

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday: Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, fine and warmer to-day and on Sunday.

Columbia—Three-Word Brand. Royal Victoria—The Last Trail and Grand National. The Capitol—A Good Provider. Dominion—Across a Continent. Princess—The Play. Variety—A Game Chicken.

MANSION LEAVES SUNDAY CLOSING ISSUE TO BOARD

Military Party in South China Tries To Oust Sun Yat Sen

Chiefs Refuse to Allow Head of Southern Government to Enter Canton; Sun Yat Sen Orders Navy to Bombard Canton Arsenal.

Hongkong, May 27.—General Cheng Chung Ming, the South China military leader, is demanding that Sun Yat Sen resign from the presidency of the South China Government at Canton, it was reliably reported here to-day. The military forces of the Canton Government refuse to allow President Sun to enter Canton and he has ordered the navy to bombard the arsenal, it is reported.

BRITISH SOLDIER KILLED IN DUBLIN

Shot by Civilians; Girl in Belfast Killed

Campaign of Incendiarism in Ulster Capital

Dublin, May 27.—A British soldier was shot and killed and another was seriously wounded by two civilians to-day as the soldiers were leaving the post office on the College Green. The soldiers had entered the post office, leaving their automobiles at the curb. When they came out they were seized by the two assailants from behind. The soldiers tried to free themselves, whereupon the assailants fired four shots. One of the bullets entered the chest of a British soldier and he died. Another soldier was wounded in the leg. It was stated that the soldiers had cashed a cheque at a bank nearby before going to the post office and robbery was believed to have been the motive.

Barricade Built

Londonderry, Ireland, May 27.—Ulster special constables early to-day built a stone barricade three feet high, surrounded by barbed wire, in order to block the castle gate leading from the city proper to the Nationalist area.

Girl Killed

Belfast, May 27.—A girl of ten was shot dead and another girl, a man and a woman were wounded during an outbreak here last night.

Woman Killed

London, May 27.—Continued outbreaks of disorder in Ireland are reported in dispatches to the morning newspapers. It is stated that members of the "Irish Republican Army" surrounded Ballinacorney, County Londonderry, and arrested the Protestant in the town, charging them with conspiracy with the Orangemen in the north.

Woman Killed

A woman was shot and killed by raiders at Castle Reagh, County Roscommon.

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The correspondent of The London Times at Strabane says armed men are arresting Ulstermen in Donegal County in reprisal for the arrest of 200 Fenians throughout Ulster. There is a big contingent of men of the "Irish Republican Army" in Lifford and more are entering the county.

INDIAN DISPLAY SEPARATELY SHOWN

Notable Addition to Provincial Museum to Be Opened

Special Visitors' Day on Monday Evening

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EARLY DECISION ON REPARATIONS

Germans Await Allies' Statement on Paper Money

Course Must Be Clear by May 31

Berlin, May 27.—The German Government is awaiting word from Paris regarding a possible modification of the terms covering the issuance of paper money before taking action as announced by the Reparations Commission. The Reparations Commission, as now reinforced by the views of international bankers gathered at Paris, requiring definite action by May 31, is understood in political quarters to-day.

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OAK BAY SCHOOL SPORTS POPULAR

Competition Is Good at Annual School Sports

A long list of sport events was held at the annual school sports day of the Oak Bay Municipality, held yesterday afternoon at the Oak Bay Park. The High School won the Intermediate shield in this sport event, while the St. Aidan's won the Junior shield. The result of the day's events were as follows: Intermediate college shield—Won by Oak Bay High School. Junior Challenge shield—Won by St. Aidan's School. Clear challenge cup and medal, 440 yards, senior—Won by McGregor Oak Bay High School. Junior Challenge cup, 220 yards, Junior—Won by Mearns, St. Aidan's School. 100 yards, senior boys—1, McGregor; 2, Clark; 3, Mathewson. 100 yards, senior girls—1, Miss Hinton; 2, Miss Herchermer. 100 yards, intermediate boys—1, Phil; 2, Adams; 3, Killen. 100 yards, intermediate girls—1, Miss Edwards; 2, Miss Clark; 3, Miss Whitney. 100 yards, junior boys—1, Mearns; 2, Edwards; 3, Bates. 100 yards, junior girls—1, Miss McInnis; 2, Miss Thomas; 3, Miss Clark. Boys' intermediate relay race—1, High School; 2, St. Michael's. Boys' junior relay race—1, St. Aidan's; 2, Willows School. Running broad jump, senior—1, Brandon; 2, Mallory; 3, Holland. Running broad jump, intermediate—1, Willis; 2, Fell; 3, Killen. Running broad jump, Junior—1, Edwards; 2, Wilson; 3, Mearns. Running broad jump, novice—1, Pease; 2, Daves; 3, Sturrock. Running broad jump, hantam—1, Hamber; 2, Beveridge; 3, Burdon. Girls' intermediate relay race—1, High School; 2, Monterey School. Girls' junior relay race—1, Monterey School; 2, Willows School. Boys' novice relay race—1, Monterey School; 2, Willows School. Slow bicycle race—1, Rose. Girls' skipping race, under 12—1, Phyllis Buckley; 2, M. Buchanan. Girls' skipping race, over 12—1, Iris Thomas; 2, D. Campbell. Boys' senior 440 yards—1, McGregor; 2, Clarke; 3, Adamson.

Boys' intermediate, 440 yards—1, Fell; 2, Killen; 3, Adams. Boys' junior 440 yards—1, Mearns; 2, Lambert; 3, Fleming. Sack race—1, B. K. Mansfield and G. E. Clark; 2, McKinnon and V. Hinton. Girls' egg and spoon race—1, G. E. Whittall; 2, V. Hinton. Girls' three-legged race—1, Misses Crombie and Chattell; 2, Misses I. Munroe and E. Thackeray. Boys' three-legged race—1, McKinnon and Pitkethley; 2, Lambert and Latta. Girls' high jump—Junior, Irene Hemming; hantam, Violet Holland; novice, Lorna Howard. High jump, boys—Bantam, Beveridge; novice, Pease. High jump, senior boys—1, Holland; 2, Mathewson. High jump, senior girls—1, Miss Hayward; 2, Miss Herchermer. High jump, intermediate boys—1, Adams; 2, Fell; 3, Killen. High jump, intermediate girls—1, I. Kerr. High jump, junior boys—1, Pease; 2, Mearns. 200 yards, senior boys—1, McGregor; 2, Mathewson; 3, Clark. 220 yards, intermediate boys—1, Adams; 2, Fell; 3, Killen. 220 yards, senior boys—1, Mearns; 2, McMoylie; 3, Lambert. Three-legged race, girls—1, Miss McConnan; 2, Miss Hemming. Tug-of-war—Monterey School. Three-legged race, boys under 9—1, A. Bird and R. MacLean. Skipping, girls under 9—V. Holland. Three-legged race, girls under 9—1, S. Tait and P. Grant. 75 yards, boys 9 to 11—Davis. 75 yards, boys 9 years—Mearns. 50 yards, boys 7 years—Hemming. 50 yards, boys 4 years—Sutton. 50 yards, girls 9 to 11—K. Erb. 50 yards, girls 8 years—P. Grant. 50 yards, girls 7 years—K. Burt. 50 yards, girls 6 years—H. Thacker.

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SELLERS BACK TO OWNERS ON EASY TERMS

City to Take Payments on Reverted Property Over Fifteen Years

Former land owners, whose property has reverted to the City, would be given fifteen years in which to purchase their land back again, under a plan which the civic Reverted Lands Committee approved yesterday afternoon and which will be laid before the City Council Monday night. This plan will be approved without opposition, the Committee believes.

The fifteen-year scheme is really only an extension of the Committee's present land sale policy. At present former owners who wish to buy their land back from the City are allowed five years in which to complete payment.

No legislative authority will be required to put the fifteen-year scheme into effect, as explained at the City Hall to-day, for the City can sell reverted property on whatever basis it desires. Until a year after the time when the property reverts, however, the city cannot return it to the owner unless he pays all the taxes due upon it—in other words, the fifteen-year scheme will apply only to land which is past redemption.

In a sense the new scheme anticipates the report of Dr. Adam Shortt, who recently investigated the City's finances. Shortt expected, however, to go further than this and urge the City to allow land owners to pay up accumulated arrears over a fifteen-year period even if the property has not reached the reversion stage.

The Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau is securing the hearty co-operation of a large number of American hotels, banks, business houses and public organizations in making known to the general public, and particularly the motoring tourist, the advantages of a trip to Victoria and Vancouver Island.

YACHT CLUB OPENING CRUISE.

Members of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club are busy getting ready for the cruise on Sunday. During the week boat owners have been cleaning and painting their yachts so as to have them looking their best for the opening event of the season. The fleet will start from the Club on Sunday morning at 10.30 and proceed to Little Cordova Bay, where all hands will be called out to join forces in a picnic lunch ashore. The boat-owning members are particularly desirous that the associate members of the club will come along, and a committee will see that they are assigned to some of the larger boats. The committee also has in mind to have a regatta, and the one-design dinghy class will also hold races after lunch.

HARPER DRAWS WITH SACCO.

Vancouver, May 27.—Bobby Harper, of Seattle, lightweight champion of the Pacific Coast, and Jimmy Sacco, of Boston, fought ten rounds to a draw here last night. Harper had much the better of the in-fighting, but Sacco showed great recuperative powers and made a whirlwind finish. Harper showed a willingness to mix it at all times, but was unable to land decisively except at close range.

Vic Foley, of Vancouver, was given the decision over Mike Mitchell, of Seattle, after six rounds of very hard fighting. In the opening rounds Mitchell showed great cleverness, but this was offset by Foley's boring-in tactics, which won him the decision. They are bantamweights.

Bobby Webster, of Vancouver, was given the decision over Ernie Daly, of Seattle, at the end of four rounds. Webster had all the better of the first two rounds, but Daly came back strong in the last two and evened matters up. The fight was a light-weight.

Younis Stanton, of Vancouver, knocked out "Red" Harbottle, of Vancouver, in the third round of a scheduled four-round bout in which Stanton did most of the leading and had things his own way from the start. They are welterweights.

Joe Lynn, of Vancouver, and "Bill" Thornton, of Vancouver, fought a four-round draw, in which honors were even most of the way. In the opening preliminary Billy Young, of Vancouver, scored a easy victory over Jack McInnes, of Vancouver, in the first round, of a scheduled four-round bout. McInnes was on the floor most of the round. They are lightweight.

THE WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Meteorological Department. Victoria, May 27.—5 a. m.—The barometer is high over this Province and one, warmer weather is becoming general on the Pacific Slope. Local rains have occurred in the interior.

REPORTS.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.45; temperature, maximum yesterday, 57; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, clear. Vancouver—Barometer, 30.46; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, clear. Kamloops—Barometer, 30.52; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 28; wind, calm; weather, clear. Barkerville—Barometer, 30.56; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 36; wind, calm; weather, clear. Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.52; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 44; wind, 12 miles S. E.; rain, 16; weather, cloudy. East Vancouver, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 48; rain, 48.

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SUFFERS POISONING.

Sydney, N. S., May 27.—H. J. McCann, assistant general manager of the Dominion Coal Company, is seriously ill at his home here, suffering from ptomaine poisoning contracted from eating lobsters.

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Notice to Up-Island Residents

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BUREAU SECURES MUCH CO-OPERATION

Americans Assist in Advertising Island

The Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau is securing the hearty co-operation of a large number of American hotels, banks, business houses and public organizations in making known to the general public, and particularly the motoring tourist, the advantages of a trip to Victoria and Vancouver Island.

The two banks in Anacortes have issued their pamphlet with a back page illustration of the new Victoria-Anacortes motor-car and passenger ferry route. Hotels in every American town and city of any importance have granted permission to display large framed pictures of Victoria and the vicinity in their lobbies and personal letters have been received from the American side, who desire to do everything possible to co-operate in making the attractions of the Pacific Northwest better known.

The automobile clubs of Western Washington and of Oregon are including Victoria and Vancouver Island in their road maps. The Bureau has had large sign-boards erected in numerous places on the American coast, and will serve the purpose in attracting the tourists to Vancouver Island. These include highway and national park signs, and other well patronized places.

Mrs. Shaw, publicity writer for the Bureau, is at present in Anacortes, and will return to-morrow evening, having made the trip for the purpose of writing the publicity matter for the Bureau's pamphlet.

C.P.R. WILL DO NEW BRIDGE WORK

Will Instal Steel on Reserve Bridge, Works Committee Decides

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company will handle the installation of a small bridge on the Reserve to carry its tracks after the new western end of the new Johnson Street bridge, it was announced at the City Hall to-day after the civic Public Works Committee had considered the matter yesterday afternoon. Under the original plans the city would have managed this work, but the railway company's familiarity with this type of construction has caused a readjustment of the original plans. The matter was discussed when C. P. R. engineers reached here yesterday to inspect the bridge project and was approved by the Works Committee. The C. P. R. will do all the steel work in the small bridge while the city will build the bridge project and was approved by the project will pay for its own side of the bridge. This is considered a very satisfactory arrangement.

The Public Works Committee yesterday approved the new Northwest Sewer agreement with Saanich and it will be signed by the Mayor immediately.

The Armadale-Fowl Bay tennis match, played at the Armadale grass courts on Wednesday, was won by the Fowl Bay team by 25 points; the score being 82-60. The results, which follow the Armadale players are named first: Men's doubles—Goodday and Temple 5; Armstrong and Teague 5; Kelly and Barclay 4; Calderwood and Calderwood 3; Griffiths and Fletcher 7; Phillips and Ward 6.

Ladies' Doubles—Mrs. Jardine and Mrs. Harlow; Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Clark 5; Mrs. Holman and Miss Stewart 4; Mrs. Calderwood and Mrs. Ward 3; Miss Jardine and Mrs. Beverley 5; Mrs. Calderwood and Miss Clark 4. Mixed Doubles—Mrs. Jardine and Fletcher 4; Miss Clark and Armstrong 3; Mrs. Holman and Goodday 2; Mrs. Armstrong and Phillips 2; Miss Stewart and Barclay 5; Mrs. Calderwood and Clark 5; Mrs. Scarlett and Cranford 1; Mrs. Armstrong and Ward 1; Mrs. Harlow and Griffiths 1; Mrs. Ward and Teague 6.

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CHINESE FLYING SCHOOL BEGINS

Inskip Island Is Scene of Activity in Chinese Aerial Venture

W. H. Brown, M.C., Commences Instruction of Eight Pilots. Believed to be the first flying instruction ever given in this city flying was commenced this morning at the Inskip Island hangar of the Chinese Commercial Aviation School in Esquimalt Harbor when eight pupils of the school were given lectures, and one began his dual instruction in the air.

The machine, air harbor, and fittings were recently inspected, and approved by the Air Board, after examination by Captain Anderson of the inspection staff of that body. W. H. Brown is well-known in local flying circles, being one of the founders of the former Aerial League and being identified later with commercial flying on his own account. For the past two years Mr. Brown has been acting as a pilot navigator for the B. C. Air Station at Esquimalt Beach, and was in charge of a sub-station at Kamloops last summer.

The Chinese Commercial Aviation School was inaugurated here recently by a group of wealthy young Chinese, all of whom are naturalized British subjects. The founders of the school are making a study of aeromaney, and will give a complete course in commercial aeromaney, it is said.

The Curtis made several flights from the waters of Esquimalt Harbor this morning.

LIQUOR PROFITS DISGORGED

Department Now Working on Figures

Misunderstanding which appears to exist in connection with the apportionment of liquor profits and motor license fees to municipalities are explained to-day in a statement issued by the Department of Finance. The Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, on February 7, the statement explains, instructed departmental officials to obtain from the Dominion statistician the population figures in the sixty-one municipalities in B. C.

Yesterday Bulletin No. VI, was received by Mr. Hart. This gives the revised population for city municipalities, but on examination it was found that in most cases populations of rural municipalities have not been segregated.

This fact was at once pointed out to the Dominion statistician by telegraph. Reply was received to-day stating that he will have the figures extracted as quickly as possible.

Until the figures of population for the district municipalities are received, it will be impossible for the Department of Finance to calculate the amount per capita payable to municipalities for their share of liquor profits and motor license fees," said Mr. Hart.

If it appears that the work of segregation will take much time, it is probable that the Department will use approximate figures for the distribution now due and make an adjustment later on. Since the population of Victoria in the Ottawa figures received to-day is 35,727, Vancouver's population is given as 11,217.

From another source it was learned that liquor profits for the last six months run a little more than \$1,200,000. Profits for the first three months of operation were \$450,000.

EXPECT RECORD ATTENDANCE

Information received by the forty-eighth General Presbyterian Assembly organization in Winnipeg indicates that a record number of delegates will attend the convention being held in Winnipeg early next month. Some time ago a card was mailed to each prospective delegate, asking if he would be attending, and the replies received were almost invariably in the affirmative. Altogether, some 600 delegates are expected to gather for the conference.

In addition, many of the men will be accompanied by their wives. Since the attendance will be further augmented by ministers from various points in the province and the entire committee in charge of the arrangements in St. Stephen's church—the meeting-place of the assembly—is anticipating a thousand or more at the various sessions.

For some time past the billing committee has been busy making arrangements for the accommodation of the visitors for the eight or nine days they will be in the city. A certain number of delegates have been allocated to each Presbyterian church in the city, the understanding being that they will either be accommodated in the homes of various members of the congregation or that the church will pay \$12 for each delegate, who, instead, is domiciled at one of the hotels or colleges. To date, the indications are that about 300 and 400 will be entertained in private homes. A considerable number have already been secured by the committee.

Included in the number attending the assembly will be eight or nine returned missionaries, among them being Dr. Murray Macmillan, Rev. Arthur Loehnd, Rev. J. G. Bompas of China, and Dr. Frank Russell and Rev. Davis Smith, of India.

After attending three sessions a day, members of the conference will find little time for recreation. The entertainment committee, however, will endeavor to make their stay as pleasant as possible. While details have not been entirely worked out as yet, it is expected that on Sunday afternoon the delegates will be taken for a drive in and around the city and later be entertained at the Manitoba Agricultural College as the guests of President Bracken.

Ernest Banner, a veteran of the great war, died yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital at the age of thirty years, following a long illness due to war service. A native of Victoria, the late Mr. Banner was formerly with the British Columbia Forestry Service, and prior to that was employed by the Victoria Phoenix Brewing Company. He served overseas for three years with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. He leaves to mourn their loss his widow and one child, his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Banner, five sisters, Dorothy, in Victoria; Mrs. J. Davis, in C. C. Cuning, of Santa Barbara, Cal.; Mrs. R. Brown, Fairview, B. C.; and Mrs. McKay, in Victoria, and Edwin, at Otter Stanley. The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. Joseph's Funeral Parlor, on Ross Bay Cemetery. Rev. A. de B. Owen will conduct the services.

Passed away yesterday afternoon at Jubilee Hospital, Henry Alfred King, of Cedar Hill, and a pioneer of 1848. The late Mr. King was born in Somersetshire, England, 82 years ago, and was a farmer by occupation, located at Cedar Hill in the early days, and was well-known by a large circle of friends, both in the city and district. The business which he established 60 years ago is still being carried on by his son, Mr. C. E. King. He is survived by two daughters and one son, Mrs. W. E. Hest, of Royal Oak; Mrs. C. A. King, of Cedar Hill, and Charles E. E. King, also of Cedar Hill. The remains are resting at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, whence the cortege will leave on Monday afternoon at 2.15, proceeding to St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, where service will be conducted at 3 o'clock by the Rev. Wm. Carroll. Interment will be made in the cemetery at St. Luke's.

AMERICAN BOURBON AND B.C. RYE WHISKY TO HAVE NEW PRICES

New liquor prices on certain brands were announced to-day by the Liquor Control Board. American Bourbon, draught whisky, will be sold at \$23 a gallon, \$6 an imperial quart, or \$4 a bottle. Other new prices are: B. C. special rye, D.D. Imperial quart, \$4; bottle, \$3.75; Emu Burgundy, bottle, \$1.25; Benedictine, Imperial quart, \$6.

AIRCRAFT WILL CONTINUE SURVEYS

Jericho Beach Air Station Will Operate for Summer at Least.

Vancouver, May 27.—(Jericho Beach)—Plans for the season's work at the air station are now almost complete, the proposed activities for the customs department and the geodetic survey branch having been mapped out. H. F. Lambert, D. L. S., who was in charge of the primary triangulation for the geodetic survey last summer, will be in Vancouver to-day, when final plans will be discussed.

BELFAST MURDER FIGURES GIVEN

Belfast, May 27.—The Ulster Association has sent a message to Winston Spencer Churchill, Secretary for the Colonies, remarking that the Catholic Protection Committee, in its telegram to the Secretary early in the week, telling of the number of Roman Catholics murdered, did not refer to the number of Protestants murdered.

Between May 22 and 26, the message says, ten Protestants were killed and several were threatened with death. The promises of eighteen Protestant firms were set on fire.

The telegram of the Catholic Protection Committee read as follows: "From the 12th to the 22nd of May, twenty-seven Catholics have been killed. Of these five were women and two children. Forty-five were wounded and hundreds evicted. The position of Catholics is desperate."

LORD FRENCH WAS GUEST AT BANQUET IN NEW YORK

New York, May 27.—Judge Gary was re-elected president of the American Iron and Steel Institute yesterday. Charles M. Schwab, Willis King and John A. Topping were re-elected vice-presidents.

Field Marshal Earl French was the guest of honor at the banquet which closed the sessions.

EARTHQUAKES IN ITALY CAUSED EXCITEMENT TO-DAY

Rome, May 27.—Four violent earthquakes occurred to-day in the vicinity of Terni, about fifty miles north of Rome, causing terror to the population over an area of several miles. No reports of damage, however, had been received here this afternoon.

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Send a Dominion Express Money Order in payment of your bill. It is the most convenient and reliable method of payment. Money promptly returned for sale at C.P.R. stations and Dominion Express offices.

SWISS VILLAGE WRECKED AND TWO CHILDREN KILLED

Berne, May 27.—The little village of Lerchenfeld, sixteen miles south of this city, was wrecked last night by the explosion of a munition dump. While every house was destroyed or damaged, the only persons killed were two children who were playing about the dump. Forty people were injured.

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and every Sunday thereafter, the afternoon train to Victoria will leave Wellington at 3.25 P. M. instead of 1.25, and will arrive Victoria 7.40 P. M. L. D. CHETHAM, District Passenger Agent.

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Natural History Society—Regular meeting will be held at the Provincial Museum on Monday, May 29, at 8 p.m. Visiting naturalists are cordially invited.

Master Six McLaughlin—\$2 per hour. Phone 76194.

BIRTHDAY FESTIVAL

Armories, Bay Street, June 7 and 8. BIRTHDAY CAKE DECORATED BOOTHS MUSICAL PROGRAMME. Spectacular pageant representing different periods since the accession of Queen Victoria. AFTERNOON TEA DAILY. SUPPER WEDNESDAY, 6-7.30 P. M.

Any of Dr. B. C. Richard's patients wishing to communicate with his office please phone to Miss Melita Wilson at 6805-L. Address 1452 Vining Street.

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Figure Drawing and Painting Classes Thursdays 9.30 to 11.30. Mondays 7.30 to 9.30. Will Menzies, Instructor, 423 Union Bank Building.

The Annual Meeting of the Provincial Division, Navy League of Canada, will take place at the Navy League Building, 111 Dundas Street

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Vancouver Island News

FUNDS AUGMENTED BY ENTERTAINMENT

Cowichan Girl Guides Held Event in Duncan

(Times Correspondence) Duncan.—The First Cowichan Girl Guides and Brownie Pack put on a very excellent entertainment at the Opera House Thursday evening, and Miss Denny and Miss Geoghehan, their leaders, who arranged the plays and coached them all, are much to be congratulated on the result.

W. H. Elkington kindly acted as "announcer" the first items taking the form of "Marble Statues" with several Guides singing appropriate songs to each picture, all the others forming a suitable background on the stage. The statues were: Queen Elizabeth—Cecilia Skrimshire.

Robin Hood—Mollie Marples. Girl Guide—Evelyn Shreiber. Lord Nelson—Dolly Auchinachie. Cricketer—Anna comes. Joan of Arc—Carol Williams. John Peel—Mollie Marples. Scotman—Carol Williams. Britannia—Cecilia Skrimshire.

Exemplification of the Guide Law came next, with Cecilia Skrimshire as a Camper and Phyllis Holmes as the "Guide Law" with a light at which all the others lit their fires. They were: Usefulness—Hazel Castley. Thrift—Barbara Chaplin. Fidelity—Molly Yates.

The squad drill next, by Doreen Day, Clara Castley, Evelyn Shreiber, Isabel Macmillan, Joyce Dalton, Gwen Hopkins, Frances Thompson and Nell Mellin was very well done and reflected great credit on their captain.

A Play. After this the First Cowichan Brownie Pack presented a very pleasing little play entitled the "Bluebird of Happiness," in which Eunice Chaplin, a very discontented little

girl, was shown the way to Happiness by the different Brownies, called in by the Brownie Fairy, Perseverance, Courage, Smiling Face, Cheeriness, Heart, Good Nature, Help Others, Thrift, Spend Wisely, while "Boys" (Jean Duncan) and "Crude Girls" (Kathleen Duncan and Violet Melton) were turned out by them all.

The "Cooks' Dance," "Farmyard Drill," "Dressmaker Class," "Scarf Drill," "Slumber Song and Brownie Song and Pack Yell were well carried out, and Mary Somerville and Violet Findlay danced the "Highland Fling" in a manner quite professional.

All Baba. The Girl Guides then presented "All Baba and the Forty Thieves," all the parts being excellently taken, by these young amateurs. Cassin's realistic scream on being killed by the Robbers gaining loud applause. The cast was: All Baba—Nora Dwyer, P. L. Mrs. All Baba—Kathleen Townsend. Cassin—Kathleen Dwyer, Acting P. L. Mrs. Cassin—Hazel Castley.

Morgiana—Eileen Dwyer. Abdallah—Mollie Yates. Captain of Thieves, Gogla, Hassim—Doreen Day. Abon Flaticuffs—Clara Castley. Thieves—Joyce Dalton, Frances Thompson, Mollie Marples, Gwen Hopkins, Nell Mellin, Evelyn Shreiber.

Mr. Elkington, in an apt little speech, thanked Miss Denny and Geoghehan on behalf of all present for their trouble in getting up the entertainment, and also for their interest in and work for the Girl Guide movement.

Mr. Godman, head of all Guides in British Columbia, was present and expressed pleasure at the showing made. Two lovely bouquets were presented to Misses Denny and Geoghehan, and the entertainment closed with "God Says the King," lustily sung by all.

Supper and Dance. An excellent supper was provided upstairs by the Girl Guides' committee and helpers, Mesdames Stock, Henderson, Fletcher, Findlay, Kenneth Duncan, Somerville, Castley, Lamont, Dwyer and Misses Hayward, D. Barrett and Dove, and dancing continued till the wee sma' hours to music supplied by Henderson's orchestra.

Mrs. H. D. Morten had the arduous task of "taking the money," and a large sum should be added to the funds.

Sports Club. A well-attended meeting of the Cowichan Cricket and Sports Club was held at the Agricultural Hall Thursday evening to discuss the financial standing, and, if possible, to acquire some further ground. It was pointed out by the hon. secretary that there were still twenty debentures to be sold, which would bring in another \$500 towards the purchase of another lot. Proceeds of entertainments were to go into the general funds, as interest, taxes, upkeep of ground, etc., were yearly payments that had to be met, and the revenue from subscriptions, it was thought, would be insufficient to cover all. It was suggested by Stuart Matthews that a sum be set aside each year to establish a sinking fund, but the opinion of those present seemed to be that the club should wait until the end of the year and see how it would come out.

In the absence of the president, Capt. R. E. Barkley took the chair. Others present included Major Williams-Freeman, Capt. A. Larne, Stuart Matthews, R. Gore-Langton,

SAY PRAIRIE FARMERS WILL MEET OBLIGATIONS

London, May 27.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Hon. S. Peel, residing at a meeting of the Trust and Loan Company of Canada, said yesterday that interest arrears were due practically entirely from Western agricultural Canada, but the situation was causing the directors no anxiety, as they had ample security. There had been a great combination of adverse circumstances for Canadian farming interests. Farmers in Canada had felt the full force of the period of deflation.

BONDS RECOVERED AND MEN ARRESTED

Montreal, May 27.—As a result of a continent-wide search by the William J. Burns International Detective Agency, bonds to the value of \$7,000, a portion of the \$30,000 worth which were stolen from the safe of the Benier Hardware Company on March 29 last, have been recovered and two men placed under arrest in Minneapolis. The arrested men are William Smith, a curb broker, Minneapolis, and H. E. Sorlein, a promoter, also of that city.

CURED HIS RHEUMATISM!

"I am eighty-three years old and I doctored for rheumatism ever since I came out of the army, over 50 years ago. Like many others, I spent money freely for so-called 'cures' and I have read about 'Uric Acid' until I could almost taste it. I could sleep nights or walk without pain, my hands were so sore and stiff I could not hold a pen. But now I am again in active business and can walk with ease and write all day with comfort. Friends are surprised at the change. You might just as well attempt to put out a fire with oil as try to get rid of your rheumatism, neuritis and like complaints by taking treatment supposed to drive Uric Acid out of your blood and body. It took Mr. Ashelman fifty years to find out the truth. He learned how to get rid of the true cause of his rheumatism, other disorders, and recover his strength from 'The Inner Mysteries of Rheumatism' overlooked by doctors and scientists for centuries past, simply send a post card of letter to H. P. Clearwater, No. 329-N Street, Hallowell, Maine. Send now, lest you forget! If not a sufferer, cut out this notice and hand it to some afflicted friend. All who send will receive it by return mail without any charge whatever. Advt.

Judge Clue (rubbing his hands) at Shore-ditch.—"This is the kind of witless we like to hear; he is telling the truth—so far as he can."

AS WIDE TARIFF REFORM AS ASKED

Government Guided by People's Desires, Says Robb

Budget Debate Continued in the Commons

Ottawa, May 27.—Hon. J. A. Robb, Minister of Trade and Commerce, during the budget debate in the Commons last evening, said the Government was carrying out the pledges made by the Prime Minister when chosen as Liberal Leader at the 1919 convention. On that occasion Mr. King had stated that the tariff resolution passed at the convention would serve as a chart to direct his policy by, and that he would be guided by the wisest and most patriotic members of the Government who were prepared to go as far as the people of Canada would let it go along the line of tariff reform.

Cattle. Hon. T. A. Crerar, Progressive Leader, asked Mr. Robb if he would indicate the direction in which Great Britain could give Canada concessions.

Mr. Robb replied that he had in mind the embargo against Canadian cattle. This Government did not believe in using the "big stick," but indications were that Great Britain would shortly be a market in Great Britain for Canadian cattle.

If, Mr. Robb continued, the country was going to be prosperous, it was necessary for the farmers to be in a position to purchase the products of the farms.

Mr. Robb was not afraid to trade with any man, but was willing to reduce the Canadian tariff to a minimum when other nations were keeping their tariffs up.

Sir Henry Drayton had questioned the wisdom of cancelling the depreciated currency regulations, but forgot that the Government still possessed the Dumping Act and other control measures. If there was one country in the world whose exports depended on buying from other nations it was Germany.

Automobiles. R. J. Woods, Progressive, Dufferin, said it was true there had been a downward revision of the tariff for which they had been looking, but it would make very little difference to the load being borne by the working man.

Automobiles. Mr. Woods thought had got past the luxury stage; they were now a convenience, if not a necessity. Mr. Woods contrasted the price in this country with that in Ford cars with that paid at Ford, Ont. (\$535). The difference was not entirely made up of duty, which was only \$11.50, but an American car was purchased the amount of the duty went into the Government Treasury, while if a Canadian car were purchased it went into Henry Ford's pocket.

O. Turgeon, Liberal, Gloucester, said Mr. Fielding's visit to Washington, D.C., was a most important effect in bringing the people of Canada and the United States closer together.

W. Warner, Progressive, Strathcona, thought the reduction in the tariff would make little difference in the cost of living or in the cost of operating the farms.

Fruct. J. A. McKelvie, Conservative, Yale, asked the Finance Minister to reconsider the abolition of the valuation clause, under which imports were valued at cost of production plus profit.

The American fruit growers produced more fruit than they could dispose of in their own market and sent their surplus to Europe, where it was sold at a price for the Canadian market. He did not object to having to meet competition of American fruit, but he did object to having the market spoiled.

Steel. Sir Henry Drayton, who moved the Conservative amendment to the budget proposals at yesterday afternoon's session, having Mr. Fielding as his second speaker, pointed out their great moment to the steel industry. On a 16-metric western drill, allowing for drawbacks, the net duty on the steel contained was \$100 per ton, as against a freight duty from Hamilton to Moose Bay of \$18.50 on a machine that was valued at \$135.

The assistant of Finance congratulated Mr. Fielding on reducing the excise duty the druggists had to pay on alcohol. The late Government had been willing to make the reduction, but the regulations could be drafted to guard the revenue. The regulations which had now been accepted by the present Government had been under consideration by the late administration. The Finance Minister, however, had not removed all the hardships that arose under the heavy duty on alcohol. The case of the country doctor deserved sympathetic consideration by the Minister.

Sir Henry said he wished to remind the Liberals of their objections to a luxury tax, especially the tax on automobiles. At that time they had declared that automobiles valued at \$1,000 and under were not luxuries and should not be taxed. Yet they had placed a tax on automobiles.

He also asked why telegrams were particularly picked out for taxation and the long distance telephone overlooked.

German Competition. Sir Henry regretted that Mr. Fielding had not seen fit to dispense with the provision limiting the depreciation of foreign exchange. Last year the Government had foreseen what was coming and realized that the home market was the only reliable one for the producer. The limitation placed against depreciation of foreign currency had been a step to prevent the flooding of the Canadian home market with German and Austrian goods.

Sir Henry quoted from an interview given by a man who had returned from Germany, that he showed the low scale of living in that country at present. After quoting

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prices at which various articles could be bought as compared with Canadian and American prices, he said that business reports received in Germany to-day were shown to be working for \$3 a month. This kind of competition, he said, Canada should not be asked to meet.

TRADE GROWS AS SEASON ADVANCES

Improvement in Canada Reported As Slow, But Sure

Winnipeg, May 27.—(Canadian Press)—Trade gradually improving, "steady improvement," and "slow but sure improvement" figure in business reports received in Canada, according to its weekly trade summary.

Montreal, Toronto, Quebec and the East generally bear out the statement of a general improvement in wholesale and manufacturing circles. Retail trade is also reported to be much better, with business summer-like weather. Collections still are poor, but are expected to improve.

Winnipeg and Manitoba wholesalers report a steady increase in orders, somewhat delayed by earlier wet weather and floods in Central Manitoba. Splendid weather is now being experienced, and business seems to be reviving all round. Retail trade is better, merchants say. Collections still are slow.

In Regina and Saskatoon and throughout Saskatchewan, wholesalers find an improvement, while retailers find business better than at this time last year. Collections have improved and new goods are being paid for to a greater extent than in the past.

Victoria, Vancouver and other parts of British Columbia indicate a general expectation that the summer will prove satisfactory for manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers, reports coming in being most optimistic.

MURDER CHARGE IN ONTARIO

Chatham, Ont., May 27.—His own admission that he forged the name of Gustave Noel to a cheque for \$100 which he passed on Peter Cunningham, a Chatham hardware merchant; discovery of a bloodstained hammer hidden in his barn and a battered bicycle; and an agreement of sale of Noel's firm to him, believed to be a forgery, are the strongest links in the chain which the prosecution is tightening about Clayton Croft, who was yesterday afternoon remanded for one week on a charge of murdering Gustave Noel on his farm near Charing Cross on May 16.

Croft was arrested on Thursday night by Constable George Peters following the recovery of the body of Noel underneath the flooring of his stable by Bart Croft, a brother of the accused, who was attempting to release a pig which had fallen into the hole.

GEDDES A DIRECTOR.

London, May 27.—Sir Eric Geddes, who resigned his seat in the House of Commons early this year, has been elected a director of the Dunlop Rubber Company, says The Evening News.

"Yes, experience come high!" "Yes, and the trouble about buying it—'You always get it to match.'"—Wayside Tales.

FRUIT GROWING OUTLOOK DISCUSSED

Many Interested in Meeting Held in Metchoshin

(Times Correspondence) Metchoshin, May 27.—Metchoshin Hall was crowded last night with residents from all parts of the district, Langford, Colwood, Rocky Point and Albert Head being among the sections represented, at a meeting called by the Metchoshin Farmers' Institute to hear the report of a special committee, appointed by the directors to secure data on general small fruit growing in the district, and especially strawberry plantations, and also to hear experts from the Provincial Department of Agriculture and from other parts of the island on this subject.

Chairman C. E. Whitney-Griffiths opened the meeting with a short address, in which he introduced the speakers of the evening, explaining that these experts had come down to inspect the small under cultivation, and to advise the growers from their own experience.

The chairman then called upon H. R. Brown, chairman of the special committee, for his report, which showed a fair amount of acreage already under small fruit cultivation and also of the acreage that might be expected next year in the event of a fruit growers' organization being formed.

Saw Ground. Mr. McCarty, president of the Seaside fruit growers' organization, spoke of the situation as he found it during his visit of the afternoon, when the party of experts covered almost all the ground in the Farmers' Institute District.

Mr. McCarty said that the people of Metchoshin had been advised two years ago, when prices were high, to go in for strawberries, but the majority of people did not realize the difficulties connected with strawberry growing, and if a grower had to pay for labor for cultivating and picking his profits would not be up to his expectations. The soil is not suitable for strawberry growing was a red loam, preferably light, high land, and as a commercial proposition not less than about ten acres should be secured, with about one-fifth each year in strawberries and planting rotation crops and using plenty of manure or other fertilizer.

Mr. Tanner, manager of Keating Fruit Growers' association, gave his opinion as fairly as he was able to form it on so short a visit, that the district as a whole was not altogether favorable for strawberry growing, but with a generous application of manure and a rotation of crops would eventually produce good berries and become a paying proposition, as the district was to a certain extent free from frost on account of the proximity to the coast.

Mr. Tanner spoke of the value of organization in the control of the markets.

Mr. Stuart, director of the B. C. Fruit Growers' Association, endorsed what the previous speakers had said regarding the rotation of crops and the mistake of allowing the young plants to bear fruit, also strongly advising the fruit growers in the district to organize.

Reports. The members of the special committee then gave individual and detailed reports of conditions as they had found them in their visits to the different plantations. Mr. Blake spoke for Albert Head, A. Hankin for Happy Valley, Mr. Sloan for Langford, and H. R. Brown for Metchoshin.

Mr. White, Provincial Horticulturist, then took the platform and gave a very interesting address, touching upon his work in general, and speaking of the difficulty of advising people in a district like Metchoshin, where the soil varies so much in extent, as to the suitability of crops.

There was a good area, said Mr. White, which was particularly adapted to the production of small fruits, while climatic conditions were not so suitable for tree fruits.

Some excellent and sound advice was given by Mr. White regarding soil, locations and other important details which are necessary for the grower to be familiar with if he is to make a success of his business. Mr. White also advised prospective planters to be sure of the kind of plants they procure, and if possible to get expert advice, as during the war, when plants were so strongly in demand, the varieties got somewhat mixed.

Mr. White demonstrated how six acres of land could, by systematic rotation crops, be cleared of the weed mentioned, with two acres of berries each year, one acre in Fall oats, one acre in clover and one in potatoes and one acre in first year plants.

At this point Mr. Brown pointed out that he could take the visitors and show them twenty acres of just such land as had been advocated by them for the growing of strawberries, within a very short distance from the point of meeting.

Dr. Warnock spoke. Dr. David Warnock, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, in the course of his address, stated that in his opinion there was a large area of land in Metchoshin district, half cleared and uncultivated, that was eminently suited to the production of strawberries. Over 100 acres in one part alone Dr. Warnock considered was the finest of high land and would produce sufficient strawberries to warrant formation of a fruitgrowers' association, and to warrant prospective growers taking up the land with a view to commercial fruit growing.

Dr. Warnock was of the opinion that strawberry growing was an adjunct of mixed farming, as growers could not hope to have good fertilized land without stock running on it.

Dr. Warnock remarked that he had had a very instructive visit, and while

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DECLARES TRAFFIC CONDITIONS CHANGED

Premier Oliver Opposes Old Crow's Nest Freight Rates

Ottawa, May 27.—Premier Oliver of British Columbia, speaking before the House Committee on Transportation Costs yesterday, came out strongly against the putting into effect of the Crow's Nest scale of rates, declaring that as conditions had changed since 1917, other factors and other portions of the country should be taken into account.

Mr. Oliver said there was a disposition to great the Crow's Nest Pass agreement as if it could not be altered. The Canadian Pacific Railway had received a cash subsidy from the Dominion, and as it had received a more important land subsidy from British Columbia, all Canada and British Columbia were interested in the settlement.

If it could be shown that the agreement was not working in the way it used to work, and that a better one

could be evolved, Parliament should vary it if it were in the interests of Canada to do so.

Moving Eastward.

Premier Oliver showed that in the matter of the movement of commodities on which lower rates had been granted under the Crow's Nest agreement, the situation had quite changed during the last twenty-five years. Fresh fruit did not now move Westward, but Eastward, and the same was true of coal, oil and building and roofing materials.

As for grain, a comparatively large amount was now going out from the prairies via Vancouver. If the Crow's Nest Pass scale went into effect and the rate to the coast remained the same, that movement would be stopped.

Premier Greenfield, of Alberta, came out strongly for the full agreement without regard to the consequences, contending it was a contract and should be lived up to. He based his claim both on the contract and the depressed condition of agriculture.

Questioned as to what he had to say about the making up of the \$35,000,000 which the railways said they would lose under a return to the 1918 scale, he said that was a matter for the Government and the railways.

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CAUTION PAYS.

By postponing the flotation of British Columbia's new loan until the bond market recovers from its temporary stagnation Mr. Hart is following the course that has assisted him to better terms on more than one occasion since he assumed the portfolio of Finance Minister.

Mr. Hart safeguards the credit of the Province by the exercise of caution in this particular instance. The Government's financial policy is not dependent upon the immediate sale of securities it is the correct policy to wait.

HIP-POCKET BOTTLES.

British Columbia's Attorney-General has already explained to the people of this Province that he intends to see that the Liquor Control Act is administered in the interests of public morality and not in the interests of revenue.

It is unnecessary to elaborate upon the dangers of this new departure in controlling the distribution of liquor in this Province. The Board is the best judge of whether it can afford to reduce its retail prices and still cover the cost of administering the Act.

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A FREE STATE COALITION

After the leaders of the Provisional Government of the Irish Free State have concluded their conference with the British Cabinet we shall be permitted to know how far the Collins-De Valera pact represents a climax on the part of the moderate

elements. At to-day's disquisitions Messrs. Griffith and Collins will have to convince the Prime Minister and his colleagues that there is nothing in the understanding with the "republican" leader that is contrary to the spirit of the Anglo-Irish Treaty.

FAITH IN VICTORIA

To the Editor—On the streets, in the offices and in the homes, we have come across quite a number of people who are hard knockers of our fair city and Canada in general.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Did anybody really think it was possible to straighten out the troubles of half the world in six weeks? If the would-be wreckers of Genos and the Hague would combine and help to make the gathering at the Dutch capital a success it would be a great deal cheaper than the manufacture of doubtful political capital.

Vancouver's Board of Trade intends to send a large number of its members on a trip to the United Kingdom in the Summer of next year.

The Dominion Government has asked Canadian soldiers, who made money by exchanging more money than they were entitled to exchange as pay and allowances, to return the difference between what they actually exchanged through the Bank of Montreal in London, or after arriving in Canada, and the amount they should have exchanged.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and clearly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion.

RUMORS.

To the Editor—We are given to understand that public generally are taking considerable interest in the fact that Mr. Tom Dooley's services are being dispensed with by us and that the reason for our doing so is being ascribed to his active participation in what is called the Blue Sunday Movement.

ISLAND DEVELOPMENT

To the Editor—Now that there is a slight flurry of publicity about the Victoria breakwater being connected by tram rail with the E. and N. depot, I am reminded of the effect that non-political petition, signatures for which I secured from all the financial institutions in Victoria only, had upon the then victorious Conservative Dominion Government when that great statesman, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, met defeat on the reciprocity issue.

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FOREMAN REPLIES.

To the Editor—The studied courtesy of the letter from Mr. W. E. Abraham, of Tofino, that appeared in your issue of May 8, would prompt a reply in kind.

As to the origin of the fire, we are entirely at a loss to even suggest the cause, but in the view of the fact that other firms in the destroyed building used highly inflammable materials in connection with their work, we consider that the spontaneous combustion to which cause the origin of the fire is attributed, might just as likely have taken place in one of the other stores.

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CAUSE OF CAUSES.

To the Editor—In his contribution of the 25th inst., Bishop MacDonald agrees that this question should be treated from a philosophical standpoint, and then goes on to state that dogma and the Book of Genesis were introduced merely to show that his argument was in accord with the Bible and its account of the origin of things.

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the teaching of the Holy Writ, Semper Idem (sic). However, to proceed, evidently the sun was specially created for its special work, i. e. to give light and heat to this planet, but that only on the fourth day or stage of the Divine operation did it start to do this work.

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CHRIST CHURCH PARISH EVENTS

Sale of Work and Entertainment for Parish Purposes

Two events of more than parochial interest are announced for next week in connection with Christ Church Cathedral. On Wednesday afternoon members of all parish organizations are combining in a joint effort and sale of work to be held in the grounds of The Precincts, former Bishop's Close, on Burdett Avenue. There will be stalls of art, plain and fancy work, tables of sewing, superlatives, toys, and home cooking. Refreshments, including tea and ice cream, will be served during the afternoon. Other attractions will be lawn golf, a model train and a bran tub for children. The sale will be opened at three o'clock on Wednesday afternoon by the Bishop of Columbia. The proceeds of this undertaking will be devoted to the taxes fund. Contributions of saleable articles from supporters of the church and its work may be sent to the secretary of the sale, or to the Deanery. On Friday evening, June 2, an excellent programme for a concluding entertainment of the season has been arranged by the Cathedral branch of the Anglican Young People's Association, in aid of the new building fund. Tickets and further particulars may be obtained at the parish sale of work on The Precincts grounds next Wednesday.

Social & Personal

KUMTUKS MEMBERS BACK FROM SEATTLE
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Conservatives Honor Mrs. Jenkins, Leader in Party Service Here
In the presence of W. J. Bowser, K. C. Conservative leader, and Mrs. Bowser, members of the Conservative Women's Educational and Social Club last night presented Margaret Jenkins, president, with an enlarged portrait of herself to be hung in the club for all time.

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Y.W.C.A. REPORTS SHOW SPLENDID RECORD OF WORK

"Building to-day for the womanhood of to-morrow," the slogan adopted by the Y. W. C. A. in its new building campaign, has proved exceedingly apt to judge from the annual meeting held last evening in the headquarters. Mrs. Bishop presided and there was a large attendance of members and interested friends.

President's Address.
In her presidential address Mrs. C. Bishop after welcoming those at the meeting said, "We want the interest and support of every woman in the city in this work which seeks to provide the best care under the best influences for the young woman of the community. We realize how totally inadequate the present quarters are for this purpose, and the lack of recreation rooms through which to provide a much needed outlet for girls' activities; the Board and staff at present have to do their best work to the formation of religious and educational classes, providing entertainment commensurate with the limited space available."

For New Building.
"During the past two years our efforts have been directed towards the purchase of property on which to erect a Y. W. C. A. building. This has been accomplished and a clear title for two lots on the corner of Courtney and Blanchard streets has been obtained. The next step is the erection of the building and the first effort in this direction being undertaken by the different churches of the city uniting to mark the 30th anniversary of the Y. W. C. A. in Victoria by holding a public Birthday Festival in the Armories on June 1st and 2nd, thus building our work on Church foundations. We trust that all will be ready to meet this claim and contribute in some way towards our objective."

Many Activities.
In the absence of the East of Miss De Wolfe, the general secretary, the report was presented by Miss Little-Smith.

A resume was given of all the varied work accomplished during the year, both in the general work of the Association and other phases. Much satisfaction was expressed at the purchase of the site for the new building on November 14, the whole of the amount having been raised for this purpose. The Yates Street headquarters have been leased for this year, with the option of a further year if necessary.

Among the activities reviewed by Miss De Wolfe were the annual camp for 'teen-age girls at Beaver Lake in June last, an educational programme for the winter months, social and athletic events for girls, religious educational meeting for Sunday school teachers, Christmas festivities to which lonely girls were invited, a series of meetings addressed by Miss Nellie Elliott, General Secretary for Hongkong, Sunday afternoon Bible classes and Vesper services, the employment of girls and women, addresses to C.G.I.T. groups in the various churches, a tag day which netted \$915.67 for the Building fund and the preliminary arrangements for the forthcoming Birthday festival.

House Report.
The House Committee report presented by Mrs. Percy showed that 43,648 meals had been served at headquarters during the year, with a monthly average of 3,637. The number of permanent guests had been 275, and transients 947, these figures referring to the headquarters only. At the Annex, 200 courtiers, 700 permanent and 2,000 transients, 233 beds, there had been 20 permanent and 492 transient guests during the year or an average of 41 per month, under the efficient management of Miss Gilchrist, Mrs. Fremie and her staff capably managing the headquarters at Yates Street.

Other reports presented were as follows: Educational committee, Mrs. Gibson; membership, Mrs. Colman; finance, Mrs. Beckwith; publicity, Mrs. Gibson; religious, Mrs. Adams; travellers' aid, Miss Hall; social, Mrs. Chave.

Travellers' Aid.
The Travellers' Aid work has proved an invaluable assistance to women and girls arriving in the city without friends to meet them or in temporary difficulties. Miss Schofield, the secretary, during the past year had met 1,807 boats, 530 trains and assisted 455 individuals.

The annual cost of this work is \$900 of which \$254 was contributed as follows: \$134 by six of the city churches, \$57 by the Y. W. C. A. Chapters, \$23 by Women's Institutes, \$29 by the Ministering Circle, King's Daughters, \$25 by the Women's Canadian Club, \$5 a private donation and \$99 by the city. An appeal was made to other churches and women's organizations to assist in this great social service.

Mrs. F. C. Nivin, the treasurer, announced that receipts for the year were \$24,115.74, and the expenditure, \$22,460.52, leaving a balance in hand of \$1,655.22. The report of the membership committee showed that the present roster numbers 210, a substantial increase.

Directors Elected.
With the election last night of new Directors the Board for the ensuing year now stands as follows: Mesdames Adams, Bishop, Beckwith, T. B. Brown, Chave, H. H. Smith, Colman, Forman, E. W. Gibson, Harper, Kingham, Lewis, Mitchell, McDonald, McNaughton, F. C. Nivin, Plasket, Percy, Sonley, Sea, Moore, Young, Grimshaw, Simpson, D. E. Campbell, C. J. G. Walker, Miss Fawcett and Miss M. E. Hall.

At the conclusion of the business, an encouraging address was given by Rev. W. Stevenson after which Miss Mary Middleton sang several solos and Mrs. Fred Eilers contributed violin selections. Delicious refreshments were served at the close.



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VARIETY TO-DAY Children 10c. Adults 20c Bebe Daniels in "A Game Chicken" Comedy. Fox News

COLUMBIA THEATRE TODAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY WILLIAM S. HART in "Three Word Brand" Not much on Mouth Work, But in a Fight—oh, Man! COMEDY—MUTT & JEFF Prices: Children, 5c; Adults, 20c

Capito Entertainment All Next Week The Greatest of All Harold Lloyd Comedies In 4 Reels "A Sailor-Made Man" "TURN TO THE RIGHT!" REX INGRAM "THE FOUR HORSEMEN" "THE CONQUERING POWER"

First Congregational Church FIFTH ANNUAL SPRING CONCERT TUESDAY, MAY 30TH, AT 8.15 P. M. COWEN'S CANTATA Entitled "ST. JOHN'S EVE" SOLOISTS—Mrs. A. W. Stokes, Soprano; Miss E. V. Edwards, Contralto; Mr. George Guy, Tenor; Mr. Kenneth Angus, Baritone; Mr. Drury Pryce, Violinist

at the Theatre PRINCESS

The last time that will be afforded to witness that most pleasing musical play "Other People's Money" will take place to-night when the clever stock company which is presenting this clever bit of nonsense appears in it for the last time. A standard has been set at the Princess with the first two musical plays that the management intends to uphold. The one selected for next week is another of those delightful farces set to music entitled "Her Husband's Wife." The first performance will occur on Wednesday.

ROYAL VICTORIA This is getaway day for the fine William Fox picture "The Last Trail" at the Royal Victoria theatre. This special production, based on Zane Grey's well-known novel of the same name, has achieved enviable success here—but success not greater than is justified. Both acting and screening are a genuine credit to motion picture art at its best. The cast is an all-star one, headed by the stalwart young artist Maurice Flynn. The picture will depart after to-night's showings. As an extra attraction in addition to the feature the great English racing event, the Grand National Steeplechase, will also be shown. This is a most thrilling picture; thirty horses started in the race, and only five completed the course, while all except the first three fell. This picture alone is well worth seeing, and rounds out an excellent programme.

DOMINION ROAD RACE TO-DAY Wallace Reid IN "Across the Continent" SPECIAL CHILDREN'S MATINEE 2:30 SATURDAY

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AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY Princess—"Other People's Money." Variety—"A Game Chicken." Royal Victoria—"The Last Trail" and "Grand National Steeplechase." Dominion—"Across the Continent." Capitol—"A Good Provider." Columbia—"Three Word Brand."

VARIETY A certain male star noted for his athletic and acrobatic abilities is advised to watch out that his laurels are not taken away by Bebe Daniels, star of "A Game Chicken," a new Reelart Picture production which will be shown at the Variety theatre for the last time to-night.

COLUMBIA Those who have not seen William S. Hart in his latest western picture, "Three Word Brand" now on view at the Columbia theatre, may do so to-day, as the last showing will take place to-night. It is distinctly worth while for all who like artistic western dramas of the William S. Hart brand.

DOMINION Mary MacLaren, one of the most popular players of this screen is leading woman for Wallace Reid in "Across the Continent," his new Paramount picture written and adapted to the screen by Byron Morgan, at the Dominion theatre all this week. Miss MacLaren has been given a splendid part in the present story which deals with an automobile race across the continent and which presents many scenes taken in various sections of the United States. Philip E. Rosen directed. Theodore Roberts is cast in a prominent role and Walter Long, Betty Francoise, Lucien Littlefield, Jack Herbert and Guy Oliver and others appear in the cast. This notable cast, combined with a story that is full of exciting action and love interest, with a part just suited to the virile star, makes "Across the Continent" an exceptional picture.

VE WUZ WON DERING what TO CALL MY NEW PITCHUR 20 I GAV the PRODUCER A COUPLE LIKES—HE SAYS FUNNY LIKE—MY BOY and THAT'S what it is MY BOY

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CAPITOL Miriam Battista, who has an important part in "The Good Provider" featuring Vera Gordon and Dore Davidson, is only nine years old. She knows all the tricks of the motion picture studio. In "The Good Provider," a Cosmopolitan Production, Miriam plays the part of Pearl Binswanger, a character who is a little girl. There is an affecting scene in which Pearl is ill and her father brings a rose, thinking to cheer her up.

When Mr. Davidson, as Papa Binswanger, entered with the bloom Miriam sported profusely. "Why are you crying, Miriam?" asked Frank Borsage, the director. "Why, so you will give me a close-up," said the little actress. And she got it.

"The Good Provider," by Fannie Hurst and adapted by John Lynch, will be shown at the Capitol all next week. The theme of this compelling photodrama is that of the respect and affection owed by children to their father. It is a Paramount picture.

COMING TO ROYAL Holding the captain's nose shut with his little fingers, six-year-old James Gordon, who is the star of the medicine down the throat of the rheumatic. "The demonic shrieks which followed Jack's death," something was wrong, but he didn't know exactly the nature of the mishap. When the captain regained his vocal powers, however, Jackie learned that he had given the captain some medicine which had been intended for external use only.

AT CAPITOL NEXT WEEK. With the intense interest of disarrangement spreading throughout the country, Harold Lloyd is wondering how President Harding will feel over "scrapping" our battleships after he views the latest Associated Exhibitors' feature comedy, "A Sailor-Made Man," coming to the Capitol theatre next Monday for an engagement of six days.

TURN TO THE RIGHT IS COMEDY TRIUMPH All that heart throbs and delightful comedy which made the play, "Turn to the Right," one of the most popular offerings of the stage has been preserved in the screen version will begin a six-day run at the Dominion theatre next Monday. And in addition there is the added beauty which only can be attained in pictures which makes this motion picture of John Golden's stage success by Wheeler Smith and John E. Hazzard one that no lover of the artistic and dramatic will wish to miss.

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The One Unwanted By RUBY M. AYRES. INSTALMENT NO. 1

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Small, pale and thin! As unlike my two pretty sisters as it was possible for me to be with thick, fair hair without a suspicion of curl in it, and serious eyes, which kind people might have called "honest," but which my mother said were "nondescript."

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GORGE PARK MOVIE PROGRAMME FOR NEXT WEEK: 5 REELS FEATURING GLADYS WALTON 5 REELS CENTURY COMEDY NO CHARGE OR NO COLLECTION HARMONY ORCHESTRA ON DANCE FLOOR The Fish Creek Mining Co. has received a patent on the Starboard, Olympia, and Nevada claims, says the Portland Canal News. This is the first patent for claims on the American side in Idaho province. The company is controlled by W. R. Tonkin, but majority of stock is by syndicate under control of D. C. Jackson and his associates.

PRINCESS LOUISE HAD TRIUMPH IN NORTHERN WATERS

B. C. Coast Service Vessel Wins Golden Opinions Captain J. W. Troup and Andrew Wallace Make Round Trip

(On Board S.S. Princess Louise, by Times's Special Representative.)

Greeted by blasts from the sirens of coastwise shipping and steam whistles, ashore the Canadian Pacific coastwise liner Princess Louise, newest and most palatial addition to the K. C. and Alaska passenger and freight service, docked at Prince Rupert at 9 o'clock Monday morning after an ideal passage from Victoria and Vancouver via Alert Bay. The citizens of Prince Rupert turned out en masse to witness the arrival of the new boat, the Government wharf being crowded as the Louise slipped into her berth.

The ship was thrown open to the public during the short stay in port and large crowds roamed over the vessel and admired her luxuriously furnished and spacious accommodations, the collective comment being that she was a notable step forward in the development of the North Coast.

A notable list of officials and passengers made the initial voyage on the Princess Louise on her first trip from Victoria and Vancouver. Among those making the round trip were the following: Capt. J. W. Troup, manager of the British Columbia Coast Steamship Service; H. W. Brodie, general passenger manager, Vancouver; James McGowan, superintendent engineer, Vancouver; Andrew Wallace, president of the Wallace Shipbuilding Co., Vancouver, builder of the S. S. Princess Louise; M. J. McGuire, baggage agent, Vancouver, and wife; John Howie, of the Wallace company; W. R. White, assistant port steward, Victoria; Bob Kelly, of Vancouver, was a passenger to Prince Rupert on business, accompanied by Mrs. Kelly.

Up to Expectations.
"She came right up to expectations and easily maintained her schedule time," declared Capt. J. W. Troup, following the arrival of the ship at Prince Rupert. He was hugely delighted with the fine sea qualities of the new boat, "Just what I predicted," exclaimed Andrew Wallace, head of the firm that built her. "She is a boat that will be second to none in the northern trade. She has not yet been fully tested out." "This is a concrete demonstration of what has and can be accomplished in British Columbia yards."

At Fourteen Knots
"She came along at an easy fourteen knots," said Chief Engineer James Petticrew, and at no stage of the

trip did we attempt to open her up." On her trials the Princess Louise averages seventeen knots. Capt. Arthur Slater, commander of the Princess Louise stated that his new command handled nicely and he expressed the view that she would be the most popular boat on the northern route, not only for the splendid sea going qualities, but for her fine appointments and roomy deck spaces.

"I am proud to command the Princess Louise," he added. "She is a trim craft and a credit to her builders, the company, and British Columbia."

The Princess Louise carried a happy throng of passengers on her maiden voyage north. The boat possesses a four-piece orchestra and dances are the order nightly. The cuisine is irreproachable.

Mr. White, who is assistant to Chief Port Steward Rowlands, of Victoria, is in charge of the commissariat, and he is seeing that his department is in the ship's A. 1. class. Clearing from Vancouver at 9 o'clock Saturday night the Princess Louise turned her nose North. The first stop was at Alert Bay, which place was reached Sunday, midday, and here the passengers spent an enjoyable time ashore. The boat population and white settlers were all on the wharf and not one missed looking over the ship.

Foghorn, But No Fog
At the boat set out to cross Queen Charlotte Sound she was greeted by three long blasts from the foghorn at the Pine Island lighthouse. And there was no fog. It was a diversion for the lonely lightkeeper and he made the most of the new ship's advent to the heaving waters of the sound. The Louise replied with three deep blasts from her siren and the lightkeeper said "Thanks" with a short one.

There was quite a heavy ground swell in crossing over the Sound, a severe storm having blown in from the open Pacific the previous night. The dining room was not fully occupied at lunch time on Sunday, a number of the passengers, particularly those of the fair sex, taking refuge in their staterooms until the expiration of the four hours taken to cross the Sound.

At night the swell was noticeable again while crossing Millbank Sound, but this was of shorter duration. At noon on Monday the Princess Louise left Prince Rupert for Ketchikan, Wrangell, Juneau and Skagway.

**PRESIDENT MADISON
CLEARING FOR ORIENT**
Four Cabin and 57 Storage Passengers Will Join Liner Here.

Outbound for the Orient the President Madison, formerly the Bay State, will clear to-night at 6 p. m. standard time. The Admiral liner will dock at the Ogden Point pier, this arrangement holding good for the outgoing craft of this line, states W. M. Allan, local agent. Four cabin passengers and 57 storage will join the liner at this port. From Seattle and way ports an excellent cargo and a fair passenger list have been taken on for the westward run. Incoming vessels of the Admiral Line will continue to dock at the Outer Wharf, it is understood, while the Ogden Point piers will be used for outgoing ships again, shortly to return to the West Coast with supplies.



YOKOHAMA MARU THREE DAYS LATE

N.Y.K. Liner Held at Yokohama in Clearing; Docking on Busy Day

On her way from the Orient for Sound ports via Victoria the N. Y. K. Yokohama Maru is reported three days late, states W. H. Dale, of the Great Northern offices here, local agents for that line. The liner cleared from Yokohama three days late, but the cause was not stated in the advices received here to-day. The delay will bring the Yokohama Maru to this port on June 5, a busy day. On that day also the O. S. K. Manila Maru is expected, while the Canadian Pacific Empress of Asia is also said to be making for port on the same date. As June 5 will be a Monday, it is possible that the Asia may make port on Sunday, if weather is favorable and no delay occurs.

LABOR SATISFIED SETTLEMENT REACHED

G. T. Bulger Meets Labor Leaders in Conference on Drydock Contract

That G. T. Bulger, Fair Wage Officer, and the heads of labor organizations here have come to an amicable settlement of outstanding differences in the matter of the Esquimalt Drydock contract is stated to-day by labor leaders. In two conferences held yesterday, Mr. Bulger traversed the contentions points of the situation with the labor party, and a common ground was reached, it is understood. Saturday and Sunday work, rates of pay, and the legal interpretations of certain matters in the contract were incorporated in the discussion. That all differences could be straightened out was the confident opinion generally expressed at the close of the conferences.

ESTEVAN, IN TO-DAY

The S.S. Estevan, Government service tender, returned to-day from a trip up the West Coast on her regular routine calls. She will put out again, shortly to return to the West Coast with supplies.

Along the Waterfront

WEEK-END SHIPPING AFFECTING PORT

J. A. Moffatt, for San Francisco, passed out this morning. The Esquimalt drydock, passed in at 8 o'clock this morning. President Madison clears to-night for South from Seattle via Victoria, sailing 9 o'clock. Canadian Freighter, not calling, due to-morrow, to pass up for Vancouver. Cardiganhire, not calling, due to-morrow, to pass up for Vancouver.

MOUNTIES SUCCEED IN TRACING FUGITIVES

Eighteen Months on Trail Posse of R.C.M.P. Make Capture

Sydney, N.S., May 27.—After being fugitives from justice for more than eighteen months, three brothers, Allen, John and Murdoch McLellan, were arrested Thursday afternoon by Sergeant Blakeney and Constable Cook, of the Mounted Police, at the lonely fishing village of Meat Cove, about 150 miles from here. They were lodged in the county jail charged with assaulting passengers and creating a disturbance on the coastal steamer Arroy in November, 1920. A man named McEachern, who is wanted on the same charge, is still at large.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Kobe, May 26.—Sailed: S.S. Canadian Skirmisher for Vancouver, B.C., via Pechanga, Amazon Maru for Seattle via Yokohama.
Yokohama, May 26.—Arrived: S.S. Taihybus from Seattle. Sailed: S.S. Yokohama Maru for Seattle.
San Diego, May 26.—Arrived: S.S. President from Seattle via Victoria, San Francisco and San Pedro at 5 p.m. and sailed for Seattle via San Pedro, San Francisco and Victoria at 11 p.m.
San Francisco, May 26.—Arrived: S.S. Yosemite from Port Ludlow at 5 a.m. Sailed: S.S. Mukilton for Seattle towing large Charles Nelson, for Port Angeles at 5 a.m. May 26. S.S. Admiral Schley for Seattle at 4 p.m. Chaitanoga City for New York, via San Pedro, Balboa and Baltimore at 4 p.m. Freport Sulphur, for Seattle, via Tacoma, at 6 p.m.; schr. Bainbridge for Puget Sound ports at 6 p.m.; Meridian for Valparaiso, via San Pedro, Balboa, Guayaquil, Molendo and Antofagasta, at a.m.; Red Hook for Seattle, via Portland, at 1 p.m. Arrived: S.S. Steel Navigator, from New York, via Baltimore, Balboa and San Pedro, at noon.

EL LOBO IN FOR OVERHAUL

Standard Oil Company's Tanker Drydocks; Yarrows, Ltd. to Effect Repairs.
The Standard Oil tanker El Lobo, Captain Anderson, passed in to Esquimalt at eight o'clock this morning to go into drydock, where Messrs. Yarrows, Ltd., will complete the annual overhaul, with cleaning and painting. The El Lobo is but recently up from Peru with a cargo of oil for the company's tanks at loco. Over 100 men are employed on the El Lobo, effected overhaul and repairs in record time, and impressed with the service rendered, has been a constant visitor for the same purpose since that date.

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Mauretania	June 4, June 27
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July 1/July 29/Aug. 26	Corsican
Aug. 5	Metagama
QUEBEC TO LIVERPOOL	June 23/July 18/Aug. 15
June 18/July 14/Aug. 11	Belgiana
July 5	Empress of India
MONTREAL TO NAPLES, GENOA	June 22/July 17/Aug. 14
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CREW OF MONTEAGLE RETURN TO CHINA

When the Canadian Pacific S.S. Empress of Japan clears on June 1 for the Orient on her final round trip before disappearing from Pacific waters she will take with her the Chinese crew of the C.P.S.S. Monteagle. The crew of the Monteagle will return to homes in China now that the Monteagle is to be withdrawn from the Pacific.

AEROPLANES CONNECT WITH LINERS TO FACILITATE TRANSIT

Passengers on Liners at Cherbourg May Call Taxi-plane
The Cunard offices state that arrangements have been completed with the Compagnie Aérienne Française to convey passengers on the company's "big three"—the Berengaria, Aquitania and Mauretania—from Cherbourg to Paris by aeroplanes, the new service beginning June 1. The same service will be operated for people who wish to fly from Paris to Cherbourg, it is stated. Arrangements to fly may be made at any of the offices of the Cunard Line or on any of the steamers of the line's weekly express service to Cherbourg and Southampton, it is said. Aerial connecting links with existing steamer travel, becoming stabilized and highly popular.

STEAMER ARRIVALS

Montcalm, at Quebec, from Liverpool, Metagama, at Quebec, from Liverpool.
Kobe, May 25.—Empress of Asia, Vancouver; Singapore Maru, Portland.
New York, May 25.—Westhaven, San Francisco.
Genoa, May 23.—Giuseppe Verdi, New York.
Southampton, May 25.—George Washington, New York.
Sailed.
Swansea, May 24.—Carmathens, San Francisco.
Pentonia, May 24.—Canadian Prospector, Seattle.
Manila, May 25.—Stockton, San Francisco.
Yokohama, May 24.—Canadian Skirmisher, Vancouver.

Manila, May 25.—Stewart Dollar, Vancouver.
Pentonia, May 25.—Units, Astoria; Ixion, Seattle.
Hongkong, May 24.—Grace Dollar, San Francisco; Hawaii, Mary, Tacoma.
London, May 25.—Politician, San Francisco.
Yokohama, May 25.—Alabama Maru, Tacoma.
Kobe, May 25.—Iyo Maru, Seattle; Mandasan Maru, Seattle.
Queenstown, May 25.—Kefuku Maru, Portland.
New York, May 25.—Conte Rosso, Naples.

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Ward Three Liberals—Members of the various committees in connection with Ward Three Liberal Social Club are asked to attend a meeting at the Liberal Club at 8 o'clock this evening for the purpose of completing plans for the entertainment and dance to be given at the Club next Wednesday evening, May 31, which will be the last social session of the Ward Social club.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Actors' Club.—A meeting of the Actors' Club will be held on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Herbert Kent, 228 Douglas Street, when a financial statement will be presented.

King's Daughters.—There will be no meeting of the King's Daughters next week, but if necessary a special meeting will be held prior to the convention.

Repeats Play.—The "Upper Trail" was repeated by the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A. at Temple's Hall last night. There was a large attendance, and the play was a pleasing one.

Langford Women's Institute.—The monthly meeting of Langford Women's Institute will be held next Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. at Mrs. Radford's. Mrs. Coley, of Methosin, will give a lecture on "Flower Gardening."

First Meeting.—The first meeting of the newly-formed board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. will be held at an association building on Wednesday at 8 o'clock. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected and business matters discussed.

Veterans of France.—A well attended meeting of the Veterans of France Association was held last evening in the clubrooms, with Comrade J. J. Taylor, the president, in the chair. Comrade T. P. Tebbutt was chosen secretary.

Inspection Tour.—D. L. Howard, of Calgary, and W. Marshall, general superintendent at Winnipeg, are making a tour of inspection, and arrived in town here to inspect the telegraph system. They are at present registered at the Empress Hotel.

British-Israel Association.—"The Fifth Kingdom of the Earth and the New Jerusalem" will be the topic at a lecture to be given at the British-Israel Depot, 587 Fort Street, on Tuesday evening next, May 30. This will be the last regular meeting at the above address during the summer months.

Prize Winner Sought.—Capt. Gordon, who entered a team of Shetland ponies in the May 24 parade, secured a prize, but the committee has not been able to present it. If the owner would kindly send in his address to the secretary, J. B. McCallum, No. 5 Alma Place, or telephone 6316L, arrangement could be made to give the prize.

Birthday Festival.—The ladies of the First Presbyterian Church will hold a "general store" in connection with the Y. W. C. A. birthday festival at the Armory on June 7 and 8, and a meeting was held yesterday afternoon to make preliminary arrangements. Mrs. D. D. Smith, the convenor, distributed material to be made up, and also lists for the receipt of donations to this store.

Patients Appreciate Gifts.—Mrs. Cassidy is in receipt of a letter from Miss Mackenzie, lady superintendent of the Jubilee Hospital, in which Miss Mackenzie states the invalids in the convalescent ward appreciate very much the flowers, cakes, oranges and candy sent them by Mrs. Cassidy. The letter adds: "It always means a ray of sunshine in their weary lives."

New Tennis Club.—A number of tennis enthusiasts are desirous of organizing a new tennis club, and arrangements have already been made whereby suitable grounds can be secured near the end of Hillside Avenue. Additional members are needed in order to provide the necessary strength to carry out the plan, and therefore it is desired that anyone anxious to participate should communicate at once with T. U. Durand, P.O. Box 120. It is planned to limit the club to forty members.

Court Maple Leaf.—Court Maple Leaf, A.O.F., will hold a gingham dance on Monday night, May 29, in the Foresters' Hall, Broad Street. Good music has been secured, dancing starting at 8:30; also a whist drive will be held in the small hall at 8:30. Anyone wishing to dance at the conclusion of the cards can do so. Good scrip prizes will be given to the winners of the card tournament. Ice cream will be served during the evening.

Teachers Coming.—Arriving here at 1:30 o'clock next Saturday afternoon, standard time, 1,000 teachers from Seattle will spend about four hours in

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Heart of Africa Mission.

The many people interested in mission work, especially those whose interests are especially vested in the spread of the gospel among the natives of Africa, will be delighted to hear that Miss Brandon, of the Heart of Africa Mission, who was in Victoria about two years ago, will give an address on Tuesday, June 13, in the First Presbyterian Church Hall. Miss Brandon is on her way to Australia and New Zealand where she will speak in the interests of her Mission.

S. Jude's Social Guild.—A well attended meeting was held on Thursday, May 25. Much business was done, plans made for activities during the summer. These include a silver tea to be held at the home of Mrs. E. W. Hall, corner of Colquhoun Ave. and George Road, on June 14. A book party to be held in the church, on the evening of June 23, and a garden party to be held on August 4, in the grounds of Mr. J. J. Newbury, kindly lent for the occasion. A new electric stove had been bought, also new prayer and hymn books for use in the church. After the business tea was served. Felicitations were extended to Mrs. R. L. Barrett, on her proposed visit to England. A pleasant afternoon was brought to a close at 5 o'clock.

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Basketball at Community Centre

Midgets Will Provide Sport Feature at Week-end Entertainment

Those who think that the basketball season is over need only to attend the Community Centre entertainment to-night to satisfy their curiosity. The V. F. A. Midget team will meet the Victoria West Midget team in royal combat at the Armory, commencing at 8:15 o'clock. These two aggregations have been seen before at the Armory, so all those who attend this week-end entertainment will not be disappointed in the anticipated fray.

The Fifth Regiment band will open the evening's programme with a band parade, followed by the basketball title, which will be immediately followed by dancing until 11 o'clock. A large attendance is anticipated and an enjoyable time is assured all those who attend. The two basketball teams will field the following players:

V. F. A. Midgets—Guards, Scotty Robertson and Dave Lewis; centre, Albie Davies; forwards, Ray Rickinson and Teddy Hincliffe; spare, Tommy Wallace.

Victoria West Midgets—Guards, Alex. Stevens and Danny Pascoe; centre, Jumbo Davies; forwards, Art Chadwick and Tubbie Stevens.

Ward Two Liberals.

Ward Two Liberals will hold their regular monthly meeting at the Liberal Club on Tuesday evening next, commencing at 8 o'clock. All members of the ward and their friends are asked to attend.

Centennial Forum.—Alderman R. W. Perry will be the speaker at the meeting of Centennial Methodist Church Forum at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, when he will take for his subject, "The Boy and His Opportunities."

Orchestral Concert.—St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church orchestra, under the leadership of Jesse Longfield, will give the final concert of the season at the church schoolroom on Monday evening commencing at 8:15 o'clock. An excellent programme has been arranged and in addition to the orchestral selection the following artists will assist: Miss Eleanor McLennan, Miss Gibson, Miss Nancy Ferguson, Mr. Durrant, and Miss Elsie Hole.

Chief Engineer Visits.—J. M. R. Fairbairn, chief engineer of the Canadian Pacific Railway, arrived in Victoria yesterday on his annual trip of inspection. He is to-day conferring with H. E. Beasley, general superintendent of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway. With Mr. Fairbairn are W. A. James, assistant engineer at Winnipeg, and P. B. Morley, chief engineer at Montreal, and will make a tour of the Island line to-day with Mr. Fairbairn.

Plaintiff Wins.

In a judgment handed down by Judge Lampman late yesterday in the County Court action of Wong Jan versus Quong Wo On, plaintiff's claim for \$85 was allowed. This sum was advanced to an Oriental employed by the plaintiff to work at the diet laundry, and defendant, "instated" that he would reach the cannery and work there, the premium charged for such insurance being \$100. Defendant claimed the insurance merely insured the Oriental leaving for the cannery. It developed that the diet laundry was interested at Alert Bay and convicted of having opium, for which he was imprisoned six months. W. C. Moreby appeared for plaintiff and C. E. Wilson for defendant.

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DATES ARE FIXED FOR FALL FAIRS HERE

Dates for the annual Fall fairs on Vancouver Island have been set as follows:

Victoria, Sept. 18 to 25; Merville, Aug. 23; Courtenay, Sept. 5-6; Denman Island, Sept. 22; Sayward, Sept. 8; Hilliers, Sept. 9; Sooke, Sept. 12; Ganges, Sept. 13; Alberni, Sept. 14; Duncan, Sept. 14-16; Lasqueti Island, Sept. 16; Parksville, Sept. 20; Ladysmith, Sept. 28-29; Cobble Hill, Sept. 30; Saanichton, Oct. 3-4.

The Vancouver exhibition will be held from August 18 to 26 and New Westminster from September 11 to 16.

SONS OF ENGLAND WILL PARADE TO CHURCH TO-MORROW

Led by the Salvation Army silver band, the Sons of England will parade to the Reformed Episcopal Church for the evening services to-morrow. Rev. A. de B. Owen will preach on a special subject suited to the occasion. All members are requested to attend at the lodge room, A.O.F. Hall, Broad Street, at 8:45 p.m., and a cordial invitation is extended to all members of the Loyal Orange Association, Orange Ladies, Daughters and Maids of England and juvenile members of the Sons of England to meet at the hall to take part in the parade, which will leave the hall at 7 o'clock.

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION

Officers Elected for the Ensuing Year.

The election of officers for the Victoria Typographical Union has resulted as follows:

President, John Chow; vice-president, H. W. Curtis; secretary-treasurer, Charles F. Hanfield.

Auditors—Geo. M. Watt, Ivan Curtis, Jas. Petrie.

Examining Board—A. Rowland, C. F. Hanfield, J. Petrie.

Trades and Labor Council—C. K. Christian, J. L. Neate.

Allied Printing Trades Council—C. K. Christian, H. W. Curtis, W. H. Ozard.

Sergeant-at-Arms—F. G. Wyatt.

Delegates to Convention—C. K. Christian and John Chow, alternates, F. G. Wyatt and S. V. Bowser.

RADIO RESTRICTIONS CHANGED

On and after June 1 radio receiving licenses, formerly limited to British subjects, will be available to all, stated Superintendent E. J. Houghton, of the Federal Wireless Department, to-day. This modification of the regulations has been eagerly sought, as the former restrictions made it impossible for American and other "alien" citizens of this country to own radio apparatus for any purpose. The ban has been lifted in respect to radio reception only, and the former restrictions still hold good as to transmitting radio signals.

Licenses may be secured from the local office of the Government Telegraphs, on Government Street, while the forms may be obtained at any post office in this Province. The change in regulations to go into effect on June 1 will prove a boon to many in this city, it is said.

Garden Party.—The Ladies' Aid of St. Barnabas Church will hold their annual garden party on Wednesday, June 21, in the church grounds.

G. W. V. A. Meeting.—A special meeting of the G. W. V. A. will be held at headquarters Monday evening, at 7:15 o'clock, for the purpose of making final arrangements for the excursion which the association will hold next Saturday to Port Angeles. Tickets are selling rapidly at the C. P. R. offices. An orchestra will be on board and the American Legion is making special arrangements for entertainment of the excursionists at Port Angeles. A general meeting of the association will be held at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening.

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Wednesday, May 31—Annual inspection by O.C. cadets, B. N. B. Depot. Time will be announced in the papers.

Thursday, June 1, 7:30 p.m.—Both watches and B. N. B. band practice.

Saturday, June 3, 7 p.m.—Fetty officers' mess meeting.

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The TIMES



NEWS of SPORT

Classic of Turf To Be Run Wednesday

Epsom Will Be Scene of Famous Derby, Which Is Being Run For 139th Time; Enormous Crowds Will Attend Event; St. Louis and Pondoland Afore Favored to Win This Year; Sensational Upsets Have Been Known, 100-1 Shot Once Winning

LATEST ON DERBY

London, May 27.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Following is the latest betting on the Derby which will be run next Wednesday: St. Louis, 4 to 1 against; Captain Cuttle, 5 to 1 against; Pondoland and Re-Echo, 6 to 1 against; Tamar, 100 to 5 offered; Craig-An-Glover, 100 to 5 against; North End, 20 to 1 against; Lord of Burghley, 25 to 1 against, all taken and offered.

London, May 27.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Pondoland, one of the favorites in the betting on the Derby to be run on May 31, which a Newmarket report yesterday said was lame in the left foot either as the result of a bad strain or being hurt in his stall, did a good five furlong canter last evening, according to a late report from Newmarket. Pondoland's hind leg was bandaged, but he appeared to walk in good condition.

London, May 27.—(By Canadian Press).—Tuesday next sees the opening of the Derby week on Epsom Downs, and though possibly better racing is seen later on at Ascot, at Goodwood, and during the Autumn meetings at Newmarket, no meeting of the flat racing season stands as high in the popular esteem. The four days' programme offers a varied and interesting bill of fare, the Woodcote Stakes on the opening day often bringing together some of the most promising two-year-olds of the season, and in this the royal colors, purple, goldbraided, scarlet sleeves and black velvet cap with gold fringe, may be seen out on the colt by Friar Marcus out of Etoile or the colt by Swayford out of Pintado.

On Wednesday the Derby, the outstanding feature. This is the third of the five "classics" races for three-year-olds, of which the two thousand guineas has been won by St. Louis and the one thousand, the fillies' race, by Silver Urn. On Friday the fourth of the "classics," the Oaks, also known to fillies, is run, and the last being the Doncaster St. Ledger in September. Unless St. Louis, a not very strong favorite, repeats in the Derby, it will be the only one of the "classics" which will be as open an affair as last year, when five different animals won them, there being no outstanding European champion at the age. The feature on Thursday is the Coronation Cup, a stake race at weight-for-age run over the Derby course, which is always together, the best cup horses of the year.

Most Popular Day. Derby Day is easily the most popular day of the racing year, and annually attracts enormous crowds to Epsom. Each year there is a great exodus from the city and the many roads leading to the downs are jammed with vehicles of all kinds, whose occupants have only one destination and one thought in mind—the Derby, and who will win it. For many it will be the only Derby they will see during the season, and it is the climax to a one, two or three-day outing. To some the Derby spells romance, and to others fortune. In any event, the Derby has a firm grip upon the sporting instinct of the Englishman and there is not to be found throughout the country a sportsman, whether he sits in the House of Lords, or drives a coster's donkey, who does not have something on his fancy.

Wednesday's race will be the 139th renewal of the Derby Stakes, raced in 1780, just one year later than the Oaks and four years later than the St. Ledger. The twelfth Earl of Derby originated both the Oaks and the Derby, naming the former after his seat or hunting lodge, Woodstock, and the latter deriving its name from its originator. The distinction for both events is about one and one-half miles.

The nominations for the Derby closed on November 2, 1920, with 381 entries, while for the Oaks, 276 fillies were placed in nomination. As might be expected from a race that has been run continuously for nearly a century and a half, many sensational results have characterized the great classic. Fortunes have been won and lost; and in one instance, at least, fate balanced the ledger.

A Remarkable Race. In 1867 the Derby furnished one of the most remarkable races in the history of the English turf. Chaplin's Hermit completely upsetting the calculations and winning for his owner at the extreme odds of 100 to 1 against. It is said that Mr. Chaplin won over \$500,000 on this race. Previous to the Derby of 1867, a blood vessel and was kept in his stable for 48 hours with his head tied up. Enormous sums were laid against the Chaplin colt, and the memory of a blood vessel and was kept in his stable for 48 hours with his head tied up. Enormous sums were laid against the Chaplin colt, and the memory of a blood vessel and was kept in his stable for 48 hours with his head tied up.

MIDDLESEX BEATEN BY ESSEX ELEVEN

London, May 27.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Following are the week's county cricket results: Sussex beat Worcester by an innings and 95 runs. Hampshire beat Gloucester by 74 runs. Essex beat Middlesex in the first innings. Notts beat Warwick by nine wickets. Surrey beat Somerset by 221 runs. Lancashire beat Leicester by four wickets. Yorkshire beat Cambridge University by nine wickets.

for two years in succession, with Ladis and Sir Visto winning in 1895 and 1896 respectively. Lord Palmerton and Lord Derby could frequently be found watching with critical observation the gallop of their classic candidates.

Viscount Wants Another Victory. Viscount Lascelles' colt Mullein is the only one of the Viscount's considerable number of turf followers are asking themselves if the Viscount's ambition to win the Derby, the greatest of all times—the King's daughter for a bride in February and the blue ribbon of the turf in May—will be achieved. At any rate the Epsom classic was one of the topics discussed during the royal wedding festivities and the Viscount's classic Mullein was mentioned, the impression being that although the colt's two-year-old form was but moderate he had wintered so well that his prospects of victory at Epsom were not at all remote.

There is, of course, no more superstitious body of sportsmen than those who follow racing. They are always on the lookout for omens and portents and many will play the "royal double" and plank down their expectations on the Derby. King's son-in-law will lead in the winner.

Fancy Re-Echo. There are also those who do not overlook the fact that the Derby winner of the two thousand, did not win a race as a two-year-old, but in the Woodcote stakes at Epsom, and they are asking themselves if Sir Earnest Page's colt, Re-Echo, the winner of the Woodcote Stakes last year, and who is entered in this year's Derby, has been appropriately named and can he duplicate Humorslet's performance. Re-Echo is a well-bred colt, by Niel Gow out of Corrie Rae and as a two-year-old won two of his four starts, finishing second in the remainder. He did not appear in the Newmarket classic and therefore it is somewhat difficult to appraise his quality as a three-year-old. The unfavorable racing conditions of a year ago, when many promising two-year-olds could not be brought along, owing to the hard condition of the tracks, has resulted in many upsets in form this year.

St. Louis, the Favorite for the Derby



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SISLER GREATEST PLAYER IN MAJORS

St. Louis First-sacker Leads in Practically Every Department of Play. Best Base-stealer, Hitter and Run-getter; Toporcer Leads National Hitters

Chicago, May 27.—George Sisler continues to prove himself a one-man ball team, for the St. Louis Browns first-sacker again occupies a leading position in almost every department of play, according to American League figures released today, which include games of Wednesday.

Sisler heads the batters with a mark of 489, despite the fact that this is three points lower than last week's average. He has scored the most runs, 39; made the most hits, 65; leads in total bases with 96, heads the base-stealers with 18, has hit ten two-baggers against eleven for the leaders, and his home runs total 5, enough to place him near the top.

Miller is Second. Ed Miller, of Philadelphia, has been climbing steadily and is second in the batting with an average of .402. Miller now has ten home runs against twelve for Williams of the Browns, who has taken Babe Ruth's place as the chief slugger of the circuit. Williams besides leading in home runs ranks second to Sisler in stolen bases with 14. Try Cobb in third with .388. Other leading batters in 20 games or more are: Speaker, Cleveland, .397; O'Neill, Cleveland, .385; Witt, New York, .377; Clark, Detroit, .358; Schanz, New York, .352; Jamieon, Cleveland, .341; Blue, Detroit, .338.

Toporcer Leads National. George Toporcer, the slugging infielder with St. Louis, by pounding out 13 hits, boosted himself to the top of the National League with an average of .401.

Tommy Griffith, who has been hitting consistently for Brooklyn, is next with .385, while Roger Hornsby, of St. Louis, and Bigbee, of Pittsburgh, are tied for third place with .372.

Hornsby leads the run-getters with 23, is one in front in total bases with a mark of 88 and leads the home run drivers with nine.

Max Carey, Pittsburgh, continues to lead the stealers with nine. Other leading batters in 20 games or more are: Maraville, Pittsburgh, .379; Hargrave, Cincinnati, .378; Kelly, New York, .368; J. Johnson, Brooklyn, .353; Southworth, Boston, .351; Grimes, Chicago, .348; Hollocher, Chicago, .347.

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PODOLAND BEATS ST. LOUIS SLUGGER NOW BUT ONE BEHIND KEN WILLIAMS; REUTHER WINS ANOTHER. New York, May 27.—The Giants are back in their winning stride after shaking off the ill-effects of the treatment they received from Western rivals.

THOUSANDS ATTEND ANNUAL SPORTS School Sports Are Well Attended; Long List of Events Run Off. Some three thousand parents, with their children, attended the annual inter-municipal school sports at the Willows yesterday afternoon.

ELK SWIMMERS OPEN CLUB ON WEDNESDAY Programme of Varied Events to Start at 2.30 and Finish at 11.30. Arrangements have been completed for the opening of the Elks Swimming Club at the Gorge on Wednesday afternoon next at 2.30 o'clock.

E. W. Holderness, of Walton Heath, Wins British Amateur Golf Championship. Prestwick, Scotland, May 27.—E. W. Holderness, of Walton Heath, today won the British amateur golf championship by defeating John Caven, of Cochrane Castle, of one up in the final round this afternoon.

Victoria Rep Cricket Team Picked; Watson Is Captain. August 5 the locals will pay their return visit to the Terminal City. The Victoria rep eleven will perform here on Labor Day against the Victoria rep eleven.

ALEXA COMES BACK AND WINS AT GOLF. Convent, N. J., May 27.—Miss Alexa Stirling, former National Women's golf title-holder, and now representing the North Hempstead, Long Island, Country Club, won the championship of the Women's Metropolitan Golf Association yesterday by defeating Mrs. H. Arnold Jackson, of Greenwich, Conn., five up and three to play in the 36-hole final at the Morris County Country Club.

RAILROADERS OPEN UP WITH NICE WIN Citizen's Baseball League is Away; Odd Fellows Hardly Strong Enough. The game between the teams representing the Odd Fellows and the C. P. R. ushered in the season of the Citizen's Baseball League last night and if the amount of rooters the supporters made is any criterion to go by this will be a very successful year for the league.

HOW THEY STAND. American League. St. Louis .27 15 448. New York .25 15 325. Detroit .19 17 325. Cleveland .18 20 474. Philadelphia .16 18 473. Boston .15 17 469. Washington .14 21 490. National League. New York .22 12 657. Pittsburgh .20 13 606. St. Louis .20 26 556. Brooklyn .19 18 514. Chicago .17 17 560. Cincinnati .19 20 487. Portland .15 19 468. Philadelphia .11 23 324. Pacific Coast League. Vernon .27 19 587. Los Angeles .27 23 513. San Francisco .25 19 510. Oakland .23 26 509. Seattle .23 25 479. Portland .21 26 447. Salt Lake .21 26 447. Sacramento .22 28 440.

JUNIOR BASEBALL. The results with the batteries in last night's game in the Junior Baseball League were as follows: Tyees .30. Mets .7. Batteries—Bothwell and Sallaway; Holman, Kay, Ellokves, and Hamby. Tigers .9. Hustlers .8. Batteries—Laird and Esler; Balcom, Dunn and Kellot. Um-Tombi .6. Y. M. C. A. .5. Batteries—Ozard and Geisler; McConnell and Mccoy. Pirates .22. Vultures .5. Batteries—Cameron and Thorburn; White and Paul.

O'HARA WINS WITH EASE. Los Angeles, May 27.—Teddy O'Hara, Oakland lightweight, easily defeated Joe Herrera, of San Francisco, in the main event at the Hollywood American Legion Stadium last night. Herrera showed a flash in the beginning of the first round, but that ended his efforts.

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Axminster Rugs of fine soft pile in the newest designs and colorings. Suitable for any room where a serviceable rug is required.

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Axminster Hearth Rugs—Special at \$2.49 Each

A very heavy wool pile Axminster Rug with fringe ends; a rug that can be used in so many places and the value is outstanding. Size 27 inches by 36 inches. Month-end Clean-up Price, each **\$2.49**
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Twisted Wire Grass Rugs—Special at 75c Each

Made from the twisted wire grass and woven and bound with strong cotton; stencilled designs in brown and green. Sizes 27 inches by 54 inches. Value \$1.00. Month-end Clean-up Price, per yard **75c**
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Fine Fllet Curtain Nets 33c a Yard
Soft fine fllet nets of exquisite quality and neat designs. Made from finest cotton in close weave that will launder and look well for 33c years; 36 inches wide. Month-end Clean-up Price, per yard **33c**
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Soft silky pile 50-inch green velour for side curtains and portiere curtains. Comes in a nice rich deep shade of green. Value \$3.25. Month-end Clean-up Price, per yard **\$2.39**
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A Cretonne Special at 98c a Yard

This includes some of the finest French hand blocked cretonne and English printed cretonne; 31 and 36 inches wide, in colorings and designs only obtainable in good quality material. Values to \$1.45. Month-end Clean-up Price, per yard **98c**
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40 Pairs Point Arab and Hand Finished Curtains at Clean-up Prices

40 pairs only of the finest Point Arab Net Curtains, in deep ecru, finished with fine Belgium lace and motifs. Exquisite curtains for good rooms.
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Bargains in Sheetings and Pillow Cases

Remnants of Unbleached Sheetting 29c a Yard
Mostly in 54 and 63-inch widths with a limited quantity of 72-inch widths. Weights for many purposes, including aprons and dresses. Month-end Clean-up Price, per yard **29c**
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72-Inch Heavy Round Thread Sheetting 89c a Yard
Woven from pure round thread yarns in a pure bleach. We can recommend this sheeting for hard wear; 72 inches wide. Value \$1.00 a yard. Month-end Clean-up Price, per yard **89c**
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42-Inch Pillow Cases 75c a Pair
A splendid opportunity to purchase Pillow Cases of a high grade at a very low price. Pillow cases made to stand hard wear and usage of the laundry; 42-inch. Value \$1.00 a pair. Month-end Clean-up Price, per pair **75c**
—Main Floor

Pure Wool Poplin and Armure Reduced to \$1.39 a Yard

A wonderful opportunity to secure a Dress Length at a very low price. Woven from pure wool yarns in fine cord and pebble weave effects. Value \$2.75. Month-end Clean-up Price, per yard **\$1.39**
—Main Floor

Broken Lines in Women's Wool, Silk and Lisle Hose at Bargain Prices



Women's Pure Wool 4-1 Ribbed Hose

A very elastic hose, all wearing parts fully reinforced. This makes a splendid sport hose and is very good value. Comes in lovat only; sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Value \$1.75. Month-End Clean-Up Price, per pair **\$1.25**

Women's Pure Wool Cashmere Hose

Full fashioned with good wide top and wearing parts fully reinforced. This is a splendid value and should not be overlooked. Comes in light brown, navy, myrtle, purple and blue. Broken sizes only. Values to \$1.25. Month-end clean-up price, per pair **75c**

Women's Fine Quality Heather Mixture Hose

Full fashioned with a good wide hem top; all wearing parts fully reinforced. A very strong and serviceable hose in brown heather only; sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Month-End Clean-Up Price, per pair **29c**

Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose

Full fashioned with a good wide lisle top; reinforced heel and toes. Comes in silver, pink, sky, light brown, castor, buck, grey, champagne, paddy, purple and mauve. Broken sizes only. Value \$2.50. Month-End Clean-Up Price, per pair **\$1.50**

Women's Fine Quality Mercerized Hose

Full fashioned with a good wide top; reinforced heel and toes. Comes in a perfect black; also grey, navy, palm beach; sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Month-End Clean-Up Price, per pair **39c**
—Main Floor

White Voile Blouses Value \$2.39—Special, \$1.98

Blouses of fine quality white voile in slip-over style, roll collar, square neck and vestee trimmed with embroidery, tucks and lace edging. Others with round neck, square collar, front trimmed with drawn thread work and eyelet embroidery; sizes 36 to 46. Value \$2.39. Month-End Clean-Up Price, each **\$1.98**

English Moire Underskirts Values to \$4.50 for \$2.98

Underskirts of best quality English moire, with smart pleated flounces, elastic fitted waist band. Come in shades of Paddy, rose, purple, nigger, taupe, grey, navy and black. A most serviceable skirt for every-day wear. Values to \$4.50. Month-End Clean-Up Price **\$2.98**
—Second Floor

Women's Exquisite Dress Footwear Values to \$16.50 for \$12.50

This offering includes Gold and Silver Cloth Slippers in one-strap models; also some beautiful black kid two-strap Slippers of the highest quality, suitable for evening or dress wear. These lines carry full Louis or Baby Louis heels. Come in widths B, C, and D, in sizes from 3 to 8. Values to \$16.00. Sale Price **\$12.50**

Mattresses at Low Prices

Soft Nap Mattresses at \$40.00
This is a beautiful ventilated mattress that carries a guarantee for ten years; filled with Marshall springs, padded on top and bottom and has the best 40 pound A. C. A. ticking. **\$40.00**

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White Felt Mattresses at \$11.50
An all white cotton felt mattress in all sizes; weight 40 pounds; and will not lump; very strong art ticking **\$11.50**

Hudson's Bay Special Mattress at \$19.00
An all white felt mattress of fine quality, with good ticking; imperial roll edge and made in layers. Guaranteed not to lump **\$19.00**

Mixed Mattresses at \$7.50
A mattress with nice blue ticking cotton top and bottom; very well filled; each **\$7.50**

A Good Mattress Value at \$4.90
A mixed mattress with strong ticking; very well filled and in all sizes; each **\$4.90**

Drug Dept. Specials for Monday

Dyala Hat Dye; value 25c, for **19c**
Papadent; value 50c, for **33c**
Tanic; value \$1.15, for **73c**
Dier Kiss Talcum; value 25c, for **23c**
Therox Heat; value 15c a can; 3 for **25c**
Sulphur and Molasses; value 30c, for **23c**
Talcum Powder; value 25c, for **17c**
Tooth Brushes; value 50c, for **28c**
M. & L. Florida Water; value \$1.50, for **\$1.23**
Minty's Face Powder; value 50c, for **34c**
Ingram's Florida Water; value 50c, for **36c**
Vinolia Lavender Water; value 50c, for **35c**
Narnon's Perfume; value 25c, for **15c**
—Main Floor

A Clean-Up in Men's High-Grade All-Wool Tweed Suits

These suits are expertly tailored from all wool tweed in popular shades and patterns of grey, brown and green, in two and three-button styles. Not only appearance, but style and quality in the making of these suits; sizes 34 to 44. Month-End Clean-Up Price **\$27.95**
—Main Floor

Men's Mesh Underwear, 50c a Garment

Summer Weight Underwear, in a fine quality of a double thread mesh. Cut in a good fitting style, short sleeves and knee length; sizes 34 to 44. Month-End Clean-Up Price, per garment **50c**

Men's English All-Wool Cashmere Socks, 50c a Pair

Made from all-wool cashmere in plain black, fast dye and seamless. A well made and good-fitting sock; sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2. Month-End Clean-Up Price, per pair **50c**
—Main Floor

Boys' Fine Cotton Summer Hose, 25c a Pair

Made in a fine 2-1 rib in plain black. Good fitting and will not shrink; sizes 8 to 14. Month-End Clean-Up Price, per pair **25c**

Boys' Balbriggan Underwear, 50c a Garment

Made from a fine quality of balbriggan and just the weight for Summer wear. Cut in a good fitting style, long sleeves and knee length. Month-End Clean-Up Price, per garment **50c**
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These patterns may be procured in separate pieces, by the dozen or in beautiful gift cases. Teaspoons, per 1/2 dozen boxed **\$4.00**
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Table Spoons and Forks, per 1/2 dozen boxed **\$8.00**
Knives, and all kinds of pieces to match.

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Pierced Bread Trays, plain and with handle. Price **\$10.00** and **\$13.50**
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Exquisite Flower Basket or Centre Piece. The standard in plain Colonial style; wide mouth and handle, beautifully pierced. 19 inches high. Price **\$22.75**
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Waist; sizes 24 to 32 **50c**
—Second Floor



The Automobile



MOTORIST SHOULD THINK OF OTHERS

Courtesy and Consideration Count for Much

A Saanich motorist points out to The Times that the pleasure of motoring would be considerably increased if some of the careless and inconsiderate drivers would wake up to a realization that there are others using the highways as well as themselves.

There are instances where one motorist will pass another without first giving the signal that he is about to pass, which is a very dangerous practice, because one never knows what the driver in front is going to do.

"Some people forget that they have a horn, and they seem also to forget that the law requires them to exercise reasonable caution in using the highways," says this motorist.

Complaints have also been made of a certain truck driver who comes into the city regularly once a week, if not oftener, and who insists on occupying the centre of the road, no matter how hard the man behind toots his horn.

Consideration and courtesy by all users of the highways costs nothing, yet they result in a very valuable spirit of co-operation among motorists and the public generally.

KEEPING THE CAR IN TRIM

In cleaning small parts of chassis, such as the oil holes on brake, cross shafts, brake connections, spark and throttle connections, etc., use an oil can filled with kerosene and a stiff brush. In this way the kerosene in just the proper amounts can be directed just where it is needed. This method is particularly useful in cleaning out oil holes which have become partly filled with dirt.

LOCAL COMPANY GETS OIL AGENCY

Weiler Auto Supply Have Lubrication Service

The Weiler Auto Supply House, Douglas Street, has been appointed Victoria distributors for Sunoco Motor Oil, and hereafter Weiler's will give motorists something unusual in the way of lubrication service.

Mr. Weiler explains that when a motorist takes advantage of this service an analysis is first taken of the lubricating requirements of the particular car and the type of Sunoco oil that meets them exactly is specified. There is no guesswork about it, as the firm uses the Sunoco lubrication guide, which is based on a scientific analysis of the lubricating requirements of every car manufacturer. In this way operating costs are reduced, and the owner gets better and longer service out of his car.

Very few motorists, both their heads about the important feature of lubrication. Any kind of oil in any quantity, in their opinion, fills the bill, but it is pointed out that the manufacturers of every car stipulate just what are the lubricating requirements of their particular car.

The new service instituted by Weiler Auto Supply House will save owners a lot of time, trouble and expense. Mr. Weiler points out that Sunoco Motor Oil is one hundred per cent distillate oil and, as already stated, is made in various grades to suit the needs of the various makes of cars.

CLEANING REFLECTORS

A mixture of denatured alcohol and water in equal parts is best for cleaning reflectors in headlights. To avoid scratching the highly-polished surface the solution should be applied with cotton or a soft cloth.

SAYS BUSINESS SHOWING UP WELL

Revercomb Motor Company Looks for Good Season

With sales during the past month exceeding all expectations the Revercomb Motor Company Limited, Oldsmobile passenger car and Federal truck distributors are looking forward to a good season in the automotive business.

The big factor now in automobile sales is the fact that prices are below pre-war quotations, and the public no longer asks when the next drop in prices is going to take place. It is generally conceded that if any change takes place in price it will have an upward tendency instead of downward.

"We are looking forward to the receipt of the first shipment of the new three-quarter-ton Federal Fast Express cars, which are something novel and, according to the descriptive matter we have received, will prove very popular with business houses of Victoria and Vancouver Island who have a heavy delivery service to handle," says Walter Revercomb.

COMPANY REPORTS BIG SALES MONTH

May Establishes Record for Studebakers

The month of May has been the biggest Studebaker sales month in a long time according to R. J. Jameson, of Jameson & Willis, Limited, local Studebaker distributors.

Mr. Jameson bears out the reports from other dealers as to the satisfactory outlook for the 1922 season as regards sales and business generally. There has been considerable increase in the business activity of the big Broughton Street garage, and Jameson & Willis feel convinced that the back of hard times has been broken for good. Conditions are quickly recovering from the slack season which followed the war, and things are getting down once more to a busy basis. The Studebaker is constantly gaining in popularity with particular motorists, says Mr. Jameson, and its well known stability and service efficiency combined with its attractive appearance and features providing for the motorist's comfort are great considerations when it comes to choosing one's car," says Mr. Jameson.

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The Tire the Doctor can Depend on

The Doctor is often a link in the chain of life. If the Doctor fails to arrive in time on a critical case, his failure is a broken link. Lives depend upon the Doctor, and the Doctor depends upon his automobile, and his automobile depends on its tires. If the tires fail, the doctor fails, the link breaks and a life is lost. See how directly then the lives of men may hang on having the best, most substantial and most reliable tires. The Tires Doctors are learning to trust for a life and death run are "Gutta Percha" Tires.

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A man who owns three cars and who has driven an automobile almost since the inception of the "gas buggy" remarked to one of our directors the other day:

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1922, 1921, 1920, 1919—Dunlop Cord Tires came into existence in 1919, and the transformation in mileage year by year that followed their use by motorists has been most striking. 1920 surpassed 1919 to be, in turn, surpassed by 1921; and here's 1922 producing testimonials like this:

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It is important to note that the tire referred to above was on a livery car, and, therefore, could not possibly have been subjected to a more severe test.

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Latest News Clearings From the Old Land

ENGLAND CHANGING HANDS—AND WALES AND SCOTLAND, TOO

Big Estates in Old Country Are Fast Breaking Up

Selling Movement Includes Cities As Well As Country

Mayfair Shocked, Duke of Devonshire Sells Piccadilly Mansion

London, May 27.—England is changing hands—and Scotland, too, as well as Wales, for that matter. The total area of the landed properties comprised in a full page announcement in *The Times* by a single firm exceeds 79,000 acres. The significance of the break-up of estates of the character of those in question may be discussed from various points of view.

One famous mansion mentioned, Holme Lacy, has been divested by a series of sales in the last two or three years of most of the land that formerly made it rank as one of the largest territorial domains. There remain but 343 acres. A house of great historical interest surrounded by grounds in which the topiary work is marvelous, with the deer park and five miles of salmon fishing in the Wye, is now to be purchased at a price which is small indeed compared to what was asked when Holme Lacy first came into the market, an estate of over five square miles.

The late Lord Manton's Suffolk estate, Sudbourne Hall, 7,650 acres; Hawkestone, Salop, 1,285 acres; Ingmore Hall, Yorkshire, 5,000 acres; Colworth, Sir Albert Bowyer's Bedfordshire estate, 2,300 acres; and Scottish domains constitute a large part of the acreage mentioned at the beginning of this article.

Extensive sales are being made. The tendency to break up estates is not limited to landed property in the country. It extends to urban property everywhere, whole towns being being involved in the process. In London a convenient point, as regards time and the importance of the interests from which to consider the operation is undoubtedly the Covent Garden contract, entered into by the Duke of Bedford, just before the war. That was an out and out sale of a property which, by reason of its central situation and the nature of the public or quasi-public interests bound up in the market, attracted much attention at the time, and has since been involved in the process. The latest of the many transactions in the estate is the intention, announced in *The Times* on April 1, to submit some acres of freeholds by auction next month.

Recent articles have covered the impending private and other offers of central London property, including the Foundling Hospital and other freeholds in Bloomsbury and its neighborhood, often very valuable land—some with adaptations for office buildings, and some to be or at the junction of Tottenham Court road.

City properties on offer include sites and premises belonging to the Port of London Authority, and the London County Council has at the moment many fine sites situated at the offices of its Education Department in the Victoria Embankment freehold.

Transactions in the last three months have included a slice of the Duchy of Cornwall estate in Kennington, extensive buildings formerly belonging to the Westminster estate.

Duke's Daughter Filmed As Prospective Bride For Prince of Wales

London, May 27.—Lady Rachel Cavendish, the Duke of Devonshire's beautiful daughter, has been filmed for the "Topical Budget," which is being shown at all the moving picture shows here. Significantly, she is described in the picture as the young lady "in whom such particular public interest is being taken."

Lady Rachel, one of the charming bridesmaids of Princess Mary, smiled most agreeably before the camera. The film excites a buzz of admiration wherever it is shown. The exhibiting of the picture has naturally revived the report that a marriage is contemplated for her with one of the royal Princes—it is believed to be the Prince of Wales.

It is unprecedented for a girl in high society to allow herself to be filmed in this distinctive way for the "Topical Budget." It will have one result—everybody in the country will learn of her attractions and admire them.

Lord's Daughter 11 Years Old, Runs Away to Convent

Hon. Heloise Gerard Was Put to Bed for Mischief

Then She Flew "Just to See What Would Happen."

London, May 27.—The Hon. Heloise Gerard, Lord Gerard's youngest daughter, who was reported to the police at Vine Street Station as missing one night recently, returned early the next morning to No. 41 Hill Street, Mayfair, the residence of her grandmother, the Hon. Lady Gosnell, with whom she has been staying for some months.

The little girl, who will be eleven in June, was none the worse for her adventure, having spent the night at the Tyburn Convent, Hyde Park Place, where she has acquaintances among the nuns. Owing to the unusual nature of her order the nuns have no telephone and could not inform the police or the child's relatives directly of her unexpected arrival at the convent, but took the time next morning to send a message to the relatives, and she was fetched immediately by her governess.

It appears that Miss Heloise went to bed before 10 o'clock the evening before, but about 9:15 her room was found empty. She had risen, dressed and gone out without being noticed. An exhaustive search of the house and neighborhood was made, and eventually the police were notified.

Meanwhile she had appeared at the Tyburn Convent about 9:30 p.m. and asked if the chapel was open. When told by a sister that it was not, she declared that she would go and sleep in the park. She was invited to come in, as it was feared that she might wander about all night, and when asked her name readily stated that she was Cord Gerard's daughter, and she had run away from home.

Long Skirt, Wasp Waist Taboo By English Women; Paris Fashions Scorned

London, May 27.—Fashions direct from Paris have caused a tremendous agitation in women's circles because the English women refuse to adopt long skirts or anything suggesting the wasp waist.

Already the fashionable West End shops are complaining that the latest models are unacceptable here, and that women are casting their eyes aside, having their own models made along the old lines. Short skirts and free waists are regarded by English women as the only sensible styles; and for the first time they refuse to bow to a Parisian decree.

The result of such English independence may be seen at the race track, where there is a curious variety of old and new ideas in dress. While there will be long skirts at Ascot and other fashionable race meets, there is every indication that the shorter kind will predominate during the season.

The shops, which, as usual are stocked with Parisian models, declare that they are not selling very well. They say it looks like a war between the Parisian editor and London, and of what women fancy the more.

Younger women particularly decline to yield to the rise of the hem, say the modistes.

WOMAN WITH PEARLS ALMOST UNRIVALLED IS VISITING LONDON

London, May 27.—Dr. and Mrs. Alexander Hamilton Rice are at Claridge's. She was formerly Mrs. D. Widener, wife of the Philadelphia millionaire who lost on the Titanic, in whose memory she gave the famous Widener Memorial Library at Harvard University. Her pearls are some of the finest in the world—almost unrivalled. She and her husband are great collectors of pearls, and have several expeditions in the Andes.

Girl Sixteen, Walks 52 Miles in 12 Hours; Startles Sport World

London, May 27.—Miss Lillian Salkeld, a sixteen-year-old Manchester girl, has recently been walking from London to Brighton, fifty-two miles, in 12 hours and 20 minutes. She had previously walked the same distance in 12 hours and 20 minutes.

She left the foot of the House of Commons tower at 8:10 Friday evening, and arrived at Brighton at 8:30 Saturday morning. Crowds of people cheered her at the finish, but she was too tired to take much interest in her reception and hurried to a hotel for breakfast and a rest.

There has been much private criticism by medical men here of those who allowed her to undertake such a task. Some doctors declared in language stronger than it is polite that such a physical strain might easily ruin a girl's whole life.

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ENGLISH WORRIED AS MANY ART WORKS LEAVE COUNTRY

Sir Hercules Read Deprecates Law to Hold Masterpieces

Americans Only Doing What English Did 200 Years Ago

He Urges Export Tax on Old Masters, to Check Selling Wave

London, May 27.—As the result of recent art sales British collectors and lovers of art are trying to find a way to prevent historic English and ancient works from crossing the seas.

There has been agitation for legislation to keep the treasures here, but this is believed to be impracticable, and now an attempt is being made to appeal to the patriotic spirit and to promote appreciation of art in the younger generation so as to overcome the power of American money.

It is understood that several treasures are now booked to follow "The Blue Boy" to America, including Raeburn's "Sir Walter Scott" and several others sold at the sale of the famous Burdett-Coutts collection.

Sir Hercules Read stated that no legislation should be framed to keep art treasures in this country, and called for a higher and more discriminating appreciation of beautiful things by the public. While he was speaking the buying by Americans, he supported what he called the refinement of American tastes.

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TO-DAY SHE HAS NO RHEUMATISM

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Many Children Will Join Summer Camps

THE value of camping for children as a healthy recreation, as well as a useful opportunity for training, is being recognized more every year. The success of many juvenile camps last year has led the organizers to plan more extensive undertakings for this year, and several additional organizations will take the field this Summer.

The annual district cadet camps are to be held, it is understood, and judging from the success of the venture last year, the cadets will go into camp in greater numbers than ever. This year the separate camp of the Boys' Naval Brigades will not be staged, as the Naval Brigades are now under the wing of the cadet department of the Militia, and will go into camp with the cadet corps of the city. The lads in navy blue, however, will have their own training, and will be under their own instructors, it is expected.

Perhaps one of the longest camps of the Summer season will be staged by the Boys' Department of the Y.M.C.A. to be held this year, as last, at the Beaver Lake Pavilion. Here excellent natural camping facilities have been greatly enhanced by the addition of the comfortable pavilion built through community effort. The Y.M.C.A. has already opened its roster for the camp, at Beaver Lake, and many boys have signified their intention of attending one or more of the camps. The exact dates of the various camps are not yet to hand, but will be announced at a later date.

The many troops of the Boy Scout Association will take to the woods for their several camps shortly, and here, as with the cadets and the Y.M.C.A. boys, more scouts will be in camp than in previous years, it is thought. The various troops and wolf cub packs make the various camps, taking sufficient material with them to support the boys in camp for the period of their stay.

Another camp of unusual interest is one planned by the School Board of Esquimalt Municipality, assisted by the I.O.E., the Esquimalt Women's Institute, the military authorities, and others. This camp, which will last for a period of from three weeks to a month, is planned to take place in the early part of July. Though final plans are not yet announced, the camp, it was stated, would be held somewhere in the neighborhood of the lagoon at the entrance to Esquimalt Harbor, and will be for the benefit of school children not otherwise attending camp on their own initiative.

Some sixty children will attend, the boys in one hall and the girls in the other, of the period named. They will be placed in tents, and will be well cared for, under the guidance of the district school nurse and the medical health authorities. The camp, in which Esquimalt is taking the lead on this island, is based on the idea tried with great success in Eastern cities, where annually large camps are held for certain school children who would not otherwise have an opportunity of going to camp at all.

To achieve this object the Esquimalt authorities are seeking to raise \$1,000, much of which has already been subscribed by private and public donation. With so many camps taking place this Summer the total number of girls and boys who will spend an outing in the open will be larger than ever previously. Aside from these arrangements, large numbers of children will go on private camping outings in the Summer holidays, the favored time of all camping enthusiasts.

Though the units, under the direction of which so many children will take to the open, are diversified, the object of all camps is founded on a common basis, that of healthy open-air surroundings, in which pleasant recreation is possible, and useful instruction may be imparted. Though it be tracking and trailing with Scouts, knots and splicing with the boys in blue, or athletics with the "Y" groups, the result will be much the same; a large number of happy children will be given a healthy break from their daily routine. They will laugh and play in the open air, and for weeks at a time will not think of the four walls of a house, or know what it is to lie down to sleep in a stuffy or overheated room. Appetites will be rejuvenated. Through it all many new and lasting friendships will be formed, not the least important of which will be the acquaintance which every child will make with Nature at her best.

Wireless Concerts Will Be Continued

Scattered throughout the length and breadth of the city, fifty amateur wireless enthusiasts "listened in" at Victoria's first wireless concert last week, with results that justified their watchful waiting. The local amateur stations were capable of receiving wireless concerts from Vancouver and Seattle, while a few even reached out for those transmitted from San Francisco and Los Angeles. The tinkle of local musical transmissions, however, had been lacking. The concert was as a promise of better days to come. It is expected that the first wireless concert in Victoria will not be the last and within a very short time, it is understood, announcements will be made of a recurrence of that treat.

Now that the license regulations have been amended, amateurs may secure their licenses without any long period of waiting, by simply complying with easy requirements. Communicate with the local authorities of the Federal Department of Wireless at the Old Post Office Building, Government Street.

Wave lengths permitted for the use of amateur stations have been made much more acceptable by a generous lengthening, and radio communication in Canada is rapidly approaching a standard, for the amateur, that has long been eagerly sought.

Amateur wireless organizations throughout Canada, are asked by the authorities to respect these new privileges, and a few mistakes or willful interference with signals on the part of operators would soon ensure a recantation of these pleasures, it is said.

WELL INTENTIONED

Johnny had been absent from school a great deal, and on the last return had been warned by his teacher that he must bring more satisfactory excuses. A few days passed, and then Johnny failed again to answer his name at the morning roll call. Three weeks lapsed, then came Johnny and this is what he brought: "Dear Teacher—Kindly excuse Johnny for being absent the last three weeks, but he fell out of a tree and broke his arm. By doing the same you will oblige, (Mrs.) Alfred Jones."

HE WAS CAREFUL

It was on a street car and a little boy beside her was sniffing with annoying persistence. Nervously the old lady found herself waiting for the next "sniff." Presently she could contain herself no longer. "Boy," she thundered, "have you got a handkerchief?" "Yes," came in suspicious tones, "but I never lend it to strangers!"

SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG



Do You Watch Clouds Roll By?

AS you sit, little reader, and watch great masses of billowy white clouds drift over at eventide, did you ever wonder where the clouds came from and wither are they going? One of the neatest explanations of this ever present sight is to be gleaned from the pages of "Star-Land," written by the late Sir Robert S. Ball, F.R.S.

"Here again our excellent friend the sun is to be found ever helping us secretly. It not helping us openly. He pours down his rich and warm beams on the oceans, and the heat turns some of the water into vapor, which being lighter than air ascends upwards for miles. There the vapor often passes into the form of clouds, and the winds waft these clouds to refresh the thirsty lands of the earth."

"Thus, you see, it is the sun which procures for us water from the great oceans which cover so much of our globe, and sends it on by the winds to supply our waterworks, and fill our teapots. Notice another little kindness of our great benefactor: The water of the ocean is quite salt; but we could not make tea with salt water, so the sun, when lifting the vapor up from the sea, most thoughtfully leaves all the salt behind, and thus provides us with the purest of sweet water."

Those of our little readers who have not yet read this wonderful book of the heavenly bodies should do so, for it was written by the late Sir Robert Ball for the children of his own lectures, and in a very simple manner gives an insight of the main features of the sky and its many wonders.

Hot or Cold, It Might Be Worse

Perhaps no topic of conversation is more widely discussed than the weather. One hears on every side that the "weather is not what it used to be," that the days are colder, or that there appears to be more rain. Not many who are apt to find fault with the weather have related that subject to the stars, or to be more exact, to the distance that the stars lie from this earth. Yet it is a fact that the earth is singularly fortunate in being so far removed from the major stars of the heavens. As you know, the Earth upon which we dwell travels an ordered path around the sun, year in and year out without changing its course to any appreciable extent. If the Earth had to travel the same path, with the major stars brought much closer to our Sun, the lot of inhabitants on this orb would be most unhappy, as each star of sufficient size when close would exert an influence that would drag the earth away from its path around the sun, or propel it still closer. The degree to which this influence would be exerted would depend on many things, chief among which would be the size of the star and its degree of proximity to the Earth.

Take the Dog Star, Sirius, for instance. If we drew a map and represented the Sun as the centre of a circle, and the Earth as travelling along the circumference of a concentric circle of one inch in radius, Sirius would be at a distance of over twenty miles away from our paper sun, if we were to draw it in scale with our first dimensions. Supposing now, for the sake of clarity, that we were to represent Sirius as being but two inches removed from the sun, or one inch further than the Earth, and that this were its real position in the heavens, then the course of the earth would be under the influence of Sirius all the time, and this planet would have an uneven climate indeed.

At one moment we would be suffering from intense cold, and but a short while later we would be on a planet that was getting very much warmer. We would, likely, feel gratified until it became too hot, and presently we would find ourselves in desperate straits from too much heat, finally "cooling off" in the first unpleasant manner. This cycle would proceed as Sirius aided, or repelled, the attraction of the Sun for the Earth.

It so happens that the planetary system of which our Earth is a unit is set apart in the heavens, with the Stars, or all those of sufficient magnitude to be quoted as influences, far removed. Thus our planet travels serenely along its orbit around the Sun, giving a little here and a little there maybe, but not diverging to an extent that becomes noticeable in our climate. The weather, be it hot or cold, is something to be thankful for, and one can say always that it could have been a great deal worse, were we not members of a splendid isolation.

CUTTING THE PROGRAMME

Three-year-old Janie's mother was called away just after she had settled the baby for sleep on a bench. "Watch him, Tommy, and come and tell me when he falls asleep," she directed Janie.

Presently the little toddler came pitter-patter up to his mother with the latest news on the subject: "Baby Sisler fall air! but she not 'sleep," he liaped.

Stray Dogs Are Killing Game Birds

WITH game birds busily engaged in hatching out broods of little ones, these days are no place for hunting dogs, or dogs of any type for that matter, unless such be on leash. From many parts of the island word has come that stray dogs are being permitted to hunt in the woods, and besides being a breach of the game laws this hunting out of season is having a serious effect on the nesting gamebirds.

If your doggie pal, Little Reader, must have an outing and no other place than the woods suit him, at least see that he is kept under control and is not permitted to disturb pheasants, grouse and quail which are now trying to foster their little chicks so that next Fall the woods may be full of these thriving youngsters.

Unless one is seen in action, it is hard to realize how much damage a stray doggie will do in a few short hours. He will chase nesting birds away from their homes, and will more often than not ruin these by tramping unconsciously all over the eggs, or mauling the little ones, if they be hatched. In any event the mother bird will have been so badly frightened that her nesting for that year will be at an end.

In many cases the mother bird stays courageously by the nest, and more than once a brooding pheasant has been caught and killed by a dog, not a highly trained hunting dog with a respect for his training, but by a stray mongrel, which for all his faults may be the dearly loved pet of someone, and is worthy

of better training. Until the little birds are out and flying strongly do not permit dogs to run wild in the woods, and stop all dogs you see so doing, for their own sake, as well as for the sake of the birds.

Appreciation of Navy League Boys on Ss. Canadian Scottish Captain N. P. Hocking

Two Navy League Boys, S. Fieldhouse and Neil Kelso, are on the S. S. Canadian Scottish with Captain N. P. Hocking. They went to sea about a year ago and the praise their Captain gives them is high testimony, both to the lads' own characters and to the influence of the Navy League.

Writing to Lieut. H. Treby Heale, Secretary of the Vancouver Branch of the Navy League, Captain Hocking says in part:—"I have much pleasure in endorsing my remarks to you on the Navy League boys of Canada as a whole, by saying that those I have had with me on various ships were in every instance of a fine class, intelligent, clean minded and smart lads, keen on their duties and anxious to learn. I consider that they are a credit to their ships and to their country, and they are a fine sample of the Canadian of the future. I shall always be pleased to do anything I can for them or to assist in any way the movement to foster a well-established Canadian mercantile marine which, as history points out, has always been the recruiting ground for the navy."

THE FLIGHT OF THE BABY ROBINS

"QUIR-QUIR," said the Robin, as he twittered and swayed on the fence rail. He was a corpulent robin, grown stout from the easy living of Spring days, when worms fairly asked to be eaten, so incautious were they. For two minutes he had been standing thus, on the borderline of a city garden. In the garden a man was playing a hose on some fresh shoots, the water rising in a fine mist that caught the glint of the sun's rays and broke them into a gorgeous rainbow.

Presently, satisfied that the man was placidly going about his own business and would not worry him, the robin flew down to the cool brown earth. He walked, or rather hopped in eager little steps, to a patch of ground that had just been traversed by the cooling spray. Here he stood for a moment, head on one side, to take a further reconnaissance of the situation, and particularly the man's content, at last, he began his quest. Though he did not say so, one had only to look at that robin to be sure that somewhere not very far away there a nest with several lively appetites keeping its mossy linings warm. Food, then, was his quest.

Being an observer of moving things from his earliest days the robin failed not to notice disturbances in the soil that would have eluded the eyes of one less used to such sights. Not only did he spy these movements, but read aright what they foretold, that worms were at hand. Made curious by the sound of the light, pattering rain on their earthen roof, these stragglers were crowding to the surface in great numbers. Finding the clay moist and refreshing, they emerged from its covering and went for a stroll.

Of course it would be easy to make a mistake in so difficult a matter to see, but to the man who was watching it did not appear that a single worm was left to pursue its stroll unmolested. To the robin it was fast, pleasant work. His beak caught and held one, two, three, and still he kept on, adding worms to worms in a manner that made the watcher wonder that the little beak could hold so many wriggling creatures at once.

Presently the robin flitted, in swift climbing swoops, to the fence. Here a pause was made, evidently to see if aught was amiss with the nest, from this spot visible in a green thicket. Apparently nothing was, for the robin continued his flight, and passed out of sight behind a mass of green leaves, which waved gently together after the passing. It was, perhaps, two minutes before the robin returned, this time with increasing confidence, to follow the rising spray of water, and to garner in the incautious as they popped up for their evening stroll in the garden of the man.

It was four evenings later that the robin was joined on the fence by three little balls of downy feathers. These, after a moment, resolved themselves into baby robins, and flying lessons were resumed. Each little fellow would muster up courage and hop off the rail, to flutter for a moment in the air, and return to the fence tired, after a successful attempt.

The last of the three to try its wings paused for a long time. Courage, evidently, was not mustered until the parent bird had achieved some coaxing and a generous bump. The bump pushed the little fellow off the rail, when it found that wings would function, and fluttered back to its perch, a bird.

The interest of the parent robin seemed to wane at this stage, for not many days afterwards the young birds could be seen scratching a meal for themselves, unsheltered by the watchful one.

HIS MORNING BATH

"You take your morning bath, I suppose?" said one health enthusiast to his friend. "Never miss, my boy, never miss. Sometimes I take it hot, other times I take it cold and when I am rushed I take it for granted."—Ladies' Home Journal.

A SOCIAL EVENT

Plunger: "A receiver has been appointed to take charge of my affairs." Mrs. Plunger (coo-ingly): "How charming, and when will he hold his first reception?"

THE NEW LANGUAGE

Old Lady—"Can your little brother talk yet, Willie?" Willie—"Hub. He talks alright, but only Ma and Grandma know what he says."



FOR CHILDREN The Sandman Story For To-night

JACK FROST'S TEACHERS. When Jack Frost was very young, so small that his mother, North Wind, would not let him go away from home, she used to have a great deal of trouble keeping him amused, for old Winter Time had told Jack of the things he could do when he was old enough to go ahead of him each year and give the frosty touch to leaves and everything that dared to stay above the ground.

So Jack was impatient to grow up and run out over the world every year just as old Winter Time did and Mother North Wind. "I must find something to keep the child amused," thought his mother. Now, what shall I do? If once he gets his hand on the snow, making snowballs, he will be sure to run away and do harm, and I cannot let him play with the sunbeams; they would soften his touch so it would be of no use for the work he must do when he grows up."

Then while she was thinking, Mother North Wind spotted a goblin running about dressed in his red cap, which was pulled down over his small ears, for it was getting chilly in the woods. "Come here," called Mother North Wind.

The little goblin came scampering over the dry leaves. "You run in and play with my son, Jack Frost."

The little goblin did not need a second bidding, for he wanted to know very much who



lived in the cave where North Wind stayed all Summer, and when he saw Jack, who was so full of fun he could not sit still. Jumping and kicking about the cave, the naughty goblin knew he had found a playmate he could teach to do many mischievous things.

"I will teach him to do tricks," said the naughty little goblin, so he took little Jack with him into his rocky home and showed him how he could touch the flowers and the fruit and chill them until they lost their beauty and many other tricks he taught to little Jack that he should never have known.

But somehow the fairies found out what the bad goblin was teaching Jack Frost to do, and so one day they came to the home of Mother North Wind and asked for Jack to make them a visit. "We will keep him amused until he grows up, Mother North Wind," said the fairies; "you can go along on your winter journey and have no fear about your son."

And so the fairies took Jack Frost to their home where they taught him to paint beautiful pictures with gorgeous tints such as you sometimes see in the fall in the woods.

And they taught him, of course, to draw as well; pictures he made of snow-capped mountains and tall forest trees all feathered and beautiful, little fairy bridges growing along sparkling, and frosty flowers growing along faraway hills and waterfalls falling among sparkling rocks, tall icebergs sailing along a frosty sea, little lakes edged with delicate ferns, and soldiers, all white, marching with spears above their shoulders.

In fact, they taught Jack Frost so much that he was quite grown up before his mother thought about him again, and when the fairies brought him back to his home they hoped he had forgotten all the tricks the bad goblin had taught him.

But he didn't for it is hard to forget the things we learn when we are very young, and so Jack Frost when he goes out over the world and touches the fruit and flowers and does other things, such as freezing the water in a glass until it snaps, is remembering the tricks taught by the bad goblin when he was young.

All the beautiful things he does which you sometimes see on the windows after Jack's visits, were taught him by the fairies, and if the fairies had taken him first, Jack Frost probably would have never done any of his bothersome tricks.

Willy Johnnie—"Can anyone be punished for something they didn't do?" Teacher—"Of course not." Willy Johnnie—"Well, I haven't done my homework."—The Boys' Magazine

TOOL-CRAFT

BY FRANK J. SOLAR

on the New Science of Household Mechanics

TOYS FURNITURE

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AEROPLANE

HOUSEHOLD MECHANICS

USEFUL ARTICLES

should be tilted upward slightly at the plane in rising. Red-tissue paper is used to cover the frames. After the frames have been covered, paint the wings with glue size. The planes are held to the frame by means of rubber bands passed underneath the frame and up over the wings. The manner of doing this is clearly shown in the drawing of the assembled plane. The propellers are the hardest parts to make and they should be constructed with great care. A straight-grained piece of white pine will be good stock for the propeller. Use a knife to cut the propeller to shape. F, which is cut much shorter than the propeller, should be studied carefully before the propellers are cut. Parts A and E are bound to frame with waxed thread. The motive power is furnished by rubber bands running from E to B. Use several strands of bands so that they will be wound up without great danger of breaking. The assembling of the parts of the plane is described fully in the picture. It is a difficult task to wind the rubber bands by hand. An egg beater, altered as shown in the picture, makes a good winder. The lower part of the beater is cut off. The wire is cut much shorter than the tin pieces that form the beater. There are four pieces of tin. Each wire is fastened together at the end with solder, and then a hole is punched or drilled through where they join. When you wish to wind the rubbers place the wire hooks, F, which is cut much shorter than the tin pieces that form the beater, in position parts C, of which there are four. The frames of the wings are made of wire, about one-sixteenth of an inch in diameter. Bend it to the shape shown in the drawing patterns. The front edge of the small plane, which is the one placed in front,

AND HERE'S HOW YOU MAKE IT. Every boy, I think, dreams of the time when he can take a ride in a real aeroplane. Aeroplanes are not common enough yet, however, so we'll have to content ourselves with building small models of big planes and flying them ourselves. The frame of the plane I shall describe this week should be made of straight-grained wood as light in weight as possible. White pine and cypress are both good. The construction of the frame is easy. Fasten the cross-pieces in place with small brads, first placing

SAM CHARTERS BEATS AN ANGRY CLERGYMAN

When He Comes Into His Newspaper Office Breathing Threatenings and Slaughter.

SAMUEL CHARTERS, M.P., and editor of the Bampton Conservator, is credited with having at one time cherished an ambition to be a clergyman. Probably that accounts for his knowledge of Scripture, something that frequently stands a man in good stead, as the following story shows:

One winter day in the county of Peel, when the snow was deep, and the road in a rut, a Methodist minister driving along in his cutter met a farmer with a load of hay. The preacher would not turn out into the ditch, and the farmer couldn't. They drove on till their horses were nose to nose. Then the argument began. As it promised to be prolonged, the minister invited the man on the hay to take a place in the cutter, as it would be more comfortable. There, side by side, they argued their respective rights. Soon they discovered to each other that the one was a Methodist minister and the other a Methodist class leader. Naturally, that led to an armistice and an amicable settlement.

Like the good newspaper man that he is, Samuel Charters, M.P., printed the story. But the minister did not desire the publicity, and he descended upon the office of the Conservator in his wrath to demand an apology or he would issue a writ for libel. Now Mr. Charters can be as bland as the heathen Chinese when circumstances seem to make it necessary, so he said kindly to the preacher: "You should not get so angry about so small a thing."

"Well, sir," said the minister, "a man can be angry and sin not." "Oh, yes," replied Samuel, "but finish the verse." This rather non-plussed the churchman, who first glared at the editor and then stalked up and down the editorial room, finally stopping in front of Mr. Charters and in a challenging way confessed that he could not do so.

That was Mr. Charters' opportunity, and he came right back with "Let not the sun go down on your wrath, neither give place to the devil." A concentrated glance gave place to a smile on the face of the preacher, who held out his hand as to a lifelong friend. "A soft answer turneth away wrath, but grievous words stir up anger."



Takes Up the Broken Wings
MAJOR W. T. BLAKE, R.F.A., who will take the place of Sir Ross Smith, tragically killed recently on a trial flight, and will attempt to fly round the world.

WRONG KIND OF MINISTER

A GOOD story is going the rounds about Sir Robert Home which may or may not be true. The British chancellor of the exchequer is the son of a Scottish minister. A few days ago Sir Robert's mother was asked by a friend if she was not very proud of her son. "Ah, well," she said, "I prayed night and morning that Robert should be a minister of religion, but I am afraid the Lord has made a wee mistake; he has made him a minister of the crown."

FORCE OF HABIT AND ORIENTAL IMMIGRATION

A. W. NEILL, Progressive, who sits in the House of Commons for Comox-Alberni, during the recent debate on the question of excluding Oriental immigration into British Columbia, made a speech in which he said: "I wish to congratulate the hon. gentleman from Nanaimo (Mr. Dickie) on his excellent speech. I recollect the fact that 24 years ago the hon. member and I sat in the British Columbia legislature struggling with the same question. The width of the House separated us then. Time has brought us nearer together, and perhaps experience has brought us nearer together in thought and view. It is twenty-four years ago that we sat in the legislature, and the subject is but little more advanced now. I suppose in twenty-four years from now he and I will be wandering up to the pearly gates, and I suppose from force of habit we will be asking Saint Peter, 'How are you on Asiatic exclusion here?'"

Mainly About People

Allan Crawford Unusual Even as a Little Boy

Wrangel Island Hero Made Startling Request of His Mother.

ALLAN CRAWFORD is the young Toronto man who, on behalf of Great Britain, has claimed Wrangel Island.

It wasn't a small job Allan sought, but a big, adventurous one.



Allan Crawford

but "just one hour more, mother, just one hour more."

Even as a small boy, in Hamilton, Crawford used to think in big terms.

A friend who played with him there on the slopes of Hamilton "Mountain" and among the tulips and cherry-trees of his parents' pleasant bungalow, says that when his mother called him to go to bed on summer evenings, Allan would plead, not the usual request for just a minute more, but "just one hour more, mother, just one hour more."

Hal B. Donly Formerly Enthusiastic Wheelman

In Early Days of Cycling Simcoe Editor Was a National Figure in Association.

CANADIAN newspaperdom will lose a striking figure through the sale of the Simcoe Reformer by its owner, Hal B. Donly, who means to devote his energies in the future to commercial pursuits. The paper was a bequest to him from his father. He has been linked with it for over forty years, so that Donly and his bright, Reformer were synonymous terms. He inherited it at nineteen; he gives it up at sixty.

Long before Mr. Donly became one of the most enthusiastic golfers among Canadian journalists he was a keen cyclist. At one time he was a national figure in the big cycling world as secretary-treasurer of that once powerful organization, the Canadian Wheelman's Association. Times have changed, and of late years the once young and energetic cyclist, now grown somewhat stouter, more sedate and middle-aged, found a seat behind the wheel of a big automobile more appropriate.

Mr. Donly was elected president of the Canadian Press Association in 1913.



Hal B. Donly

Albani's First Effort At a Dramatic Career

Great Singer Shook Audience at Convent of the Sacred Heart, Montreal.

BEFORE I was eight I had the misfortune to lose my mother, and soon afterwards I was sent to school to the Convent of the Sacred Heart near Montreal, says Madame Albani, the famous Canadian prima donna, in relating some of her early experiences.

On the "Jour des prix" (breaking up day) a part of the ceremonies consisted of tableaux represented by the pupils from sacred pictures in the convent. One day I was suddenly struck by a picture of St. Anthony, and said to one of the nuns, "Why don't you do that picture?" The saint was represented in strenuous prayer, clearly trying hard to win away his thoughts from the Puck-like little devil who was mischievously looking over his shoulder and tempting him with all his small might and main. "I am sure I could do that little devil," I said at last; and the nun agreed. When the great day came I was "made up" (and what a figure I must have been) with a blackened face, a cap and horns, and carte blanche to do any mischievous thing I liked. I tickled his ears, I pulled his hair, I screamed in his face, and became such a complete little imp of devilry that the whole assemblage shook with laughter and applauded enthusiastically. The more they applauded the more excited I became, until every scrap of nervousness with which I began was merged in such an intense excitement that I was eventually carried off crying hysterically, and was put to bed and kept quiet until my nerves had calmed down.

This was my first dramatic effort and one I have never forgotten.

Repasce

RASTUS and Mose were having a heated argument. In reply to some remark of Rastus, Mose said: "Guess I know, niggar! Don't you think Ise got any brains?" "Huh!" Rastus replied. "Niggar, if brains were dynamite, you couldn't blow off yuhself." "Judge."



Fighting Leaders in Irish Peace Conference.

ARMY chiefs from the two opposing camps of the Sinn Fein who met in Dublin recently to arrange a truce between the Free State and republican forces. This group of young officers shows from left to right: Maj-General Sean (John J.) McKeown, of the Free State army, who was sentenced to death during the British regime and afterwards released; Sean Moylan; General Owen O'Duffy, chief of staff of the Free State army; S. Sullivan, Liam Lynch and Liam Mellowes. Lynch, who commanded the southern division during the rebellion and was described as "the best fighter in the revolutionary ranks," and Mellowes, another good fighter, are two of the most prominent officers still standing out for a republic. They both remain staunch to de Valera.

When the Old Woman Thought She Was "Fired" She Found the Late Sir John Eaton a Benefactor

A Hitherto Unrecorded Incident of the Great Merchant's Goodness of Heart—And Another of His Love of Fun.

NEW anecdote illustrative of the late Sir John Eaton's impulsive generosity has been told since his death by one who is in the best position of anyone to vouch for its truth. Passing through the stone one day, Sir John observed a frail old woman cleaning the floor.

"How long have you been working here?" asked Sir John. "Twelve years," she replied.

"Report at the pay office at once," said Sir John, somewhat gruffly, and turned away. The woman burst into tears. This work was her only means of livelihood, and now, she believed, dismissal was coming.

In a few moments Sir John returned—and thrust a \$1,000 check into her hand. At the pay office she was told that her services were no longer required—and that she would receive an income from the company for the rest of her life.

Sir John, in addition to his phenomenal kindness of heart, was also fond of a practical joke, as this story—likewise a new and true one—proves:

On one occasion, when cruising in the lower St. Lawrence, Sir John suddenly wired to some Toronto friends to meet him at a certain lakeport town that night. The friends duly arrived, and were astonished to be met by the chief of police who told them that they were all under arrest for some unstated "crime." Protests were in vain. The visitors were led away and locked up in the police station. Finally they induced their captor to report their predicament to Sir John. The chief returned and reported that, against his own better judgment and merely to oblige his friend, Sir John Eaton, he had arranged for an immediate trial. When the dejected "prisoners" entered the courtroom they were still further astonished to find that the "presiding magistrate" was—Sir John Eaton himself.

Bursting into a hearty laugh, Sir John "sentenced" them all to attend a banquet that night aboard his own yacht; and the chief of police, it is creditably reported, was one of his most honored guests.

An Interesting Contrast in Whiskers



The Long and the Broad
THE old gentleman with the long beard is Zach T. Wilson of Carson City, Nevada, who has been accumulating a beard since 1881; and now, 41 years later, is said to have the longest in the world. It is not all shown in the picture. There is about 2 1/2 yards more of it, for altogether it is four and one quarter yards long. He says he brushes and combs it regularly, without explaining whether he does it in instalments or all at once. The other man, whose whiskers have grown according to latitude instead of longitude, is the famous Anton Lang of Oberammergau, Bavaria, who portrays the role of "Christ" in the Passion Play. This famous religious spectacle has been enacted since the 16th century and draws thousands of tourists from all over the world. It is staged every ten years, 1910 being the last performance. It was not given in 1920 on account of unsettled conditions. Anton Lang is here seen at work in his pottery shop in the little town of Oberammergau.

LEFT IT TO THE JURY

THE recent retirement of Sir Forrest Fulton from his high office of Recorder of London serves to recall a good yarn he was once heard tell at a city banquet.

It concerned a prisoner in court, who was asked the usual question: "Guilty or not guilty?" "Yes," responded the man in the dock.

"What's that?" asked the judge sharply. "I was asked whether I was guilty or not guilty, and, of course, I am! I must be one of the two."

"But which are you?" "That, my lord," replied the prisoner, "is for the jury to decide."

OF COURSE, HE COULD SWEAR

BARON TREVETHIN, better known as Mr. Justice Lawrence, who recently resigned as Lord Chief Justice of England, was one of the earliest players in Great Britain to take to golf seriously.

Years ago, when on circuit, his clubs always formed part of his luggage, and recently—on being chosen president of the Bar Golfing Society—he told a good story of a fellow justice.

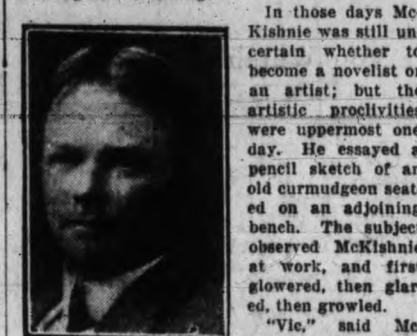
It concerned a small boy who, being called as a witness at an assize court, was asked by the judge, if he knew the nature of an oath. "Of course I do," promptly replied the child. "Ain't it your calling?"

Easy to Prove An Alibi For Sketching Old Man

One Time When Victor Lauriston Strained Friendship With Archie P. McKishnie.

By ARTHUR L. MCGREADY.

SOME fifteen years ago Archie P. McKishnie, author of "A Son of Courage," and Victor Lauriston, whose first novel, "The Twenty-First Bur," is announced for this year, both lived in Chatham, Ontario. In those days they collaborated on a novel, which has never seen print, and in all other respects were bosom friends. Their search for inspiration led them to spend large chunks of their busy lives sitting on the Tecumseh Park benches in the sunshine, smoking and dreaming.



Victor Lauriston

like my sketching him. What'll I do if he comes over here and wants to fight?" "Why not prove an alibi?" suggested Lauriston.

"But," protested the bewildered McKishnie, "how can I prove an alibi?" "How?" repeated his bosom friend, "Easiest thing in the world. Just show him the picture."

What Color is Johnson? Asked Walter Damrosch

When Now-Famous Canadian Tenor First Tried to Break Into New York.

EDWARD JOHNSON, the distinguished son of Guelph, Ontario, who recently signed a contract as a tenor soloist in the Metropolitan Opera Company, of New York, tells a good joke on himself that occurred some years ago shortly after his return from Italy.

At that time Mr. Johnson was known to the general public as Edouardo di Giovanni, but his manager suggested that he experiment and see if his baptismal name would be accepted in America.

The test was made with the assistance of Lillian Nordica, of Metropolitan Opera fame, who took Sir Johnson to Walter Damrosch, conductor of the New York Symphony Orchestra, at that time in need of a good tenor for special work.

Mr. Johnson waited outside the door of the celebrated musician's room while Madame Nordica appealed in his behalf.

"I've got a fine young tenor for you, Mr. Damrosch, and I want you to hear him," Mr. Johnson heard Madame Nordica say.

"What's his name?" asked Mr. Damrosch. "Johnson," replied Madame Nordica.

"Never heard of him," retorted Mr. Damrosch. "Is he white or black?"

Bowles Had Hard Time In Cleaver's Footsteps

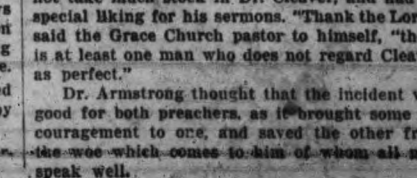
Rev. W. L. Armstrong Tells About Two Ex-Pastors of Metropolitan Methodist Church, Toronto.

AT a social meeting at the Metropolitan Church, Toronto, the other evening, the speakers were Chancellor R. P. Bowles, Dr. Solomon Cleaver, and Dr. W. L. Armstrong, all ex-pastors. Dr. Armstrong was the last on the program, and took advantage of the opportunity to tell some stories at the expense of his brethren who had preceded him. Dr. Bowles, he said, had followed Dr. Cleaver in the pastorate of Grace Church, Winnipeg.

Everywhere Bowles went for the first year, he heard the people talking about the wonderful popularity of Cleaver. There never was such a preacher, or pastor. It was one continual chorus of praise, until there was some danger of it becoming monotonous.

One day, Dr. Bowles dropped into a store on Main street, and to his astonishment the merchant declared that he did not take much stock in Dr. Cleaver, and had no special liking for his sermons. "Thank the Lord," said the Grace Church pastor to himself, "there is at least one man who does not regard Cleaver as perfect."

Dr. Armstrong thought that the incident was good for both preachers, as it brought some encouragement to one, and saved the other from the woe which comes to him of whom all men speak well.



Chancellor Bowles

BILL ROCHE WAS FIRST ON NORWEGIAN STEAMER

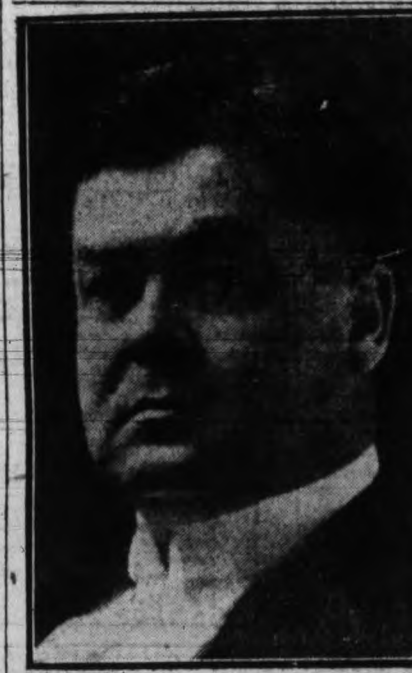
Shows That Senators of Canada May Be Real Hustlers in Their Youth.

THE doyen of the senators from Nova Scotia in Canada's upper chamber is Hon. William Roche—the man who defeated Sir Robert Borden in 1904, and who sat as a colleague of Hon. W. S. Fielding in the local legislature until the latter came to Ottawa in the Laurier cabinet.

Senator Roche made a fortune by coaling "tramp" and other steamers, and he himself, during most of his life, was wont to go out in all sorts of weather in a small boat to solicit orders. One day, Cunard & Co., his principal rivals, secured a new manager for their coal department, one George Tracy, who had been champion half-mile runner of America.

"I can get some of that business," said Athlete Tracy; so on a bitter winter night when a tramp Norwegian steamer was signaled, Tracy donned his fur coat and clambered into his launch adown the harbor. The sea was rough, and the steamer rolled as he with mighty effort "shinned" up the rope ladder to the deck, where the captain greeted him in broken English and invited him down to the cabin for some "schnapps."

After warming up, Tracy broached the subject of coal. "I give my order," said the skipper, and pointed to a sleeping figure in a dark corner. Tracy went over and examined the sleeper. It was "Bill" Roche.



Deputy-Speaker of the Commons

A NEW photograph of George Newcombe Gordon, deputy-speaker in Canada's House of Commons. Mr. Gordon sits as Liberal member for West Peterborough. He has been a member only a little more than a year, having been returned in a by-election on February 14, 1921, when he defeated the well-known J. H. Burnham.

Over-Scrupulous

THE tramp knocked at the farmhouse door and asked for the farmer. To that worthy he presently recited a tale of woe, and asked for a job.

"Yes, you can have a job," said the farmer, "you could gather eggs for me if you are certain you won't steal any."

The tramp choked with gratitude and emotion. "Sir," he said, with eyes brimful of unshed tears, "you could trust me with any mortal thing on earth. For twenty years I was manager of a bath-house, and I never took a single bath!"—Answers.

A Quick Come-Back

SHE—"I'm afraid, Don, that I will never see you in heaven."

HE—"Great guns! What have you been doing now?"—Sour Owl.

COAL AS A CURE

MANY medicines in common use come from quite unexpected sources. Who, for instance, would connect anti-gyrene, the remedy for headaches, with coal? Yet it is one of the by-products of "black diamonds."

Epson-salt and magnesia, a mild aperient, occur frequently in beds of limestone. On some parts of the coast, on high cliffs overlooking the sea, grows a pretty little blue flower called the squill. The bulb of this is the foundation of various remedies.

Plants of the aconite family are full of a most powerful poison, which is useful in the treatment of gout, neuralgia, rheumatism, and heart affection.

Camphor is obtained in a curious way. Chips of camphor-wood are placed in earthen vessels closed at the top. A strong current of steam is then driven into the vessels, which forces the evaporated camphor to the top of the pots, where it condenses into white crystals, which are afterwards collected.

Glycerine and soap have a common foundation, the former being a by-product of the latter. At one time the glycerine was allowed to flow away as useless during the process of manufacture; now, of course, it is collected carefully.—The Bits.

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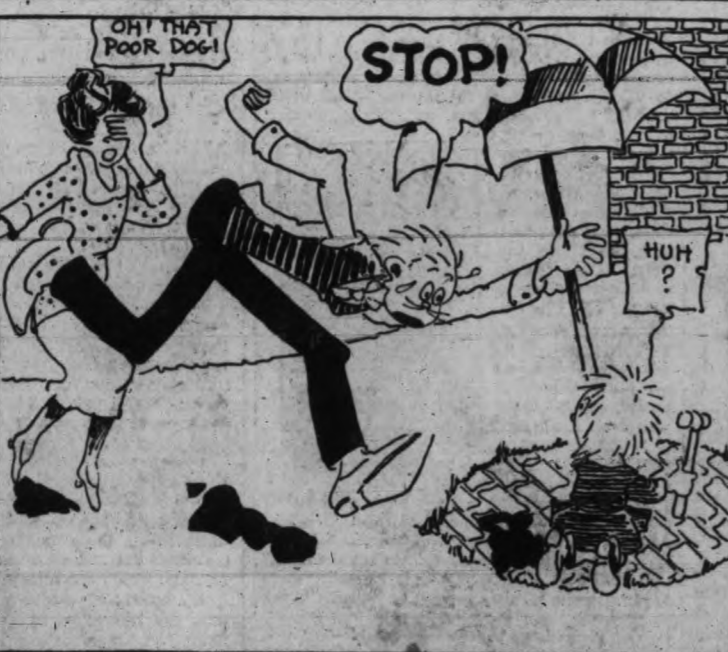
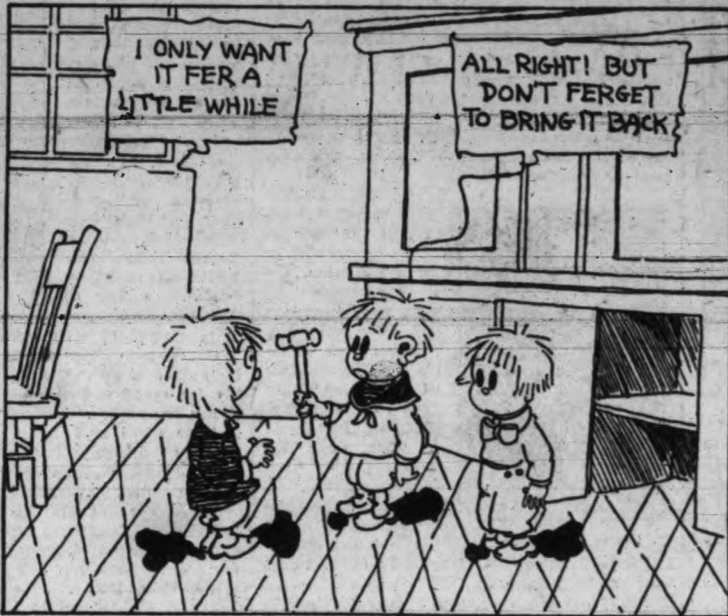
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It's a Great Life

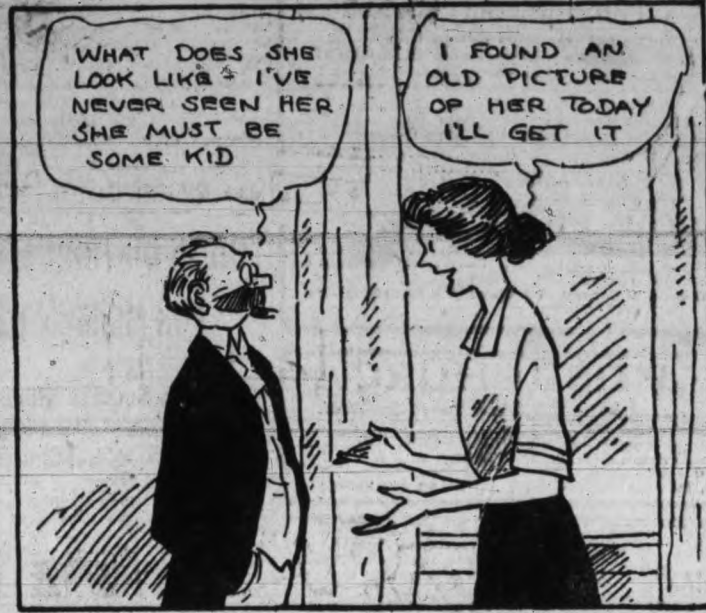
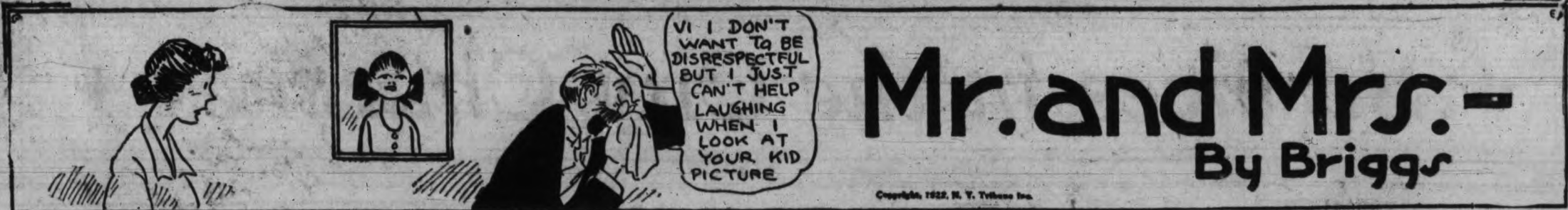
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Services in the Churches

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Rev. W. Leslie Clay, D.D., Minister. Mr. A. Crowther Smith, Director of Y. P. Work. Mr. Jesse A. Longfield, Organist.

SUNDAY, MAY 28
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class
11 a.m.—Worship—“ELIJAH, THE TISHBITE”
Anthem—“Come Unto Me, Ye Weary” Adams
Solo—“Father of Light” Harold Beckwith
7:30 p.m.—Worship

“TO KNOW IS TO LIVE”
Anthem—“The Sun Shall Be No More” Woodward
Solo—“In Thee, O Lord” Woodman
Mr. Wm. McVilva
Monday, 29th, 8 p.m.—Orchestral Concert and Grand Toy Symphony by the Sunday School

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Cor. Yates and Quadra. REV. W. P. FREEMAN, B.A., Pastor.

SERVICES ON SUNDAY
11 a.m.—Worship—Subject “GOD'S WORKSHOP”
7:30 p.m.—Subject “THE HANDICAP”
Sunday School at 10 a.m. All Are Invited
The Pastor Will Preach Morning and Evening

DR. HAYS IS HEAD OF PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN U. S.

Des Moines, Iowa, May 27.—Rev. Dr. C. C. Hays, for thirty-one years pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Johnstown, Pa., was elected moderator of the Presbyterian Church in the United States at the 34th general assembly here. Dr. Hays was elected on the first ballot, receiving 512 votes. Dr. Cleland McAfee of Chicago was a close second, receiving 479 votes. The vote was changed to make Dr. Hays' election unanimous.

TO GO EAST NEXT WEEK.
Rev. H. S. Osborne, formerly of Victoria, will give his farewell sermon in the Grandview Methodist Church, Vancouver, tomorrow. Mr. Osborne has accepted a call from the Timothy Eaton Memorial Church, Toronto, and will leave for the East June 1. This church is one of the largest churches in Toronto, and has a very fine situation on Clair Avenue, about two blocks distant from Avenue Road, in Toronto's most exclusive residential section. Rev. C. A. Williams, formerly of that church, will come to Vancouver to Wesley Methodist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Osborne will take up their residence in the main parsonage, 455 Russell Hill

GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL TO-MORROW.

By proclamation of the Lieut-Governor Hon. W. C. Nichol, to-morrow will be observed as “Go To Sunday School Day.” Over one million Canadians are expected to attend Sunday School on this day, and special arrangements are being made at all the churches in the city for this festival, which is an annual event.

The day will be recognized by all churches throughout the Dominion, the day being adopted as a Dominion wide affair, but each Province carries on its own programme and arrangements. All the churches of this city have arranged to hold a special service, and large gatherings are anticipated at the various churches both in this city and the province.

PRIZES DISTRIBUTED FOR MISSION WORK

H. Lewis Secures Bible for Seven Years' Attendance at Metropolitan Church

At an entertainment given by the Metropolitan church last night prizes were distributed among the Sunday school children for the collection of missionary money in the recent campaign. A large attendance marked the occasion. It was announced that the Metropolitan church had donated a large sum of money which placed the church among the foremost of the missionary donors.

Books were the form of the prizes given, and a very enjoyable time was spent by all who attended. A musical and varied programme was rendered during the evening, while refreshments were served at the close of the entertainment. A lantern lecture was also given by Dr. Sipprell, which proved to be an interesting one, illustrating scenes in England, Italy and also of some very valuable paintings.

A pleasant surprise was given to H. Lewis during the evening, when he was presented with a fine Bible for the energetic work he has done since he joined the church seven years ago. During his first year in connection with the church he secured the prize for hundred per cent. attendance, while last night he presented with a Bible and certificate cognizant of a seventy-five per cent. attendance during the entire seven years. Harry Lewis is an ardent worker in the church both in the Sunday school and the Young People's Forum. In the Sunday school he is secretary, while his valuable services rendered to the Young People's Department has been a great asset to the work accomplished by these departments.

“The Empire—Its Need and Claim”

Ezekiel—Chapter xxxii.
Sermon Preached by Rev. W. Leslie Clay, D.D., in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, May 21

This chapter is an excellent example of the dramatic genius of Ezekiel, the Shakespeare of the Hebrews, and the luxuriance of his poetic fancy. Commissioned to foretell the overthrow of Egypt, as the background for that event, he depicts in graphic phrase the downfall of the great Empire of Assyria. Seizing upon the similitude of the cedar, in its stately magnificence, its many resources, its pre-eminence in stature and beauty over all the other trees, and the calmity occasioned by its fall, he turns and with one vivid stroke applies the whole picture to the approaching fall of Egypt.

Assyria had achieved unrivalled greatness among the nations. It became the heart and centre of a vast empire, fed by the tributary streams of the surrounding nations, and gathered within its ample bosom the resources of the civilized world. But its unequalled wealth and strength proved the occasion of its overthrow. The pride that goeth before a fall was unrivalled, in an amazing brief period that mighty fabric fell, an irrevocable ruin. But the meaning of Assyria's fall, failed to reach the consciousness of Egypt or to restrain its mad folly. Soot Egypt followed Assyria to the graveyard of national greatness. Then in gradual

Mother's Emancipation



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WHEN a wife regards her duties in a modern way, she views them broadly. She realizes that it is not wise to strain herself with heavy, man-size labor, or to stultify her mind with endless drudgery. Spending more time with her children, she is able to share their joys and youthful tribulations, which keeps her young i' nlooks and heart! As her husband “grows” through contact with the outside world, she does not crystallize, but finds herself able to keep in step. She seizes on Shelly's 4X Bread as one of the obvious means of liberation for this wider mode of life. She knows that every sack of flour holds 15 hours of needless work. Over 50,000 housewives are using Shelly's 4X Bread—in Vancouver, Victoria, New Westminster, Nanaimo and North Vancouver.

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succession, Babylon, Persia, Greece, and lastly, the iron powers of Rome, like the mighty swells of ocean, passed and left but faint traces of their glory.

World of Change.
Is it reasonable to suppose that political changes, and the overthrow of Empires are altogether incidents of this past? This is a world of change. The map of ten years ago is strangely out of date to-day. Nations that exceeded Assyria in its power resource and pride have crumbled before our eyes. Will any that stand to-day be more durable? Who will forecast the map of the world 1,000 years hence? Let me so bold as to venture the prophetic role. No nation or empire that stands to-day, whatever its strength or resources, will find a place on that map, except insofar as it is tributary to or part of the Kingdom and Empire of the Lord Jesus Christ, and this say with my eyes fastened upon, and my heart strings entwining around that great galaxy of wealth, culture, power and glory, which we loosely style the British Empire. That empire whose history outrivals all romances, has been one of God's most honored instruments in building His Kingdom during the past 1,900 years, holds to-day a place of unrivalled influence in the councils of the world, and has within her possibilities and capabilities of still greater world service in the future. Everyone who enjoys the privilege of her citizenship everyone interested in world development must watch with interest, even with anxiety, her present and immediate future activities. She has reached a delicate, if not critical stage in her development. She is like the mountain tanager that stands upon a pinnacle poised for a great struggle, and no small danger. But the pinnacle is an impossible place for permanent residence. The rugged steep slopes of the future must be scaled, the rugged slopes must be descended. She cannot remain where she is. What is to be her course? Downward into a chaotic confusion and disintegration to dishonor and ruin, adding still more to the growing mass of the glory that was? Or upward through a period of transition to higher planes, of wider usefulness, of greater service, of larger influence and more enduring glory? Which shall it be? The parting of the ways has been reached.

The Great Opportunity.
Which will Britain choose? She will not choose of choice to-day. She will not always have that power. Let no foolish one-eyed optimism betray us into false security. Let no pride of past achievements, or the achievements of others, build for us a refuge of straw; let no laziness persuade us that Providence is obliged to see that we shall not come to grief. The British Empire has no mortgage on the resources of Providence. Let us have courage to face the inevitable. Let us not allow ourselves to be flung from us in peace, and with them will go much that the war did not endanger. The unrest abroad in the world is not so many parts of the empire, is but the expression of insidious, destructive and reactionary forces, actively at work, to paralyze and to break the forces that the world has ever seen for the promotion of the happiness and the full development of free men and women. This is a danger, the danger that confronts the empire to-day, and through the empire, the world. A danger that brings clearly before us the need of the greatest need. The need of great generals, and gallant admirals, not of great statesmen, nor great artists, not of great inventors or great merchants, but of great men and great women in every walk of life—of men and women made greater by the spirit of God, great men and great women in the home, the school, and business walks of life. That is the empire's need, and more than that, the great living consciousness of God, men and women of deep and active religious conviction.

Vital Necessity of Religion.
All the voices that are heard to-day emphasize not the beauty merely, not the desirability merely, but the vital necessity of religion if our institutions are to be preserved and our empire to endure. All the minds that read the past and interpret its lessons in terms of present day needs, call upon us with reiterated emphasis to give God the first place in our lives. Britain's only hope of continuing her place and influence in the world is through religion—the religion of her people, the force to which she owes the place she has attained. If Britain to herself be true, if Britain to her God be true, she need not fear the fulfillment of Macaulay's supposititious picture of the treacherous Zealot sitting on the decaying arches of London Bridge, and sketching the ruins of Westminster Abbey. “For the Lord will be unto her a wall of fire round about and will be the glory in the midst of her.” (Zechariah 2:5).

Britain's supreme need to-day is religion. Canada's need is religion. British Columbia's need is religion. Not more creeds, churches, or church machinery, but more religion, pure and undefiled before God and the Father,—that type of religion which long ago was given as the summary of all that God requires of His people “To do justly, to love mercy and to walk humbly with thy God.”

The Empire's Call.
And the Empire's need is the Empire's claim upon every subject from Buckingham Palace to the rudest hut on the farthest rock where waves the Union Jack. No man is worthy of Britain's protection who is not willing to respond to Britain's claim. How can you call on God to save the King, when no act of your hand, no thought of your mind, acknowledges the supremacy of God over your own life. If you do not believe in God as Sovereign over your life, with whom you desire to walk humbly, and to the interests of whose Kingdom you give your life to advance—your mouthing of the National Anthem means little. To call upon God to save the Empire, when you won't entrust Him with your own life is a feeble mockery.

Brethren the need of the Empire is that its men and women on all the seven seas meet every duty, public, social and private in the spirit of true religion. The claim which the Empire has upon each one of us is to meet that need, by doing justly, loving mercy and walking humbly in friendship with God's loyal subjects of the Empire how are you responding to that claim?

We are about to close this service with the National Anthem, but before we offer that great service

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CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL—Holy Communion, 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.; Matins, Evensong and Sermon, 7:30 p.m.; preacher, the Dean; Sunday School, Senior Classes, 10 a.m.; Junior Classes, 11:30 a.m.; Very Rev. C. S. Quinlan, D.D., Dean and Rector.

ST. JOHN'S—Quadra Street, corner of St. Mason, 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10 a.m. Sunday School; 11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon; 7:30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon. Rev. F. A. F. Clavell, M.A.

ST. BARNABAS, corner Cook and Calder streets, car must be Sunday after 8 a.m. Morning Prayer, Holy Eucharist, 8 a.m.; Matins and Sermon, 10 a.m.; Holy Eucharist, Matins (solo); 7:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist and Procession, 11 a.m. Pastor, Evensong, 7 p.m.

BAPTIST

MANUEL—Fernwood car (No. 3) terminus, Pastor, Rev. William Stevens, 11 a.m. Subject for Sunday, “Go to Sunday School Day.” Services: 10 a.m. “The Religion of Children”; 11:30 a.m. “The Religion of Parents and Scholars”; 7:30 p.m. “Liberty, Equality, Fraternity”; Evening music, Anthem, “Show Me Thy Way”; Roberts, solo by Miss Boyden. This is an invitation.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—Corner Chambers Street and Pandora Avenue. Services, Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Subject for Sunday, “Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alas Memorian and Hypnotism.” Matins and Sermon, 10:30 a.m.; Evensong and Sermon, 7:30 p.m. Visitors are welcome to all services at the Lecture Room and Lending Library, 515 Sayward Building.

CHRISTADELPHIANS

CLARE STREET HALL—On Oak Bay Avenue. Memorial Service, 11 a.m.; Lecture, 7:30 p.m. Subject, “Can a Man Be Born Again?”
THE CHRISTADELPHIANS, Loyal Terrace, Broughton Street, near Government. Morning Service, 11 a.m.; 7:30 p.m. “The Glad Tidings of the Kingdom of God.” All welcome.

LUTHERAN

GRACE ENGLISH—Blanshard and Queen's streets, 11 a.m. Subject, “Religious Training of Children.” Parents especially invited; 7:30 p.m. Topic, “The Influence of Children at Close of Evening Service.”
ST. PAVLE'S—Princess and Chambers. Services, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Sunday School, 9:45. Luther League, 6:55.

METHODIST

UNION MISSION—Garden City; 11 a.m. Evangelist, Davis; 7:30 p.m. Rev. E. Dalry. “The Collision with the Deities.”
MISCELLANEOUS
LAKH HILL MISSION—Sunday services, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; subject, “Jesus. All welcome.”
OAKLANDS HALL
OAKLANDS GOSPEL HALL—Hilside car terminus. Christians meet 11 a.m.; worship; 7 p.m. school; 7 p.m. Gospel address. All welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN

BRISKING, Harriet Road. Sunday evening service, 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m. We welcome you to our church. Topic, Daniel Walker, pastor.
GORDON—Tillicum Road. Sunday morning service, 11 a.m. Rev. Daniel Walker, pastor. Sunday School, 2:30. Rev. Daniel Walker, pastor.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL

CHURCH OF OUR LORD—Corner Humboldt and Blanshard streets. Morning service, 11 a.m.; evening service, 7:30. Rector, Rev. A. de B. Owen.
ROBICRUICAN FELLOWSHIP
SUBJECT of lecture, “The Sign at the Fork of the Road,” continued, subjects, “School of Mystery” and “Concentration.” Fellowship Hall, 217 Fernside Building. Sunday, 7:30 p.m. Questions answered. Public invited.

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS—Meeting house, Fern Street, off Fort. Meetings for worship, 11 a.m.
SPIRITUAL
FIRST SPIRITUAL CHURCH, Harmony Hall, 724 Fort Street. Mrs. Misses Perkins, Pastor. Services, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Monday and Thursday, circles, 7:30 p.m.
THEOSOPHY
THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, 161 Union Bank Building. Sunday, 11 a.m. Lecture by Rev. G. H. Wilson on “Primal Womanhood.” All welcome.

UNITARIAN

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Corner of Fernwood and Balmoral. Morning service, 11 a.m.; 7:30 p.m. Rev. W. L. Davey will be the speaker; subject, “The Christian and Social Responsibility.”
Y. W. G. A.
YOUNG Women's Christian Association, 207 St. Hubert Building, 745 Yates Street. Bible Class for young women, 4:30 p.m.

UNITY CENTRE

600 Campbell Building
Children's Service, 11 o'clock
H. E. Hallwright, Superintendent
Evening Service, 8 o'clock
Speaker, Mrs. Gordon Grant
Subject, “Calling the Disciples”
Thursday, 8 o'clock, Study Class
Office Hours 2 to 4 Every Afternoon Except Saturday and by Appointment

Dr. T. W. Butler Will Speak at 11 a.m.—Subject
“NEWNESS OF LIFE”
5 p.m.—“WAS THE CRUCIFIXION OF JESUS NECESSARY?”
Monday, 8 p.m., New Psychology Class Wednesday, 8 p.m., Healing

Metropolitan Methodist Church

Corner Quadra and Pandora.
Rev. W. J. Sipprell, D.D., Pastor
G. A. Downard, Choirmaster E. Parsons, Organist

10 a.m.—Class Meetings
11 a.m.

“The Religion of the Future”
Dr. Sipprell
Anthem—“If I Go Not Away” Caldwell
Solo, Messrs. Edmunds and Lilly
Tenor Solo—“Teach Me to Trust” Jewett
Mr. S. Lait
7:30 p.m.

Go to Sunday School Day

Special Programme—Open Session in the Auditorium
7:30 p.m.

Grand Musical Service
Anthem—“Great and Marvellous” Haydn
Soprano Solo—“The Lord is My Light” Alliston
Miss Winifred Bell
Anthem (Unaccompanied)—“God is a Spirit” Sullivan
Tenor Solo—Recitative, “Ye People, Rend Your Hearts” (Elijah) Mendelssohn
Solo—“The Heavens Are Telling” (Creation) Mendelssohn
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Mr. J. O. Dunford
Recitative, Air and Duet—“What Have I to Do With Thee?” (Elijah) Mendelssohn
Solo—“The Heavens Are Telling” (Creation) Mendelssohn
Baritone Solo—“Lord God of Abraham” (Elijah) Mendelssohn
Mr. M. Moss
Soprano Solo—“Hear Ye, Israel” (Elijah) Mendelssohn
Miss I. Taylor
Baritone Solo—“It is Enough” (Elijah) Mendelssohn
Mr. P. Edmonds
Chorus—“He Watching Over Israel” (Elijah) Mendelssohn
Solo—“Q Rest in the Lord” (Elijah) Mendelssohn
Chorus—“The Heavens Are Telling” (Creation) Haydn
WORSHIP IN CHURCH AND SUNDAY SCHOOL TO-MORROW

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Gorge Road, Near Government
Class Meeting 10 a.m. Sunday School 2:30 p.m.
Usual Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., in Charge of REV. G. J. AVRE, B.A.—Subject “FRIENDSHIP WITH GOD”
GOOD SERVICE ALL WELCOME

Hampshire Road Methodist

“GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY”
11 a.m. Address by the Pastor—2:30 p.m. Sunday School. General Rally
7:30 p.m. Subject, “THE GENIUS OF ROMAN CHRISTIANITY”
Minister, W. G. Frank Organist, H. Hollins

First Presbyterian Church

Corner Quadra and Balmoral Streets
Minister, REV. W. G. WILSON, D.D.

SUNDAY, MAY 28
Preacher for the Day
Professor H. A. Kent, D.D.
Of the Presbyterian College, Halifax
Subjects—11 a.m., “AN ANCIENT VIEW OF LIFE”; 7:30 p.m., “A PREACHER AND A KING”
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REV. A. K. McMINN, B. A., Pastor
Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 2:30—Musical Recital at Evening Service
Cantata “St. John's Eve,” Tuesday, May 30, 8:15 p.m.—Admission Free

FAIRFIELD METHODIST CHURCH

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

11 a.m. “ACCORDING TO THE PATTERN”—Soloist MISS RICHARDS
2:30 p.m.—Sunday School Session
7:30 p.m. “THE SOUL'S ENLARGEMENT”—Soloist MR. A. IRISH
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“Where Are the Dead—What Is Their Future Destiny?”

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Steel Highway Bridge, Coquitlam River, Westminster Junction, B. C.

TO STAND TRIAL. Brantford, Ont., May 27.—Harry Dent and his wife, Margaret Dent, are to stand trial for the murder of a local Armenian, who was yesterday committed for trial by jury at the Fall Assizes.

WINS PRIZE. Toronto, May 27.—S. C. Atkinson, Vermilion, Alta., has been awarded first prize for mathematics and mechanics, according to the results of the faculty of applied science at McGill University just announced.

VICTORIA CORPORATION PROPERTY FOR SALE. GOOD BUILDING LOTS. Corner Beechwood and Ross, \$ 500.

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Have 500 Shares in Established Company. Faying quarterly dividend. Will sell all or part at price to yield 10%. For details address Box 595, Times.

Financial News

LOCAL GOOSEBERRIES STRONG BUYING IN TOBACCO PRODUCT

Unusually Early Appearance Attracts Interest. It is hardly possible to credit, but gooseberries of local origin are on the market and selling at a reasonable price. The Victoria Public Market displayed this commodity to advantage this morning at a 20c quotation, which is extremely low for this berry.

Some new and interesting features were supplied at the trading session this morning. In the first place eggs are selling cheaper. A new quotation has been secured, the previous price of 28c being in company with an even lower figure of 25c per dozen. But it is the same at 50c a pound.

COL. BENNETT WALKS USEFUL SERVICE. (Continued from page 1). The stables were engaged in extensive police work after the war, and during that time Colonel Bennett was in charge of the Patechatom district, which command he held for five years until he returned to Canada in 1908.

IRISH CONFERENCE HELD IN LONDON. (Continued from page 1). momentous importance, inasmuch as an ominous or even doubtful construction should have to be put on the coalition compact, it will bring this country and Ireland perilously near a state of war.

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TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

(Burdick Bros., Limited.) New York sterling, \$4.45 1/2. New York funds, 1 per cent. London bar silver, 28 1/2 d.

NEW MANAGER

Wholesale circles will be interested to know that Robert Leese, manager of the Vancouver Milling & Grain Company, has severed connections with that firm. Arche H. Hood has been secured to fill his position. Mr. Hood is well-known in city and country trade, and will take over the position of manager.

LITTLE PRESSURE ON DEFERRED FUTURES

(By Burdick Bros., Ltd.) Chicago, May 27.—There was not much pressure of consequence on the deferred wheat futures to-day and prices were well maintained, while the May lot was not so active. The latter was attributed to scattered liquidation of grain delivered on contracts.

MONTHLY MARKET (By Burdick Bros., Ltd.)

Table with columns: Commodity, Price. Includes items like Wheat, Flour, Corn, etc.

NEW YORK COTTON (By Burdick Bros., Ltd.)

Table with columns: Month, Price. Includes items like July, August, September, etc.

TO-DAY'S TRADING IN WINNIPEG MARKETS

Table with columns: Commodity, Price. Includes items like Wheat, Flour, etc.

LOCAL QUOTATIONS (By F. W. Stevenson)

Table with columns: Commodity, Price. Includes items like Athabasca Oil, Borden Copper, etc.

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VANCOUVER MAN IS ARRESTED ON ROBBERY CHARGE

Vancouver, May 27.—Eddie Thomas, who the police say was the third man connected with the robbery of the Grandview branch of the Royal Bank of Canada two weeks ago, was arrested last night near Lander by local police officers.

CHARLES CRANE NOT SENTENCED AT DAMASCUS

London, May 27.—Reuter's correspondent in Cairo, Egypt, says he has learned from a high personage who arrived there last night from Syria that the report of Charles B. Crane's conviction by a French military court at Damascus for inciting a riot is without foundation. An official denial probably will be issued to-day.



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THOUSANDS ATTEND ANNUAL SPORTS (Continued from page 18). Wheldon, Captain Brown, H. Campbell, Grounds and Track Committee—D. S. Cameron, F. W. Ball, Mr. Plenderleith, Mr. Goldfinch.

QUADRA PRIMARY L. Oaklands, O.; South Park, P.; Quadra, Q.; Spring Ridge, R.; Victoria West, S.; North Ward, W.; Saanich Schools, S., including Cedar Hill (CH), Gordon Head (GH), Craigflower (CF), North Dairy (ND), Totem (T), Colwood (C), Prospect Lake (PL), McKenzie Avenue (MA), Tillicum (TI), Strawberry Vale (SV).

100 yards, boys under 11—1, Mona McDonald (M); 2, Dorothy Rendle (R); 3, Alice Parkinson (P); 75 yards, boys under 11—1, George Wright (W); 2, William Arthur (A); 3, Bert Donaldson (D); 75 yards, boys under 13—1, Stella Rawlinson (R); 2, Ivy Arthur (A); 3, Lillian Knight (K); 75 yards, boys under 15—1, R. Farris (F); 2, A. Hummer (H); 3, Alfred Harvey (H); 100 yards, open, boys—1, R. Johnson (J); 2, G. McElhose (M); 3, T. Little (L); 75 yards, girls under 11—1, Margaret Harris (H); 2, Gilberta McLaughlin (M); 3, Nellie Smith (S); 100 yards, boys under 15—1, Paul Brooker (B); 2, Donald Reeve (R); 3, Won Sing (S); 100 yards, open, girls—1, Gertrude Edden (E); 2, Madge McDonald (M); 3, Evelyn Barber (B); 200 yards, open, boys—1, Fred Holder (H); 2, George Sam (S); 3, W. Oliver (O); 200 yards, open, girls—1, Robert McIntosh (M); 2, Bert Teagden (T); 3, Ed. Washington (W); Boys' relay, open—1, E. Grose, T. Morely, F. Foster, and J. Piper (P); 2, E. Wheldon, D. Egan, W. Higgins, and A. Woollett (W); Girls' relay, open—1, Rhona Champion, P. Moore, J. Moore and Pearl Smith (M); 2, R. Fairbrook, Mildred Pinner, Dorothy Jeeves and Pearl Davidson (W); Boys' relay, under 14—1, D. Hill, J. Patterson, H. Robinson, and S. Rice (V); 2, L. Stewart, W. Robinson, F. Collier and E. Viggers (C); Half-mile bicycle race, under 13—1, Alex Scott (S); 2, Elizabeth Young (Y); 3, Robert Linton (L); Half-mile bicycle, open—1, Dave Campbell (C); 2, A. Le Marquand (M); 3, M. Brown (B); High jump, under 14—1, Lemmie Chapman (C), 4 ft. 3 1/2 in.; 2, Edgar Pooks (P), 4 ft. 1 1/2 in.; 3, Joe Eastick (E), 4 ft. 0 1/2 in.; High jump, open—1, C. Camerton (C), 5 ft. 1 1/2 in.; 2, M. Chungnara (C), 4 ft. 7 1/2 in.; 3, Kazui Hori, 4 ft. 6 1/2 in.; High jump, girls—1, Helen Ferguson (F), 4 ft. 1 1/2 in.; 2, Etta Haines (H), 4 ft. 0 1/2 in.; 3, Kathleen Neave (N), 3 ft. 3 1/2 in.; Broad jump, under 14—1, Jack Shaddock (S), 14 ft. 0 1/2 in.; 2, Gordon Chalmers (C), 13 ft. 7 in.; 3, Chas. Lendrum (L), 13 ft. 4 1/2 in.; Hop, step and jump, open—1, F. Hickman (H), 31 ft. 5 in.; 2, J. Taylor (O), 31 ft. 8 in.; 3, K. Richmond (R), 30 ft. 8 1/2 in.; TIGERS WERE BEST; Calgary, May 27.—The Bronks received a setback last night when they lost to Tacoma, 6-7, in a game that was thrilling right up until the last man was retired. Robke went the route for the visitors, but the Bronks had two on in the ninth, when Rose grounded out to end the rally. Paton's hitting, with a triple, double and two singles, the triple coming with three on in the sixth, featured for Tacoma.

MANAGER—Are you a man who watches the clock? Percy—No, sir; I have a wrist watch.

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DIRECTOR'S REPORT SHOWS PROGRESS

Y. M. C. A. Has Achieved Much Useful Work

Accompanying is a summary of the report of the Y. M. C. A. directors, presented last evening.

Annual Report.

The annual report alluded to the personal services of the Board of Directors and the community services rendered by the institution. It was stated the maintenance had increased by \$1,100. Tribute was paid to the executive staff and assistants.

A Difficult Year.

"In some respects the year just closed has been a trying and difficult one, but not withstanding some disappointments and failures in reaching our goals, the Board is persuaded that from the standpoint of service rendered and progress made the past year has been one of the best in the history of the Victoria Association. We gratefully acknowledge the goodness and grace of God in all that has been accomplished and wish to sincerely thank all members, subscribers and other friends for their kind co-operation and the local press for generous publicity and support, also the secretaries of the National Council of the Y. M. C. A. for their counsel and assistance.

Membership.

Owing to continued unemployment and unfavorable business conditions, many men have been obliged to leave the city and others have not been able to renew their annual membership, but on the other hand the membership in the Boys' Division shows a gain of 37, or a net loss for the year of but 26. The total enrollment at the end of April was 919, 522 boys and 395 seniors.

Attention was next made to the social features and religious work carried on by the institution.

Young Men's Division.

"In pursuance of the decision announced at the last annual report, probably the most significant advance made during the year was the establishment of the Young Men's Division, which contemplates an enlarged programme for the greater service from young men 18 to 30 years," the report says.

Two self-governing clubs were organized on an age basis, the members of which met for supper weekly and participated in a variety of educational programmes.

"Debates within the clubs and with

Y.M.C.A. HAS FINE RECORD

In Spite of Handicaps, Substantial Progress Reported

Heavy Incubus of Debt Drags on Institution

The need for more generous support for the Victoria Y. M. C. A. was disclosed in the annual reports presented last evening. In addition to the mortgage of \$50,000, a note to the bank of about \$10,000 makes the total capital indebtedness about \$60,000. An appeal to the generous public of the city is made by the Board of Directors to aid in removing this incubus.

The membership only showed a trifling decrease, in spite of special difficulties during the year, and is now 522 boys and 395 senior members.

In the face of handicaps, the deficit on the operations of the year has been less than in some previous years.

Boys' Report.

The report of the Boys' Division stated that the work was done with the boys in the "teen" years.

"So, our programme has helped boys to become physically fit, to learn to play clean and above all to play a 'team game.' It has helped boys to become mentally alert, has given them an appreciation of the value of an education, assisted them in their choice of life, and through our self-governing clubs has trained them in democracy and leadership. It has inspired them with the ideal of service in their homes, their church, their city, their country and to the whole world. Finally, boys have been challenged to enlist as followers of Our Master, to 'Live the Jesus Way,' and so to have the dynamic which shall enable them to live at his best.

"Once more the records of previous years in membership, cash receipts, enrolment in classes, attendance, etc., have all been broken. This has been made possible through the co-operation of the Boys' Work Committee, the Staff, the Club Leaders, the Boys' Council and all our loyal boy members.

Membership.

"During the year the membership reached its highest point in December, with 562 boys--last year, 503.

Organization.

"The organization of the Boys' Division included 5 sections--preparatory, junior and B school, junior and intermediate employed, Home, Oriental Immigration and Art of Conversation--were presented by experts and freely discussed with them."

Finances.

The treasurer's report noted that the amount received in subscriptions is only about 17 per cent of the total receipts. Owing to the fact that the membership did not quite reach expectations, that several regular supporters were unable to pay their subscriptions before the year closed, and that a considerable portion of the constituency was not canvassed, there was a deficit on the year's operations of \$8,600, \$1,200 being due for interest on mortgage and \$2,400 for salaries and accounts. "While the shortage is considerable, it is less than half of that which accumulated in 1915 and 1916 and was cared for by the practical co-operation of members and friends is needed to provide for these obligations," the report said.

Small payments aggregating \$150 were made on account principal of the bank note, which reduced it to \$10,500. This with the \$50,000 mortgage leaves the capital indebtedness at \$60,500--a heart-breaking handicap to the men who are doing their utmost to help boys and young men in the better things of life--a challenge to citizens who have the power to wipe it off.

The Future.

Desiring that the Victoria Association should be a progressive and constructive one, as worthy goals for the coming year, the following suggestions were offered:

"1--That stronger emphasis should be placed on the development of the religious spirit, objectives and programme in connection with all of the sections and activities of the association.

"2--That an unusual effort be made to enlist, train and inspire a much larger number of Christian young men for volunteer service on committees and otherwise for the extension of the varied activities. The permanent strength of the association will be largely determined by the number of well-informed, enthusiastic men who will thus associate their efforts.

"3--In view of the current indebtedness and the continued growth of our Boys' Division, which is but one-third self-supporting, more subscriptions must be secured this year. This is the time when the real friends of the association must be expected to major in their giving on its behalf, and some of the permanent subscribers endeavor to increase their contributions.

"4--As the association has paid \$28,000 for interest on the building debt in the past ten years, it would be well to about time to transfer the annual charge of \$4,200 to more constructive work. The knowledge that large gifts are being made in many other cities for the erection of new buildings, and the clearance of debt, should encourage us to look for and pray for a group of men and women of means who will unite in their benevolence to release the Y. M. C. A. from its incubus of debt."

Physical.

"Gym classes with varied programme of body building exercises, apparatus work and games, indoor activities, basketball leagues; swimming (including instruction to beginners), competitions and coaching; Junior Leaders' Corps; two gym exhibitions; Boys' Championship Swimming Club; at Gorge; Annual New Year's Day relay race; bicycle trips and outings; Labor Day week-end camp; camp at the Gorge for employed boys were conducted.

Educational.

"Practical talks have been carried out in subjects such as 'Value of an Education,' 'Thrift,' 'Health,' 'Books and What to Read,' 'How to Study,' 'Home Relationships,' etc. Moving pictures, lantern lectures, sex education, health exhibits, debates, complete supply of technical, travel and fiction magazines, for boys.

Social.

"Weekly meal feeds have been held in group socials, opening and closing decoration club banquets, camp reunion, special Christmas and Easter programmes, billiards, ping pong and checker tournaments, stunt night (14 clubs in competition, socials for older employed boys and girl friends, boys' play 'The Upper Ten,' attended by over 800 people on two nights, daily use of our games equipment--a splendid social centre for all our boys.

Religious.

"Fourteen groups having Bible study weekly, with practical discussion of the moral questions boys have to face, inspirational addresses, talks on 'Boys of Other Lands,' and raised \$53 towards foreign work of association--over \$90 for Annual Bible Study examinations, various service tasks rendered."

Attention was made to the Summer camp and co-operation with the home and church.

"A number of underprivileged boys have been supplied with memberships through the kindness of interested friends, and it has been well worth while. To give such boys a chance means, so much to them, in these difficult, trying years. Our thanks are due members of the Rotary Club for sending 40 boys to camp at their expense," said the report.

The following have acted on the Boys' Division Committee during the past season: H. A. Beckwith, R. E. G. Dennis, I. Dilworth, W. E. Foxwell, Walter Miles, Thos. Hall, A. G. Smith, W. E. Harper, and Lorne Ross, chairman. They have given

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careful consideration to all matters of interest of the boys.

Physical Work.

It was by the Physical Director, W. S. Maguire, in his report of the department that the physical department of the Y. M. C. A. work was one of the important factors in the success of the institution. There was greatest attendance in the gymnasium classes during the year than ever before. Three hundred and ninety-eight class sessions were conducted and the aggregate number in attendance at these classes reached 5,143, which registers a substantial gain of 748 over the previous year's attendance.

A business men's class was conducted during the year which provided for a class of men who had been neglected in former gymnasium schools.

Reference was also made to swimming, basketball and other athletic activities.

Financial Report.

The financial report for the year showed that the receipts amounted to \$33,034.54; nearly six thousand dollars of this amount being provided by subscriptions and \$11,539.55 being provided by the dormitory rentals. The Boys' Department alone provided for \$2,508.77 in various ways.

The nomination committee, reported the following for election to the Board of Directors: R. T. Chave, H. T. Knott, F. M. McGregor, H. B. Whittier, Dr. M. W. Thomas and Dr. General R. P. Clark for three-year terms; W. S. Day and J. G. Macfarlane for two-year terms; W. C. Hudson for one-year term.

Business Session.

"Practicality of Christianity will make for the progress of the Nation," stated Rev. A. K. McMinn, when addressing the large and enthusiastic audience. Hon. A. M. Manson, the Attorney-General, was unable to attend owing to an urgent call to Vancouver on Government business, so the Rev. A. K. McMinn was called upon to fill his place, and gave a very illuminating address which was fitting to the occasion. Reports were presented to the meeting by W. S. Maguire, Harold Cross and J. M. Graham outlining the work of the departments for the year ending April 29. Letters of greeting were cordially received from the Y. W. C. A. annual meeting as well as the greeting sent from the Vancouver Association which is now in session. A motion was passed providing for similar greetings to be sent to the two association meetings.

A splendid musical programme was rendered during the evening by many of Victoria's noted artists, while the Y.M.C.A. boys put on an stunt which surprised everyone. Capt. George McGregor, presided, and introduced Mr. McMinn, who is a new pastor in this city. Fred McGregor, read the treasurer's report, the report being carried and adopted. A list of members suggested for the board of directors for three different terms were brought before the meeting, securing the approval of the gathering. All motions suggested were nominated unanimously. Among those who were present were the Bishop of Columbia, Ven. Archdeacon Sweet, Very Rev. Deans Quinlan, Rev. W. C. Freeman, Rev. W. L. Macrae and Rev. T. McConnell.

GREATER DEMAND FORCES PRICES UP

The increased consumption of tea in 1921, during which year, by agreement with the Government of India had curtailed production, forced the price of tea steadily higher. The lowering of the duty in England will mean still greater demand, and authorities on tea tell us that still higher prices may be expected.

SPRING BOOKS ARRIVE AT LIBRARY

Early Spring Orders Secure First Returns; Large Quantity of Fiction

The Spring orders for books at the Victoria Public Library are flowing in, and the following books were among the first consignment to reach the library: Barry Pain, *Going Some*; Bennet Coppelstone, *Madame Gilber's Cannibal*; F. S. K. Fitzgerald, *This Side of Paradise*; Arthur Stringer, *Two Tales*; Mrs. Grace Hill Lutz, *Cloudy Jewel*; B. L. P. Weale, *Wang the Ninth*; Frank Swinnerton, *Cocquette*; Robert William Chambers, *The Little Red Foot*; Sapper, *The Man Ratcheter*; Edward Phillips Coppelstone, *The Romancers*; E. V. Lucas, *Rose and Rose*; James Owen Hannay, *Good Conduct*; George Barr McCutcheon, *Quills Window*; Mary Inez Clotilde Graves, *The Villa of the Seaside*; A. O. N. Williams, *Samuel Hopkins Adams*; Success of Nicholas Beverley Patchwork; Ben Becht, *Erik Dorn*; Henry St. John Cooper, *James Ivanwood*; Baronet, *Cuthbert*; Edward Baines, *The Black Circle*; Courtney Ryley Cooper, *The White Desert*; Mabel Hodgson Gurd, *A Bit of a Drifter*; S. B. H. Hurst, *Cooms*.

Other consignments have also arrived, but have yet to be opened. Among the already mentioned fiction is a large number of new books for the children's department. These books are of a popular variety and will attract a prodigious demand during their initial appearance in the juvenile department.

SEWER DEBTS HAVE FIELD DAY AT TILLCUM

"Not Our Business" Is Retort Made to Appeals for Better Proposals

Reeve and Councillors Had No Chance to Speak

Interest in the proposed sewerage scheme in Saanich shows little sign of waning, according to the attendance at the meeting held last evening at Tillicum School.

Chairman Ridgway Wilson called upon opponents of the by-laws to take the floor, and W. J. Waters said the debt to Victoria should not be collected legally, as the city had highly paid legal advisers who would long since have shown the city how to secure the money.

"It seems to me to be deplorable that we have to shoot points at speakers in these meetings before we are able to drag out such admissions as that leading engineers of the province have stated the work cannot be done for even twenty-five per cent more than these estimates laid before you," he said.

"We ratepayers have trouble with mortgages; we are in trouble to pay the present taxes; we cannot pay what we now owe; I cannot see how we can pay for this work," declared Mr. Waters.

"You are not suffering from a necessary evil; you suffer from waste, an unnecessary evil. Nine out of ten water service bill values in this district leak; that is why septic tanks here are a nuisance," he declared.

Asserting that Reeve Watson has little love for the inner wards, Mr. Waters protested "That is the man who signed that agreement with Victoria," the alleged provincial plumbing regulations would not be the replacement of all existing plumbing.

"I ask you, particularly those out of work, can you afford this tax; the cost of a sewerage system is more than \$100, and on top of that pay for a new plumbing installation?" he demanded.

Warns Other Wards.

Mr. Waters denounced the voting by wards not paying as unnecessary, "and I want to tell those wards they will be backing the bill for sewers, and they will have to help pay that bill, for the majority of the vacant lots in the area will be abandoned. In abandoning one myrtle, I advise them to study very seriously, the advisability of backing this bill with their credit," he warned.

City's Prescription.

"Some time ago I warned you that this district would be absorbed into Victoria. The city recently had a doctor diagnose its ailments; his prescription was 'extend your boundaries.' There is a great protest against this attempt to thrust this great expense upon you at this time.

"I don't want to get personal, but there are men in official positions in Saanich of whom it is being said they are sitting by, waiting for chances to buy in at tax sale the lots of ratepayers who get into difficulties. I hope it is not true," said Mr. Waters in closing.

Why Clerk Present?

J. M. Kelle demanded why the Municipal Clerk was carrying the burden of explaining the by-laws. "Surely the councillors can meet their constituents and explain the matter. Why should a municipal official appear on the platform? People are asking, 'Who is this man Cowper?'"

Chairman Ridgway-Wilson stated the clerk was present by invitation; to inform the ratepayers in a manner not possible by councillors of only a short acquaintance with public business.

Offers Alternatives.

Ex-Councillor Pointer declared he favored the construction of sewers at this time, as money could not be borrowed cheaper and wages are down to reasonable basis.

Mr. Pointer favored a changed system of taxation, suggesting an eight mill district tax instead of the proposed 6 mills and substitution of a 5 cent per foot frontage tax for the Council's plan of 10 cents.

He proposed that the funds of Wards Two and Seven should contribute \$2,000 a piece annually for five years, making a total charge upon average lots of \$6.50 apiece.

He believed the Reeve and Councillors should be thanked for having taken the democratic method of asking for suggestions before closing the by-laws, and thereby provoked protests from Mrs. Davis and E. Orr.

"Sewers, Yes; By-Law, No."

J. W. Fullbrook declared he favored sewers, provided the people should pay. "As for this sewerage by-law, I am certainly going to oppose it," he said, pronouncing in favor of paying the city debt through the smaller by-law, as a general Sanitch-wide debt.

"I do not think sewers can be constructed for the costs laid down. Why should one man pay \$30 for this scheme, while his neighbor across the street pays but \$12?" he asked, declaring both had the use of the same sewer and that such a payment plan was grossly inequitable.

In most witty style Mr. Fullbrook told of the difficulties which, in his opinion, will attend petitioning or "praying to the Council" for sewer extensions. "And after all that running around, if his wind holds out

and if he is a real good prayer, the petitioner may or may not get a sewer," but he certainly will have to do the paying for it," he summarized.

Asked For Aid.

Clerk Cowper pointed out that the meetings are called by the Council for suggestions of a better plan of finance, that Mr. Fullbrook had stated he favored sewers on another plan, and should therefore make some alternative suggestion.

Mr. Fullbrook favored paying the city debt as a municipal undertaking, and make extensions thereafter on a gradual plan, with easy payment methods.

Why Area Needed.

Clerk Cowper noted out that such extensions close to the city would be very much larger than needed by the residents. "Who will pay this larger cost?" he asked.

Mr. Fullbrook declared such excess size should be borne by general revenue, whereupon Clerk Cowper retorted that to be the principle of the by-law, except that the rural areas should not be in the opinion of the Council be taxed for sewers of use to only a small district.

Mr. Fullbrook said he could see no reason for such exemption, and objected to putting costs of large mains on a defined area.

Objections were made to the fact that Saanich municipality will own the system of sewers, although the costs will eventually be paid entirely by the district served.

Rich Area Taxed More.

Mr. E. Collis denounced the financial plan as "class legislation," pointing out that well-to-do householders with valuable lots will pay \$22 or more for the same facilities given owners of cheap lots for \$10.90.

Attempts were made to interject waterworks matters upon the debate, E. Orr, R. E. Collis and P. McCalmair firing barrages of questions at Clerk Cowper until the chairman intervened on Councillor Dooley's protest, together with general demands that sewer matters only be discussed.

Mr. Kelle demurred against figures in the estimates, declaring: "I predict the failure of this by-law." Clerk Cowper again appealed for suggestions, around a chorus of "It's not our business from opponents of the by-law."

Fears Bankruptcy.

Mrs. Davis and others charged sewers would bankrupt the property owners, whereupon Mr. Cowper showed that the average cost per parcel of land will work out at \$5, averaging up small lots and large acreage, the many properties paying only a nominal district assessment offsetting heavier payments by valuable residential sites or acreages.

Replying to W. J. Taylor, Mr. Cowper said the system would be of indefinitely long life, as provision is made in the estimates for proper maintenance. Replying to E. Orr, he said possible short collections from delinquents would probably have to be made good by the other owners of land in the area.

Nearly 800 were present.

Mr. Kelle argued that Victoria's incubus of \$5,000,000 of tax sale

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BOB WEBB ISSUES NEW BOOK OF SONGS FOR USE OF CLUBS

R. R. Webb, most popular of Victoria comedians and the best known Rotary song leader in the Northwest, has just published a book of songs suitable for use at community sings and club gatherings. The little book is being distributed free to various organizations, contains forty-nine of the most rousing modern tunes in the language and is proving very popular with Victoria clubs. Its appearance caused a sensation at the Rotary Club this week. The cover of the new song book is as attractive as the inside because it is adorned with a caricature of Mr. Webb himself, leading a number of nondescript people in song. This was drawn by A. C. Williamson.

Among the songs contained in the book are a number of E. J. Down's parodies, including "I Don't Want to Go Home," which has become one of the international Rotary's most popular convention songs.

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