people of this country, and that is the only angle from which the question can be viewed. It is unfortunate, however, that most of these men have not intimate personal knowledge of the administration of these large enterprises, and the wish for success is father to the thought that success will result. We have recently had the benefit of the results of similar experiments in Great Britain and the United States, and while I am quite prepared to admit that the abnormal conditions under which the systems had to be operated during the war, makes the lessons to be drawn from this method of administration entirely conclusive, I am strongly of the view that there is nothing in these results which gives confidence or justifies the hope that we would avoid the disaster they have experienced, and that the difficulties which at least, contributed to their failure would be absent from the administration of Canadian Railways under like auspices.

American Experience.
"You will recall that the American systems broke down, when put to the test financially. Both could, I think, have been avoided, or at least minimized, had a little broader view of the needs of American railways been taken by the American tribunals in the five years prior to the entry of the United States into the war. What was subsequently done, was done in an attempt to meet a highly emergent situation and with an intent that the cost, whatever it might be, of mistake or failure, should be borne in the interest of the principles for which the Allied Nations were contending in this war. The result is described as a debacle, and the deficits have been enormous, and the efficiency and character of the service lessened to an alarming degree. The United States people were, however, fortunate their experience was of a comparatively short time, and they were enabled to learn the lesson it taught without protracted experiments.

"As a result of this experience and that which they had through the operation of cables, telegraphs and telephones, I think it may be safely said that the last vestige of desire for Government operation of these utilities has departed from the majority of the American people. In fact, those actually entrusted by the Government with the administration of the properties have admitted the unwisdom of the continuance of the system. The Postmaster-General has agreed to the return of the cables and the telegraph lines, and the President of the United States has directed the return of the railroads. The Director-General of Railroads, Mr. Hines, who has been connected with the railroad administration from the beginning, first, as Assistant Director-General, and latterly as Director-General, expresses his views as follows: "I want to tell you that in my judgment, based on a very careful study of this subject since the Federal control began, the best interests of the country will be promoted, not through permanent Government control, but through the return of the railroads to private management."

Country's Difficulties
"I am a great believer in this country and I believe that our difficulties, economically and commercially speaking, will be solved. Some of these difficulties appear serious, and they are, and in expressing hope in confidence, I do not wish to ignore the danger of the situation. I am convinced, however, that the difficulties are not insuperable, nor should they be entirely unexpected. It is the most natural thing, and quite in accordance with the precedent of history, that following such a terrible four years' world eruption, there should now arise, both nationally and individually, conditions which it will take extraordinary measures to meet. Last summer the railways of the country were threatened with very serious labor troubles; wage adjustments were made and later were raised, but the individual difficulties due to unrest did not thereby disappear. The railways, in conjunction with the Government and the labor unions, adopted a course quite without precedent in the history of Canada. Their heads set round a table, discussed the best methods to adopt, and in the end constituted what is known as "Railway Board of Adjustment No. 1," composed of six representatives of the labor and six railway executives. The board was empowered to adjust and make binding upon the parties concerned all disputes arising between railway employees and the railway companies. In the event of failure to agree, there was a provision for calling in an outside and independent referee, who would give the casting vote. Whether or not it was because the number this gentleman would bear was No. 13, I cannot say, but thirty-two main disputes, in some cases involving half a dozen minor differences, each one of which might have precipitated a strike, have

organization of a transcontinental railway. In the case of the Pacific Railway it has been in existence for almost thirty years, and the organization has been built up painfully and slowly. It has now reached an efficiency in all ranks, which I should hope it would be easier to maintain, but it could not be developed, nor can it be maintained without an enterprise resourcefulness, loyalty, initiative and esprit of the officers and men of the company. There is something which gives rise to this spirit which comes from within the organization itself, and I would need be assured not only that independent non-political administration is possible, but that it would provoke this spirit before I would cast a vote for a permanent policy of Government ownership and operation. When I speak of Government ownership and operation, I do so because interference in the latter is the necessary consequence of the establishment of the former. It is not possible, in my opinion, to divorce the responsibility for operation from those upon whom rests the responsibilities for the results. In theory, it may seem reasonable, but in practice I am quite convinced it will be found impossible to persuade those who vote the money for these enterprises to exclude themselves entirely from the management of the enterprises, for which they supply the money.

Crux of Situation.
"In the determination of this question, I know of no consideration less important than that of political expediency. It is particularly a question of national economics, and what system will give the best and cheapest service to the people of this country. The crux of the whole thing lies in this, that the ability of governments to carry on enterprises such as this with the same competency and efficiency as private owners. I am not attempting to persuade you to my views; they are not mine, but I have not yet found anyone who could adduce evidence of the success of a government operated system in former days, or in other countries, where similar conditions prevailed, but I have not yet found a policy which will saddle us with the principles of public ownership and operation of our systems, we should, I think, be very sure of our ground. The question can not be determined in accordance with the wishes and views of financiers, stock holders, politicians, or any one set of men; it must be determined on the one ground by balancing its advantages with its disadvantages, which is in the best interests of Canada.

"In order to reach a decision, the most careful consideration and analysis of results here and in other countries is necessary. With knowledge and experience, we can determine it, without it, we will add to our railway mistakes. That we have made serious blunders is evident, but we are all responsible. We built railways in wrong places, and at wrong times, but these mistakes, serious as their consequences have been, would be minor compared to the mistake if we adopted a wrong principle for their administration, and add the continuing and pyramiding losses, which would result from extending these wrong principles to a largely extended system.

Construction of Bridge Soon.
Referring to the Johnson Street Bridge problem, the Premier observed that he had been promised by Lord Shaughnessy that the issue would be settled within a year. "This matter is now in a very satisfactory stage," pursued Mr. Oliver. "As far as it is humanly possible to judge there should be no delay in bringing it to a satisfactory conclusion. I look for no further complication in the construction of the bridge, and I believe that in a very short time the bridge will be in the course of construction."

Seconding the vote of thanks, Col. Hon. E. G. Prior asserted that Mr. Beatty would find that the business of Victoria was, above all, reasonable. "We want justice, but we don't want to be sidetracked," he said.
C. P. R.'s Opportunity.
In introducing the speaker Mr. Cochran, President of the Club, said in part:
"We would commend the wisdom of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in selecting as President, at this time in the history of Canada, a man of ripe experience and proven ability, in the prime of life. There are problems facing Canada in this reconstruction period almost as serious in their import as any with which she has had to deal during the last five years, and we confidently expect that these problems, insofar as they may come within the control of the Canadian Pacific system, which plays so prominent a part in the public life of this country, will be attacked and solved in the same aggressive and satisfactory manner as were those other problems, the problems solved by the sons of Canada upon the battlefield of France and Flanders."

been determined by this board, and in no case has there been an absence of agreement, and in no case have either the executives or the men complained that substantial justice was not done. Now the reason for the extraordinary success of this tribunal, which was formed to exist during the period of the war only, but which I hope will continue long after peace has been declared, is this—it was composed of men determined to see that right was done; men who respected their colleagues on the board and themselves; men who were actuated by the spirit of adjustment. In no case has the Board ever forgotten its judicial attitude, nor has there been any evidence of feeling on either side in the course of its deliberations.

"It is not for me to suggest what measures would be appropriate for industries, but I can assure you that the workings of the Canadian Board of Adjustment No. 1 can be looked to with great satisfaction, and I should think, with some advantage by all those who have to deal with the existing labor problems.

Increase in Operating Cost.
"You are all aware of the high scale of wages now existing in this country and of the prevailing unrest. As representing a company whose operating expenses increased by \$24,000,000 in the short period of two years, I have had some experience of the manner in which these rapidly increasing costs affect large enterprises. We are all disposed to attribute these things to the high cost of living, but few, if any, of us know who is responsible for it, or what the ingredients in it are. It has recently been announced by the Minister of Labor that the Government has quietly made investments and will be able shortly to make an announcement of the results of them, and undoubtedly that is the first step to be taken, because if these costs are imponderable, we should know where the unfairness rests; if they are otherwise, we must take means to insure our ability to meet these higher standards of living. Here again, it is the actual facts which will enable the people to decide what should be done and whether our highly increased wages are due to reasons which could be avoided, or whether they are inevitable.

"It has been announced that conventions are to be held in the coming summer for the purpose of developing the natural resources of the Western Provinces, the establishment of industries there in order that they may be more self contained. This is as it should be. We need immigrants, principally of the agricultural class, and we need to know and interest others in the local possibilities of Western Canada. Most of us believe that they are almost limitless, but we must invest capital in order that these resources can be developed and industries maintained in the development of the whole country."

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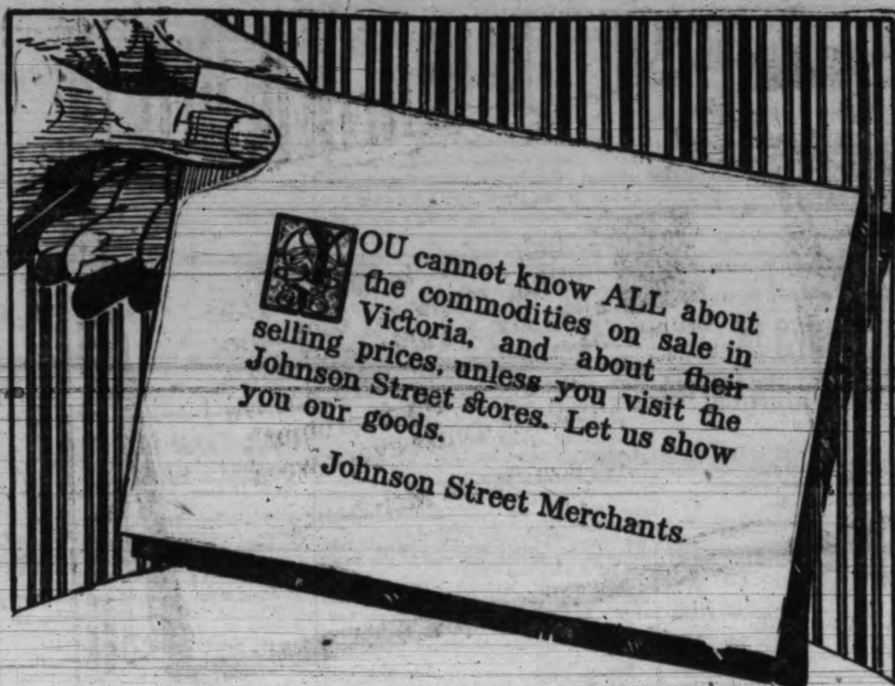
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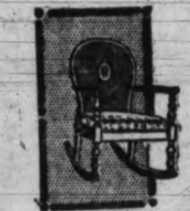
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VANCOUVER PLANE SETS NEW RECORD OF FORTY MINUTES

Lieut. Hall Flies to Vancouver Two Minutes Faster Than Pathfinder

LOCAL FLYERS WILL TRY TO BREAK RECORD AGAIN

Vancouver once again has the record for the flight between Victoria and the Mainland. Last evening a Curtiss aeroplane, piloted by Lieut. Ernest Hall, with a strong southwest gale on her tail, made the trip from the Willows aerodrome to Minoru Park in forty minutes, two minutes faster than the time made by the Pathfinder two weeks ago.

The Vancouver plane made a surprise visit here. It left Minoru Park at 6.15 o'clock and landed at the Willows Oval little over an hour afterwards. Lieut. Hall accompanied by Lieut. Ernest Hall, President of the Board of Trade and to the managers of the daily papers. Invitations were also extended to the general public to attend the great aerial meet which is to be held at Minoru Park on Saturday afternoon.

It was the original intention to have the Vancouver aeroplane remain here for the night, but when Lieut. Hall found the weather conditions so favorable for a record home-ward flight, he decided to take off. He left with Sergeant Major Watson as a passenger at 7.53 o'clock, despite the fact that the twilight was rapidly fading. As a result no one was at the aerodrome at Minoru Park when the plane landed there at 8.35 o'clock.

Lieut. Hall is a Victoria boy and trained at Toronto. He went overseas and after being in France for a short time was shot down by the Germans and for some time was believed to have been killed, but later reports revealed that he was in a prison camp.

When the Pathfinder sets out for Vancouver on Saturday morning an attempt to reduce Hall's record will be made, provided weather conditions are all favorable. On the last trip the Victoria pilots claimed that they could have bettered their record of forty-two minutes by several minutes had they followed a direct course. They are quite confident that the Pathfinder will secure the blue ribbon for the flight across the Gulf.

The Pathfinder has been entered in the aerial meet to be held at Minoru Park. Six machines will be doing aerial stunts of different kinds during the afternoon. The local league is pinning great faith in the Pathfinder to bring home the prize for the Van-Island Westminister flight. All six machines will take off in this race which will be one of the most thrilling ever held in the history of flying in Canada. On passing the finishing post, which will be the judges stand, the planes must pass within ten feet of the ground.

CITY TAX SALE PROCEEDED TO-DAY

Property in Fairfield Section Disposed of at Great Sale

The city tax sale proceeded to-day, a few lively bids occurred for certain lots in the Fairfield district. City Treasurer Smith, who is in charge of the sale, intended to proceed with the sale of more Fairfield property this afternoon.

While the city was obliged to take over a considerable quantity of property yesterday a large part of this will be offered for bids again before the termination of the sale. To-morrow Mr. Smith, instead of offering each parcel of property in the order of occurrence on the list, will allow intending purchasers to ask that certain parcels be put on sale. It will be thus unnecessary for persons who desire a certain piece of property to remain at the sale during its whole course.

The principle buyers yesterday were Messrs. Pemberton and Sons, W. Dickson, William Hirston, J. E. Walls, Lee and Fraser, W. Sinclair, Isaac Wasstock, A. Clark and P. R. Brown.

AIRCRAFT COMPANY IS AMONG REGISTRATIONS

Victoria Ball Club Incorporated With Capital of \$4,000; Many Others

During the week ending at noon today certificates of incorporation have been issued by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies in respect of the undernoted concerns, official notification of which will be made in this day's issue of The British Columbia Gazette: The Victoria Food Packers, Limited, public, authorized capital, \$150,000; registered office of the company, Vancouver.

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GENEROUS OFFER BY FOUNDATION COMPANY

Offers Services of Band to City For Four Public Concerts

The citizens of Victoria have had occasion more than once recently to appreciate the services of the Foundation Company's band, without which a number of public functions would have lacked the music that it so inspiring a concomitant to any celebration. Through the company's cordial cooperation in such matters as the Victoria Day pageant and at the armistice celebrations, the general public has come to look upon the band in something of the light of a public institution and a decided acquisition to the musical life of the city.

It will therefore be a source of much gratification to the man and woman in the street to learn that the company has generously offered to the City the services of the band for the public concerts. The following letter is self-explanatory: "His Worship Mayor R. J. Porter, City of Victoria. "Dear Sir,—On behalf of the Foundation Company of British Columbia, Ltd., I have been directed by our Vice-President, Mr. Bayly Hopkins, to tender to the City of Victoria, through you, the services of our Shipyard Band, directed by Mr. Lou Turner, for four public concerts. It is my understanding that owing to more urgent needs for the use of the City's funds in other directions, the Council has found it necessary to withhold an appropriation for the usual seasonal public concerts, and rather than have the public forgo the pleasure of enjoying concerts in your parks, I take the opportunity of tendering the services of the band for the use of the City at such times and places as you may designate. Assuring you that it will be a real pleasure to serve you in this direction should you decide to accept this offer. I am, "Faithfully yours, "THE FOUNDATION CO. OF B. C., LTD. "Assistant Manager."

NEW PRESCRIPTIONS IN EFFECT ON JUNE 1

Prohibition Act Amendments Make Unofficial Forms Obsolete for Liquor

Prescriptions for liquor issued by any member of the privileged professions on and after June 1 must be written on the numbered and printed form supplied free of charge by the Government. This altered procedure is required by the provisions of the amendments to the British Columbia Prohibition Act passed at the recent session of the Legislature.

Doctors and druggists throughout the Province were notified by the Prohibition Commissioner several weeks ago that the new requirement would go into effect—according to law—on June 1.

The official forms have been issued to the professions in pads and the first series of the issuance is numbered from one to one hundred thousand. Supplies may be had upon application to the Prohibition Commissioner, who points out that persons presenting prescriptions at the Government stores or druggists must see to it that the proper official and numbered form has been used.

Advised to Leave Town—Charles C. Conners, who appeared in the police court this morning on a charge of keeping liquor in the Canada bar for sale, was dismissed. In giving his decision Magistrate Jay told Conners that while he did not find him guilty of this charge he considered him an undesirable citizen and advised him to leave town.

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GIVES COAST MUCH FREE PUBLICITY

Editorial Convention in Victoria Will Prove of Great Value; Reception Plans

"Last year's convention of the National Editorial Association in Arkansas developed seven million lines of publicity in all parts of the United States. We will get a great deal more publicity than that for the Pacific Northwest in connection with this year's convention, one day of which will be spent in Victoria," said Frank Goss, of the editorial department of The Seattle Post-Intelligencer, while in the city Tuesday for the purpose of completing arrangements for the entertainment of the delegates to the convention.

Mr. Goss explains that Portland is planning to do great things for the convention, which will result in the Pacific Coast cities visited getting more publicity than could be possible in any other way. The Portland Chamber of Commerce is supplying a fund of \$10,000 for entertainment of the newspaper men. The programme includes a trip to Crater Lake, one of the scenic spots of the State, which is fifteen hours run from Portland.

Seattle and Tacoma will entertain the visitors jointly and will take them for a run to Mount Rainier by automobile. This will alone cost \$3,000. A launching of a big steel ship to be carried out under the auspices of the United States Shipping Board will be distinguished by the fact that Mrs. Guy U. Hardy, wife of the president of the National Editorial Association, will act as sponsor.

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DAYLIGHT SAVING

B. C. Government Will Not Consider Matter Until American Policy is Changed.

Premier Oliver was not in a position to give any indication this morning of what action might be expected from the Provincial Government in the event of the United States deciding to discontinue daylight saving law.

From his general observations, however, he is of the opinion that the people of the cities will be strongly averse to going back to the old hour during the summer months. This is not an expression of his own views on the subject as a matter of policy, but his summing up of popular sentiment. Until definite action has been taken in the United States the Cabinet will not anticipate difficulties.

SIX SPEEDERS FINED

Six automobile owners appeared in the police court this morning charged with speeding on Quadra Street, near Hillside Avenue and were fined \$10 each. John McHardy, H. Rylands, W. Gibson, James Cronk, H. O. Kirkland and Benjamin Gunnison were apprehended by police officers exceeding the speed limit within a few minutes of one another on Quadra Street about 4 o'clock on Friday night.

VICTORIA THE NORTHWEST THE WORLD

Enthusiastic Workers Make Improvements to "Y.M." Camp

New Landing Stage Has Been Built and Water Pipes Run to Cookhouse—Opening Will Occur on Saturday

What W. W. Duncan, the popular commandant of the Y. M. C. A. summer camp at the Gorge, is pleased to call the "Y" spirit, has been shown in a manner of which he has just reason to be proud during the last couple of months. During the months of April and May, when the delights of the open air life by the water were not close enough or suggested enough by the weather to arouse any particular enthusiasm among those who will use the camp this summer, he has had working parties out undertaking a job that would be a task for a gang of experienced workmen.

When the summer camp opens Saturday the twenty-three open air enthusiasts who have got in on the first week of camping will find the new landing is going to add considerably to the delights of a camp, the equal of which it would be hard to find. The ideal location and scenery make the venue so attractive during the summer months that it is with a sigh of regret that the holidaymakers pack up for the prosaic life of the city after a week or two spent enjoying the invigorating atmosphere and open life in one of the choicest spots of the many beauty places in the Province.

Another improvement effected this season, the work for which again was done by Mr. Duncan and his working parties is an extension of the fresh water system. In the early days of the camp water was carried in buckets from the Gorge Park, but later a pipe was run across, 1,200 feet of pipe being used. An extra 400 feet of pipe has been installed and water has now been run right up to the cook-house.

Water fatigue will now be a thing of the past. A fresh water shower will be possible for the campers as a result of the extra lengths of pipe. The tents are being struck and by Saturday fifteen tents will probably be ready for occupation. The big dining tent, 16 ft. by 32 ft., is capable of seating thirty-two campers.

May 29.—Pitcher Paul Hoffman of the Kansas City American Association team has been sold to the St. Joseph Western League Club, it was announced today.

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by one point, Dyke winning 250 to 249. Further results are as follows: Holman (o 17) beat Perry (r 50) by 75. Holman (o 50) beat Fletcher (r 25) by 75. Tempton (r 75) beat White (o 25) by 25. Fetch (scratch) beat Claridge (o 125) by 50. Hayworth (scratch) beat Trimen (r 75) by 75. Sale (o 125) beat Flinton (r 75) by 42. Hibberson (o 100) beat Somerton (r 25) by 25. Coldwell (scratch) beat Banister (r 75) by 75. Robertson (o 125) beat Darke (r 25) by 57. Somerton (r 50) beat McLean (r 65) by 4. Dyke (r 75) beat Miller (r 125) by 1.

SECOND SERIES IN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Games played yesterday in the American handicap tournament at the Wilhows courts resulted as follows: Division A. Miss Idiens and Bone beat Mrs. Schoff and Kitto, 12-5. Miss Bradford and Wilson beat Mrs. Schoff and Kitto, 11-6. Miss Idiens and Bone beat Miss Leeming and Grove, 11-6. Miss Markham and Whittaker beat Miss Idiens and Bone, 9-3. Miss Long and Kennedy beat Miss Ashdown and Proctor, 10-7. Miss Markham and Whittaker beat Miss Long and Kennedy, 13-4. Miss Bradford and Wilson beat Miss Long and Kennedy, 10-7.

Division B. Mrs. Rickaby and Reade beat Miss Andrews and Dalby, 13-4. Dr. Young and Miss Camusa beat Miss Andrews and Dalby, 15-2. Miss Watson and Krug beat Miss Archibald and Meakin, 9-3. Dr. Young and Miss Camusa beat Miss Wilson and Mr. King, 12-5. Division C. Mrs. Meredith and Irwin beat Miss Roberts and Jackson, 9-3. Miss Leeder and Hlard beat Mrs. Meredith and Davis, 12-5. Mrs. Meredith and Irwin beat Miss Brown and Dr. Hudson, 11-6. Miss Errington and Meredith beat Miss Brown and Dr. Hudson, 10-7. Miss Errington and Meredith beat Mrs. Mellin and Davies, 9-8.

Division D. Miss E. Swan and Brown beat Miss King and Taylor, 13-4. Mrs. Hodgen and Cuert beat Miss Fowkes and Lee, 15-2. Miss E. Swan and Brown beat Miss Hardie and Hamlet, 15-2. Mrs. Hodgen and Cuert beat Mrs. Fletcher and Pemberton, 15-1. Miss King and Taylor beat Miss Hardie and Hamlet, 13-4. Miss King and Taylor beat Miss Fowkes and Lee, 12-5. Division E. Miss Fox and Miss Lawson beat Miss Hudson and Miss Smith, 15-2. Miss Carr and Mrs. Fairbairn beat Miss Mason and Miss Jackson, 9-8.

BEAVERS DOUBLE THE TYEES TOTAL

And the Disgusted Manager Issued Rain Checks For a Real Game

Engle, Armstrong and Corrigan, banked upon to help Victoria run right through Vancouver for the first four games of the series and all thought to be on their way from Seattle were absent from the Tyees line-up yesterday afternoon. The Beavers got the game eight to four. The local bosses were so disgusted with the turn of the events after the hopes held out to the fans that Manager Brown, minus his usual smile, walked on to the field and informed the fans of the prodigal delayed homecoming, and announced that rain checks would be issued so that they could come into another game during the series and see some real play with a full team out. The motion carried unanimously.

Ted Easterly had to do a lot of thinking and had his field shifted around until there was not a man in his proper position. The infield was good but some of the outfielding was of the kind the least said the better. Morton and Barham pitched good ball, the big Vancouver hurler has more than a smile but with all the Tyees pill swatters out to bat and the regulation sample of fielding he would have had to work harder to win.

Ritter, second man up, opened the score by hitting Morton over the right fence with no one on bases, but no one else got as far as first. Alexander, Zinkie and Hinkle failed to get anything off Barham. It was left to the pitcher to make the first hit, Morton driving one to the centre field for first base, but no one helped him to get further. "Pep" struck out Patterson, Barham and Spranger in a row in the third and Barham kept his bases clean.

Alexander's poor fielding in the right garden allowed Hood to make a three-bagger and the visitors hung up three before the innings closed. In the fourth Kinsale got to the third sack, and Hinkle hit the wire on top of the centre field, but only got a single. With Eddie Oatman last man up Zinkie tried to steal home as Eddie grounded out, and reached the plate as Eddie connected with the ball.

Washington singled, Fitzsimmons flew out and Alexander got a two-bagger in the fifth and Zinkie doubled and brought home Washington. Hood put one over the fence in the sixth and followed Ritter around the bags. Speas walked and made third on Arnsperger's hit, and Patterson came through with a two-bagger, bringing home his manager and Arnsperger, putting Vancouver six ahead.

Two Over the Fence. Two over the fence in succession in the eighth made the fans look for a final rally. Hinkle dropped one on the fence and it bounced over the wire, and Forsythe followed him with another one over the fence. The only trouble was the bases were empty. A double

Table with columns: A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. for Alexander, Zinkie, Hinkle, Forsythe, Morton, Oatman, Washington, Fitzsimmons, Spranger, Ritter, Hood, Henion, Speas, Arnsperger, Patterson, Barham. Includes totals and score by innings.

Summary: Home runs—Forsythe, Hinkle, Hood, Ritter. Three-base hits—Hood. Two-base hits—Ritter, Patterson, Alexander. Stolen bases—Zinkie. Struck out—By Morton, 10; by Barham, 8. Base on balls—Morton to Forsythe, 3; Hinkle; Coen to Ritter to Speas. Bases on balls—Off Morton, 2. Time of game—1 hour 55 minutes. Umpire—Grindle.

FULL TEAM OUT FOR BALL GAME TO-NIGHT

The Tyees expect to turn the tables to-night on the men from Vancouver in the second game of the series. When the bell rings at 6.45 this evening the missing players who had a job persuading the immigration authorities they were not coming to Victoria to find work in the shipyards will be in the line-up. The team will probably take the field as follows: Easterly, pitcher; Forsythe, first base; Raymond, second base; Armstrong, shortstop; Corrigan, third base; Zinkie, left field; Hinkle, centre field, and Morton, right field. Clink or Henion will twist for Vancouver, and the selection for Victoria has not been made between Engle, Washington and Alexander.

BASEBALL

Table with columns: Northwestern League, Coast League, National League, American League. Includes team names and statistics.

LEAGUE BASEBALL

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INTER-ALLIED TENNIS IN PROGRESS IN PARIS

Paris, May 28.—The play in the first two days of the singles tennis tournament of the inter-allied games, under the auspices of the American army on the courts of the Racing Club of France in Paris, resulted in the elimination of all players but two Australians, two Americans, two French, one Canadian and one Czech-Slovak. All the Roumanian and Serbian players were eliminated Tuesday.

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"TIGERS" READY TO DANCE

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Everything is ready for the grand social dance to be held in the Knights of Pythias Hall, North Park Street, this evening at 8 o'clock in honor of the 29th Battalion. The committees have worked energetically, and have a splendid evening planned. When the dance is called the floor will present a merry scene with about 150 couples swaying to fascinating music. The "Tigers" are all keen about the dance as it will be the first genuine Canadian dance that most of them

have attended for several years. Canadian dances were arranged quite often in England, but the dainty damsels of the West were missing.

Col. Slater, Frank Giolma, M.L.A., and Sgt. Ault, all former members of the 29th Battalion, will give short addresses.

THOUGHT IT WAS SUICIDE

A prominent merchant was discovered a few days ago brandishing a razor at midnight. His wife called for assistance, but found her Hubby was only paring his corns. Far better not to risk blood poisoning—use Putnam's Corn Extractor, 25c, at all dealers.

L. O. D. E. PICTURES ON VIEW AT HIGH SCHOOL

Collection Includes Historical Paintings by Famous British Artists

Realizing that an education having for its aim an inculcation of a love of the beautiful in art is one of the biggest factors in the development of the coming generation, the Daughters of the Empire some time ago embarked upon a scheme to bring a number of the art treasures of the British nation within the ken of the children of the Dominion. It being impossible to bring the originals to Canada, steps were taken to obtain realistic copies which, to all but an expert or connoisseur, retain the beauties of line and color of the masterpieces from which they are taken. The pictures have been chosen with a view to their educational value and each represents some interesting scene or personage in British history.

The Provincial Chapter, L. O. D. E., has acquired a complete set of these pictures to be used as a traveling library throughout British Columbia. The collection has now arrived in Victoria and during this week and the early part of next will be on exhibition in the art class-room at the High School, where anyone interested may view it after the school's closing hour, 3.30. The collection combines the dual attraction of educational value from the historical point of view and from the standpoint of art, representing as it does the masterpieces of some of the most renowned artists of their day.

Included in the collection are copies of such national treasures as the frescoes which adorn the British House of Commons and the Royal Exchange. In this series are depicted incidents such as "Alfred the Great Rebuilding the Walls of London" (P. O. Salisbury); "The Pheonicians Trading With the Ancient Britons" (Lord Leighton); "Charles the First Visits the Guildhall, 1641" (Solomon J. Solomon, R.A.); "King John Signing the Magna Charta" (Ernest Norman), and other epoch-making episodes in the history of the Empire, as visualized by some of the greatest painters.

A very beautiful series of hand-colored Burlington proofs includes such subjects as "Van Dyck's 'Young Prince the First,'" while the more modern school of art is represented in two of Sir John Millais' "Raleigh's Boyhood" and "Princes in the Tower." Illustration of episodes in British history from the Roman period to the present day are presented in a series of historical cartoons. One of the greatest incidents in Canada's history is shown in this series, "Wolfe on the Plains of Abraham" (Henry Justice Ford). Facsimiles of the royal collection of paintings in Buckingham Palace and Windsor Castle include the dignified portrait of Queen Victoria, sitting in her robes of State, in the Coronation Chair at Westminster Abbey. Painted by the eminent French artist, Benjamin Constant, this picture is one of the happiest of "The Great White Queen," the sombre background of the Abbey throwing into sharp relief the face, which is etherealized by the sunshine streaming through a nearby stained-glass window.

Copies of the pictures have been acquired by the National Chapter in connection with the educational scheme of the Order, under which chapters may purchase copies for presentation to schools and to arouse the interest of the members arrangements are being made to hold a special "L. O. D. E." gathering at the school one day next week.

MORE HEROES RETURNING

Capt. Futcher, M.C., Croix de Guerre, and Lieut. Vincent McKenna, M.C., on Their Way Home.

Among the soldiers who returned from France this afternoon was Capt. Arthur C. Futcher, M. C. Croix de Guerre, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Futcher, of Owl Bay Road. He left here as a private with the 18th Battalion early in 1915 and was sent to France to re-inforce the 15th Battalion.

CAPT. A. C. FUTCHER

He received his commission on the field and in due course received his captaincy. Capt. Futcher was for some time manager of the Victoria West branch of the Royal Bank of Canada. At the time he enlisted he was at Coombs on the E. & N. railway engaged in the real estate business.

Lieut. Vincent McKenna, M. C., son of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. McKenna, of this city, is now on his way home. Word was received yesterday that he had arrived in the East with the 18th Battery and after being discharged proceeded to Toronto to spend a few days.

Lieut. McKenna left here with the 62nd Battery under Major W. M. J. Martin and when the unit reached England he went to Shorecliffe and from there was drafted to France. He was with the 19th Battery from Vimy to Mons.

Lieut. McKenna is expected back in the city about the end of next week. After three years' overseas service of Montevideo, son of J. S. Floyd, Pic. Claude Floyd, returned to Victoria with the 29th Battalion. He left here with the 88th Battalion in 1916 and proceeded to France in time for the Somme fighting. He went through the remainder of the war without a scratch.

PLANS PROGRESS FOR GOAT SHOW JUNE 7

There will be a meeting next week of goat-keepers to make final arrangements for the show on June 7. This meeting will be held in room 217 Pemberton Building, on Monday next at 8 p. m.

Through the kindness of Mr. Hemingway the show will be held in his auction rooms and grounds on Pisgah Street. Considerable difficulty was experienced in getting a suitable location in the centre of the city and the Association feels indebted to Mr. Hemingway for the use of his premises.

The show will be judged by Dr. Ransom, president of the Association. Entries close at the end of this week and it is necessary that all entries should be in promptly.

The classification of entries follows:

Registered.
Goats born in 1919, goats born in 1918, goats born previous to 1918, milking; goats born previous to 1918; not milking.

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Goats born in 1919, goats born in 1918, goats born previous to 1918, not milking; goats born previous to 1918, not milking; best quarter pound (or more) butter; best quarter pound (or more) cheese.

NO PLACE FOR WILLY-THEN.
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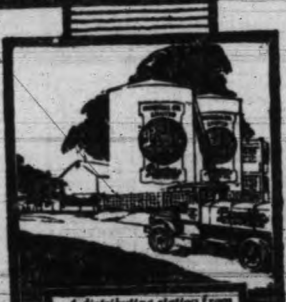
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Pyorrhea is undoubtedly a vital danger to both gums and teeth. Tender gums indicate it, and with it come loosening teeth. Imperceptibly, at first, the gums recede from the normal gum line. They inflame. They present many tiny openings for millions of bacteria to attack the unenameled tooth base.

Against this Pyorrhea (Gingivitis) ordinary tooth-pastes are powerless. Yet Pyorrhea attacks four out of five people who are over forty, and many under this age. But Forhan's - if used in time and used consistently - positively prevents Pyorrhea. It is a scientific tooth cleanser as well.

Brush your teeth with it. See how promptly bleeding or gum tenderness ceases and how your teeth are kept white and clean.

If gum-shrinkage has already set in, start using Forhan's and consult a dentist immediately for special treatment.

30c and 60c tubes. All Drugists. F. J. FORTMAN, LTD., 307 St. James St., Montreal.

FORHAN'S FOR THE GUMS

RECEIVES VETERANS' REPRESENTATIONS ON TEACHER QUESTION

The School Board received a communication from the Great War Veterans' Association this morning setting forth the contentions of that body respecting the principalships of four Victoria schools. The Association urges that these principalships be filled by soldier teachers.

STOMACH TROUBLES ARE DUE TO ACIDITY

Safe, Certain, Speedy Relief for Acid Indigestion. An antacid, such as bisulphated magnesia which can be obtained from any drugist in either powder or tablet form, neutralizes the acid, and makes it bland and out of the stomach.

Gas distends the stomach and causes that full, oppressive, burning feeling sometimes known as heartburn, while the acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach. The trouble lies entirely in the excess development, or over-creation of acid.

To stop or prevent this souring of the food contents of the stomach and to neutralize the acid, and make it bland and out of the stomach, a teaspoonful of bisulphated magnesia, a good and effective corrector of acid stomach, should be taken in a quantity of water or cold water after eating or whenever gas, sourness or acidity is felt.

This neutralizes the acidity in a few moments and is a perfectly harmless and inexpensive remedy to use.

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Magnesia comes in several forms, so be certain to ask for and take only Bisulphated Magnesia which is especially prepared for the above purpose.

CITY RECEIVES NEW HOUSING CONTRACT

Government Will Allow Municipality Additional \$45,000, Making Total \$180,000

Concessions favorable to the municipality are contained in the new Housing Agreement received by Mayor Porter to-day. The agreement is similar to that recently accepted by Vancouver and allows Victoria an additional \$45,000 over its original allocation under the Housing Scheme, making a total allocation of \$180,000.

The following is supplementary to the first offer to the city, making the terms less onerous to the corporation:

- 1. The Lieutenant Governor in Council may make to a municipality with which a general scheme of better housing has been agreed upon, a free grant to the amount of \$300 for each soldier with or to whom the municipality makes an agreement or loan in connection with an approved scheme for better housing. 2. It shall be a condition of such free grant that the soldier obtains the full benefit of the last money interest thereon only become effective upon the ten years upon the land covered by this agreement with the municipality, and carrying out all the provisions thereof. 3. The said sum may be advanced forthwith to the municipality upon a soldier purchase being obtained and the municipality shall not be charged nor shall charge the soldier any interest thereon during the currency of its agreement with the soldier and the said sum shall be available to the soldier to apply as part of the last money interest required by him to complete his payments to the municipality. 4. In the event of the failure of any soldier to complete the term of ten years' residence, and the other terms of his agreement, with the result that the lands duly revert to the Municipality the said sum of \$300 shall thereupon become chargeable to the municipality and the accrued interest thereon shall be paid at the next date fixed for the payment of interest.

SMALL PARTIES CAME ON CEDRIC TO HALIFAX

The British Columbia Returned Soldier Commission, Parliament Buildings, has been advised by telegram from the O.C. Clearing Depot, Halifax, N.S., that the following party ex Cedric left there on May 27 for their respective dispersal areas:

- For Victoria: Lieut. J. A. Fletcher, 1000 Carberry Gardens. Lieut. W. K. Jull, 1596 Yale Street. Lieut. T. W. Scott, care Andrew Wright, Hillingdon, Uplands. Pte. A. B. McIlvride, 441 Gorge Road. Pte. T. H. Currie, 2121 Gorge Street. Cpl. H. N. Stone, 1924 Maple Avenue, Richmond Road. Pte. H. Richards, 1651 Oakland Avenue. Pte. A. T. Heyland, 456 Niagara Street. Pte. R. J. Haganbuck, 932 Agnes Street. Cpl. F. Fox, 550 Dallas Road. Lieut. C. H. J. Greenway, 2222 Quadra Street. Dvr. C. P. Lord, 1321 Pembroke Street. Spr. R. A. Beaven, 725 Vancouver Street. Dvr. D. Stevenson, 1929 Ash Street. Pte. J. Evans, care J. E. Crane, 2933 Gosworth Road. Dvr. G. H. Harris, 24 McQuin Avenue. Spr. L. Brotherton, Lake Hill. Spr. C. B. Frampton, 95 Wellington Avenue. Pte. J. J. Stewart, 1752 Leo Avenue. Pte. A. Middleton, 1880 Stann Street. Pte. T. Hudson, Mt. Edwards, Vancouver Street. Cpl. F. X. Bledsoe, 1749 Lillian Road. Pte. E. Hector, R.M.D. No. 4. Pte. J. H. Carveth, 2749 Cook Street. Mfr. A. H. Whitson, care Miss K. B. Kinney, 1722 Bank Street. Pte. H. F. Brett, Mrs. C. H. Vesey, 850 Dominion Road. Gnr. W. H. Colpman, 1416 St. David Street. Pte. J. M. Baker, 1321 Pandora Avenue. R.S.M. D. Brown, 2516 Shelbourne Street. Sergt. L. D. Fulton, 917 Kings Road. C.S.M. C. H. Curtis, G.P.O. Cpl. G. E. Pauline, 3112 Glasgow Avenue. Dvr. D. Cameron, care Mrs. Todd, 3027 Graham Street. Gnr. F. L. Arndt, 25 Menzies Street. Gnr. J. Graham, 3214 Millgrove Street. For Other Places on the Island: Cpl. R. E. Nigmo, Saanichton; Pte. J. Deap, Nanaimo; Pte. H. J. Dudley, Nanaimo; H. C. Shaw, Nanaimo; Sergt. D. W. Warnock, Alberni; Pte. H. Young, Keating; Sergt. E. Jackson, Cumberland; Lce.-Cpl. T. Hunter, Ladysmith.

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There are despairing men and women by the thousands in this city, whose stomachs keep them in constant misery that can be quickly relieved to vigorous health by Dr. Hamilton's Pills.

We know of no other medicine that possesses such power to kindle into new life the exhausted energies of chronic stomach sufferers.

There is an extraordinary power in Dr. Hamilton's Pills that searches out the weak spots, that braces up the delicate glands and complex workings of the stomach and bowels.

There are invigorating, stimulating, tonic ingredients in Dr. Hamilton's Pills which are derived from powerful juices taken from rare herbs and roots, and these are scientifically combined with other medicinal products so as to assist in a harmonious and proper working of the entire system.

The ingredients of Dr. Hamilton's Pills, coming from the great storehouse of Mother Nature herself, can be relied upon to be harmless. Guaranteed results follow to all who use Dr. Hamilton's Pills for Stomach Weakness, Gas, Sourness, Headache, Biliousness or Constipation.

Seekers of the better health can not do better than invest 25c. in this health-bringing family medicine.

Smart Styles in Women's Wash Skirts From \$1.75 to \$4.50



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Splendid Values in Nurses' Dresses, Waists and Aprons

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Exceptional Values in Undermuslins

Women's Underskirts of good quality seersucker crepe, in flesh and white. A practical garment, easy to launder, well made and finished with deep hemstitched flounce. Extra special at \$1.39

Women's Underskirts of fine quality white plaque, for wearing with wash skirts, finished with elastic waist and deep flounce, trimmed with fancy stitching. Exceptional value \$1.29

Women's Bloomers, developed from flesh and white seersucker crepe. Cut full and finished with elastic at waist and knees. Specially priced at \$1.69

Corset Covers made of fine cotton, trimmed with dainty laces and ribbon draw; sizes 36 to 44. Price \$1.59

Drawers of fine muslin, open and closed, finished with fine muslin embroidery and insertion. Price 95c. \$1.25 and \$1.50

Outing Hats at Attractive Prices

Wash Hats, developed of strong material, with neatly stitched brims; colors, rose, blue, purple and white. Price \$1.25

Wash Hats of white gaberdine and pique, with colored facings. Price \$1.50 and \$1.65

Sport Hats of silk poplin, with stitched brims and neat bands; shown in all the wanted colors. Price \$2.50 and \$3.50

Felt Hats, in white and colors. Price \$1.50

Felt Sport Hats, in white with brims faced in gold, Copen, green, finished with ribbon band. Price \$1.95

Panama Shapes, in flop and sailor styles; some with roll brims; white and cream. Price \$2.50 to \$7.50

Panama Shapes in several good styles; universally sold at \$1.50. Our price is \$1.00

Fine Milan Hats in large and small salons, large mushrooms, and many small shapes. Price \$7.75 to \$10.00

New Summer Voiles Regular 59c to 65c Values. On Sale 39c

New Summer Voiles in an exceptionally fine woven quality. Beautiful floral designs in shades of pink, pale blue, lavender, silver grey and with dark grounds with combination color effects; 40 inches wide. Extraordinary value. Regular 59c to 65c value. Special, only during Sale, yard \$39c

Ginghamette Wash Fabrics Regular 85c. On Sale, 59c

Here is one of our newest of Wash Fabrics, offered at a remarkably low price. Special only during Sale. Ginghamette comes in stylish plaids and beautiful blended colorings without doubt one of the smartest dress Ginghamettes on the market. Woven of extra fine selected cotton yarn; 21 inches wide. Regular 85c. Special during Sale, yard \$59c

Bleached Sheeting Regular 75c. On Sale, 59c

Full bleached sheeting in a good heavy serviceable quality; 72 inches wide and of nice even-weave, which will give very satisfactory wear. Regular 75c yard. Special, on Sale \$59c

Ready-Made Sheets Regular \$4.50. On Sale, \$3.39 Pr.

Full Bleached Ready-Made Sheets, hemmed ready for use. Made from a good quality sheeting; size 72 x 90 inches. Regular \$4.50 pair. Special, on Sale \$3.39

Satin Finished Bedspreads Regular \$2.50. On Sale, \$1.79

Handsome Satin Finished Marcella Bedspreads in a variety of excellent designs, large size. This is a very unusual bargain which gives you an opportunity to purchase a high grade bedspread at a moderate price. Regular \$2.50. Special, on Sale \$1.79

White Crochet Bedspreads Regular \$3.95. On Sale, \$3.29

White Crochet Bedspreads in very attractive designs and an excellent wearing quality; large sizes, 72 x 90. Regular \$3.95. Special, on Sale \$3.29

White Cambric Regular 35c. On Sale, 26c

Fine White Cambric in an exceptionally nice quality, especially suitable for home-sewn lingerie; 34 inches wide. Regular, 35c. Special, on sale, yard \$26c

White Flannelette 10-Yard Lengths. On Sale, \$3.29

White Flannelette in a very durable weave with a nice soft finish; 20 inches wide. Put up in 10-yard lengths, and at the price offered is a splendid bargain. Regular 40c quality. Special, on sale, 10 yards for \$3.29

Special Reductions on Irish Made Table Cloths and Table Damasks

Table Damask Regular \$2.25, on Sale \$1.79 Yard.

Full Bleached Table Damask, in first-grade quality and designs. Beautiful even weave, superior satin finish; 64 inches wide. This is an exceptionally good quality of damask and makes perfect table cloths. Regular \$2.25. Special on sale, yard \$1.79

Table Damask Regular \$1.50, on Sale \$1.19

Unbleached Table Damask, in splendid quality and designs. Nice weave, which soon bleaches white. Will give excellent wear. 66 inches wide. Regular \$1.50. Special on sale \$1.19



Damask Table Cloths Regular \$4.50 Value, on Sale \$3.39

Union Damask Table Cloths of Irish manufacture, in shamrock, chrysanthemum, ivy leaf and other designs. Size 72 x 72 ins. This is a splendid quality cloth and will give every satisfaction. Regular \$4.50. Special on sale \$3.39

Damask Table Cloths Regular \$1.75 and \$2.00 Values, on Sale \$1.39

Two odd lines of Damask Table Cloths to clear at this special price. Excellent quality and designs in sizes 45 x 45 and 54 x 54 inches. Regular \$1.75 and \$2.00 values. Special on sale, \$1.39

A New Showing of Summer Waists Which Will Interest You

Just arrived, a new group of those ever popular price Waists, the Waists that cost so little and still give such never-failing and complete satisfaction. SIGHTLINESS is the possession of every Waist, but far more than that, they're a most SENSIBLE and SERVICEABLE Blouse, for they are made of quality fabrics and in such a dependable manner as to absolutely insure long and satisfactory wear.

We are exceedingly anxious to have every woman and girl of waist-wearing age get acquainted with these new models, for acquaintanceship with this favored Blouse means its purchase repeatedly: it means a habit of true economy which brings to one who practices it a lot of genteel, pretty, distinctive Blouses for a very small expenditure.

New Styles on Sale To-morrow at \$2.00 and \$3.50.

\$12.75 to \$18.50 Room Size Rugs, Friday Each, \$9.98

About twenty of these to go at this reduced price Friday. You can choose from 9 x 10-6 Reversible Brussels Rugs, in all shades, 3 x 10 feet; best quality Rice Fibre and Wire Grass Rugs, in all shades; and our entire stock of 6 x 9 feet Washable Rugs, in pretty floral designs and band borders, in shades of rose, gold and green, and blue shades. Regular \$12.75 to \$18.50 values. Friday, each, \$9.98

Reg. 35c to 50c Heavy Scotch Ends of Cretonne, Fine Chintz and Dimity, Friday Yd., 39c

Dozens of pretty pieces from 10 yards down to about 2 yards, and all this season's good styles are represented at this price Friday; 36-inch fine Chintz, Satteen and Dimity, and good 30-inch English Cretonne. Regular 35c, 50c, 75c, 85c to \$1.25 values. Friday, yard \$39c

Attractive New Styles in Middies and Smocks

New Silk Middies in White Habutai and Pongee, made in regulation style with laced front. Sailor collar, pockets and belt. Sizes 36 to 44. Price \$4.95

Norfolk Middies of fine white jean, with sailor collar and long sleeves, pockets and belt. Sizes 34 to 44. Price \$2.95

Crepe Jumpers, made in sleeveless style, with round or V necks, trimmed with fancy white stitching, in shades of pink, helio, Nile and mauve. Price, \$3.95

Practical Middies of Fine White Middy Cloth, made in regulation style with long sleeves, finished with sash at waist and smoked fronts at \$2.50

Splendid Values in Jack Tar Middies, in all-white or with colored collars and pockets. Made with long sleeves and buttoned cuffs. Sizes 36 to 44. Extra special value at \$1.98

Coat Middies made of fine White Jean with check or stripe gingham collars; also crepe collars. Long sleeves, pockets and belt. Price \$2.50

Children's Tub Dresses

Attractive Styles in Girls' Wash Dresses, made of heavy American gingham, Polly Anna cloth and natural pongee silk; smartly made with wide belt, large collars, short sleeves and fancy pockets; trimmed with large pearl buttons; some with touches of smocking and knit skirts; others plain middie styles. Ages six to fourteen years. Priced at \$5.00

Girls' Dresses of gingham, pongee and Polly Anna cloth; plain middie styles, or with square neck, fancy pockets and wide belts, knitted skirts; shades of blue, apple green, natural and pink; ages 8 to 14 years. Prices, \$3.00 to \$4.50

Regular \$7.50 and \$8.75 Rice Grass Rugs, Each \$6.49

About one dozen of these repriced for quick selling Friday. A splendid rug for summer homes or bedroom use. Size 9 x 12 feet, in pretty shades of blue, brown and green. Some have plain key borders, others have allover medallion centres. Regular \$7.50 and \$8.75 values. Friday, each \$6.49

Reg. to \$1.25 Values in Mill Net and Voile Scrims, Friday Yard, 29c

A splendid opportunity to renew your Curtains Friday at this reduced price; 36 and 40-inch Heavy Striped Scotch Net and strong Bungalow Nets, fine Voile Scrims and Etamine; 36 inches wide; in shades of white, ivory and ecru, with neat drawn-thread borders and double ribbon edges. Regular 25c, 30c and 50c values. Friday, yard \$29c