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FRENCH FIRMLY HOLD THEIR GAINS SOUTH OF SOMME; PRISONERS

Heavy Losses Inflicted on Germans When They Made Desperate Attempts Last Night on Line Between Berny and Chaulnes; Progress on Verdun Front East of Meuse; Raids by British Troops

Paris, Sept. 8.—Renewed and particularly violent attacks were made by German troops on the Somme front last night in an effort to regain ground won by the French. The war office announced this afternoon that the German assaults were futile, the French holding their ground everywhere.

The German attacks were made in strong force on the front between Berny and Chaulnes, south of the Somme. Fighting was especially heavy between Verdandovillers and Chaulnes. The Germans preceded their infantry assaults with intense bombardments.

Between the Vaux-Chapitre wood and Chenois, on the Verdun front east of the Meuse, French troops gained some ground through the use of hand grenades. German troops attacked the French positions at the Vaux-Chapitre wood, but failed.

The text of the statement follows: "On the Somme front our artillery activity continued north of the river."

"South of the Somme enemy attacks on positions won by us from Berny to south of Chaulnes resulted only in considerable losses for him. Between Verdandovillers and Chaulnes alone German troops launched no fewer than four massed attacks. Everywhere we maintained our gains.

"Two hundred fresh prisoners have been added to the 400 counted yesterday in that region.

"On the right bank of the Meuse, between the Vaux-Chapitre wood and Chaulnes, we made progress by means of hand grenades. A German attack on our Vaux-Chapitre positions failed."

Raids by British. London, Sept. 8.—British troops southwest of Lille last night raided German trenches southeast of Ghinny and near Richebourg l'Avoue, in the sector of La Bassée, inflicting severe losses on their occupants, says an official statement issued this afternoon, the text of which follows:

"Beyond the usual artillery activity and some local bombing flights, there was nothing to report on the Somme front. Two officers and 59 men were brought in as prisoners yesterday.

"Southeast of Ghinny and near Richebourg l'Avoue we raided enemy trenches, inflicting severe casualties.

"The enemy shelled Armentières (northwest of Lille) yesterday evening."

German Admission. Berlin, Sept. 8.—French and German troops were engaged in infantry fighting again yesterday in the region south of the river Somme, says a statement issued to-day by the army headquarters staff. The French were repulsed with great losses, with the exception of a point to the west of Berny, where the statement adds, some portions of trenches remained in the hands of the French.

AIRMEN BOMBARDED GERMAN AERODROME

British Aviators Visited St. Denis, Belgium; Balloon Brought Down Near Ostend

London, Sept. 8.—British aeroplanes attacked the German aerodrome at St. Denis, Belgium, 30 miles southeast of Brussels, yesterday afternoon, achieving good results.

"Yesterday afternoon naval aeroplanes attacked the enemy aerodrome at St. Denis," says an official statement issued here to-day. "A large number of bombs were dropped with good effect. One of our machines failed to return."

"During the same afternoon a naval aeroplane successfully attacked and brought down in flames a hostile kite balloon near Ostend. The attack was carried out under anti-aircraft fire of the heaviest description, but the pilot returned safely."

BIGGER RETURNS FOR INLAND REVENUE DEPT.

Ottawa, Sept. 8.—Despite the anti-liquor legislation of the three prairie provinces and the restricted hours of sale in the east, the revenue of the inland revenue department continues to increase. The total receipts during the month of July were \$2,066,949, as compared with \$1,861,745 during July, 1915; an increase of \$205,194. Receipts from war taxes amounted to \$99,812.

ROUMANIANS LIVING AMONG TURKS UNDER CARE OF U. STATES

London, Sept. 8.—The American embassy in Constantinople has assumed the protection of Roumanians in Turkey, according to a telegram from the Turkish capital received in Amsterdam and forwarded by Reuters.

MARCONI GIVEN RANK OF CAPTAIN IN NAVY OF VICTOR EMMANUEL

Rome, Sept. 8.—Guglielmo Marconi, inventor of wireless telegraphy, has been transferred from the engineer corps and appointed a temporary captain in the navy.

IS STATED GOVERNMENT OF GREECE DECIDED TWO DAYS AGO ON WAR ON THE SIDE OF THE ENTENTE POWERS

Meeting of Cabinet in Athens on Wednesday Was Attended by King Constantine and Representatives of Allied Governments; Report Comes by Way of Berlin

London, Sept. 8.—Decision on her future course of action was made by Greece on Wednesday at a cabinet meeting in Athens, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Berlin. The meeting was attended by King Constantine and representatives of the entente. No word has been received definitive of the decision of the conference, but it is believed it ended in a decision to join the entente powers.

Indications of this have been numerous for several days, the only question being when and how Greece should strike, according to the dispatch.

The political factions in the Greek capital are waging a bitter struggle, according to the dispatch, with Premier Zaimis giving satisfaction to neither wing.

GERMAN WAR LOAN HAS A ROUGH ROAD

Raid on Charitable Funds Proposed, Say Advocates From Rotterdam

London, Sept. 8.—The German government is hard put to it to induce the people to subscribe to the new war loan, according to the correspondent of the Telegraph at Rotterdam. An enormous number of the middle class are unwilling to support the loan, believing it will prolong the war.

The government is contemplating a raid on the funds of charitable institutions, and has issued preliminary circulars to the governors of such funds appealing for their support. The governors have been ordered to submit their books to the government supervisors and discuss with the latter the possibility of investing in the loan. The savings banks have been directed to reduce the terms of notices in favor of clients wishing to withdraw their deposits to invest in the loan. They have been asked also not to press for immediate payment of interest on their own investments in previous loans but to allow the government to credit them with the amounts due until some future time. This has caused much anxiety and fears among the people that the government is short of money.

COUNT ROMANONES SAW ALFONSO THRICE

Spanish Premier's Conferences With King Indicate Something Important Happening

London, Sept. 8.—The Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Madrid says the premier, Count Romanones, and Senor Maura went to Santander to have a special audience with King Alfonso, the three being closeted for two prolonged conferences. Afterwards Count Romanones had a long separate audience, then engaged in 45 minutes of telephoning and refused to see visitors.

The correspondent adds that these mysterious movements create the general impression that something important is happening.

TWO BRITISH VESSELS SUNK BY SUBMARINES

London, Sept. 8.—The British steamship Strathgairn and the Ellerman line steamship Tagus have been sunk. The crew of the Strathgairn was saved.

The Strathgairn, of 4,489 tons gross, sailed from New York on August 22 for Havre. The Tagus was of 937 tons gross.

WITH 11TH RESERVES.

London, Sept. 8.—Lieut. Quinney and Lieut. G. H. Eaton, of the Canadian forces, have been attached to the regiment of the 11th Battalion, Winnipeg.

LARGE RUSSIAN FORCES HAVE STARTED MOVEMENT AGAINST BULGARIA FROM S. ROUMANIA

FISH COMPANIES IN EAST U. S. AFRAID

Knew Canada Would Hit Hard Had Chamberlain Amendment Passed

PRINCE RUPERT WILL KEEP ITS BIG LEAD

Ottawa, Sept. 8.—The withdrawal in the United States Senate of the Chamberlain amendment to the revenue bill, which would have prohibited the shipping in bond of fish caught by Americans from Canadian ports to the United States was due in great measure to representations made by the New England fishing interests. Those American concerns feared reprisals by the Canadian government against their activities in the North Atlantic had the amendment been passed into law. The fears were not without foundation, as the government of Canada was quite prepared to turn the North Atlantic fisheries into a Canadian preserve had the Americans persisted in their attempt to boom their own fishing ports at the expense of Canadian ports.

The New England fishing interests were aware of the possibilities of the situation and the intention of the Canadian government to hit back, and to hit hard too, and they urged the Washington authorities not to provoke reprisals, pointing out that Canada has an impregnable position as regards the fishing in both the North Atlantic and the North Pacific.

RUSSIANS CONTINUE OFFENSIVE IN REGION OF THE GNITA LIPA, NORTH OF HALICZ; FIGHTING FOR THE TOWN

Drove Germans to Western Bank of River, Where They Are Making Desperate Stand; Russians Got Across the Dwina River North of Dwinsk and Are Holding Positions Captured

Petrograd, Sept. 8.—Russian troops which had crossed the Dwina river north of Dwinsk were attacked repeatedly by German troops yesterday, but succeeded in holding their captured positions.

The text of the statement follows: "After artillery preparation, German troops developed repeated attacks against our detachments which yesterday occupied enemy positions on the western bank of the Dwina north of Dwinsk. The German attacks were repelled."

"After a fierce action with artillery, mine throwers and bomb mortars, the enemy attacked in the region of Veltisk, in the direction of Kovel, Volhynia, but was repulsed."

"In the region of the Gnita Lipa, north of Halicz, Galicia, our offensive continues. The enemy is making a stubborn resistance, bombing our troops from positions on the right (western) bank of the river, to which he retired under pressure by our troops."

"On the Caucasian front, in the Kighi-Ognott sector, stubborn battles continue."

DIRECTOR GENERAL OF MOTOR TRANSPORT

British Army Has Use for Sir A. Stanley, Highly Paid Railway Manager

London, Sept. 8.—Sir Albert Stanley, occasionally described as the highest salaried railroad manager in England, has just been appointed director general of the motor transport service of the army.

Sir Albert is one of the many Englishmen prominent in the industrial and scientific fields of endeavor who placed their services at the disposal of the ministry of munitions, which has now reached a stage of development that Sir Albert says the organization is astounding.

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"French, British and American guns of every calibre, including an exceptional number of naval guns," he says, "have been concentrated during several weeks, and ammunition has been hoarded up in unprecedented quantities. The fire has continued for some days, the maddest gunfire the world has ever experienced."

London, Sept. 8.—The following Canadian officers have been transferred to France: Lieuts. Lough, Teed, Stuart, Knox, Anderson, Mingo, White, Drinkwater, Drown, Peach, Hobday, Lawson, Dawson, Neilson, Adams, Parson, Blart, Pepler and Ross.

BRITISH GUN FIRE MADDEST EVER SEEN

So Writes Correspondent of Berliner Tageblatt on Somme Front

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Beginning of Great Battle in Southeastern Roumania Near Border Reported in Dispatch From Petrograd via Rome; Violent Fighting Near Coast; Roumanian Troops Hold Orsova, Hungarian Town

London, Sept. 8.—The beginning of a great battle in Southeastern Roumania, where Russian forces have taken the offensive against the Bulgarian and German forces which crossed the Roumanian frontier under a plan to invade Roumania as a counter-stroke to the advance of the Roumanian forces into Hungary, is reported in a dispatch from Rome given out by the Wireless Press.

The struggle is now under way along the whole front in Dobruja between the Danube and the Black Sea. The fighting is desperate near Baltjik, on the Black Sea coast about 10 miles north of the Bulgarian frontier.

This information, the wireless dispatch says, was received in Rome from Petrograd.

Several dispatches during the past few days have indicated that the army Russia will use in advancing through Roumania to crush Bulgaria, and later Turkey, will be a large one. A considerable part of that army must already be in southeastern Roumania, and the above dispatch would indicate that the movement against Bulgaria has begun. The Roumanian forces along the southern boundary of Roumania are co-operating with the Russian forces.

The Roumanian offensive against Hungary, and the Russian drive against Bulgaria, are parts of a co-ordinated plan, the Roumanian war office having submitted its plans to the Russian war office for approval, so that the co-operation would be complete in every particular.

Orsova Taken. London, Sept. 8.—Roumanian troops have occupied Orsova, an important Hungarian town on the Danube, according to a dispatch to the Times from Bucharest to-day. Orsova is one of the principal ports on the lower Danube and has considerable commercial importance. It lies at the point where the Hungarian, Serbian and Roumanian boundaries meet.

Enemy Admissions. London, Sept. 8.—The occupation by Roumanian forces of Orsova, an important Hungarian town on the Danube, is admitted in an undated Bulgarian official statement, the text of which reached here to-day.

The statement adds that the Bulgarian and German forces which got across the border for a short distance into Dobruja (eastern Roumania) have captured the fortress of Dobric (Basardjik) and the seaports of Baltjik, Kavarna and Kalkakra.

An unofficial dispatch which reached the Exchange Telegraph Company in London from Vienna last Tuesday night stated that Orsova had been captured by Roumanian troops.

GERMANS TOOK FIELD GUNS OUT OF RANGE

Significant Discovery Followed Gains by British in Guille-mont Region

London, Sept. 8.—Describing the effect of the British bombardment of the German positions at Guillemont, north of the Somme, the correspondent of Reuters' Telegram Company at British headquarters in France says:

"The ground east of the village was strewn with German dead, in many cases stark naked, every stitch of clothing having been blasted off. A large proportion showed no signs of wounds, and there is little doubt that the men were killed by the intense concussion. In the dugouts those who escaped alive said their nerves had been destroyed by the terrific pounding of the British guns."

The correspondent considers it significant that the ground was not bombarded afterwards by German field guns, which indicates, he says, that the Germans withdrew their field artillery out of range. Whether this was from apprehension that the guns might fall into British hands or whether it is preliminary to a general withdrawal, the writer adds, can be only a matter of speculation as yet.

BALLIN'S BROTHER IN JAIL AT AUCKLAND

German Could Not Support Himself in New Zealand During War

Auckland, Sept. 8.—Maximilian Ballin, brother of Albert Ballin, president of the Hamburg-American line, has been sent to jail for three months at his own request.

"Maximilian Ballin," says the Auckland Weekly News, "has been in New Zealand for many years. He worked as a bookkeeper and received remittances from his brother. After the outbreak of war the remittance money stopped, and, being a foreigner, he could not get the class of work he was capable of doing. He gradually drifted and became ill, and after being out of employment for a considerable time, he went to the police station and asked to be arrested. The court said the sentence was not punishment, but charity to a man who was helpless to look after himself in the community."

BRITAIN'S TRADE

London, Sept. 8.—Figures given out to-day by the board of trade for August show that the imports during the month increased by £2,715,000, while the exports increased by £15,221,000.

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MANCHESTER PAPER ON WILSON'S PLAN

Opinion of Guardian Concerning Washington's Proposal to Retaliate Against Allies. London, Sept. 8.—Commenting on the report was issued last night...

Paris, Sept. 8.—The following official report was issued last night: "North of the Somme, in a trench recently captured, four bomb-throwers and sixteen machine guns were added to the material previously brought in..."

ARMY COUNCIL FOR CANADA IN ENGLAND

London, Sept. 8.—An army council for the administration of the Canadian forces on this side soon will be established. Major General Carson will be president.

MONTREAL BANK CLEARINGS.

Montreal, Sept. 8.—The bank clearings here for the week ended yesterday amounted to \$56,600,178, as compared with \$41,592,150 during the corresponding week last year.

ALL GAINS ARE HELD ON THE SOMME FRONT

East of Denicourt, South of River, French Took Some Trenches. Paris, Sept. 8.—The following official report was issued last night:

London, Sept. 8.—A Socialist war leaflet entitled "Hunger" is being circulated throughout Germany. It is remarkable for its bitterness and its language of frank incitement.

ANOTHER GERMAN SECRET PAMPHLET

Down With War! Says Socialist Leaflet Circulated Secretly in Germany. London, Sept. 8.—A Socialist war leaflet entitled "Hunger" is being circulated throughout Germany.

HAIG'S RAILWAYS VALUABLE IN DRIVE

British Have Built Highways Behind Somme Front; Spirit of Armies. With the British army on the Somme front, Sept. 7, via London, Sept. 8.—Not even the weather can dampen the spirits of the British and French armies on this front.

A STATEMENT ISSUED AT SOFIA ON SEPT. 4

London, Sept. 8.—A Bulgarian official statement issued on September 4, and received here today, recounts minor engagements in Macedonia and the commencement of the German-Bulgarian attacks against the Rumanian fortress of Tutulka, on the Danube, on the border between Rumania and Bulgaria.

FRENCH AIRMEN GOT MORE GERMAN MACHINES

Paris, Sept. 8.—The French air service has been taking an active part in the recent actions on the Somme front, says an official statement issued. In the air fighting on Wednesday two German machines were brought down by French pilots and four other German machines were forced out of the action in a damaged condition.

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CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

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TWO MORE PORTS ON GERMAN EAST AFRICAN COAST WERE CAPTURED

London, Sept. 8.—The ports of Kilwa-Kivinja and Kilwa-Kiswani, in German East Africa, respectively 150 and 175 miles south of Dar-es-Salaam, have surrendered to the British under threats of bombardment, according to an official statement issued last night.

"On September 3 a naval attack by British forces, in conjunction with a heavy bombardment of enemy positions north of the town, was followed by landings at Kunduchi and in Masingi Bay. The enemy evacuated Dar-es-Salaam, which was occupied by the British. The town was virtually undamaged."

"On the 7th, British naval forces and marines, with military landing parties, occupied the ports of Kilwa-Kivinja and Kilwa-Kiswani, which surrendered under threats of naval bombardment."

WIDOW NOW CLAIMS SHE KILLED M. DAVIS

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Mrs. Mary Davis, widow of Morse Davis, a mining man of Victoria, B. C., who died of poisoning under mysterious circumstances here several weeks ago, has claimed she killed her husband according to testimony given in the court for the insane here yesterday by Dr. A. Sawajkart, head of the psychopathic hospital at which Mrs. Davis is a patient.

SESSION OF CONGRESS OF U. S. COMES TO END

Washington, Sept. 8.—Congress adjourned sine die this forenoon at 10 o'clock, concluding a session record-breaking in many respects, with appropriations and authorizations for the future running well toward \$2,000,000,000.

A RAID BY BRITISH AIRMEN EAST OF SUEZ

London, Sept. 8.—A raid by British aeroplanes on Turkish positions at El Arish, on the Sinai Peninsula, 90 miles east of the Suez canal, is reported in an official statement. Twelve bombs were dropped on a Turkish aerodrome apparently with good results and the British machines returned undamaged.

DUTCH GOVERNMENT MAINTAINS NEUTRALITY

Berlin, Sept. 8.—The Dutch government has announced to the German foreign office that it will maintain absolute neutrality in the war between the friendly powers, Roumania and Austria-Hungary, Germany, Bulgaria and Turkey.

U. S. PACIFISTS DISTRUSTED

London, Sept. 8.—A special correspondent at the Trades Union Congress at Birmingham writes that the broad significance of the rejection by the congress of the American Federation of Labor's proposal for a world labor and peace congress at the end of the war is that the Trades Union Congress distrusts the pacifist, whom it sees in all sorts of guises.

SENATE OF STATES ON ITS DIGNITY

Desires to Find Out If Canadians Lobbied at Washington

Washington, Sept. 8.—A resolution by Senator Curtis, of Kansas, directing the senate lobby committee to investigate the activities of the alleged foreign lobby opposing retaliatory provisions of the revenue bill against Canadian fisheries, was passed to-day by the senate. The resolution was adopted after the senate had disposed of a similar resolution by referring it to a committee. The new resolution adopted provides for a report at the next session of congress.

Senator Lewis, Democrat, urged that if anything should be investigated it should be the recent demands of Japan on China. He declared that apparently they were in retaliation for the attitude of this country toward admission of the Japanese.

BREAKING ST. RAILWAY STRIKE IN NEW YORK

New York, Sept. 8.—Having frustrated the efforts of striking employees to tie up the subway and elevated railways, the Interborough Rapid Transit Company to-day turned its attention to its surface lines, which have been crippled since the strike was declared on Wednesday night. All cars on the so-called "green" lines, representing the greater part of the surface system in Manhattan and the Bronx, were withdrawn at 8 o'clock last night.

When the surface cars were started out again at 6 o'clock this morning the situation was in charge of James T. Waddell, directing the strikebreakers. Mr. Waddell came here from Chicago last night to organize the strikebreakers. "I hope the strikebreakers here," said Waddell, "and 4,700 of these are working now. They are more than enough to control the situation."

A number of elevated trains were attacked during the morning, but in no case was there any approach to a mob riot.

ST. RY. STRIKE CAUSES RIOTS IN NEW YORK

New York, Sept. 8.—Rioting broke out at noon to-day in connection with the street car men's strike, and the mob was dispersed only after the police had charged it with drawn clubs and beaten several men.

The first rioting occurred at Twenty-third street, a crowd of men and boys attacking a Crosstown surface car and attempting to pull the crew off. The mob was driven off by the police.

Twenty minutes later about 50 men attacked a surface car at Twenty-third and English avenue and decided only after the police had severely battered two of their number. No arrests were made in connection with either affair.

"Does the baby talk yet?" asked a friend of the family. "No," replied the baby's disgusted little brother; "he doesn't have to." "Doesn't he have to talk?" "No. All he has to do is yell, and he gets anything in the house he wants."

PEOPLE OF KAMLOOPS WEARY OF MACHINE

Enthusiastic Meeting in That City Addressed by Mr. Brewster

Kamloops, Sept. 8.—The most enthusiastic Liberal meeting ever held in the city of Kamloops left no doubt of the issue on September 14, after Mr. Brewster had concluded his address last night at the opera house in the interests of Frederick W. Anderson, the Liberal candidate.

There was unmistakable evidence on all hands that the people of Kamloops riding are weary beyond measure of Tory machine rule. The attitude of the crowd which thronged the hall was in striking contrast to that of impatient indifference which characterized the Bowser meeting in the same building on Monday last. Even Conservatives of long standing were in perfect accord that the premier's speech, while a passable piece of oratory, was not only barren of ideas but also lacked that ring of sincerity and masterful force of Mr. Brewster's oratory of what clean government means.

The convincing eloquence with which Mr. Brewster answered the petty slanders uttered by the Bowser party cooled round after round of applause from his auditors, who were satisfied that Mr. Brewster is the man to place at the helm if the province of British Columbia is to be delivered out of the chaos which now exists.

M. A. Macdonald, was in splendid fighting form and he riveted the attention of his audience from start to finish. He was a believer in short range firing, and although Vancouver was anxious to see himself and Mr. Bowser and the same platform, as yet there had been no acceptance on the part of the premier. He hoped, however, that a reply in the affirmative would yet be forthcoming from Mr. Bowser.

Candidate Spoke F. W. Anderson, Liberal candidate in Kamloops riding, in a recital of his four years of the constituency, expressed the opinion that the Bowser government would be severely whipped on September 14. Mr. Anderson supported the premier's desire for population and capital for British Columbia, but, said he, how could population be expected when misrepresentation to intending settlers was of such a nature that it at once discouraged settlement?

He was fully alive to the needs of the farmer, and it was his pledge to assist in the improvement of market conditions. The candidate dealt with the matter of irrigation, pointing out the need of proper storage of water as against the assemblage of useless engineering data. He deprecated the lumping of incidents in the public accounts, the cost of roadwork in particular coming in for much criticism. (Cries of "Thirty-dollars-a-day.")

Mr. Anderson concluded his remarks by replying to Mr. Bowser and his alleged discovery of political animus in the revelation on Monday past that the bridge over the South Thompson at Kamloops had been commenced in total disregard of the law governing navigable streams, and without the knowledge of the public works department at Ottawa.

Mr. Brewster, to whom was accorded a great ovation, championed the cause of the women folk and paid eloquent tribute to the marvellous self-sacrifice that the fair sex has contributed so willingly to the great end of prosecuting the war of humanity and democracy against brutal militarism.

The leader stated that he would much prefer to appear before his hearers to discuss the big broad issues that will confront the people of the province after the fourteenth of this month. Instead of that, however, in duty to himself and Mr. Macdonald he found it necessary to some extent to descend and reply to the petty things to which the premier of the province had thought fit to stoop.

"There is no phase of the plugging situation that I am not prepared to discuss on this or any other platform with the premier of this province," he said. "I will contribute \$100 to any patriotic society of this city if Mr. Bowser can prove that I said the lands of British Columbia were rotten."

With these two observations Mr. Brewster exhorted the audience to a process of checking the statements made in public by Mr. Bowser.

The long line of discoveries revealed in the investigations by himself and his colleagues were cited in contrast to the statements by the government press and speakers, that although the Liberals had had three months in which to make an excursion into the records, nothing had been found.

Mr. Brewster flayed the land policy of Mr. Ross, describing in forceful tones the situation as he had found it in northern British Columbia. The holding of land by the speculator in the fairest tracts of the province, at tremendously inflated prices, had provided this province with a situation from a land settlement point of view, pitiable to contemplate.

FERDINAND'S STEWARD MADE GALLANT EFFORT

Berlin, Sept. 8.—Watchful gendarmes at the Swiss border have foiled a gallant attempt by the faithful steward of King Ferdinand of Roumania's estates and personal property in Germany to get his master's valuables out of the country.

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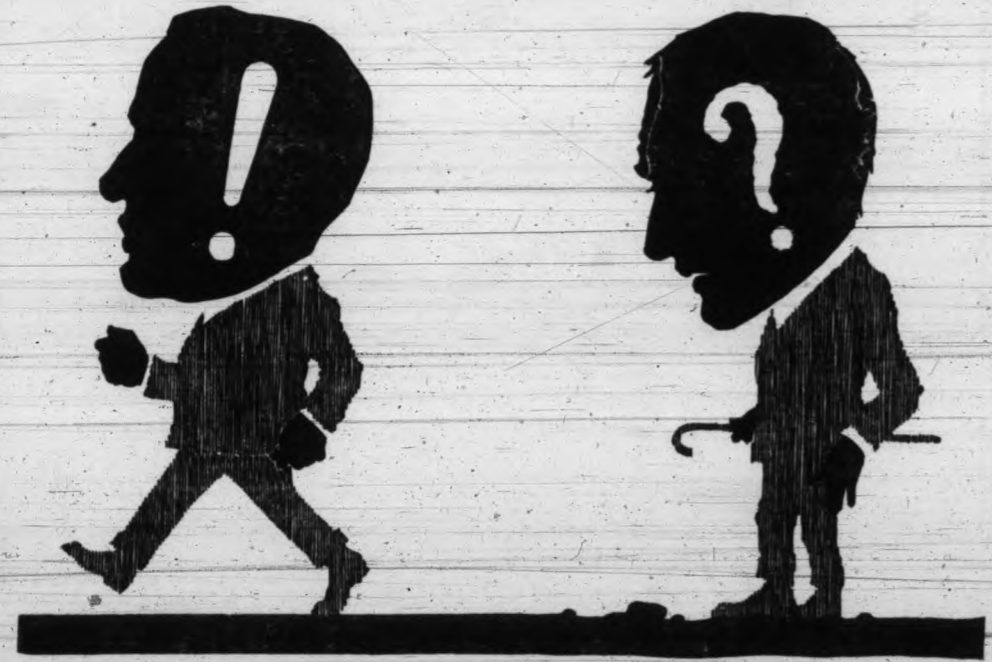
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YOUNG GERMANS FIGHTING.

London, Sept. 8.—Although the Germans have denied statements that men over 45 were being called upon, reports received here in American business circles from representatives in Switzerland assert that a large percentage of the 19-year-old class now is in the fighting line on the west front, and that others are in barracks, but that as yet the 18-year-old class is completing its training and living at home.

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CANADIAN FORCES ON SOMME FRONT

London, Sept. 8.—Mail just arrived shows that some Canadian newspapers considerably antedated the arrival of the Canadian forces on the Somme front. On the dates when described as participating in the severe fighting on the Somme front, they were still resting after Ypres.

U. S. COTTON CROP.

Washington, Sept. 8.—Cotton of the growth of 1916 ginned prior to Sept. 1 amounted to 850,032 bales, counting round as half bales, the census bureau announced to-day in its first ginning report of the season. That compares with 463,883 bales last year, 480,317 in 1914 and 799,099 in 1913.

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THE MINISTER'S CONVICTIONS.

Hon. Alex. Stewart says he never was a Liberal and never attended a Liberal meeting in the last ten or twelve years. There can be no doubt that Mr. Stewart never was a Liberal. He never would have joined a Bowser administration if he had been one. And he never was a Conservative either, for no true Conservative would join a Bowser ministry. At the same time we must remember the finance minister upon the dexterity with which he maintained his position on the fence. But if he had no convictions as between Liberalism and Conservatism he must have had them as between right and wrong. It is appropriate to ask him, therefore, how he can square them with the record of the government with which he has associated himself, how, for instance, he can approve of Mr. Bowser's dual relationship as attorney general and private solicitor for corporations seeking favors from the Government, the illegality admitted in connection with the Pacific Great Eastern and Dominion Trust, the alienation of millions of acres of land to speculators, the payment of fortunes to middlemen for transactions which should have been carried out by officials of the public service, the machine with its Welches and Prices, Mr. Ellison's venture in cows, Dr. Young's acceptance of stock from a company having business relations with the Government, and as an advocate of economy, how he can approve of the accumulation of deficits totaling \$22,000,000 and the expenditure in war time of two dollars for every dollar of revenue?

THOUGHT BETTER OF IT.

Congress has rejected the proposal to prohibit the admission of Pacific Coast fish to the United States through a foreign country except from an American port. A little reflection has opened its eyes to the folly of a course from which the United States would have suffered more than Canada. Not only could Canada have retaliated in regard to the Atlantic fisheries, but in many other respects the republic is so vulnerable to counter-measures that it is surprising that even an Oregon Senator should have proposed the embargo in the first instance. If the Chamberlain amendment had been accepted and Canada had retaliated in regard to the Atlantic fisheries, there would have been a loud howl from the New England states, the home of American financial, industrial and political influence. Certain deep sea fish for which those states form an eager, profitable market would have commanded famine prices, and this would have contributed considerably to the great unrest which is seething throughout the United States today. The Wilson administration would have discovered that it had lost more than it had gained by its policy of discriminating against British Columbia fisheries. The other amendments to the revenue act giving the president powers to use drastic measures against the allies at his own discretion were adopted. Needless to say, they will not be applied. The most material of all nations, which permits its government to be more concerned over the state of its trade than for the protection of the

lives of its citizens, is the last country on earth that might be expected to cut off commercial intercourse with two-thirds of the world. American trade with the allies is three or four times as great as it has been at any other period in history. We cannot imagine the Washington government deliberately stopping this traffic even for the sake of the German-American vote. One effect, of course, would be the diversion of commercial currents from American ports never to return, for the British Empire, France, Russia and their allied states between them are more than self-supporting. It may be shrewdly suspected that one purpose behind the drastic revenue amendment is the sidetracking of a renewal of German submarine activities against neutrals before the presidential election by encouraging in Berlin the prospect of an entanglement between the allies and the United States. In that case Germany would do nothing to spoil that prospect as she would see it. Were Germany to sink a neutral ship and destroy American lives President Wilson would be confronted with two unpleasant alternatives. He would either have to content himself with another note and make himself and his country ridiculous or there would have to be war, in which event his strongest election card—having kept his country out of the conflict—would disappear.

THE TROUBLE.

For years this province has been the plaything of political gamblers and spendthrifts who not only dissipated its capital but discounted its future. Since 1911 the government has spent \$700,000 against a revenue of \$54,000,000. The per capita outlay has been \$46.15 against \$8.10 for Alberta, \$6.20 for Saskatchewan, \$8.80 for Manitoba, \$4.49 for Ontario, \$4.07 for Quebec, \$4.22 for New Brunswick, \$4.26 for Nova Scotia and \$4.75 for Prince Edward Island. It will be noted that our per capita expenditure is almost ten times as great as that of Ontario or Quebec, each of which has a population of nearly 3,000,000, while that of British Columbia is less than a sixth as large. The government and its supporters assert that these enormous expenditures, mounting deficits and increasing burdens of debt were justified. But what has British Columbia to show for them? Of all the provinces of Canada none suffered from the depression which began three years ago more grievously than our own, yet none has been so generously endowed by nature. We have enormous resources of infinite variety; we have an unsurpassed climate; this is a maritime province. What has been, and is, the trouble? Why is it that New Brunswick's 4 1/2 per cent ten-year bonds yield ten points higher than the issues of this province, according to the statement of bond sales in the Monetary Times? The trouble is this: we are suffering from machine politics together with an administration whose political economy purely and simply is that of the gambler who plays recklessly with other people's money. The government budgets expenditures without regard to revenue in the hope that in some way or other Fate will intervene and redress the balance. Year after year this has been the ruling idea, and year after year the revenue, instead of increasing, has kept dropping, until today it is less than half the revenue of three years ago. Yet so firmly wedded is Mr. Bowser and his colleagues to the will-o'-the-wisp Chance that even at this time of the greatest crisis in the history of the world, when no man can estimate the economic and social problems the near future may hold, we are still courting disaster by spending two dollars for every dollar of revenue. We are told, in effect, that the present government cannot reduce its expenditure below \$15,000,000 no matter what happens, and never will be able to do so. If the revenue rebounds from its present level of \$5,400,000 well and good. If not, if it descends farther, what then? There is only one end to that policy in every sphere of activity. It is bankruptcy—the bankruptcy of the gambler who in the face of every warning continues to play a losing game. Let us use the Dominion Trust as an illustration of gambling finance with other people's money. Through improvident investments that company got into a hole. Large deficits developed; it could not realize on its speculative holdings for which it had paid enormous prices. Manipulation of trust funds was resorted to. The law was broken in order that deposits might be taken, only to be swallowed up in the company's crazy ventures. It was hoped that the market would turn and even matters up. Mr. Bowser among the rest thought the market would turn, and waiting for it to turn permitted the company to break the law and even allowed the passage of a bad law to keep this reckless plunging institution going with other people's money. The inevitable result was bankruptcy, the suicide of the manager and the ruin of hundreds of innocent victims. Mr. Bowser did not believe

that bankruptcy would be the end of the company of which he was the solicitor and of the nature of whose operations he must have been aware. His judgment was at fault. Nor has the fate of the Dominion Trust taught him anything in finance or improved his judgment, always notoriously unbound. He still believes in safe even in war time to spend two dollars of other people's money for every dollar of revenue. Is it? Let the average elector ask himself if he thinks his interests should be left to the mercy of Mr. Bowser's judgment for five more years.

"PREPOSTEROUS"

The morning paper says Mr. Brewster's contention that a person holding the office of attorney general should abandon private practice is preposterous, and adds that "the principle" is not recognized anywhere else in the world. This statement, of course, is untrue, but even if it were true we would be quite safe in challenging our contemporary to mention any other place in the British Empire or anywhere else in which an attorney general has complicated private practice with his official duty to the extent that the attorney general of British Columbia has. Mr. Bowser is not criticized for retaining his private practice in a general sense, so much as for acting as solicitor for interests seeking favors from himself as attorney general and premier of the province. This is a scandalous state of affairs without parallel anywhere else in the world. It betrays a most corrupt conception of public duty and has wrought a great deal of harm to the country.

Mr. Bowser is solicitor for the Pacific Great Eastern. That company has been in receipt of favors to the extent of millions from the government of which Mr. Bowser is now the head. It was overpaid \$7,000,000 in defiance of the law. Its promoters divided all the share capital among themselves in violation of the law. Mr. Bowser, as attorney general was bound by his oath of office to administer the law honestly and impartially. Whom did he serve in that instance? The public or the company of which he is the solicitor? Does our contemporary think Mr. Brewster's indignant opposition to this sort of thing preposterous?

Mr. Bowser is the solicitor for one of the subsidiary Mackenzie & Mann companies. The promoters of the Canadian Northern Pacific have been permitted to break their solemn covenant with the people of British Columbia time and again. Whom was Mr. Bowser, the man charged with the enforcement of that agreement, serving? The public or the company? Mr. Bowser was the solicitor for the Dominion Trust. That company enjoyed complete exemption from the law, passed to protect the public and a bad law was adopted to facilitate its plundering activities. Whom was Mr. Bowser serving, the Dominion Trust or the public? Indeed the attorney general figuratively held the public while the company sandbagged it. Would such a corrupt mixture of private profit with public duty be tolerated anywhere else in the British Empire? What a sordid admission of debauchery is implied even by the bare contention that such a thing is quite proper and that objection to it is preposterous! Mr. Bowser as attorney general waives the laws in the interests of his clients, the public must pay in millions for the performance, and we are told it is quite the correct thing and asked to tolerate it for five years more! It is hardly necessary to say that nine people out of ten in British Columbia are uncompromisingly opposed to the Premier's course in this respect.

Ex-Mayor Townley of Vancouver, who had entered the lists in the provincial elections as an independent Conservative, has withdrawn from the field. Mr. Townley probably reached this decision after noting the fate that has overtaken independents in all elections recently held, although he confesses that he was greatly influenced in his action by the advice of Sir Hibbert Tupper. At any rate he avers that Bowserianism has done more than any other agency to drag Conservatism in the dirt and that the common object of all who desire sincerely to advance the interests of the province can best be attained by throwing their support behind the Liberal candidates. As the Vancouver Sun says, commenting upon the ex-Mayor's action, "the one object of all thoughtful electors is, or should be, to finally separate British Columbia from Bowser misrule. The issue is clear and unambiguous, and any candidly which would have the effect of clouding it ever so slightly is not in the public interests at the present time. This is a solid and sane position to take and will no doubt meet with general approval."

Mr. Eberts says it is too soon to attempt to develop the iron and steel industry of Vancouver Island to which Mr. Pauline is devoting considerable attention in his addresses. And that would be the opinion of Mr. Eberts and his political friends twenty years hence

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if they were still in the running. And this is the same Mr. Eberts who charges his opponents with lack of faith in the future of the country. In his opinion it is too soon for Mr. Pauline even to whisper about encouraging the development of our iron and steel resources, but not too soon to accumulate \$22,000,000 in deficits, spend \$11,000,000 against a revenue of \$5,000,000, and present another \$6,000,000 to railroads, on behalf of whom the people of this province have assumed a contingent liability of \$80,000,000, and in one case are actually paying the interest charges.

The "All-Highest" evidently knows where to find Ferdinand the Fox, as he has sent him a letter of congratulation upon the capture of a Roumanian town. It is a long time since any of the kings of the central powers have had an excuse for exchanging congratulations upon any subject. If Ferdinand be a wise man he will refrain from returning the Hun chief's felicitations, because the Russians may be upon him any day and his empty throne may be kicked into the Danube.

It undoubtedly was an act of effrontery to hoist an American flag at the ceremony of the laying of the keel of a Canadian ship in a British country. What had the United States to do with the matter? Are Americans in the habit of extending such courtesies on similar occasions? Has the attitude of the United States in the great crisis which confronts Great Britain and her allies been such as to cause any particular reverence in the hearts of Canadians for the stars and stripes? We are informed that Mr. Pooley in his canvass for votes is deliberately breaking the eight hour day law, the half holiday law and the law which says, "six days shalt thou labor and do all thy work." The chief law officer of the crown should look into this matter. The candidate's health may suffer, although he is likely to have a long term of political idleness in which to recover from the effects of his excessive labors.

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OAK BAY AVENUE
Recommendation is Made Which May Solve Problem of Great Difficulty.
Renewing the effort which has been made from time to time this year with the object of reaching a settlement of the long standing trouble connected with the Oak Bay avenue resurfacing problem, Assistant City Engineer Foreman is making a recommendation to streets and sewers committee of council this afternoon. He proposes to abandon the futile attempt to bring the B. C. Electric railway to agree to relay their tracks, and to suggest the laying of two parallel strips of hard surface paving on either side of the track, each 12 feet 6 inches wide, so that automobile travel, outbound and inbound from the city could be diverted on separate travel routes. The macadam on the side would leave plenty of room for cars overtaking one another. The matter could be adjusted, which has hitherto appeared beyond settlement, by a small additional expense to that voted in the estimates. The work proposed this spring would have given a surface similar to that on Rockland avenue, at a cost of \$12,000, where the two strips of asphalt would involve an expenditure of \$14,000. A great deal of discussion is taking place in the city hall over the draft of the municipal officers by-law amendment by-law, which is now before the council. It will require much argument to persuade some of the subordinate officials that common justice is done them in its preparation, because as it stands there is no provision for an appeal to the council from dismissal by their superior officials without cause. The by-law might readily be redrafted to provide a clause of this character, being too drastic as it stands to-day. Apparently none of the members of the council appreciate what sweeping powers can be read into the measure. Even the engineer's by-law requires report of appointments, but apparently as it stands the council need not even be notified. The only function is to pay the salaries, according to the present draft. The city solicitor is at work on the broad by-law, which is to be introduced at an early meeting of the council. The draft by-law for the screening and protection of food exposed for sale is now in the hands of the health department officials for preparation. The sales of Noblemen Cigars have more than trebled during the past three months. Have you tried one lately?

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Ladies' Guild of St. John's Church.—The Ladies' Senior Guild of St. John's church will meet on Monday afternoon, Sept. 11, in the guild rooms at the church. A large attendance is earnestly desired.

Douglas Baptist Church.—"Is Prohibition God's Will?" is to be Rev. M. T. Habershon's subject for Sunday evening next. During the service the Ordinance of Believers' Baptism will be administered.

Choral Society.—The annual meeting of the Choral Society will be held on Tuesday evening, Sept. 19, at 8 o'clock in the Gideon Hicks Piano Co.'s store, opposite the post office. All members are requested to attend.

Saanich Prohibition Executive.—A meeting of the Saanich executive of the People's Prohibition Movement will be held in the I. O. G. T. hall, Wilkinson road, at 8 o'clock this evening. All members are urged to be present.

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Benefit Whist Drive.—The Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society will hold their fortnightly benefit whist drive on Wednesday evening, September 13, in the A. O. F. hall, Broad street. Prizes will be given, and all will be made welcome.

I. O. D. E. Tag Day.—A tag day in aid of the wool fund for the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E. field comforts will be held on Friday, September 15. Funds are urgently needed for providing wool to be knitted into socks and material to make into shirts to keep the men at the front warm and comfortably through the coming winter.

Victorian Order Nurses.—The regular monthly meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses was held on September 5 at 1804 Cook street, when reports for July and August were read. Mrs. Phipps presided, and there was a fairly good attendance of members. The nurse's report showed that during the two months 525 visits had been paid, and several donations of old linen were received with thanks.

Garden City Women's Institute.—The flower show committee and executive of the Garden City Women's Institute will hold a business meeting in the Institute room, Jasmine avenue, on Wednesday, September 13, at 2 p. m. sharp, to settle the business of the show. At 3 o'clock on the same afternoon, the prizes will be distributed and it is hoped all winners will be present at the above address.

Weekly Service.—The last of the illustrated lectures, which will prove a fitting close, not only to the series on the "Life of Christ," but also to Communion Sunday, will take place on Sunday at the First Presbyterian church. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the close of the morning service. The subject of the Sunday evening service will be "The Resurrection and Ascension; the Last Forty Days." There will be twelve slides by William Hole illustrating these days. Mrs. Macdonald Fahey will sing two solos.

Bands of Mercy.—The W. A. of the S. P. C. A. has for some time past been making arrangements for starting Bands of Mercy in Victoria. By consent of the school board large pledge cards will be placed in the rooms of all the schools and it is hoped that wherever possible the work will be assisted by parents, teachers, or guardians. The individual pledge cards can be taken up by all boys and girls under the age of 15 years. With the consent of parents or guardians and on payment of one cent the children will be enrolled as members of the Band of Mercy at the Blue Cross room, Belmont block, between the hours of 11 and 4.30, and till 1 p. m. on Saturdays.

More Teams for Shooting.—At the garden fete to be held to-morrow afternoon at Mrs. Dolg's, under the auspices of the Navy League Chapter, I. O. D. E., there will be four additional teams in the rifle competition which has been arranged by Miss Tobin. These are as follows: A team of returned soldiers, a team from the Mount Talmie University Cadet Corps, a High School and City Cadet Corps, and a team from the Victoria Volunteer Reserve. Mrs. Elgee is getting together a ladies' team, which will probably compete with a handicap, with one of the men's teams which are entering. In addition to the prizes listed elsewhere Messrs. Lang & Co. have given a soldiers' pocket-folding air-pillow in waterproof case.

King's Daughters.—There was a fair attendance at the meeting of the King's Daughters held on September 6. Mrs. Hardie, the district secretary, presided. Reports read showed that the work was going on much the same as usual, and on Wednesday alone fifty-four girls made use of the rooms as a luncheon room. During the summer months the order maintained the work as usual, the number of girls who made use of the hall testifying to the great and continued need that there is for the work. Donations have been very welcome, the Red Cross workers of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church among others having helped. All the help is voluntary on the part of the King's Daughters, and during the coming winter it is hoped to let the hall either for afternoon or evening use to any organizations who may require such a place for their meetings. The problem of ways and means is confronting the King's Daughters, and the financial help which the rental of the rooms would give would assist materially in the work.



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Rev. J. H. White, chairman of the mission board, accompanied by Rev. Coverdale Watson, left to-day on a drive to Cowichan, Maple Bay, Chemainus and other points of the Mission. The visit is an official one. Rev. Mr. Watson going to show Mr. White where the work is located. The Walla Walla, on her last trip, used all her coal, when delayed in a fog off Cape Flattery, and had to use the coal from the cargo to keep the furnaces going.

At the Board of Trade meeting yesterday afternoon reference was made to the unsatisfactory communications between the city and Comox.

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MEETINGS AND ENTERTAINMENTS

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Digging Taters?—Potato forks, \$1.40, \$1.50, \$1.99, at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 1302 Douglas St.

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Ceased to Do Business.—The Franklin Automobile Co. has ceased to transact business in the province.

Change of Lodge Name.—The Benevolent Protective Order of Beavers has changed its name to Universal Brotherhood.

Timber Sale.—The chief forester is calling for tenders for the purchase of timber license, 3653, under which may be cut 1,023,000 feet of fir, cedar and hemlock, and 5,120 lineal feet of poles, on an area adjoining Ramsay Arm.

Dissolution of Partnership.—The B. C. Gazette this week contains notice of the dissolution of the partnership existing between Frank W. Stevenson and Walter H. Murphy as stock-brokers under the firm name of F. W. Stevenson & Co. The business is being carried on under the old name by Mr. Stevenson.

Annual Meeting of P. G. E.—The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway Company will be held in the head offices of the company, Belmont House, Government street, on Wednesday, September 29, at ten o'clock. There should be no difficulty in accommodating the shareholders, and there is not likely to be any difference of opinion among them, as they are Foley, Welsh & Stewart, D'Arcy Tate, K. C. and their immediate associates.

Damaged Fruit Trees.—Five boys came before Magistrate Jay in the Esquimalt police court yesterday on the charge of wilful damage to a fruit tree, the property of W. J. Cave, of Eberly street, Esquimalt. They were proved guilty and were lectured severely by the magistrate, and told that a repetition of the offence would oblige him to send them away to an industrial home. Knappett Brothers were convicted of driving a car at a speed exceeding fifteen miles an hour and were fined \$15. E. Stock, of Bakeries, Ltd., was fined \$5 for leaving a horse untied.

Provincial Appointments.—Provincial appointments gazetted to-day are: Arthur C. Moore, Edmonds, to be a justice of the peace; Olof Hanson, Prince Rupert, to be a notary public; Dr. Ernest H. S. McLean, Revelstoke, to be resident physician and medical health officer at Nakusp and health inspector of schools for a number of school districts along the Arrow Lakes; Peter H. McCurrach, Greenwood, to be a commissioner for taking affidavits within the province; Arthur St. Clair Brindle, Trout Lake, to be acting mining recorder for Trout Lake division, acting deputy mining recorder for Alnsworth division, and acting deputy registrar of the county court of West Kootenay.

New Companies.—Certificates of incorporation have been granted to the following during the week: H. M. Ellis, Limited, Vancouver, capital, \$50,000; Main and Eastern Land Company, Limited, Victoria, \$200,000; Princess May Hydraulic Mining Company, Limited (Non-Personal Liability), Vancouver, \$25,000; Saanich Securities, Limited, Vancouver, \$10,000. The Prince Rupert Rowing and Yachting Club has been incorporated under the Benevolent Societies act. Extra-provincial companies which have been granted provincial registration are Donohoe Mines Corporation, Seattle; Empire Cream Separator Company, Limited, Portland; Leo Mining Company, Spokane; Willamette Iron and Steel Works, Portland.

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Saanich Roll of Honor.—The roll of honor for the men who have enlisted from the municipality of Saanich, is now being prepared. Those who have not sent in the names of relatives or friends are asked to do so as soon as possible, stating rank and regiment.

Local Council of Women.—There will be a meeting of the Local Council of Women on Monday at 2.30, in the Y. W. C. A.

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The announcement is made by the Victoria and District Red Cross that Emerson Abernethy, the well known baritone who has recently returned to Vancouver after eight years spent in London, Milan and Paris, has kindly offered to give a recital in aid of the Canadian Red Cross Society on Thursday evening, September 28, in the ballroom of the Empress hotel. Music-loving people in Victoria may look forward to a great treat. Mr. Abernethy has not yet been heard here, but several Victoria people have heard him in Vancouver, where he has sung on several occasions, notably in the late autumn of last year when he gave a recital at the Hotel Vancouver, which won him favorable criticism on all sides. Mr. Abernethy left Vancouver nine years ago to study at the Royal Academy of Music, London, where he studied under Signor Moretti, the teacher of Signor Zambello among others. After two years Mr. Abernethy went to Italy, studying for two years with Signor Sabatini, one of the most noted exponents of the Italian school of voice-production. From Italy he went to Paris, and from Paris to Germany, finally returning once more to England. For the past year, since his return from the old land, he has been teaching in Vancouver. His repertoire in Italian, French and English includes some of the finest things in modern and classic music. His programme for the concert which he is to give here has not yet been announced, but will be published in the course of a few days. Tickets will then be placed on sale at the Red Cross headquarters, Temple building, also at the Superfluous shop, Belmont block; and at Fletcher Brothers' music store.

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HAD RECORD MONTH

Superfluous Branch Remitted \$1,110.06 to Red Cross Society During August.

The Superfluous branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society has handed a further cheque for \$1,110.06 to the headquarters branch of the society in Victoria, this making a total of \$1,110.06 that has been remitted by the Superfluous during the month of August. This makes the record month. The committee claim that they can do even better if they get more goods. The charm of the shop is the variety of gifts that are for sale. For instance, yesterday Mrs. Heben Gillespie presented a large consignment of muslin-of-the-valley bills, which were sold by the hundreds during the morning. People are reminded that superfluous are urgently needed. Like Oliver Twist they "want more."

The following is the statement of the August receipts and expenditures: Receipts: Daily sales \$1,110.06; Expenditure: Telephone \$3.50; Postage 1.25; Wrapping paper 4.64; Liquid veneer 2.50; Remitted to Red Cross Society 1,110.06; Total \$1,118.79

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.

D. B. Grant, of Ladner, is at the Dominion.

T. Tregurrow, of Toronto, is at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. Nina Varner, of Sequim, Wash., is at the Dominion.

Miss E. Norris, of Toronto, is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

Mrs. D. MacEachern, of Vancouver, is at the Dominion hotel.

C. Longhurst, of Vancouver, is staying at the Empress hotel.

Norman Phinney, of Vernon, B. C., is at the Strathcona hotel.

Alex. Campbell, of Sooke, is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Mrs. Inglis and son, of Chemainus, are guests at the Dominion.

Mrs. W. C. Nichol, of Vancouver, is a guest at the Empress hotel.

Miss E. Mackenzie, of Vancouver, is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

J. H. Good and Mrs. Good, of Nanaimo, are staying at the Dominion.

A. E. Geddes and Mrs. Geddes, of Nanaimo, are at the Dominion hotel.

Postmaster R. G. Macpherson, of Vancouver, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bellhouse, of Galiano island, are at the Strathcona.

Wm. Marshall and Mrs. Marshall, of Union Bay, are guests at the Dominion.

H. A. Brooks is down from Shaysnig lake, and is staying at the Dominion.

H. B. Chadwick and family are registered at the Dominion from Edmonton.

James Pinkey and Mrs. Pinkey, of Bellingham, are registered at the Dominion.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart K. Taylor, of Mobile, have arrived at the Empress hotel.

C. Hansen and Mrs. Hansen, of Seattle, are registered at the Dominion hotel.

Yesterday's arrivals at the Dominion include J. G. Cooley and Mrs. Cooley, of Manila.

J. H. Brandon and Mrs. Brandon, of Fenelon Falls, Ont., are registered at the Dominion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller, of Little Rock, Ark., arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

Margaret T. Ryan and Orva E. Ryan, of New York city, are registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Mrs. J. McDougall and Miss McDougall, of James Island, are guests at the Dominion hotel.

Miss Ashton, of Ganges, Salt Spring island, is in the city, and is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

W. G. Bell, W. Babcock and J. E. M. Gule, of Vancouver, are guests at the Strathcona hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. U. M. Higgins, of Anchorage, Alaska, registered at the Empress hotel yesterday.

H. H. Cresswell, of Cowichan station, and Mr. and Mrs. Hilton, of Sidney, are guests at the James Bay hotel.

Edward Salt has arrived from Toronto on a business trip, and is making the Strathcona hotel his headquarters.

Stirling Beck, son of William Beck, of this city, left yesterday to take up a position with the Bank of Toronto at Richards, Alberta.

Mrs. C. Whittel and H. E. Neelands, of Nelson, are visiting the coast cities, and are making the Dominion hotel their headquarters while in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Quakabush, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Lerch and Mrs. H. H. Young are a motoring party from Portland, Ore., who have been touring the Georgian circuit, and are guests at the Strathcona hotel.

Miss Martha and Miss Minnie Schmelz arrived from Seattle last Sunday, accompanied by their mother, Mrs. C. Schmelz, who had spent several weeks' vacation with them, and also visited many friends in Seattle. The Misses Schmelz returned to Seattle on Labor Day.

Captain John Bentley, the well-known prospector of Vancouver island mineral deposits, has just returned from Seattle, where he has practically concluded negotiations for the disposal of the Wolf creek property and the Violet group, to the Gold Hill Shoshone Mining Company of Alaska, of which Dr. A. R. Balpd is an officer.

At St. Saviour's church, Victoria West, a marriage was solemnized on Wednesday evening by Rev. Robert Connell, the principals being Miss M. McKelvey, of Bellaghy, Londonderry, Ireland, and Mr. J. Crossman, of Lant-y-Park, County Durham, England. The bride was attended by Miss E. Painter, and the best man was Mr. T. Crossman.

St. George's church, Vancouver, was the scene of an interesting wedding last Saturday, when Lella Mary, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Denton, of Vancouver, and Mr. Harry Frederick Bishop, manager of the Fort street branch of the Royal Bank of Canada, Victoria, were joined in marriage by

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Rev. H. Jackson. The bridesmaid was Miss Bessie Gilbert, and Mr. N. F. Denton, brother of the bride, was the best man. Mr. and Mrs. Bishop are spending their honeymoon at the Empress hotel, and will shortly take up their residence at 1055 Belmont avenue, this city.

A quiet wedding was celebrated at 3:45 yesterday afternoon at the Bishop's Palace, View street, when Dorothy M. Wevsouth and Mr. Gordon Evans were united in marriage by Father MacDonald. The bride wore a chic military tailored suit of violet lady's cloth, richly trimmed with black fox. She also wore a white toque and veil, and her corsage bouquet was of white bride's roses, white sweet peas and maiden hair ferns. She was attended by Miss Myrtle A. Starrett, who wore a tailored suit of white and black pencil striped serge, a white ostrich bon, and a large black picture hat. In the corsage was pinned a bouquet of mauve sweet peas. The best man was Mr. Harry S. Hughes. The bride was a popular nurse at St. Joseph's hospital, and a large number of the nurses from that institution assembled to witness the ceremony. The bridegroom is the first officer of the D. G. S. Estevan, and is a native of London, England. Mr. and Mrs. Evans left on the 4:30 boat for a trip to Seattle and the Sound cities. On their return they will make their home at 1531 Bay street.

A charming wedding took place in St. Andrew's cathedral yesterday morning at 7:15 o'clock when Mabel Pearl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Rivers, of 510 Pandora street, and Mr. Alexander Kerr MacDonald, also of this city, were joined in marriage. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father MacDonald, who celebrated the nuptial mass which followed in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends of the young couple. The bride entered the church leaning on the arm of her father, who gave her away. She was attired in a beautiful tailored traveling costume of fawn-colored ladies' cloth, richly trimmed with pink satin, and wore a big picture hat to match. Attending her was her sister, Mrs. Oliver, who wore a tailored suit of brown cloth with hat to match. The best man was Mr. William Rivers, a brother of the bride. The altar was brilliantly illuminated, and choice cut flowers ornamented the chancel rail. After the service at the church a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, 510 Pandora street, where a large number of relatives and friends assembled to offer congratulations and best wishes to the young couple. The bridesmaid's gifts from the bridegroom was a beautiful cameo pendant, while the best man received a gentleman's gold ring. Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald received many handsome presents. They left on the 8 o'clock train for an extended tour of the island, and on their return will make their home at the Normandie Apartments, Cook street. The bride was a popular member of the B. C. Telephone staff, and the bridegroom is engaged in the insurance business here in the city.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 46; wind, 10 miles S. W.; weather, fair.

New Hazelton—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 55; rain.

Temperature.	Max. Min.
Grand Forks	70 ..
Pentlton	74 ..
Port Hope	72 ..
Nelson	72 ..
Prince George	66 ..
Calgary	70 ..
Edmonton	68 ..
Qu Appelle	74 ..
Winnipeg	74 ..
Toronto	67 ..
Ottawa	62 ..
Montreal	78 ..
St. John	68 ..
Halifax	70 ..

Victoria Daily Weather. Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m. Thursday.

Temperature.	Max. Min.
Highest	66
Lowest	49
Average	57
Minimum on grass	49
Bright sunshine	4 minutes.
General state of weather	cloudy.

WEEKLY WEATHER REPORT.

Victoria—Observatory.

From Aug. 29 to Sept. 5, 1916. Victoria—Total amount of bright sunshine, 49 hours and 15 minutes; rain, 37 inch; highest temperature, 66 on 1st and 5th; lowest, 49 on 20th and 21st.

Vancouver—Total amount of bright sunshine, 35 hours and 48 minutes; rain, 36 inch; highest temperature, 76 on 21st; lowest, 53 on 5th.

Kamloops—Total amount of bright sunshine, 45 hours and 42 minutes; rain, 23 inch; highest temperature, 52 on 21st; lowest, 36 on 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

New Westminster—Rain, 36 inch; highest temperature, 73 on 21st; lowest, 52 on 1st.

Grand Forks—No rain; highest temperature, 59 on 20th; lowest, 46 on 2nd.

Port Hope—Highest temperature, 57 on 20th; lowest, 40 on 20th and 21st.

Barkerville—Rain, 39 inch; highest temperature, 72 on 20th; lowest, 36 on 4th.

Prince Rupert—Rain, 32 inch; highest temperature, 70 on 21st; lowest, 48 on 26th and 5th.

New Hazelton—Rain, 58 inch; highest temperature, 73 on 20th; lowest, 41 on 26th and 21st.

Prince George—Rain, 37 inch; highest temperature, 77 on 20th; lowest, 38 on 26th.

Atlin—No rain; highest temperature, 72 on 21st; lowest, 36 on 3rd.

Townson—No rain; highest temperature, 74 on 20th and 21st; lowest, 32 on 26th and 4th.

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ROYAL VICTORIA.
"The Woman's Law," which is the attraction at the Royal Victoria for the last three days of this week is decidedly a picture with a punch. In point of dramatic power and gripping situations it is a better picture than the Royal has shown in a long time. It is the kind of picture that makes you hold tight to the arms of your chair and thrill with expectation. More could not be asked of any film. Florence Reed, the beautiful emotional actress, is seen to great advantage, the play and the acting making an invincible combination. A Pathé Gazette and a good comedy round out the balance of a programme that is well worth seeing.

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How to avoid Operations

These Three Women Tell How They Escaped the Dreadful Ordeal of Surgical Operations.

Hospitals are great and necessary institutions, but they should be the last resort for women who suffer with ills peculiar to their sex. Many letters on file in the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., prove that a great number of women after they have been recommended to submit to an operation have been made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Here are three such letters. All sick women should read them.

Marinette, Wis.—"I went to the doctor and he told me I must have an operation for a female trouble, and I hated to have it done as I had been married only a short time. I would have terrible pains and my hands and feet were cold all the time. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and was cured, and I feel better in every way. I give you permission to publish my name because I am so thankful that I feel well again."
—Mrs. FRANK BENNETT, Marinette, Wis.

Detroit, Mich.—"When I first took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was so run down with female troubles that I could not do anything, and our doctor said I would have to undergo an operation. I could hardly walk without help so when I read about the Vegetable Compound and what it had done for others I thought I would try it. I got a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and a package of Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash and used them according to directions. They helped me and today I am able to do all my work and I am well."
—Mrs. THOS. DWYER, 989 Milwaukee Ave., East, Detroit, Mich.

Bellevue, Pa.—"I suffered more than tongue can tell with terrible bearing down pains and inflammation. I tried several doctors and they all told me the same story, that I never could get well without an operation and I just dreaded the thought of that. I also tried a good many other medicines that were recommended to me and none of them helped me until a friend advised me to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. The first bottle helped, I kept taking it and now I don't know what it is to be sick any more and I am picking up in weight. I am 20 years old and weigh 145 pounds. It will be the greatest pleasure to me if I can have the opportunity to recommend it to any other suffering woman."
—Miss HELEN FROELICHER, 1923 Manhattan St., North Side, Bellevue, Pa.

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man's province. By degrees this meaning was extended to include the management of the state. The French attach a dignified meaning to the word, using it to describe the careful and judicious use of any force or substance in the whole of the natural world; any product, any human ability or quality. Efficiency in mind, body and estate is the desideratum of the British nation to-day, and this was surely the time to adopt the larger meaning of the word. Extravagance in health and ability should be checked. Work, perseverance, co-operation, education, all characteristics of the race, should be promoted through the women's institutes, the writer urged.

The high quality of British Columbia fruit is one of the claims made by R. M. Winslow for the support which he asks from the housewives of Western Canada. Money paid out for foreign fruit went out of Canada. Housewives should insist that their grocers supply British Columbia fruit.

The publication contains also quarterly reports of the Vancouver Island and mainland women's institutes and a few words on the status and special work of each; a statement of the British Columbia branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, a short article on the preservation of fruits without sugar, hints for housewives, etc. The annual meeting of the Women's Institutes is taking place in Victoria on October 12-14.

SUCCESS OF A NEW REMEDY FOR BACKACHE, KIDNEYS, RHEUMATISM.

Dear Mr. Editor—I suffered for years with backache. Last March I tried "Anurie" and have used this new kidney medicine recently discovered by Dr. Pierce, and it was wonderful. The way it eased the pain and gave me relief in such a short time. I have tried several medicines, but "Anurie" is the only one that gave satisfaction. I feel it my duty to recommend "Anurie Tablets" to any one who suffers as I did.
(Signed) Mrs. MARGARET E. SNIDER.

NOTICE: Folks in town and adjoining counties are delighted with the results they have obtained by using "ANURIC," the newest discovery of Dr. Pierce, who is head of the "INVALIDS' HOTEL and SURGICAL INSTITUTE," in Buffalo, N. Y. Those who started the day with a backache, stiff legs, arms and muscles, and an aching head (worn out before the day began because they were in and out of bed half a dozen times at night) are appreciating the perfect rest, comfort and new strength they obtained from Dr. Pierce's Anurie Tablets. To prove that this is a certain uric acid solvent and conquers rheumatism, kidney and bladder diseases and rheumatism, if bladder disease and rheumatism cut this out and send ten cents to Doctor Pierce for a large sample package. This will prove to you that "Anurie" is thirty-seven times more active than lithia in eliminating uric acid—and the most perfect kidney and bladder corrector. If you are a sufferer, go to your best druggist and ask for a 50-cent box of "Anurie." You run no risk for Dr. Pierce's good name stands behind this wonderful new discovery as it has for the past half century for his "Golden Medical Discovery," a general tonic made from roots with pure glycerine which makes the blood pure, his "Fenwick's Prescription" for weak women and "Pleasant Pellets" for liver ills.

PRIZES FOR SHOOTING AT GARDEN FETE

Contest at To-morrow's Navy League Chapter Function Should Prove Interesting

In connection with the garden fete to be held on Saturday at the residence of Mrs. David Deig at the address of Mrs. David Deig Chapter, I. O. O. F., and in aid of the Sailors' Fund, there is to be a rifle competition, of which several particulars have already appeared. Mrs. D. Deig, regent of the chapter, has donated the following prizes for the winning team: Two boxes of choice cigars, a handsome tobacco pouch (leather), 2 pocket electric flash lights and cigarette cases combined, 2 steel shaving mirrors in cases. Messrs. Morris have presented a handsome pipe in a case to go to one of the other eight men of the winning team.

There will be a competition open to all-comers also, and for this boxes of cigars have been donated by Mrs. El. G. Mrs. Hickey, Mrs. Gibson (of York Place), and Mrs. H. Shanley. Also a case of cigarettes by Messrs. Kelly, Douglas & Co., a pair of chickens by Messrs. Goddard & Sons, a box of cigars by Messrs. F. R. Stewart & Co., a pair of turkeys by Messrs. P. Burns & Co., and a pair of chickens by Messrs. Lock & Sons, of Esquimalt.

The tacket team prizes are a handsome wrist watch by Mrs. Guy Langton, an electric flashlight by Mrs. Mortimer Appleby, a boy's pocket knife in case, by Drake Hardware Co., and other prizes which will be listed later. There is to be a tennis tournament at the garden fete. Ladies and mixed doubles will be played off. There will also be fortune-telling, touch-and-take booth, an Aunt Sally, coconut shies, ice-cream and candy, afternoon tea, etc.

The following programme has been arranged by the convener, Mrs. Deig, for the evening's entertainment in the garden, which will be illuminated. The concert commences at 8 o'clock and will be interspersed with magic lantern pictures by Howard Chapman.

QUARTERLY NOW OUT

Women's Institutes Publication Contains Many Matters of General and Special Interest.

The Women's Institute Quarterly, the fourth to be published, has just been put into circulation by the Department of Agriculture. As usual it contains much that is of special interest to the institutes throughout the province as well as matter that has a general appeal at the present time. Notable among the articles of the latter order is that by Miss A. Ravenhill, of Shawanigan Lake, a member of the advisory board, under the caption "Economy and Efficiency," a reproduced article on "Children's Rights," by Archdeacon Gedy, of Terrace, and a brief appeal to the patriotic housewives of Western Canada to use British Columbia fruit, by R. M. Winslow, provincial horticulturist and secretary of the B. C. Fruit Growers' Association.

The meaning of economy is explained by Miss Ravenhill. The word, she points out, was coined some three thousand years ago by the Greeks to describe the wise management of a household, always peculiarly a woman's province.

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F. A. PAULINE ANSWERS SOME PERSONALITIES

Elaborates Policy at Meeting at Oak Bay; Alexis Martin Speaks

The early speakers at the meeting last night at the Oak Bay theatre spoke most flatteringly of the integrity and ability of F. A. Pauline, the Liberal candidate for the Saanich district. Mr. Pauline, on rising, stated that if he were fortunate enough to be elected he would try to reach the high standard which had been set for him by the previous speakers. He would give the best of his ability and effort to serving them.

His opponent, Mr. Eberts, had introduced personalities into the campaign, said Mr. Pauline. Up to the time of the Conservative candidate's first meeting he had held three gatherings, yet he had never mentioned Mr. Ebert's name. Once he was told, however, that whenever Mr. Eberts got cold feet he always turned on the rancidness of his ancestral tree in order to get warmed up.

Twice Mr. Eberts had charged him with being a director of the Dominion Trust Company, and each time he had had to take it back. Now he says that he was a member of the advisory committee, and that was true. The duty of that committee was to pass on applications for loans, and had nothing whatever to do with the general management of the branch office.

Many of the acts of the present government which were passed at the last session of the legislature would be beneficial if they were enforced. That was the difficulty. The present government did not enforce the laws. The Dominion Trust had been enforced, and at least part of the investments of the people would have been saved.

"I believe in Mr. Brewster as a competent leader. I believe him to be an honest and upright man. I am convinced that under his leadership Liberals will bring back a measure of prosperity to the country. One of the factors in that prosperity is public confidence. This would be restored with the establishment of the advisory committee," he said. He asked all who valued the present government to come out on election day and vote for the men who would support Mr. Brewster, and for those who had the time to offer their services to help on election day. Nothing should be left undone for the future was bound up in the action which would be taken on that day.

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have also donated a bed, and there are rumors of several trade unions and other bodies who wish to subscribe to this special object, which has made an immense appeal to the sympathies of the public. The Convalescent Women's Institute at Duncan have paid for a cot in the hospital, as has also the Lady Douglas Chapter of the I. O. O. F., whose good example will no doubt be emulated by other branches of the order. A full list of donors of cots will be published as soon as the remaining beds have been taken up.

GREAT OPENING FOR FACTORIES IN JAPAN

Local Financier Returns From Establishing Plant in Kobe

Passengers from the Orient on the Inaba Maru, which berthed this morning included Mr. and Mrs. J. Breddell. Mr. Breddell, who has a residence at Oak Bay, is well known in the city, and has extensive interests in other parts of the country.

His business has been to open up a marine specialties and varnish plant with influential Japanese interests, of a passive character, in Kobe, Japan, and to place in charge a local man, T. Hayward. "In that line of business," he told the Times, "there has been a considerable opening for some years, and an opportunity for development exists which ought to be taken advantage of."

"Industrial enterprises operated by foreigners in Japan, it is true, are not regarded with particular favor by that section of the Japanese public which is welded to the insular ideas of past ages. There is often found the tendency to use inferior articles, if of native manufacture, rather than imported goods, simply because of a desire to foster Japanese industries. That attitude of insularism has to be overcome by the foreign business man who desires to work up a connection in the Orient, particularly in Japan.

"Business in Japan is very active just now, and everybody seems to be doing well. New manufacturing plants are opened up making goods formerly imported from England, and European firms are also opening up manufacturing plants in Japan in order to save the duty on their articles. Among these may be mentioned: Lever Brothers, of England, who have commenced a large soap manufacturing plant in Kobe, employing over 700 Japanese. This plant is also in entire control of Europeans. The cost of labor in Japan, as a workman there obtains only 10 sen (about 25 cents) of money per day. Women and girls received 20 sen (10 cents) per day, which would make a considerable difference in the payroll of 700 employees. In this way the cost of production is so small that they can compete with the manufacturer in his home country.

"In the past summer the heat in Kobe has been terrific, and the thermometer has registered between 90 and 100 degrees daily, with the same temperature at night, which makes sleep almost impossible. Humidity is over 90 degrees continually. Cholera cases are quite numerous, over 1,000 cases being reported in Osaka and Kobe, and other places of that section of Japan.

"The ammunition plants, four in number, which are all operated by the government, are working night and day manufacturing shells of all sizes, and guns for the Russian armies, shipping the same by the trans-Siberian railway.

Mr. Breddell will remain here for a short time, leaving shortly for New York, where he will winter, returning in the spring to enjoy the beautiful climate.

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The equipment of beds for the Canadian Red Cross Convalescent hospital at Ramsgate is progressing satisfactorily. One-half of the fifty beds reserved for the Victoria branch have already been subscribed. Up to the present the Cloverdale sub-committee holds the record, having turned in the sum of \$250 to the Victoria district headquarters to cover the cost of three beds for the Cloverdale branch committee, and two individual donations, one to be known as the "Tolmie" bed, and one as the "Valentine Duke" bed. Members of the Victoria fire brigade

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factured state at the rate of one hundred tons per day. This million and a half was but a bagatelle to what the government had squandered without getting any return for it.

The iron deposits were not confined to any one district although there were rich deposits at Renfrew, where the Bugaboo claims are located. Mr. Eberts had made fun of the iron and steel proposals and had declared them a bugaboo. At first he said it would take from six to seven millions to establish iron and steel works. The proposal might be raised to ten million. Mr. Pauline asked the people to excuse his opponent, however, even if he was a few millions off, because legal gentlemen were never strong on figures and they could understand that it was because they seldom had any money of their own and therefore could not appreciate the action of those who had earned it. "What would the lawyers do," he asked, "if it were not for those who worked and earned money?"

"Most of the industries of the country are in the hands of alien labor," declared the speaker, "and some of it is very undesirable alien labor. What we should do would be to establish permanent industries which would employ British workmen and provide work for the soldiers when they return. Mr. Bowser says he would provide the returned soldier with a piece of land near Fort George or in the Arctic Circle. I think that when they return after having fought our battles for us we should offer them something better than that."

Dealing with the question of all-rail connection with the mainland they said that it would not be necessary to build a bridge across the Seymour Narrows. Just above the narrows there was still water where a ferry could operate with ease, and in less than half an hour a train could be transferred from one side to the other. This was nothing like as wide as some of the ferries that were in operation on main lines of railway of this continent. With all-rail connection with the mainland they would be able to develop the island as much in ten years as it would otherwise take one hundred years to accomplish.

Law-Not Enforced.
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SIAMESE TEAKWOOD Party Arrives From Bangkok on Inaba Maru To-day En Route East.

Among the arrivals on the Inaba Maru this morning were Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Messenger and Mrs. Linton, Mrs. Messenger's mother, Mr. Messenger is on his way to Boston, where he goes to resume an appointment at Harvard University.

For the past year he has been in Bangkok, Siam, studying the teak industry in connection with a British firm of long standing. The trees are "ringed" in the forest, periodically, and these years after ringing are felled, being dragged by elephant teams to watercourses for floating down to Bangkok.

TWO MONTHS' WORK. Representative of Warner & Swasey Here to Install Spanish Instrument.

The instrument at the Spanish observatory should be installed in about two months, according to George A. Decker, of Cleveland, who arrived here on Monday to superintend construction on behalf of the contracting firm, Warner & Swasey.

Mr. Decker finds the hill visited already every day by a number of tourists, and says there is no doubt that the observatory will prove of the highest value from this aspect alone.

TENNIS AT GARDEN FETE. Tournament Has Been Arranged and Plays Will Begin at 1.30.

One of the many interesting features of the garden fete to be held by the Navy League Chapter, I. O. D. E., at the residence of the regent, Mrs. D. Mosig, 1127 Fairfield road, is the tennis tournament which is being arranged by Miss Long and Miss Appleby.

The players have been drawn in two groups, and the draw is as follows: 1.30-Group 1, mixed doubles, Mrs. and Mr. Cline; Miss Long and Miss Powell; Mrs. Rickaby and Mr. Davies.

Those who remember the part played by Walter Congreve at the Battle of Colenso, in South Africa, will regret to know that his son, Major William Congreve, has just been killed in the present war.

Mr. Justice Martin officiated at yesterday's ceremony on Songhees Reserve. "This keel I declare well and truly laid and I hope that she will long plough the main to the pride and glory of her owners."

THIRD KEEL LAID IN LOCAL SHIPYARDS

Mr. Justice Martin officiated at yesterday's ceremony on Songhees Reserve.

Among those present on the platform with Mr. Justice Martin were Mr. Justice McPhillips, Hon. Alex. Stewart, Senator Macdonald, Aldermen Walker and Dilworth, Messrs. J. L. Beckwith, C. H. Lugin, H. B. Thomson, Herbert Cuthbert, R. H. Pooley, H. W. Brown, William Agnew, W. J. Shortt, L. U. Conyers, Wallace, Stevens, William Turpel, Joseph Wilson, Thos. Sorby, Leonard Tait, R. Hayward and J. O. Cameron.

The laying of the keel was marked by a most significant incident which aroused not a little comment from spectators assembled on the grounds. For the benefit of the speakers and prominent citizens who had been invited to take an active part in the keel-laying ceremony, a platform was erected at the head of the big stick of timber. This was gaily decorated with flags, the base being draped with the British ensign, while the American flag and the Australian flag occupied much prominence on either side of the door at the rear of the platform.

No explanation of the act was made, but the impression soon gained ground that strong objection had been made to the prominence given to the American flag which loomed up in bold relief in the background.

This most unusual and unexplained flag incident was the subject of much comment among the large number of spectators assembled at the shipyards while the actual keel-laying ceremony was in progress.

On being introduced by J. O. Cameron, Mr. Justice Martin stated that ever since shipbuilding had been discussed on this coast he had taken a great interest in the matter. The subject was one in which he thought the whole province and Dominion were interested. He felt that the time would come when the Dominion would do something to encourage the shipbuilding industry.

After quoting statistics showing the tonnage building in the United States and Japan, the speaker complimented Mr. Cameron and his associates on the good work that they had started in the development of the shipbuilding industry here. He hoped that the keels laid in the local shipyards would be the forerunners of many others.

The outstanding feature of the gathering of representative of the interests affected by the tourist travel to this part of the world, which was held at Seattle, was the realization that this business was one of the most important factors in the progress and development of any community that has attraction. That was the message brought to the people of Victoria by Herbert Cuthbert of the Victoria and Island Development Association, who has just returned.

A gentleman who was no longer young and far from handsome, said to a child in the presence of her parents: "Well, my dear, what do you think of me?" The little one made no reply, and the gentleman continued: "Why won't you tell me?" Two little fat hands tucked the corners of a pinafore into her mouth as she said archly, in a timid whisper: "Cause I don't want to be whipped."

INABA MARU HAD AN UNEVENTFUL TRIP

Not a Sea Was Shipped by Liner During 4,200-Mile Voyage From Yokohama

Owing to the fact that the Kamakura Maru sailed from Yokohama two days ahead of her, the Inaba Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, arrived in port this morning from Japan with an unusually light list of passengers. The Inaba Maru brought in a total list of 96, there being 29 first class, 12 second class and 35 in the steerage. Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Messenger, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bredell and Mrs. B. Luxton, all saloon passengers, were the only travellers to disembark at the outer docks. For the first time within the memory of the ship's officers no steerage passengers were landed here.

The Inaba Maru came alongside at 8.25 a. m., after completing a fifteen-day passage from Yokohama. Capt. K. Higo reports a remarkably fine but uneventful trip. The Pacific was as calm as a mill-pond, and not a sea was shipped. The Inaba was detained six hours in Yokohama harbor pending the arrival of a new wireless operator from Tokyo to replace one of the operators who suddenly became ill. The big cargo carried by the liner, however, made up for the shortage in passengers. In her five holds the Inaba brought 5,327 tons. The local consignment amounted to 943 tons, the largest single shipment landed here in many months. The largest shipment discharged here was 1,310 chests of Japan tea. Through cargo amounted to 4,848 tons, including 10,636 chests of tea, 4,000 cases of boots, 1,078 packages of plantation rubber, 1,265 cases of silk, 2,251 cases of porcelain and 1,485 bales and cases of raw silk and silk goods. The silk consignment is valued at \$742,500.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

San Pedro, Sept. 7.-Arrived: Str. Grass Dollar, from Vancouver via Port San Luis; Carlos, from Gray's Harbor; Estrella, from Portland; Estrella, from Mendocino. Sailed in ballast: Helen P. Drew, for Greenwood; Westerner, for Albion; Gray's Harbor and Doris, for Willapa; Neacume, for Eureka; and Tiverton and Gen. Hubbard, for Columbia river.

Astoria, Sept. 7.-Arrived: Str. St. Nicholas, from Nushagak. Victoria, B. C., Sept. 7.-Passed: Str. W. S. Porter, from Port San Luis for Vancouver, B. C.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 7.-Arrived: Str. W. S. Porter, from Port San Luis; Sailed: Str. Cordelia, for Port San Luis; str. Empress of Asia, for Hongkong.

Tacoma, Sept. 7.-Arrived: Hge. St. James, from Skagway, via Anxox, B. C. in tow of tug Hara. Sailed: Str. W. F. Herrin, from Monterey; Washburn, from Port San Luis; Daisy Freeman, from San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Alcatraz, for San Francisco.

Alcatraz, Sept. 7.-Sailed: Str. Northern Pacific, for San Francisco. San Francisco, Sept. 7.-Arrived: Str. Moana (Br. from Wellington; Elizabeth, from Brandon; Colpa, from Tacoma; Congress, from Seattle; Tamalpais, from Gray's Harbor; Tanager, from Nainaimo; Jim Butler, from Santa Rosalia; Yellowstone, from Coos Bay; O. M. Clark, from Mazatlan; Mayfair, from Port Gamble; and St. Standard, from Bristol Bay. Sailed: Str. Ventura, for Sydney; Cape Scott, and Great Northern, for Astoria; D. G. Scheffel, for Baboos; motor str. Terrellia, for Callao, Peru.

Seattle, Sept. 7.-Arrived: Str. Nemo Maru, from Vancouver; str. Kamakura Maru, from Hongkong, via way ports; Hge. William H. Smith, from Astoria; str. Darling, str. Oleum, Port San Luis; str. President, Vancouver, B. C.; via Tacoma. Sailed: Str. Oleum, Port San Luis, via Point Wells and Esquimaux; B. C. str. Mariposa, Southwestern, via Coquille; Alaska, str. Amur, Anxox, B. C.; U. S. C. G. Snodgrass, Port Angeles; B. C. str. Balboa, Sept. 7.-Arrived: Str. City of Puebla, from Seattle, via San Francisco, Arica. Sept. 6.-Arrived: Str. Sinaloa, from Seattle.

Shanghai, Sept. 6.-Sailed: Str. Yokohama Maru, from Hongkong for Seattle.

ATTRACTING TOURISTS

Commissioner Cuthbert Tells of Meeting Held at Seattle.

The outstanding feature of the gathering of representative of the interests affected by the tourist travel to this part of the world, which was held at Seattle, was the realization that this business was one of the most important factors in the progress and development of any community that has attraction. That was the message brought to the people of Victoria by Herbert Cuthbert of the Victoria and Island Development Association, who has just returned.

Some people in Victoria have long realized the value of the business, but when you get hard headed American businessmen, who are in the habit of considering their own interests and advantages, realizing that \$400,000,000 a year is being spent by their countrymen, and that the people of this quarter are getting only a very small part of it, the time is ripe for action. They are realizing it in the Northwestern states to the extent that they are asking the legislatures to help in inducing tourists to come this way.

FUGITIVE ESCAPED LONG ARM OF LAW

Deputy Sheriff Failed to Locate Wanted Man Aboard Empress of Asia

An exciting chase after a fugitive from justice, which resulted in the wanted individual making a clean getaway, occurred last night with the departure of the Canadian-Pacific liner Empress of Asia for the Orient. Harry Donkin, a well known commission agent, who was wanted by the Vancouver authorities on a judgment issued against him in connection with alleged misappropriation of \$20,000, boarded the Empress of Asia at the mainland port. A deputy sheriff also boarded the liner with a warrant for his arrest and proceeded to make a systematic search of the ship during the run across the gulf to this port. Every effort was made to locate the man here, but without success, and he sailed away for the Land of the Rising Sun to the discomfort of the officer assigned to apprehend him.

The Empress of Asia got away from the outer docks about 11 o'clock for Yokohama and Hongkong with 350 passengers and a full cargo. About 25 cabin passengers boarded the liner here and also 53 Chinese steerage. The liner took out a heavy mail.

YARROWS SECURE MAQUINNA CONTRACT

C. P. R. Steamer to Be Ready for Commission at the End of September

The contract covering repairs to the C. P. R. steamer Princess Maquinna has been awarded to Yarrows, Ltd. There was considerable competition for the work, the Victoria Machinery Dept. and several Vancouver concerns putting in tenders, but the lowest bid was submitted by the Esquimalt firm. The contract price has not been disclosed.

The Maquinna is now hauled out on the ways at Yarrows, and it is expected she will be ready for commission at the end of the month. The specifications cover extensive repair work, the steamship company taking the present opportunity to have other damage sustained earlier in the season repaired.

During the recent foggy weather the Princess Maquinna bumped on a submerged outlying reef near Bowen Island while on her southbound trip from Granby Bay to Vancouver, damaging her stem and sustaining a number of dented plates.

While the Maquinna is out of commission the Princess May will maintain the service to Granby Bay.

The C. P. R. steamer Princess Charlotte arrived from Seattle this afternoon in place of the Princess Victoria, which has been undergoing her regular weekly overhaul. The Charlotte will return to the 4.30 run to-morrow.

WIRELESS REPORT

September 8, 8 a. m. Point Grey-Cloudy; N. W. strong; 29.8; 55; sea smooth. Cape Lazo-Clear; calm; 29.8; 54; sea smooth.

Paehena-Cloudy; calm; 29.9; 57; sea smooth. Estevan-Cloudy; calm; 29.6; 58; sea smooth.

Alert Bay-Cloudy; calm; 29.7; 55; sea smooth. Passed out, str. Princess Beatrice, 7.30 a. m., northbound; out, str. Ventura, 9 p. m., southbound.

Triangle-Overcast; S. W. light; 29.9; 55; sea moderate. Spoke str. Samson, 8.15 p. m., 10 miles south of Cape Scott, northbound; spoke str. Prince Rupert, 8.15 p. m.; Millbank Sound, northbound; spoke str. Princess Beatrice, 2.55 a. m., Regis Inlet, northbound.

Dead Tree Point-Cloudy; calm; 29.5; 51; sea smooth. Ikeda Bay-Cloudy; calm; 29.5; 53; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert-Cloudy; calm; 29.5; 52; sea smooth. Passed in, str. Prince Rupert, 6.10 a. m., northbound.

Point Grey-Clear; N. W. fresh; 29.0; 62; sea smooth. Cape Lazo-Clear; calm; 29.8; 60; sea smooth.

Paehena-Cloudy; calm; 29.9; 64; sea smooth. Estevan-Cloudy; W. light; 29.70; 54; sea smooth.

Alert Bay-Rain; calm; 29.7; 55; sea smooth. Triangle-Passing showers; W. light; 29.9; 54; sea moderate.

Dead Tree Point-Cloudy; S. E. light; 29.9; 55; sea smooth. Prince Rupert-Rain; S. E. light; 29.7; 58; sea smooth.

Lady (at bookstall)-"I want to get a good novel to read in the train-something rather pathetic." Salesman-"Let me see. How would 'The Last Days of Pompeii' do?" Lady-"Pompeii? I never heard of him. What did he die of?" Salesman-"I'm not quite sure, ma'am, but I believe it was some kind of an eruption."

ATTEMPT TO KNOCK B. C. COALING PORTS

Circular Claiming Advantages of San Francisco Over Comex Proved False

Considerable criticism has been aroused here concerning a circular issued by Dodsell & Co., of New York, setting forth the alleged advantage of San Francisco over Comex, B. C., for bunkering purposes in connection with steamers making the eastbound trans-Pacific trip. The circular shows that the distance from Panama to Yokohama via Comex is 8,640, which is misleading, the exact distance being 8,426 miles. It also states that the extra steaming miles from Panama to Yokohama via Comex is 953 miles, which is also untrue, the extra steaming distance being 744 miles.

Pilotage in and out of San Francisco is exactly the same as out of British Columbia ports, viz: \$1 per foot and 1 cent per ton net register, both in and out. The circular also sets forth that the risk of taking a ship in and out of the harbor at San Francisco is less than proceeding through the Straits of Juan de Fuca and the inside passage to Comox, the reason being given that in northern waters bush fires and fogs are common, rendering navigation hazardous, and that under such conditions, steamers are forced to depend on echo navigation to determine position.

Statistics compiled by the superintendent of lights, Canadian department of marine, show that for the Straits of Juan de Fuca, Haro Straits and Gulf of Georgia, fog horns were operated the following hours, based on an average for the years 1913, 1914 and 1915: Paehena point, near Juan de Fuca, 506; Trial Island, Victoria, Haro Straits, 196; Active Pass, Active Pass, 254; Entrance island, Nanaimo-Georgia Strait, 276; First Narrows, Vancouver (6 months), 378; Yellow rock, Comox, 258.

The average as furnished by the department of commerce relative to environments of San Francisco for the past ten years is as follows: Farallon light station shows approximately 750 hours per year; San Francisco light vessel shows approximately 1,250 hours per year; Point Reyes shows approximately 1,475 hours per year; Point Loma, an average of three years, which is the length of time the fog signal station has been established, an average of 1,115 hours per year.

This statistic shows heavier fogs in San Francisco, and vicinity. The Dominion meteorological service at Victoria, B. C., also reports as follows: "The official observer at Nanaimo and at Victoria reports the average number of foggy days as 15 and 14 respectively. Most of these fogs were of short duration, lasting only a few hours or minutes. The remarkable regularity of the daily C. P. R. Company's passenger and freight service in these waters also proves the negligible effect fogs have upon shipping on the Straits of Juan de Fuca and Georgia."

The danger to navigation due to the smoke from the forest fires during the summer months does not exist. This is largely due to some timber areas having been burnt over in past years and more recently to the provincial fire patrol service.

The following records of the average amount of bright sunshine reported at Victoria and Nanaimo also bear out the above statement:

Table with 3 columns: Location, Monthly, Nanaimo Monthly. Rows for May, June, July, August.

The statement is made that after coaling at Comox steamers westbound to Vladivostok and Japan meet strong westerly gales for practically 11 months in the year, which retards the vessel's speed, lengthens the voyage and entails heavy consumption of coal, while fine weather prevails on the more southerly route from San Francisco.

The Dominion meteorological service reports as follows: "The monthly pilot charts of the North Pacific Ocean as published by the United States hydrographic office have been carefully gone over. From this data a table has been prepared, showing the average prevailing direction of the wind and percentage of gales experienced on the Great Circle routes both from San Francisco to the Strait of Juan de Fuca and from the Strait of Juan de Fuca to the same long 180th for every five degrees in distance for each month." This table shows the prevailing direction of wind is westerly along both routes, except for the first few degrees off the coast. On the southern route, there is a maximum of northerly winds. Comparing the percentage of gales encountered upon the two routes from the coast to the 180th meridian for the entire year, the southern route is in the majority by 51. During the winter months the northern route shows the greatest percentage of gales for about the first 10 degrees of longitude, when the more northerly direction of the southern route brings the latter into the path of the greatest number of storms, where it remains until the 180th meridian is met. At this point the two routes are only 300 miles apart. These charts show also that during the months of June, July and August the average percentage of gales encountered on both routes from this coast to 180 is from one to two per month. These charts also show that ships on the coast, than when leaving the Strait of Juan de Fuca."

No mention is made in this circular as to the difference in the prices of the coal obtained at San Francisco, and at Vancouver, Island ports. At the former port the price is \$5 per ton of 2,240 lbs. alongside the ship, and at British Columbia bunkering ports the price is \$4.75 per ton of 2,240 lbs. trimmed in the ship's bunkers.

Alaska Excursions Round Trip \$60.00. S.S. "PRINCE RUPERT" S.S. "PRINCE GEORGE". Leave Victoria Every Monday at 1.30 p. m.

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SECRETARY WELCOMED. Greetings Extended Last Evening at Special Reception to Miss Marlett at Y. W. C. A.

Day Steamer to Seattle THE S.S. "Sol Duc". Leaves C. P. R. wharf daily except Sunday at 11.30 a. m. for Port Angeles, Dungeness, Port Williams, Port Townsend and Seattle.

UNION STEAMSHIP CO. OF B. C. LTD. SAILINGS TO NORTHERN B. C. PORTS. S.S. VENTURE Leaves Vancouver every Tuesday at 9 p. m.

A DELIGHTFUL SEA TRIP. The Only Through Ocean Route to SAN FRANCISCO LOS ANGELES AND SAN DIEGO. Leave Victoria on Fridays at 5 p. m. and from Seattle on Mondays at 11 p. m.

SPORTING NEWS

FOUR GREAT PLAYERS OF LAST FIVE YEARS

RACE IN NATIONAL TIGHTEST IN YEARS

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UNIVERSITY INCOGS PLAY THE GARRISON

Close Game Expected at Hospital Grounds in Virtue Cup Tie

The Garrison and the University Incogs play to-morrow afternoon on the Jubilee hospital grounds in the semi-final game of the series to decide the three-corned tie in the Victoria and District Cricket Association. The game will start at 1.30 in order to insure five hours of cricket. Both clubs will have their strongest teams on the field, and a hard game is expected. The Incogs look the strongest on paper, but the great fighting spirit of the Garrison must be taken into consideration, and whichever way the game goes a good brand of cricket is assured.

Incogs—F. A. Sparks (capt.), A. H. Ackroyd, C. Schwegers, J. Wainman, H. H. Allen, L. S. V. York, J. C. Barnicle, B. P. Schwangers, J. H. Watson, F. Lewis, H. J. Southwell, Scorer, J. Hedson. Garrison—Lieut. W. Robertson (capt.), Q. M. Sgt. Askey, Lieut. Clark, Sgt. Stevens, Sgt. Wells, Sgt. Montgomery, R. H. Pooley, R. B. Paton, H. Beals, Pte. Weeks, Sgt. Wydham.

TORONTO BOY IS SURE TO ADVANCE

Andy Kyle, the Toronto ball player, is having a great season with the Bloomington club of the Three Eye league. His batting has featured the Bloomer's climb to second place in the league. In seven games recently Kyle made 15 hits in 25 times at bat and scored sensationally. Kyle had a trial with the Toronto Leafs several seasons ago, but though he fielded well his batting was not up to the mark. He is also been up in the majors, playing for a short while with Cincinnati. Bloomington reports that he is sure to go into higher company next season.

JUNIORS TO RECEIVE ATTENTION THIS YEAR

At a meeting of the Victoria District Football Association held in the Fortsters' hall, Broad street, last night, it was decided that the association would devote its chief endeavors to fostering the junior and intermediate players this season. Next Tuesday evening there will be another meeting at the same place any one interested in forming a league are asked to be present. At last night's meeting President Mesher was in the chair and Ivan Day and A. Manson, secretary and president respectively of the B. C. Football Association, were present.

JAPANESE NET STARS BEATEN IN DOUBLES

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 8.—R. Norris Williams II, the new national singles tennis champion, and Clarence J. Griffin, of San Francisco, defeated I. Kumagae and H. Mikami, the Japanese experts, in an exhibition doubles here yesterday 3-6, 7-5, 6-2.

Kumagae secured an easy victory earlier in the afternoon in a singles match with Roland Roberts, of San Francisco. The score was 6-1, 6-2.

THORPE'S old English GINGER BEER has a smack of its own

SHAMROCKS BRINGING OUT THEIR VETERANS

Montreal Irishmen Strengthening for Saturday's Clash With the Nationals

Henry Scott, one of the most fearless home men who has ever played lacrosse, and Charlie George, the dashing little home man, will both be cut with the Montreal Shamrocks Saturday afternoon when Irishmen and Nationals clash in their crucial N. L. U. match, according to eastern reports. Scott, now in fine shape after a fortnight's work, should be a tower of strength to the Irishmen. With Roberts, George, Hyland, Scott, and Penny working together, "Hap," L'Heureux will certainly be kept busy. The weakness of the Shamrock team in the last struggle between the leaders was the home field, but Coach Jim Kavanagh has had an eye to business, and the full Shamrock team will work together better in the big struggle at the National grounds. The Irishmen are holding afternoon practices in order to be ready for the big game.

GARDNER DISPOSES OF GEORGIA YOUTH

The Favorites Win in Third Round of National Golf Tourney at Philadelphia

Philadelphia, Sept. 8.—The favorites won in the third round of the national golf tournament at the Merion Cricket Club yesterday, and to-day sees Robert A. Gardner, the title holder, paired with Jesse Gullford, the Massachusetts champion, while Chick Evans, of Chicago, will play against D. C. Corkran, of Baltimore. Gardner had his hands full to dispose of R. T. Jones, Jr., the 15-year-old Georgia youth, who has been the surprise of the tournament. The title holder was 1 down after the first 18 holes, but by playing par golf all afternoon, won on the thirty-third green by 3 up and 3 top lay. Chick Evans put his old rival, John B. Anderson, of New York, out of the going, 5 to 3. Jesse Gullford, of Manchester, N. H., and Boston, put out Gardner White, of Flushing, N. Y., by a 4 and 3 score. Corkran defeated Cameron B. Ruxton, Philadelphia's hope, by a 5 and 4 score.

BILL LEARD NEW SEATTLE MANAGER

Scrappy Bill Leard, a former Seattle player and one of the best second-sackers in the Northwestern League, will take Tealey Raymond's place as manager of the Seattle Giants. Leard, who obtained his release from Tacoma a couple of days ago, and who has had his eye on the Seattle managerial job for some time, is already on his way to California, where he will sign up half a dozen or more ball players this winter. Leard was formerly a member of the Seattle team and he was popular with the fans of that city. He first broke in as a second baseman in Seattle, as he had always played short and third before joining the Giants. Leard is a fast man on the bases, has a good arm, is a pretty fielder, and has a wise head.

SPAS GETS JOB

Portland, Ore., Sept. 8.—Bill Spas, recently released by the Portland Coast League club, was signed yesterday by the San Francisco Seals, and it was announced before the game that he would play first base. Manager Harry Wolverton stated that "Chick" Autrey, who has played all season at first, will be given a five-day release notice.

IN A NEW UNIFORM



HEINE ZIMMERMAN The heavy hitting third baseman formerly of the Chicago Cubs, who is now holding down the hot corner for the New York Giants.

AMERICAN TENNIS SINGLES CHAMPIONS

Year	Champion	All Comers
1881	R. D. Sears	R. D. Sears
1882	R. D. Sears	R. D. Sears
1883	R. D. Sears	R. D. Sears
1884	R. D. Sears	H. A. Taylor
1885	R. D. Sears	M. Brinley
1886	R. D. Sears	M. L. Bowdman
1887	R. D. Sears	H. W. Slocum
1888	H. W. Slocum	H. W. Slocum
1889	H. W. Slocum	A. Shaw
1890	O. S. Campbell	O. S. Campbell
1891	O. S. Campbell	C. Hobart
1892	O. S. Campbell	F. H. Hovey
1893	R. D. Wrenn	R. D. Wrenn
1894	R. D. Wrenn	F. Goodbody
1895	P. H. Hovey	F. H. Hovey
1896	R. D. Wrenn	R. D. Wrenn
1897	R. D. Wrenn	W. Y. Hayes
1898	M. D. Whitman	M. D. Whitman
1899	M. D. Whitman	P. Paré
1900	M. D. Whitman	W. A. Larned
1901	W. A. Larned	W. A. Larned
1902	W. A. Larned	B. F. Doherty
1903	H. L. Doherty	H. L. Doherty
1904	Holcomb Ward	H. Ward
1905	B. C. Wright	B. C. Wright
1906	W. J. Clothier	W. J. Clothier
1907	W. A. Larned	W. A. Larned
1908	W. A. Larned	B. C. Wright
1909	W. A. Larned	W. J. Clothier
1910	W. A. Larned	M. E. McLoughlin
1911	W. A. Larned	M. E. McLoughlin
1912	R. N. Williams	W. M. Johnstone

MAJOR LEAGUES

Standing	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	75	49	.605
Brooklyn	74	51	.592
Boston	71	49	.592
New York	60	62	.492
Pittsburg	61	65	.475
St. Louis	60	68	.465
St. Louis	57	75	.432
Cincinnati	51	80	.389

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results:

At Washington—Second game: New York, 3; Washington, 2. Batteries—Fisher, Shawkey and Walters; Ayers, Craft, Goodwin, Williams.

At Chicago—Cleveland, 3; Chicago, 5. Batteries—Bagby, Coombe and O'Neill; Faber and Schalk.

At Detroit—St. Louis, 6; Detroit, 5. Batteries—Davenport, Koob, Plank, Mitchell and Hatley; Baker, Dames, Boland, Duhne, Cunningham and Stange.

Standing	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	73	55	.567
Detroit	75	58	.574
Chicago	74	58	.561
St. Louis	70	63	.529
New York	69	68	.507
Cleveland	65	65	.500
Washington	66	64	.508
Philadelphia	59	100	.372

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results:

At Oakland—Salt Lake, 8; Oakland, 1.

At Portland—San Francisco, 1; Portland, 2.

At Los Angeles—Vernon, 5; Los Angeles, 9.

Standing	W.	L.	Pct.
Vernon	88	65	.575
Los Angeles	87	68	.562
San Francisco	76	74	.510
Salt Lake	74	72	.507
Portland	67	73	.479
Oakland	57	109	.343

LAWN BOWLING

The following games were played yesterday at Beacon Hill for the Shortt, Hill & Duncan Cup: Dunn defeated Miller 21 to 13, and Stevenson defeated Metville 27 to 12.

Veteran Pitcher Names Quartette Whom He Thinks Are Best of New Stars

A pitcher who has been in the major leagues for 13 years, who is still able to hold his own, and who declines the use of his name for reasons most obvious, declares that the four greatest ball players of the last five years—new ones I mean—are Davy Robertson, Geo. Sisler, Benny Kauff and Hornsby, writes Hozeman Bulger.

"Benny Kauff is a much better ball player than the fans of the National league appear to believe," he said, "and when I say that I don't mind telling you that I was prejudiced against him at the start. He is a corking ball player and he'll do better next year than this. Already he is a great base runner, and all he needs to hit as well as any of them is patience. The pitchers have got onto Kauff, and every man in the league knows that all he's got to do is to pitch bad balls to Benny and he will fall for them. He will hit at anything. He has short arms and is a hard swinger. For that reason we pitch them over his head, far to the outside and on the ground. He will swing at any of them. Occasionally he nails one, but he is lucky to be hitting over .25. Next year, when he settles down, he should pass the 300 mark without trouble."

"But as to Robertson?" "Well, I'll tell you," said the old timer. "Davy Robertson is one of the greatest ball players that ever lived. He also swings wildly, but remember, Robertson has long arms, and can reach bad balls that Kauff can not touch. He is a vicious swinger and once he gets hold of one it's 'good night.' He also has the advantage of beating out fuke bouncers. Davey, you know, is the fastest man in the world going to first base. Cobb or anybody else is not in his class. The pitchers know just one thing about Robertson, and that is not to pitch to him inside. Get a ball on the inside of the plate and he'll murder it. Keep the high and outside and the pitcher has a chance. He is also a little uncertain on low ones outside. It is not easy to compare Robertson with any other players because his speed put him in a class by himself."

"Hornsby," said the vet, "I consider the greatest find of the last ten years. He can hit anything, but when a pitcher tries to feed him what he doesn't want he'll curl up and wait. Hornsby is a much better waiter than either Kauff or Robertson. He is as cool as ice."

"I know that young fellow well, and we often have a lot of fun out of him. He comes from Fort Worth, Texas, and has an accent that is a bird. You can certainly hit that 'old pill' one of the boys said to him the other day after he had made four straight singles."

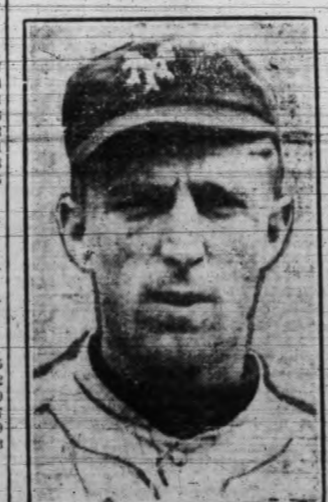
"I know that young fellow well and can't help it." "And that's a pretty good tip-off on his ability as a wallpaper. Sisler is of immense value because he can play in any position, but he is not better in any one of these positions than either of the players I have mentioned. He has a great advantage over the other fellows at the bat because he has been in the league longer and is willing to wait. American league pitchers tell me that Sisler will never go after a bad ball. A pitcher must get the ball over and trust to luck. I regard Sisler as one of the greatest all around players that ever broke into the big league."

While this veteran pitcher would not permit the use of his name in criticism of other players, it can be said that he has pitched regularly in the major league since 1903, has been in three clubs, and aside from Eddie Plank is perhaps the only pitcher who has worked steadily for 13 years. He has seen them all come and go, and when he declares Kauff, Robertson, Hornsby and Sisler to be the best it is almost a good betting proposition.

SENATORS WANT ROBERTS

George Roberts, the fearless little justice home man of the Shamrocks, has a very tempting offer from Ottawa, for next season, George will likely accept it. Ottawa seems determined to land the N. L. U. championship next year, and are after some of the leading lights in the lacrosse firmament.

NOW A DODGER



FRED MERKLE The former New York Giant, who is relieving Jake Daubert on the initial day for Brooklyn.

Philadelphia Leading With Boston and Brooklyn Only Two Games Behind

The fight for the pennant in the National League is the tightest known in that organization in the last decade, three teams running neck and neck for the premier honors. To-day there are only two games separating Philadelphia in first and the Braves and Brooklyn who are tied for second. These three teams have been alternating in the first three positions for the last six weeks, and it looks like a great three-cornered fight for the pennant. Starting to-day the Dodgers play a four game series in Boston, and much depends on the result, while the Phillies start a similar series in New York. A clean sweep of the series at Boston would practically eliminate the losing club, while an even break may give the Phillies a chance to obtain an extra game lead as they should break better than even with the Giants.

Following these two series, the eastern clubs meet the western clubs in the east, each team playing 15 games and then Brooklyn and Boston finish the season with 8 games apiece with New York and Philadelphia as opponents. In the series against the eastern teams none of the contenders have an advantage, but in the final inter-sectional games between the eastern teams Brooklyn plays at home, Philadelphia plays one series at home and one on foreign soil, while the Braves play both series away from home.

The Phillies are probably better prepared for the final dash than either Boston or Brooklyn, having their regular team intact, while Boston is minus the services of Johnny Evers, and Daubert of the Dodgers is in poor shape for a hard grind. In the final fight a whole lot will depend on the pitchers and with Alexander, Pfeffer and Rudolph fighting it out some great pitching may be looked for.

WELSH WILLING TO FIGHT WHITE AGAIN

Lightweight Champion Will Accommodate Chicago Slugger If He Still Seeks Title

Denver, Sept. 8.—If Charley White, Chicago lightweight, still seeks a crack at Freddie Welsh's title after four failures to win it, the matter can be arranged. Welsh is willing to box White to a finish. The champion made this known a couple of days after the fight when he was informed that the White people still were dissatisfied, claiming that if the battle had been 25 rounds instead of 20, Charley would have scored a knockout. Welsh communicated with his manager, Harry Pollock, and after a brief conference, Welsh's wishes were known.

"White has had three chances in ten round bouts, and because of his persistent kicking at the short distance, he gave him a battle of 20 rounds," Pollock said. "Now he again is putting and saying that he wants a still longer route to get the title. Mind you, he has boxed 50 rounds with Welsh, and has yet to get the champion off his feet. Here's what I have to offer—If White and his party will guarantee Welsh exactly what Willie Ritchie was given by us for a match—\$25,000—Welsh will box White to a finish, or until one or the other falls to the mat and cannot get up."

"He can make it any distance he wants to name, say from 45 to 90 rounds, and whatever the route is made, we will give him a side bet of \$10,000 on the general result."

"Further, if he will make a match of this character and get us the price Ritchie set with us, I'll personally bet him \$5,000 that he quits cold at some stage of the route."

"This is a match that will practically referee itself, and I would almost be tempted to let Nate Lewis himself referee." Pollock did not say where he thought such a battle could be brought off, but hinted that White and his people might be able to interest the Tia Juana race track owners in it.

BENEFIT CRICKET MATCH.

A match will be played to-morrow at Beacon Hill, commencing at 2 p. m., between the Albions and Civil Service for the benefit of J. Bettles, the popular groundsman. The two previous games played between the clubs this season have both produced exciting finishes and it is anticipated that another close contest will result. It is hoped the game will be well patronized and thus help to make the benefit a big success. The following team will represent the Albions—H. B. Hudson (Capt.), H. A. Ismay, E. P. Ward, A. Hill, E. Parsons, Dr. A. B. Hudson, F. Jordan, L. B. Formen, W. Gregson, R. White and G. Southwell.

BUTLER TRADED.

Frank Chance yesterday negotiated a trade with Manager Wolverton of the San Francisco Seals, by which Third Baseman Davis joins Los Angeles in exchange for Johnny Butler, the former Northwestern star.

The sales of Noblehen Clars have more than trebled during the past three months. Have you tried one lately?

William Teacher & Sons' Highland Cream

YOU can't deceive a man as to "Highland Cream." Its distinctive qualities stand up above all ordinary brands, so that once having caught that real "Scottish tang" and complete mellowness which is a guarantee of reliability and satisfaction, it's "Teacher's or nothing" every time.

Highland Cream is on draught from the wood, in all hotels and bars. When you "line up" the next time, just say "Teacher's" and be assured of getting the best.

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Victoria Vancouver, B. C.

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ADVERTISEMENTS under this head, 1 cent per word per insertion; 50 cents per line per month. BATHS—Vapor and electric light, massage and chiropody. Mrs. Barker, 913 Fort street. Phone 1728.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

ADVERTISEMENTS under this head, 1 cent per word per insertion; 50 cents per line per month. PLASTERER. FRANCIS THOMAS, plasterer. Repairing, painting, etc. Phone 3212. 1135 Albert avenue, etc.

DEEP BAY.

THE FIRST AUTOMOBILE covered our new road to the undeveloped beauty spot Sunday, Sept. 2. The R. C. Electric formerly carried all visitors. Every auto now arriving will increase the Interurban's clientele so jealousy need not obtain. 'The Chaiet,' Deep Bay, New management.

AUTOMOBILES FOR HIRE.

A RED HUDSON CAR for hire at any hour, careful driver, reasonable rates. Phone 277. FOR HIRE—Hudson car, careful driver, reasonable prices. Phone 578.



Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter its chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name of the writer. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

A FLAG INCIDENT.

To the Editor.—In view of the trade war which the U. S. A. is endeavoring to wage against British commerce, was it not rather ultra-generous that the stars and stripes should occupy such an important place on the platform at the laying down of the keel of Victoria's third 'dreadnought' on the reserve to-day?

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Sept. 7. PATRIOTS. To the Editor.—Several letters have appeared in your paper lately on the employment of Austrians in our colonies. Is this true? I am a Conservative and want to know from your Conservative candidates if these reports are correct. I notice the so-called Conservative candidates always wave the flag.

"CALLED BY HIS KING."

To the Editor.—A feature of rather more than ordinary interest in connection with the coming election occurred at D. M. Eberts's meeting at Saanich on Monday evening last. As an opening attraction, a series of lantern views showing farming scenes and construction work on the C. N. P. railway were thrown on a screen and briefly explained. Next came an announcement in effect by the chairman that any person interrupting a speaker would be considered uncivilized, but that questions would be allowed at the end of an address.

A WORD TO THE DELUDED.

To the Editor.—It is a pity to see ordinarily intelligent people deluded into the belief that the B. C. Prohibition Act will be a panacea for the drunkard's family. It will do real harm, because it will have the effect of removing liquor from hotels, into homes. A clause could have been inserted in the act preventing this. Are not those who are telling the afflicted that Dominion legislation is necessary in order to prevent this and that the B. C. Act is a good law guilty of the grossest political chicanery? These prohibition politicians refer to the Washington Prohibition Act as their model. That act allows liquor to be

BUSINESS CHANCES.

LADY, can teach French, would like to meet school teacher for private school. I will furnish all capital required. Box 38, Times.

EXCHANGE.

I CAN EXCHANGE your property. Chas. F. Eagles, 517 Sayward block. EXCHANGE—320 acres Manitoba, for lots. Eagles, 517 Sayward block.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

FOR RENT—Front bed-sitting room. 517 Cornwall. (Private). FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom, pleasantly situated. 18 Turner street, near Park. Box 107.

WANTED—AUTOMOBILES.

WANTED—Two-ton motor truck, state make, model and price. Box 1013, Times.

WANTED—LOANS.

LOANS WANTED—We have all clients who pay interest promptly who desire \$50, \$100 and \$200 loans on good city homes. Dunford's, 211 Union Bank.

WANTED—RENT-HOUSES.

WANTED—To rent, good tenant wants a six or seven roomed house, close in. If house vacant, will pay moderate rent and take good care of same. Box 964, Times.

LIQUOR LICENSE NOTICE.

Take notice that an application will be made to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria at their next sitting, to be held on Wednesday, Sept. 14, at 10 o'clock a.m. in the City Hall, for a license known as the Metropolitan Hotel, situated on Lots 21 and 22, Block 3, Victoria City.

Imported into the state and kept in the shops in limited quantities. Notwithstanding this, the importations of liquor into that state have increased in leaps and bounds, until in the month of August in Seattle alone they reached the alarming proportions of over 18,000 gallons. All these huge quantities of liquor are being consumed in homes, as these are the only places where it can be drunk.

Next Captain Tatlow and Mr. Fulton, also ministers, retired because they could not accept the Canadian Northern proposition of \$42,000,000 subsidy on 24 hours' notice, while Mr. Bowser had four months' notice of the same. It is fair to say from my knowledge of the men that no sane government could have offered, would have accepted, or would have allowed themselves to be induced to take a post of government support and a loyal supporter and he is now displaying himself as a spellbinder on behalf of Harry Pooley, the Kaiser of Esquimalt district.

The most recent election was that of Price Ellison. (Mr. Bowser seems to be enamored of the word "Price," for as I write it along troops the bantam "Billy" Price, his dear and trusted friend, and lastly we have Mr. Bowser's own "Price," which will be ascertained after the government books shall have passed into the hands of Mr. Price Ellison, what do we find? A man who knows as little of figures as Commodore Thompson does of ships occupying the position of finance minister. Dowser did not like him. He was honest, and in the way of his pet schemes, he also had an inquisitive mind and wanted to "know" everything. He was simply a nuisance, and it was not to be got rid of. But how? One day it was heard that Ellison had bought some government cows from the government farm. The particulars were obtained from the caretaker, and it was seen that the minister had made a big profit on the purchase. The list was placed in a member's hand, who read it before the whole house. It was a heartless, cruel proceeding. If they wanted to get rid of Ellison there was another and decent way without the whole world hearing of the simple-minded man's disgrace. But who ever knew the government to do a decent thing in politics? Bowser's virtuous soul was stirred, and declined to sit longer as a colleague in the industry with Price Ellison. So Ellison had to be got rid of. He was a nuisance and to avoid exposure he had adopted as a government candidate in Okanagan.

ON GUARD. Sept. 6. The trouble with most folk who wish to gain weight is that they insist on drinking too much and eating with great vigour; rubbing on useless 'dietary' creams, or following some foolish physical culture stunt, while the real cause of thinness is unattended. You cannot get fat until your digestive tract assimilates the food you eat. There is a preparation known as reliable druggists almost everywhere which seemingly embodies the missing elements needed by the digestive organs to help them convert food into rich, fat-laden blood. This modern treatment is called Bargo and has been termed the greatest of flesh-builders. Bargo aims through its powerful, restorative powers to coax the stomach and intestines to literally soak up the fattening elements of your food and pass them into the blood, which is then sent to the various broken-down cells and tissues of your body. You can readily picture what results this amazing transformation should produce, as with increased weight, the checks fill out, hollows about neck, shoulders and bust disappear, and from 10 to 20 pounds of solid, healthy flesh is added to the body. Bargo is entirely harmless, inexpensive, efficient. D. E. Campbell and other leading druggists of this vicinity have a full refund guarantee if you are not satisfied. Ask for the guarantee form in every package. If you find a druggist who is unable to supply this Bargo, send \$1.00 money order or registered letter to the National Laboratories, 74 St. Antoine street, Montreal, and a complete ten days' treatment will be sent you postpaid, in plain wrapper.

An Easy Way To Get Fat And Be Strong

NOTE—Bargo is recommended only as a flesh builder, and while excellent results in cases of nervous indigestion, etc., have been reported care should be taken about using it unless a gain of weight is desired. "I really don't believe," said Gladys Coyle, "that you particularly wanted to hear me sing." "I did indeed," he admiringly protested; "I had never heard you."

Announcement

MEETINGS AND ENTERTAINMENTS
Notices of meetings, political, suffrage, patriotic, lodge, society, club or church meetings and services, concerts, socials, etc., inserted under special headings of "Meetings" on classified pages at one cent per word per insertion. As a reading matter under heading of "Announcements" on news pages at three cents per word, per insertion. In effect September 9.

Answers to Times Want Ads.

The following replies are waiting to be called for:
388, 475, 503, 535, 546, 551, 559, 564, 667, 756, 824, 842.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

DIAGONISMS—Do not wait for your ship to come in. Charter a tug and go out and meet it. Diagon Printing Co., 76 Yates street. School supplies as well as printing. \$3

WHY GO HOME TO EAT when you can get a nice tasty lunch of four courses at the Delhi cafe for 25c. Try it once and you will keep on trying it. Tables for ladies. \$3

LOST—Black and white spotted pointer, from Cedar Hill cross roads. Finder notify Lake Hill P. O. Anyone harboring same after this notice will be prosecuted. \$3

HOCKING: plumber, James Bay. Repairs, ranges connected, coils made. Phone 3711. 345 St. James street. \$3

FOR SALE—English wheel, good shape, cheap. Call 34 Richmond avenue, Fowl Bay. \$3

WANTED—For six months or longer, six or seven rooms, completely furnished house, close in, give full details and state rent. Box 572, Times. \$3

PUBLIC MEETING to-night, Old Victoria Theatre. Speakers, Rev. H. S. Osborne, Dr. Ernest Hall and J. W. Bengough, Esq. \$3

LITTLE GOLD WRIST WATCH lost, between Head street and Strathcona Lodge, Shawinigan, Reward, Telephone 267X. \$3

FOR SALE—41 acres, 41 cleared, together with house, 6 rooms, barn, and all necessary outbuildings, plenty good water, suitable North Saanich, price \$125 per acre, reasonable terms. L. U. Conyers & Co., 650 View street. \$3

WANTED—By refined couple, early in October, small furnished bungalow, good locality, reasonable. Box 575, Times. \$3

WANTED—To purchase, furnished or unfurnished bungalow, high ground, view if possible, house in A. S. Barton, 215 Central Bldg. \$3

WANTED—Man and wife, for dairy near Victoria; man must be a good milker and to deliver milk; woman to cook. Address Box 579, Times. \$3

VIOLONCELLO WANTED—Good condition, cheap for cash. Box 579, Times. \$3

FOR SALE—Pure bred cock pug dog, or trade for young ducks or chickens. Phone 180. \$3

BUY YOUR FURNITURE at Fritchie's and save 100 per cent. 349 Douglas St. \$3

WANTED—Applications from financially responsible firms for Vancouver Island General Agency of Canadian Fire Company owned by wealthy British firm, reporting to Western Branch. Apply Box 583, Times. \$3

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CHEAPEST LOT IN VICTORIA—50x150 on McKenzie street, near Linden avenue. Price \$25. Currie & Power, 215 Douglas street. Phone 146. \$3

TO RENT—Most desirable eight roomed, fully modern residence, Moss, 5172 1/2 St. \$3

FOR SALE—31 acres, splendid fruit land, good soil, close to interurban station, Deep Cove; price \$600, reasonable terms. L. U. Conyers & Co., 650 View street. \$3

TWO ROOMED CABIN, partly furnished, private, 623 Drake street, Esquimaux; rent \$5. Phone 368, Times. \$3

SILVER GERMAN KITTENS for sale. Phone 303R. \$3

GREAT IS THE HAPPINESS of the housewife who buys her nearly new furniture and household effects at half price at City Mart, 756 Fort Street. Phone 1423. \$3

LOST—In Central Park, pocket watch containing money and key. Finder return to 244 Cook, Roward. \$3

HAVING TO GO EAST on urgent business, I will sell my stock and right in a business which will net me per cent. profit to a diligent party. \$500 will handle this. Apply Box 1004, Times. \$3

PUBLIC MEETING to-night, Old Victoria Theatre. Speakers, Rev. H. S. Osborne, Dr. Ernest Hall and J. W. Bengough, Esq. \$3

FOR RENT—240 Empress street (furnished), 1258 Fall street, 1729 Duchess street, and 1489 Fort Street, all modern houses, near to car, low rent. Apply 211 Union Bank Bldg., Phone 496. \$3

MRS. J. J. BOYD'S Academy of Dancing and Music, Suite 510-512 Campbell Bldg. Private lessons arranged. Phone 2261. \$3

TO LET—Four-room bungalow, garage, wood, half acre land, 5 minutes to bus. Apply Morley, Quadra street, Lake Hill. \$3

TRY RUFFLE, the cycle man, for repairs that satisfy. 746 Yates street. Phone 82. \$3

BOGONS BACK CARRIERS, 75c. The kind that don't slip. Ruffles, the cycle man, 746 Yates street. Phone 82. \$3

FOR SALE—A light manufacturing business, only \$250 cash required. Apply Box 1065, Times. \$3

POLITICAL NOTES

The Liberal leader, H. C. Brewster, is completing his tour of the province by addressing a series of meetings in lower mainland constituencies. He spoke in Kamloops last evening, and will speak during the next few days in Bowley, Chilliwack, New Westminster, North Vancouver and the Delta. He will address the closing meeting of the campaign in the Victoria theatre on Wednesday evening next.

The premier is to speak in the Victoria theatre on Monday evening, with the four city Bowser candidates, and D. M. Eberts, candidate in Saanich.

D. M. Eberts, K. C. spoke in the Burnside road hall last evening, and in the course of his speech got in a fair number of the usual Bowserite mis-statements of fact and misleading inferences.

Godfrey Booth took a vote of the men in the school of instruction at Work Point barracks this morning, and on Monday he will open a poll in the Bannan recruiting quarters, corner of Broad and View streets. Polling is continuing at Vernon camp and at Vancouver.

The polling places for the five wards in Victoria for next Thursday's voting are as follows: Ward One—512 Fort street, Wm. N. O'Neill's warehouse. Ward Two—626 Pandora street, B. C. Pottery Company. Ward Three—726 View street, Maynard's auction rooms. Ward Four—614 Courtney street, corner of Gordon. Ward Five—821 Wharf street, corner of Courtney.

The polls in Saanich are at Saanichton Agricultural hall, Royal Oak school house, the old school house on Boleskine road, Cedar Hill road school house, the Arena, Cadboro Bay road; Oak Bay avenue school house, Glower's house, Marigold road, Garden City; and Butler's store, corner of Tillicum road and Maddock avenue.

In Esquimalt the polling places are: Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Colwood hall, Metchoin hall, West Sopke school house, East Sopke school house, Mr. Gordon's house at Otter Point, T. Brazil's house at Port Renfrew, W. Hall's house at Shawinigan Lake, the club house at Jordan River, the store at Bamerton Bay, Luxton hall and Goucher's store at Langford.

Polls will be held in Cowichan at Cobble Hill, Cowichan Station, Duncan, Sonoma, Westholme, Cowichan Lake, Chemainus, Shawinigan Lake, Cranford and Cloose.

In Nanaimo the poll will be held in the court house, and in Newcastle there will be polls at Ladysmith opera house, and in the school houses at South Wellington, Extension, South Cedar and Northfield.

The polling places in The Islands will be in the court houses at Sidney and Mayne Island, the old court house at North Salt Spring, the school houses at South Salt Spring, North and South Gabriola, Galiano, North Fender and Dece Cove, the post office at Saturna Island, Mahon hall at Gauges, the wharf house at Retreat Cove, Burchell's store on Thetis Island, and Spaulding's house on South Fender.

On the eve of an election the government is at its old tricks with the electors of omniscience, and is trying to hand out a little of Mr. Bowser's "message" to the farmers. The present road between Smithers and Telkwa climbs a big hill, and takes a switch-back. It is the old Foley, Welsh & Stewart road and has been maintained by the government as a highway, although it does not serve a single settler. Now that the Bowser candidate there needs help the public works department is going to lay out a road along the river, which will give a better grade, and serve the farmers.

The proposed road should have been built in the first place, but it is the usual way of the department to build one road or spend money on an old road and then in the end build the one that ought to have been given the people in the first place.

From New Hazelton comes these speculations: Prince Rupert is still wondering why their big dry-dock is not working. Local miners are wondering why a transcontinental railway cannot haul the ore fast enough away from the mine. The halibut fishermen are wondering why they cannot get enough cars. These things all affect Prince Rupert seriously.

Dominions Royal Commission.—The committee of the board of trade having in hand the work of arranging the witnesses to give evidence before the Dominions Royal Commission met this morning and decided on a large number of people who will be asked to give information which will be of value to this province. The committee will meet again before the commission arrives.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—Small capital to develop good mining property. Box 965, Times. \$3

WHAT OFFERS—House and lot, Montreal street, two blocks from breakwater. Worth inquiring about. Box 968, Times. \$3

LOST—Pair of Talc, deep curve eyeglasses, in a case bearing the name of Frank Clugston, optician and optometrist, Victoria, B. C. Reward paid by delivering same to Mr. Clugston's office, 64 Yates street. \$3

WANTED—About a dozen good year old Ancons of Wyandotte. Apply 318 Sumas avenue, Parkdale, or Box 995, Times. \$3

FOR SALE—Baby's folding buggy, in good condition, \$7.50. 749 Scott St. \$3

TO RENT—Comfortable, 5-room residence, No. 44 Duchan street, near Moss street school, Good Cheer furnace, garage, etc., only \$16 per month. Apply E. W. Whittington Lbr. Co., Ltd. Phone 2897. \$3

BORN.

TODD—On Sept. 7, at "Dainhurst," Newport avenue, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest D. Todd, a son.

A. E. MATHESON

Consider Their Comfort

Selecting Shoes for children is as important as for adults. Aye; more so. Especially when you realize the fact that the bulk of the foot trouble which develops in later years is the direct result of badly-fitting and badly made shoes worn during youth. This week we are making a specialty of Children's Footwear. Our stock is absolutely complete, and we can give you any last in any size, and in any leather. We supply shoes from America's foremost makers. Bring your children along; we guarantee satisfaction.



1111 Government Street. Next to Kirkham's

LOCAL NEWS

What's in a Name? Macey means the high class stationery shop at 617 View street. Special attention given to announcements, invitations and to engraved and embossed work generally.

Guaranteed by Haynes—Means Haynes wants you to return your watch to him, if it is not absolutely satisfactory, after he has repaired it.

Hudson's Bay "Imperial" Lager Beer, pints, 3 for 25c.

Eat More Good Candy.—The healthfulness of pure candy is a scientific fact proved by fact of long standing, and there is not an atom of anything in pure candy to cause it to be anything but healthful. We claim our candies to be free from all candy substitutes. They are manufactured in Victoria and the public receive them in a fresh condition. Special for Friday and Saturday, coconut Japs, 20c per lb.; fruit and silver medals awarded for purity and excellence. Wiper & Co., K. Confectioners; 1210 Douglas St., and 607 Yates.

Preaching at Victoria West.—J. W. Bengough, the well known prohibitionist and cartoonist of Toronto, will preach on Sunday morning at Wesley church, Victoria West, on the subject of "Prohibition in British Columbia."

Public Market.—Week-end market will witness a large attendance of growers and full lines of all seasonal produce. All the stalls are expected to be filled with fresh local fruit, vegetables, flowers, plants, meats, fish and all dairy and home-made products.

Imprisoned for Desertion.—For deserting from the 143rd Battalion, C. E. F. Pte. G. H. Clarkson was sentenced to four months' imprisonment with hard labor in the provincial police court by Magistrate Jay this morning. Clarkson, who was found in plain clothes in Vancouver, was brought to Sidney by the military police and, having been declared a deserter, was turned over to the civil authorities for trial.

Yesterday's Rainfall.—Yesterday's and last night's rainfall in Victoria amounted to .13 in., about the same amount falling on the lower mainland. Rain was almost general throughout the province, and the condition spread south right down as far as Oregon. In the Prince Rupert district there have been heavy rains over the last three or four days. In the Kootenays, on the other hand, the weather is very fine and moderately warm. In the Prairie Provinces it is fine also, with temperatures ranging in the neighborhood of 70. Ontario is experiencing unusually warm weather for the season of the year with 90 degrees in Toronto yesterday. Locally the forecast is that the conditions of yesterday and to-day will probably continue for a few days longer, with showers at night.

Prohibition Open-Air Meeting.—The open-air meetings which are being held at Yates and Broad street under the auspices of the People's Prohibition Movement, will be continued at 8 o'clock to-night, the speaker to be—

NITROGEN LAMPS WANTED

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 3 p. m. on Monday, September 18, 1916, for 1,000 or more Nitrogen Filled Lamps. Specifications can be secured from the City Purchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed, and marked on outside of envelope "Tender for Lamps." Each tender must be accompanied by a marked cheque for five per cent of the amount of the tender, made payable to the City Treasurer. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT, City Purchasing Agent.

BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS

The next statutory sitting of the Board of License Commissioners will be held on Wednesday next, the 13th day of September, 1916, in the Police Court, 625 Esquimaux street, at 2.30 p. m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, City Clerk.

Victoria, B. C., September 8, 1916.

HEARING ADJOURNED

Application Made to Have Licut. Col. Forsythe Committed for Contempt of Court.

An application was made this morning by F. A. McDiarmid before Mr. Justice Morrison sitting in chambers, to have Licut. Col. Forsythe committed to jail for contempt of court. A. F. Luxton appeared for the defendant.

This case came up some time ago before Mr. Justice Murphy, who held that while the War Relief Act did not make provision for the protection of officers of the army, yet its intention was to include them, and therefore he dismissed it. The case was argued at some length this morning and finally adjourned until Tuesday next.

The War Relief Act specifies that a person who enlists cannot be sued, but as an officer does not enlist but receives a commission from His Majesty he is not affected by the provision of the act.

The application came up in connection with the case of Tobin vs. the Commercial Investment Co., in which the defendant refused to obey an order of the court.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

Table with columns for NATIONAL LEAGUE and AMERICAN LEAGUE, listing teams and scores.

TO-NIGHT--Public Meeting

ABOLISH THE BAR

Vote YES on Sept. 14. Mark Your Ballot Thus:

Are You in Favor of Bringing the British Columbia Prohibition Act into Force? YES X NO

COME ABOLISH THE BAR COME

The People's Prohibition Movement

Vancouver Island Branch

101-2 Union Bank Building, Victoria. Phone 4319

LIQUOR LIES Nailed to the Mast

Liquor Men say: Prohibition would destroy annual custom duties and inland revenue to the extent of \$2,000,000.

THE FACT IS: The total revenue from liquor that comes to B. C. is \$860,000, while the Province pays \$494,000 for the administration of justice and \$357,000 for the care of the insane, and three-quarters of this is due to the effects of drink. This means the Province would lose \$230,000 instead of \$2,000,000.

Liquor Men say: Prohibition would destroy half of the \$50,000,000 invested in licensed properties. This is what is called the economic argument against Prohibition.

MR. C. B. BLETHEN, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR OF THE SEATTLE TIMES, SAYS: "My paper fought its dammedest against Prohibition. We fought it on economic grounds alone. We believed that in a great seaport town like Seattle Prohibition would be destructive. But how has it worked out? Business has expanded quickly, and Prohibition is a great benefit from an economic standpoint."

Liquor Men say: Prohibition would drive 5,000 men out of employment in this Province.

THE FACT IS: There are not 5,000 employed in this business in the Province. Besides, Frank Kerr, City Relief Commissioner of Winnipeg, says: "Prohibition has solved the unemployed problem. For the first time in four years the relief department of Winnipeg has been free from men seeking work. There is all kinds of work for everybody."

Liquor Men say: Prohibition would increase taxation.

THE FACT IS: Prohibition would reduce taxation. It costs 5 times as much as the revenue received from the liquor traffic to care for the paupers, the insane, the orphans, the criminals and such like which drink creates.

Liquor Men say: Prohibition would drive away the tourist traffic.

THE FACT IS: The money saved from drink would be spent in travel. The tourist traffic of Seattle has increased since Prohibition.

Liquor Men say: Prohibition will give to every constable the right to search your house without a warrant.

THE FACT IS: The constable has that right now under the existing Bowser Licence Act—and that right has never been abused once. Under Prohibition the officers of the law will not abuse that right either—so long as a man himself does not turn his house into a saloon.

Liquor Men say: Prohibition produces moral weakness.

THE FACT IS: The liquor men dare not say the people of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are moral weaklings.

READ THIS:

Henry Arnot, M.D., L.R.C.P., the great pioneer expert into the effects of alcohol on the brain and human life, says:

"Liquor men would give our sons the liberty of the jail, the asylum and the potter's field; our daughters the liberty of the brothel, our children the liberty of the poor house, and our mothers the liberty to go out scrubbing. They have been giving us that kind of liberty long enough—it is time we had a change."

Vote Yes on Sept. 14, and we shall have a change.

Liquor Men say: "Give us liberty to sell booze, which poisons our soldiers and helps the Germans."

That is the meaning and purpose of the liquor advertisements in our newspapers.

Liquor Men don't care for the liberty for which our fathers fought and for which our soldiers are fighting to-day. They are willing to sacrifice that liberty to retain their liberty to sell booze.

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The Hostess: "Don't you think she sings with feeling?"

The Guest: "Oh, I do! I don't see how anybody could sing like that without feeling."

—Sydney Bulletin.

BRITAIN'S COURSE NOT CHANGED BY STATES

Blacklist Must Stand, Lord Robert Cecil Intimates; Reply Soon

London, Sept. 8.—"The government's reply to the protest of the United States against our blacklist will be ready in a few days," said Lord Robert Cecil, minister of war trade, today in an interview. "It is unlikely that it will alter the blacklist. The government could not make any change for the United States without making changes in the blacklisted firms of other nations."

Blacklisting is entirely a war measure. The assumption that it will be continued after the war is incorrect.

GERMAN FALSEHOOD ABOUT S. E. ROUMANIA

London, Sept. 8.—Roumanian authorities in London say the results of the fighting in the Roumanian province of Dobruja are being greatly exaggerated and that what has happened was more or less expected. They say there were not as many Roumanian troops in the district as the Germans claim to have captured.

TO A COMMISSION.

Washington, Sept. 8.—Settlement of the Alaskan fisheries dispute with Canada probably will be made by a joint high commission as the result of the defeat of the Chamberlain amendment designed to rehabilitate the American industry.

TRAINING PIONEERS.

London, Sept. 8.—Major Hoyle, of Vancouver, has been attached to the pioneer training depot.

CANADA NOT YET EXHAUSTED.

We must warn the public against looking at the situation too optimistically. England has developed during this war a vigor and energy such as she has never shown before in her history, not even in the Napoleonic wars. Now we are asked to believe that she is giving up the whole enterprise before she is completely defeated and before all her means of fighting are exhausted. Herr Morath believes that this is a war of exhaustion against England; that she cannot produce more recruits than are necessary to drag the war along; that India can hardly provide more recruits than are required to fight in Mesopotamia, Egypt and Salonica; and that Canada and Australia are already exhausted of men. This view, to say the least, is optimistic out of all proportion to reality. There are no grounds at all to warrant the conclusion that Canada cannot send any more troops; on the contrary, the dispatch of troops from the colonies still continues. Besides, South Africa will send troops to Europe immediately the campaign in East Africa is finished. It is not without reason that British statesmen speak of the rich sources of supply in men and material within the empire. England, moreover, is still very strong as regards finances, and even Russia and Italy are not yet exhausted financially. We must pay no attention to any rumors about England's exhaustion until there are positive signs of it. Not merely are any such signs quite lacking at this moment, but on the contrary everything goes to show that England is still resolved to go on fighting with all her might.—Krenz Zeitung (Berlin).

"Does your boy, Josh, know how to run the farm?" "Josh ain't supposed to bother with 'nits-trittin' detail like that," replied Farmer Crowsley. "Josh is the only one that knows how to run our new automobile."—Washington Star.

PROHIBITION PARTY AND THE CANDIDATES

Answers of Those Running for Legislature to Questions Published

Vancouver, Sept. 8.—The People's Prohibition Party today announced its "slate" for the coming election, based on the answers to certain questions which were propounded to the candidates. The slate is not a slate adjusted to the number of seats in a constituency, for there are no fewer than 12 names given as first choice for the city of Vancouver, and a second choice of three names.

Premier Bowser, who is in the city today, is not on either list, but this is explained by the premier's statement that he did not receive a request to answer the questions. The same fact is said to explain the absence of Mr. Brewster's name, and the board of control of the prohibition party decided to issue its list without waiting for the replies of the two party leaders.

The statement handed out by the prohibitionists says that the following questions were asked of the candidates for the legislature:

1. Do you approve and support the principle of prohibition of the liquor traffic in the province of British Columbia?

2. Do you support the British Columbia Prohibition Act which at the present time is being submitted to the electorate upon a referendum?

3. If this act should be approved by a majority of the electors voting upon it, would you, if elected, do all in your power to secure its proper and full enforcement?

The following is a list of the candidates who have answered the above questions, without qualification in the affirmative:

Vancouver.—Liberals, Cowper, Donnelly, McIntosh, Smith, Macdonald, Parris. Conservatives, Tisdall, McGuire. Independents, White, Fawcett, Appleby, Trotter, Victoria—Bell, Ernie, independent, North Vancouver.—Hanes, Morden, Yale—Joseph W. Walters, Richmond—McGee, Baird, McBride. South Vancouver.—Wear, Boulton. Columbia—J. N. Taylor, at the front, no report possible. Chilliwack—W. L. Macken, Nelson—T. L. Bloomer, Greenwood—M. B. Jackson, Independent Labor, Delta—A. D. Patterson, New Westminster—D. Whitehead, Simulka—R. S. Conklin.

The following have returned qualified answers, but answer question 3 in the affirmative: Victoria—A. Stewart and H. C. Hall (with qualifications); Cariboo—J. M. Yorston, Vancouver.—Thomas Duke, Macgowan (qualified), Walter Leek, Newcastle—Parker Williams, Prince Rupert—Manson, Kamloops—F. W. Anderson, Salmon—T. A. Pauline, Trail—J. H. Schofield.

FORD TO VANCOUVER.

Vancouver, Sept. 8.—Henry Ford is expected to arrive in Vancouver tomorrow from the east.

NOW LIVING WITH BLONDE ESKIMOS

Missionary From Saskatoon is Educating Aborigines at Coronation Gulf

Saskatoon, Sept. 8.—The blonde Eskimos discovered by the murdered explorer, Radford, on Coronation Gulf, above the Arctic Circle, were reached by a Saskatoon man, Rev. H. Girling, of Emmanuel College, on October 10, 1915. Mr. Girling is the first white man to live among these people who, since their discovery, have constituted an ethnological mystery and have formed the goal of several ill-fated expeditions.

In a letter received this morning by Rev. Dr. Carpenter, principal of Emmanuel College, the missionary tells of his travels. The letter was dated last December from Camp Necessity: "Ten days' journey from the new Eskimos. It is postmarked Nome, Alaska, to where it evidently was brought in an emergency whaler from the most northerly outpost of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police."

During the journey from Herschel Island to Cape Bathurst, Mr. Girling's party experienced good weather, but after this point the reverse was the case. A heavy storm swept the party off Cape Parry, near Banks Land, and all but swamped them. Finally, on September 6, in a dense fog and blizzard the men were beached five miles west of Clifton Point, but the little 19-ton auxiliary cruiser suffered little damage. At this point they were compelled to build winter quarters, naming it Camp Necessity. On October 1, in company with a native, Mr. Girling left for the east, and on October 10 reached the first tribe about 10 miles east of Cocksburn Point. This sled journey was rendered difficult by bare rocks, little snow having fallen. Besides, the party had only three dogs, the other seven having died.

Speaking of the education of the blonde Eskimos, Mr. Girling says that in both grammar and diction a great deal has been accomplished. The twelve months he spent among the Mackenzie river Eskimos is of great assistance, the new Eskimos having but a dialectic difference.

"The southern party of the Canadian Arctic Stefansson expedition, under Dr. A. M. Anderson, has been very kind to us, helping us in many ways," writes Mr. Girling. "As you know by now, Mr. Stefansson was picked up on Banks Land by the Polar Bear, a whaling ship. He has discovered extensive land to the north of Prince Patrick Island. While at Herschel Island I made his acquaintance, and besides showing keen interest in our expedition, he helped us in various ways."

SEVERAL CANADIANS IN IMPERIAL ARMY WOUNDED

London, Sept. 8.—The following casualties among Canadians serving in the Imperial army have been announced: Col. H. Bales, Royal Engineers, from Toronto; L. Owen, R. A. M. C., from Ontario; A. G. Empt, London regiment, from Toronto; H. Harris, Middlesex regiment, from Ontario; R. W. Hartley, Lancashire Fusiliers, from Montreal; S. Goodman, Royal Fusiliers, from Toronto; G. Beckley, King's Liverpool regiment, from Vancouver.

NEW GOWN FOR DEATH.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Lillian Bergson, employed in a downtown office, saved \$162, bought a new white dress with which to drap her own dead form, and then killed herself. Her body was found in a gas filled room in her boarding house yesterday. A note to her landlady read: "The money is for my funeral expenses."

BRITISH S. S. SUNK.

London, Sept. 8.—The British steamship Heathtown, of 8541 tons gross, has been sunk, according to announcement made at Lloyd's.

KAROLYI AND HIS PARTY WANT PEACE

Hungarian Leader Thinks Transylvania Should Remain Part of Hungary

Budapest, Sept. 8.—Count Karolyi, the leader of the new independence party, speaking recently in the Hungarian chamber, said it would be in the interests of peace if the government would make a declaration with regard to the war aims of the dual monarchy and the peace conditions it demanded, according to the report of the sitting contained in a Budapest newspaper a copy of which has reached Amsterdam.

But although he wanted a speedy peace, Count Karolyi continued, he wanted a lasting peace. Referring to Roumania, he said:

"So long as a Hungarian breathes, we will fight unswervingly for the integrity of Hungary and the defence of Transylvania."

Count Tisza, the premier, emphatically declared his agreement with Count Karolyi's view that so long as a Hungarian was left alive the Hungarian nation would resist to the utmost any attack upon her integrity.

"I speak of our enemies and the fact that we must wage war further if we wish to defend our integrity," he said, "for this war is directed against our integrity. It is openly avowed that the partition of the dual monarchy, and especially of the Hungarian state, is the object aimed at. So long as we are faced by such a situation, we shall not speak in this House of peace, but of victory."

BULGARIANS ADMIT ORSOVA WAS LOST

Roumanians in Hungarian Town; Bulgarian Claims Regarding Southern Dobruja

London, Sept. 8.—An undated Bulgarian official statement which reached here today says:

"Our troops advancing on Silistria reached the line Chatalja-Afagar-All-Fac-Ascalines, as well as the two bridgeheads of Turtukia."

"After successful fighting, our troops occupied Dobric (Bazardjik), Baidjik, Kavarna and Kalkakra."

"Our artillery successfully enfiladed the trenches of the enemy, who is occupying Orsova."

ALIEN VISITORS IN ENG. AND THE ARMY

London, Sept. 8.—Able-bodied Americans and other alien visitors are being advised by embassy and consular officials to carry their passports and identity books to obviate chances of being suspected of being British army absentees, in view of the frequent round-ups of men of military age taking place in different sections of the country. The authorities have been visiting without warning theatres, prize fights and other public gatherings lately, and last night spread the dragnet at the garden suburb of Golders Green and Hampstead.

ROBERT M'BRIDE NOT RUNNING IN RICHMOND

Vancouver, Sept. 8.—Robert McBride, independent candidate in Richmond in the approaching election, has withdrawn from the contest.

WHOLE GERMAN LINE WILL GO, SAYS FEYLER

French Reserves Untouched; British Pouring in; Germans in Desperation

Paris, Sept. 8.—As a result of the successes won on Wednesday the French now menace the town of Comblis, the cornerstone of the Germans' defence north of the Somme. They are very close on the south and southwest, and only three-quarters of a mile distant on the southeast. Meanwhile the British line draws nearer to the north.

The French took a big step closer to Peronne also by winning the hamlet or Ommeourt-le-Cler, in the bend of the river between Clerly and the stream itself. Despite furious bombardments, the Germans had held it with desperation, but the attacking tactics used on Wednesday were too clever, and this position fell with but a trifling loss to the assailants.

Approaching from the west and north, the French troops first surrounded a little group of ruined houses on the northern outskirts, where there was a nest of mitrailleurs. Taken by surprise, the defenders, a strong company, surrendered without firing a shot.

The rest of the garrison, numbering half a battalion, tried to escape in the direction of the road to Clerly, but the French colonials were too quick for them and cut their retreat by an advance astride the Comblis-Peronne light railroad. After a brief struggle the Germans threw down their guns.

Among the things the victors found more than 40 quick-firers intact and a battery of heavy guns, three of which were intact and in serviceable condition.

The success was highly important, not only because it consolidated the French positions just across the river, before the salient, but also as facilitating a further advance on Mont St. Quentin, the traditional key to Peronne, possession of which in 1870 gave the French the mastery of the Picardy stronghold.

One of the latest dispatches from the front quotes an officer who took part in the fighting on Wednesday to the south of Helly and southwest of Barleux, south of the Somme, as saying that General von Kirchbach launched ten abortive counter-attacks in succession. The dense German masses rushing in waves to the assault were mowed down in swaths by the French fire. The officer continues:

"In the sector south of the Somme alone the Germans engaged, in my opinion, numbered fully one army corps. The ground was covered with bodies. Between the Estrees road and the main road from Amiens to St. Quentin I saw at least nine heaps of corpses piled a yard high and more."

By 4 o'clock the Germans acknowledged their defeat and then on their shattered remnants the French charged again and won the hitherto unreduced salient between Chilly and Vermandovillers and captured a new line of trenches east of Sorescourt and right up to the edge of Denecourt Park."

Such losses as these, it is held here, must have a great effect on the Germans at the moment when Eindhoven is inclined to draw away every available man for the defence of the eastern front. The French reserves still are untouched, and British troops are arriving in thousands and tens of thousands daily, while the Germans, according to reports, look vainly for reinforcements or a respite from the slaughter.

Col. Feyler, the well known Swiss military critic, remarks that the allies are "like a rat gnawing steadily at the meshes of the German net, and the day is not far distant when the breaking strands will involve the whole line in confusion."

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Financial News

MONTREAL STOCKS

(By E. A. Borden & Co.)

Montreal, Sept. 8.—Activity in the local market developed outside the ordinary channels to-day, with Quebec Railway the leader. This stock was very strong all day, closing practically at the top. Brazilian Traction also became active and gained over two points. The total volume of business increased very little, however, as the stock issues were dull and very little changed in price. General common was easy at the start, but closed firm at the best of the day. Lake of the Woods Milling gained three points on a few sales, closing at 133. The terms of the new financing, WPA Loan are in the brokers' hands now and will be made public on Tuesday, Sept. 12.

Stock	High	Low	Close
Ames Holden, com.	22	22	22
Do, pref.	29	29	29
Bell Telephone	109	109	109
Brazilian Traction	133	133	133
Can. Pac. Ry.	178	178	178
Can. Cement, com.	61	61	61
Do, pref.	90	90	90
Can. Car. Edy, com.	43	43	43
Do, pref.	70	70	70
Can. S. S. com.	31	31	31
Do, pref.	58	58	58
Can. Locomotive	58	58	58
Can. Cottons	48	48	48
Can. Gen. Elec.	118	118	118
Cons. M. & S.	37	37	37
Gen. Electric	90	90	90
Crown Reserve	29	29	29
Detroit United	109	109	109
Dom. Canners	18	18	18
Dom. Bridge	28	28	28
Dom. I. & S.	57	57	57
Dom. Textile	132	132	132
Ill. Traction	45	45	45
Loyal Constn. Co.	70	70	70
Laurentide Co.	187	187	187
Laurentide Power	51	51	51
MacDonald Co.	13	13	13
Manit. Ry. & T. Co.	123	123	123
Montreal Tram.	27	27	27
N. S. Steel, com.	128	128	128
Ontario Steel Prod.	40	40	40
Ogilvie Flour Milling	160	160	160
Ottawa Power	85	85	85
Pennam. Lbr.	34	34	34
Quebec Railway	361	361	361
Riordan Paper Co.	70	70	70
Shawinigan	122	122	122
Steel of Can., com.	61	61	61
Do, pref.	89	89	89
Standard Pulp	11	11	11
Toronto Railway	37	37	37
Twin City Elec.	36	36	36
Windsor Elec.	98	98	98
Wayagamac Pulp	64	64	64
Dom. War Loan	97	97	97

INDUSTRIALS AND COPPERS ACTIVE

Market at New York Displayed Strength Throughout Session To-day

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Sept. 8.—The stock market was strong throughout the entire session, with the major activity in coppers and industrials. Among the former Inspiration Copper was the leader, and made a new high record at 63. In railroad stock activity was confined entirely to Reading, which became very active in 4 1/2 dealings and sold up to 112. There was some evening up of accounts at the close which took some of the cream off the advance, but the market closed steady and generally higher.

Stock	High	Low	Close
Allis-Chalmers	27	27	27
Ann. Steel Foundry	55	55	55
Ann. Agr. Chemical	73	73	73
Ann. T. & S. Co.	91	91	91
Ann. Can. Pac.	64	64	64
Ann. Car. & Foundry	62	62	62
Ann. Woodmen	60	60	60
Ann. Locomotive	78	78	78
Ann. Smelters	104	104	104
Ann. P. & T. Co.	122	122	122
Anacostia	80	80	80
Atchafalaya	104	104	104
B. & O.	80	80	80
C. P. & N.	174	174	174
Cal. Petroleum	21	21	21
Can. Leather	24	24	24
C. & O.	62	62	62
C. & G. W. pref.	30	30	30
C. M. & St. P.	48	48	48
Colo. Fuel & Iron	61	61	61
Colo. Oil	54	54	54
Con. Gas	124	124	124
Do, pref.	202	202	202
Do, 1st pref.	53	53	53
Goodrich	72	72	72
G. N. pref.	111	111	111
Ind. N. Ore. mfg.	29	29	29
Butte & Sup.	38	38	38
Gen. Elec.	114	114	114
Baldwin	89	89	89
Inspiration	63	63	63
Lackawanna	89	89	89
Kelly Springfield	51	51	51
Lehigh Valley	81	81	81
Maxwell Motor	51	51	51
Met. Petroleum	112	112	112
Overland	41	41	41
M. St. P. & S. S. M.	125	125	125
Mercantile	41	41	41
Do, pref.	122	122	122
Nevada Cons.	21	21	21
N. Y. C.	105	105	105
N. Y. U. & W.	20	20	20
N. & W.	139	139	139
N. P.	106	106	106
Pacific Mail	34	34	34
Pennsylvania	54	54	54
Reading	112	112	112
Railway Steel Spg.	49	49	49
Reading	112	112	112
Rip. Iron & Steel	55	55	55
S. P.	27	27	27
Sol. Railway	51	51	51
Do, pref.	98	98	98
Kennecott	52	52	52
Tenn. Copper	24	24	24
U. P.	104	104	104
United Fruit	167	167	167
U. S. Rubber	84	84	84
U. S. Steel	100	100	100
Do, pref.	118	118	118
Utah Copper	50	50	50
Western Union	96	96	96
Money on call, 30 per cent.	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Total sales, 1,075,000 shares.			
Bonds, \$114,000 par.			

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

Stock	Bid	Asked
Blackbird Syndicate	17.00	23.00
Can. Copper Co.	1.50	1.62 1/2
Crow's Nest Coal	73.00	73.00
Can. Cons. S. & R.	30.00	30.00
Coronation Gold	14	14
Graby	35.50	37.50
Shawinigan & Co. Co.	37	37
Lucky Jim Zinc	56 1/2	56 1/2
McGillivray Coal	39 1/2	39 1/2
Portland Tunnel	35	35
Portland Canal	21 1/2	21 1/2
Rambler Carbide	1.00	1.25
Shawinigan	1.00	1.25
Spaweston	35	40
Stewart M. & D.	25	25
Slocan Star	21	21
Stewart Land	7.00	7.00

TO-DAY'S TRADING ON THE WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, Sept. 8.—Wheat closed 3 1/2 cents higher for Oct. 3 1/2 up for Dec, and 3 1/2 up for Dec; barley, 1 cent higher, and flax 2 1/2 higher for Oct. 2 1/2 up for Nov, and 3 1/2 up for Dec. In spite of a small trade wheat showed surprising strength. It was mostly due to short covering. What looked like export buying was thought to be orders from American millers for Canadian wheat, duty paid. The trade, apart from this, was almost purely local and only of fair volume. The market was active, but the trade showed a disinclination to fight the advance. Offers were scarce. Hedging sales were smaller than usual. The cash prices got a bloom when the exporters stepped out of the market. No one wanted No. 1 and No. 2 Northern. These were 2 cents off and 5 cents over for No. 1. The lower grades were all mixed up.

NEW YORK CURE PRICES

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Commodity	Bid	Asked
Ann. Marconi	34	34
Cal. Petroleum	21	21
Can. Copper	1.50	1.62 1/2
Can. Cons. S. & R.	30.00	30.00
Crown Reserve	29	29
Cuban Can. Sugar	50 1/2	51 1/2
Em. Phone	34	34
Gen. Electric	104	104
Hedley Gold	17	18
Hollinger	24	24
Howe Sound	54	54
Kerr Lake	44	44

BUTCHERS' CASES GO OVER A WEEK

S. O. Copas Says Mayor Stewart Promised Immunity From Prosecution

CURIOUS ANOMALIES OF HOLIDAY REGULATIONS

Magistrate Jay Suggests School of Instruction for Tradesmen

The trial of the eleven cases against the butchers who remained open on Saturday afternoon will be heard next Friday, an adjournment being given in the city police court this morning at the request of J. A. Alkman, who said he represented the group of defendants.

Those charged with having their stores open were: Lawrence Goudreau & Sons, corner Government and Johnson streets. F. Burns & Company, two stores affected, 1402 Douglas and 902 Government.

Hall & Berry, 643 Fort street. H. Mackenzie, Pandora avenue. Harry Stanley, 306 Edward street. William Hick, 707 Pandora avenue. J. Hingshaw, 632 Yates street. New England Meat Co., 1398 Government street.

J. Haynes and F. Waddington, 769 Yates street. M. H. Barry, Royal Meat Market, Fort street.

The city prosecutor asked the counsel to give an undertaking that the premises would not be open next Saturday afternoon.

It was agreed then that the fact of being open would be admitted at the hearing, and so avoid the attendance of witnesses again.

Mr. Alkman then left the court after observing that another remark might be necessary to take a certain course, the nature of which he did not disclose.

After he had gone Mr. Harrison, the city prosecutor, stated that the butchers, he understood, had petitioned the government on the matter.

The case against Copas & Young, grocers, Fort street, was then called, and Mr. Copas came forward. He stated that his firm had found it impossible to close. He had visited the parliament buildings and had seen Hon. A. Stewart. The mayor had said: "No notice will be taken of the matter this time." On that assurance he had remained open.

The magistrate inquired if the same difficulty before a statutory holiday would not happen at Thanksgiving.

Mr. Copas replied that the circumstances were different. Last Saturday they had the extra business arising at the beginning of the month, which would not occur at Thanksgiving.

Defendant made some remark about other grocers being open on Monday. His firm did not belong to any association, and did not know what course they would adopt.

The magistrate—There is no penalty for Monday provided.

Defendant denied any intention to break the principle of the half holiday movement.

He was fined the sum fixed by the act for a first offence, \$10.

Hodgson & McCullough, James Bay grocery on Menzies street, was the next case. Application was made for an adjournment till Tuesday for legal representation, which was granted.

R. Meunier, delicatessen proprietor, Yates street, said he kept open because the others did. Fine of \$10.

A Chinese case, that of Ben Wing, charged with a breach of the barbers' by-law by being open for business on Monday, had a close affiliation to the above cases. It was admitted he had been open, but said in the past he had always been notified by the police of public holidays.

"There should be a school of instruction for tradesmen," Magistrate Jay observed, "so that citizens might know when to keep their premises open or closed."

Mr. Harrison: "A general act should be provided covering everyone." He observed that the Dominion government in passing the statute governing public holidays had not provided a penalty.

The court imposed a fine of \$5 and \$2.50 costs.

This concluded the cases affecting trade ordinances. The last case is particularly interesting in view of an effort to change the barbers' by-law which was turned down by the aldermen recently when it came before the council by petition.

SAILORS' RELIEF FUND

New Financial Secretary for Victoria Branch: Holding "Tag Day" in Near Future.

The executive committee of the Victoria branch of the British Sailors' Relief Fund met yesterday at the board of trade rooms. The chief business of the meeting was the appointment of a financial secretary, the new officer being Arthur Coles. This makes the executive committee as follows: President, Sir Clive Phillips Wolley; W. Blakemore, Admiral Storey, A. S. Barton; secretary, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick; financial secretary, Arthur Coles; treasurer, F. L. Crawford; Mrs. Thompson, president of the Ladies' Guild of the Connaught Seamen's Institute; Mrs. Dolg, regent of the Navy League Chapter, I. O. D. E.; Mr. Wm. Agnew, F. A. McDiarmid, H. E. Thompson and Alderman Porter.

A "Tag Day" is being arranged to

take place in the near future, and the day before the event some prominent speakers will give addresses on the objects of the fund. Lord Charles Bessborough is one of those who are devoting their energies to the work, and it was decided at the meeting yesterday that the money raised in Victoria would be given to these branches of the work coming under his direction. Mrs. Dolg, regent of the Navy League Chapter, I. O. D. E., assured the meeting of the hearty co-operation of the ladies of that organization. The meeting decided also to inaugurate a personal canvass for the cause, which, it is assumed, will be warmly supported by the people of Victoria.

MINISTER OF FINANCE COUNTENANCED BREACH

Informed Store-Keeper That No Prosecutions Would Take Place, for Special Reasons

There is a little sidelight on the police court proceedings in the Saturday half-holiday cases to-day which is of interest to the general public, as showing how the general illegality which marks the Bowser regime is affecting even the newest members of the cabinet; and how, also, the premier's habit of loose statement is a contagious one which spreads to his colleagues.

One of the matters which the retail clerks desired to have included in the act when it was under consideration was the exemption from the operation of the law of stores on a Saturday afternoon before a Monday holiday. The first instance of the necessity for this came last week-end, and it was because of that necessity that a firm like Copas & Young decided to ignore the law for that day, in which they were kept company by the butchers of the city.

The public should be aware that the law was not so ignored without the fore-knowledge of the government that this was going to be done. Some days ago Owen Copas waited upon Hon. Alex. Stewart, finance minister and at the time acting premier, and laid the facts before him. He was accompanied on that occasion by Leonard Tait, one of the Bowser candidates in the city.

The premier-minister assured them that no notice would be taken of the stores being open on Saturday last, on account of the holiday on the Monday, and practically left Mr. Copas with the impression that it would be for the storekeepers to keep open or not as they thought fit.

In spite of this—and be it remembered that the minister, as mayor, is chairman of the police commissioners—the chief of police was instructed to take the names of storekeepers who did not close, and to institute prosecutions. This being done, of course the magistrate had nothing to do but impose the penalty.

The cases against the butchers were laid over for a week.

LARGE SUM WASTED ON STRATHCONA PARK

Land Practically All Belongs to Private Owners

A contour map which cost in the neighborhood of from \$20,000 to \$30,000 is practically all the provincial government has to show for the sum of \$500,000 which has been spent on Strathcona park.

An attempt was made to construct a road between Campbell River Landing and Forbes Landing, a distance of nine miles, but even that was not possible for automobiles until \$10,000 more had been spent on it this year over and above the original expenditure mentioned above.

A sum of \$16,000 was expended in purchasing nursery trees and several hundred dollars more for planting them, but they are nearly all dead. Those who like the wild scenery of the country are rather glad that the imported trees are dead, as they would destroy the individuality of the park.

Perhaps the worst feature of the whole scheme is the fact that not a foot of land on Buttle's Lake belongs to the province. Part of it is in the E. & N. belt and the remainder is the property of foreign syndicates. Much of the best timber in the park is the property of the Alvensleben interests which, it is understood, is held by the bank, and of the British American Timber Co. The buildings erected by the government have all been placed on private property. The owners have notified the government that unless they purchase the land at once the buildings will be confiscated by them. The buildings are at Goose Neck Lake, Packer's Cabin, and Buttle's Lake.

Stores and material valued at many thousands of dollars are lying about the neighborhood. There are saddles, harness, tents, axes, shovels, stoves and ranges and other goods.

As an example of the way in which money was wasted by the imported fifteen-thousand-dollar-a-year engineer an attempt was made by him to drain Mud Lake from the south end, whereas the natural outlet would be on the north end. Eventually the effort was abandoned and the road built around it.

"The people of Victoria think they have a park," said the Times informant, who by the by is an employee of one of the big lumber owners, "but they have nothing of the kind. The land does not belong to them. The whole idea is fallacious."

JOHNSON ST. BRIDGE ARBITRATION CASE

Evidence This Morning Discloses Real Owners of the Property

The arbitration proceedings for the expropriation of the approach to the new Johnson street bridge commenced yesterday afternoon and continued this morning, a number of witnesses being examined and several maps being submitted for the information and guidance of the arbitrators. Arthur S. Barton presided, and with him were H. P. Bullen, representing the owners of the property, and J. Musgrave, for the government. H. B. Robertson conducted the case for the owners and C. F. Davie appeared on behalf of the government.

The evidence this morning was all called by the owners and was designed to show that the value of the property was practically the same as it was at the time the options were taken. Some of the witnesses stated that a thousand dollars a front foot would be a reasonable value to set at the present time, while A. C. Burdick, representing the syndicate, said that they would not like to take less than \$100,000, which was the amount named in the options which were taken several years ago.

Denis Harris produced plans and told of the condition of the property. In reply to questions he said that Mrs. Munn's lot was worth just as much as the others because it might be used for coal chutes, as it adjoined the railway.

John T. Matheson proved the ownership of the lots, one of which was the property of Kate Stafford Munn, and the others of Neil F. McKay.

A. C. Burdick, of the firm of Green & Burdick Brothers, explained that Mr. McKay was acting as trustee on behalf of the following owners: W. D. Bates, one-twentieth; R. F. Green, one-tenth; Island Securities Corporation, one-tenth; W. T. Shatford, one-tenth; Major Perry, one-tenth; R. S. Lemke, one-tenth; Carlton Bros., one-tenth; R. P. Taylor, one-tenth; the late Capt. J. H. McGregor, one-tenth; Green & Burdick Bros., five-fortieths; J. A. Whittier, one-twenty-fifth; Wm. Braden, one-eighth; James Anderson, one-fiftieth; and N. F. McKay, one-fiftieth.

The property was purchased on March 1, 1910, the whole of the 275 ft. cost \$100,000. Of this 165 ft. was proposed to be expropriated. This property was in the heart of the city and it was large enough for a decent sized boat to tie up at. The chart showed that it had 21 feet of water at low tide.

A month after purchasing the property mentioned, another syndicate was formed, some of whom were the same members, and they bought the adjoining lot of 60 feet at \$500 a front foot. So impressed were they with the possibilities of the harbor frontage that a little later they purchased from Senator Macdonald 76 feet for \$50,000, which was \$1143 per front foot.

In February, 1912, Mr. Burdick said that his firm had sold 21 feet facing the property now being acquired, receiving the sum of \$13,000 for it. Another sale of which he knew of property adjoining Mr. Munn's lot was sold by J. S. H. Matson, 20 feet realizing \$25,000.

Early in 1914 the syndicate gave an option to the city of \$160,000. They had asked \$200,000 and had dropped to \$150,000, finally agreeing to accept \$160,000 on condition that a by-law be submitted at once, and that a road be constructed over part of the property which would benefit their remaining property. They would still be loath to take less than the price of the option. They were prepared to hold the property indefinitely, and as soon as the war was over he felt sure it would be worth more than that amount.

In reply to Mr. Davie, Mr. Burdick said that the rental at present brought them \$95 a month, but that was because they had been unable to give a lease or improve the property on account of the options held by the city. The present assessment of the land was \$60,000, but last year it was higher than that and the previous year still higher.

Thomas S. McPherson and Thos. H. Leeming, real estate agents, both expressed the opinion that the property was at present worth \$1,000 a foot, and that the remaining property would be injured very much by the selling off of the larger portion.

Yesterday afternoon witnesses were called by the government. James Forman, of Helsterman, Forman & Co., and A. W. Bridgman agreed that the property was now worth about \$250 a front foot, although it would not fetch that amount on the open market. Mr. Forman told of the earnings of the Findlayson property on Wharf street, formerly rented to Harry Briggs at as high as \$200 a month, but now realizing only about \$50 a month. The property on Johnson street was out of the wholesale zone.

The court will continue to sit until all the evidence has been heard.

Arts and Crafts Exhibition

The committee of the Arts and Crafts Club has decided to hold its annual exhibition from October 23 to 28 inclusive. A certain portion of the net proceeds this year, as last, will be devoted to the prisoners-of-war fund. This year, there is to be an industrial exhibition early in October, the beneficiary of which is to be the Red Cross. It is felt, nevertheless, that Victoria will be able to give some measure of support to the later undertaking, which will be in the rooms used last year by the Union Bank building, View street.

The committee on arrangements is composed of T. Bamford, Dr. Hasell, J. J. Shalleross, Miss Crease, Miss Mills, Miss Agnew, Mrs. Hasell, Miss Kitch, Miss Hlaccocks, G. F. Murray, T. S. Gore, honorary treasurer, and Miss Alexander, honorary secretary.

Men of British Blood

Read Every Word of This Thorough, Interesting and Striking Explanation of Section 48 of the Proposed B. C. Prohibition Act by

MR. CHARLES WILSON, K. C.

Barrister-at-Law and Ex-Attorney-General

(The text of this advertisement is taken from a letter written by Mr. Wilson, which is published by his kind permission)

"I have been to some extent perplexed with respect to expressing an opinion on the B. C. Prohibition Act, because it seems doubtful whether it is possible to say anything new upon the subject, and whether, in point of fact, it is not from an argumentative standpoint exhausted. I incline to the view that further argument, properly so called, for or against prohibition is useless. The question of prohibition or no prohibition has, I think, passed beyond the realm of argument and entered the realm of belief. People have made up their minds upon the subject one way or the other, and the number of votes that can be influenced by further discussion upon its merits is, in my opinion, a negligible quantity.

"From what I have said you will readily see that I am not proposing to discuss the merits of prohibition, or the desirability of prohibiting the sale of intoxicating drink. My own views on the subject as fairly well-known, and I expressed them without hesitation when attending a meeting before Sir Richard McBride.

"There is one aspect of the proposed B. C. Prohibition Act to which the attention of the public has not, in my opinion, been sufficiently invited, and, therefore, perhaps I might properly say something about it. The section to which I refer is Section 48, and for convenience I will cite the section in full:

"48. (1) The superintendent and any police officer, policeman or constable shall, for the purpose of preventing or detecting the violation of any of the provisions of this Act, at any time have the right to enter into any and every part of any building or place wherein refreshments or liquors are sold or reputed to be sold, or where he believes liquor is kept contrary to the provisions of this Act, and to make searches in every part thereof and of the premises connected therewith as he may think necessary for the purpose aforesaid, and for such purpose may, with such assistance as he deems expedient, break open any door, lock or fastening of such premises or any part thereof, or of any closet, cupboard, box or other receptacle which might contain liquor.

(2) Every person being therein or having charge thereof who refuses or fails to admit any such superintendent, police officer, policeman or constable demanding to enter in pursuance of this section in the execution of his duty, or who obstructs or attempts to obstruct the entry of such superintendent, police officer, policeman or constable, or any such searches as aforesaid, shall be guilty of an offence against the provisions of this Act."

"On a recent occasion a prohibition speaker stated: 'Prohibition will abolish the bar.' 'Yes,' interrupted a voice in the audience, 'and abolish freedom at the same time.' That voice in the audience correctly interpreted the foregoing section.

"Now, let us examine that section for a moment. It gives the persons mentioned, amongst them any policeman or constable, the right at any time to enter any building where liquors are sold, or reputed to be sold, or are kept, contrary to the provisions of this Act, and it confers very extensive powers of search, etc., breaking open doors, closets, cupboards, boxes, etc.

"There is well known a legal maxim that a man's house is his castle. At common law an officer may break open a house to take a felon, or upon suspicion of felony, for it is for the common weal to take them, but this is founded originally on process. That is to say, the man has a warrant to take the felon, and by reason of his warrant to take the felon the law gives him the right to break open any house for the purpose of executing the King's process, for, as already stated, it is for the common weal.

"Let us see what our old authorities say with respect to this right to break and enter a house. I turn to Hawkins' Pleas of the Crown, Chapter XIV:

WHERE DOORS MAY BE BROKEN OPEN IN ORDER TO MAKE AN ARREST

"And now I am to consider in what cases it is lawful to break open doors, in order to apprehend offenders.

"And to this purpose I shall premise that the law doth never allow of such extremities but in cases of necessity, and therefore, that no one can justify the breaking open another's doors to make an arrest, unless he first signify (1) to those in the house the cause of his coming, and request them to give him admittance.

"Section 2. But where a person authorized to arrest another who is sheltered in a house, is denied quietly to enter into it, in order to take him, it seems generally to be agreed that he may justify breaking open the doors in the following instances:

(1) No precise form of words is required to be used in giving notice. It is sufficient if the party is made acquainted that the officer does not come as a mere trespasser, but claims to act under a proper authority, provided the officer had in fact a legal warrant."

"He then cites a number of instances in which breaking open doors is justified, and not one of them without some legal warrant or authority. His fifthly is not unworthy of comment:

"Section 7. Fifthly. Where one known to have committed a treason or felony, or to have given another a dangerous wound, is pursued, either with or without a warrant, by a constable or private person. But where one lies under a probable suspicion only, and is not indicted, it seems the better opinion at this day, that no one can justify the breaking open doors in order to apprehend him."

READ THE ACT--VOTE "NO"

"Now, mark this, the right to break and enter is where one is known to have committed a treason or felony, but suspicion alone will not justify breaking open doors in order to apprehend a criminal. But the peaceable inhabitant of a house in British Columbia may have his home violated on the 'belief' of any police officer who chooses to 'believe' that the householder is doing something in contravention of this Act.

"Another writer on the same subject is to the following effect:

"In all cases where the King is party (as where a felony or misdemeanor has been committed), the sheriff, if the doors be not open, may break the party's house, to execute the King's process, if otherwise he cannot enter; but before he breaks it, he ought to signify the cause of his coming, and make request to open doors.

"Bare suspicion, however, touching the guilt of the party will not warrant proceeding to this extremity, though a felony has been actually committed, unless the officer comes armed with a warrant from a magistrate grounded on such suspicion."

"The right to break open premises and search is given by modern statutes in a variety of instances founded upon a warrant, which warrant itself is obtained because it has been proved upon oath before a magistrate that there is reasonable cause to suspect that a crime has been committed. Then there must be a demand for entry by the officer, he being armed with the warrant, and a refusal.

"Let us examine for a moment the analogous provisions of the Canada Temperance Act. The material parts are as follows:

"If it be proved upon oath before any judge of the sessions of the peace, recorder, police magistrate, stipendiary magistrate, two justices of the peace or any magistrate having power or authority of two or more justices of the peace, that there is reasonable cause to suspect that any intoxicating liquor is kept for sale in any dwelling house, any one of these officers mentioned may be granted a warrant to search for intoxicating liquor and it is then to be brought before him."

"In this case two elements must concur. The officer or person making the complaint must have reasonable cause to suspect, and the magistrate, and he not a simple justice of the peace, mark you, must be satisfied upon the oath of the officer or person making the complaint that this reasonable cause exists before he grants his warrant. The right to enter is not founded on 'belief,' but on the warrant. In other words, so carefully has Parliament protected the right of the individual to the sanctity of his own home that it safeguards it in the manner already mentioned.

"The Legislature of British Columbia, however, has taken no such pains to safeguard the rights of the individual. The right to enter under this Act does not depend upon anybody's oath. It does not depend upon reasonable cause to suspect, it does not depend upon magisterial warrant, but the right to enter is given in every case where the persons mentioned, that is policeman or constable, 'believes liquor is kept contrary to the provisions of this Act,' and thereupon at any time, mark you, day or night, he may break into and enter into your house for the purposes mentioned in the section, and no part of your house where liquor could possibly be stored is safe from his breaking. Your child's toy box, your daughter's wardrobe, your wife's work box, nothing, in fact, which could by any possibility contain liquor, is exempt from his intrusion, and this tremendous power is given to any officer, to any policeman, if he only 'believes' that there has been a contravention of the Act.

"A bench of judges might very well differ as to whether or no under certain circumstances the Act has been contravened, but the policeman is permitted to exercise this overpowering authority at which judges would halt or differ, and violate your house and home on a simple question of 'belief.'

"Now, we may be told that this has been in force for some time, that it is taken from the Liquor License Act. To that I should answer, not entirely. The License Act only gives him the right to enter when he believes liquor has been kept 'for sale.' This so-called B. C. Prohibition Act gives him the right to enter whenever he believes the Act has been contravened.

"We may be further told that the License Act having been in force for several years, there is no one single instance that the power given has ever been abused. That, in my opinion, is to the credit of the policemen, not of the Legislature. It is to the credit of the police that, while these extensive powers have been conferred upon them, there is no known instance yet of their having been abused.

"The question of whether or no the power may be abused is not the point. The power to enter a man's house should never be conferred without magisterial warrant. In the case of our Prohibition Act, there is not one single safeguard around it. It is entirely a case of the 'belief' of a police officer that the Act has been contravened.

"Let us hope that no one who values the sanctity of the home and the preservation of some measure of individual liberty will vote for this Act. (Signed) CHARLES WILSON.

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WHY BOWSERITES DO NOT MEET ELECTORS

Four Candidates Planned to Have Their Views Conveyed Second-Hand in Canvass

The weather conditions last evening were rather in harmony with the prospects of the Bowser candidates in this campaign, and combined with the apathy of the public towards them, resulted in very small attendances at the meetings held.

It was possible to hold two in the eastern portion of the city, one in the old Presbyterian church on Redfern street (Hulton street), in the Oak Bay district, and the other in Jones hall, Oaklands. There was only a handful of people out, but the candidates manfully went through what must have been a discouraging task in addressing them.

At the meeting in the old church there were not ten residents of the neighborhood, the size of the audience being augmented by a few workers from the central rooms. Peter M. Linklater, one of the license commissioners, was in the chair, and the meeting did not begin until nearly 9 o'clock, when it was clear that no one else was going to turn up. The Oaklands meeting, where ex-Alderman Sargent presided, was very little better.

Hon. Alex. Stewart gave what he termed as complete an answer as any one could make to the charge that the Bowser candidates are afraid to meet the public. This "complete answer" reveals that there was a deliberate plan to avoid meeting the electors any more often than need be. The four decided on a line of policy, said his worship, which had been followed to the letter. This was to have meetings in the rooms, where they could come in touch with the party committees, get acquainted with them and convey to their views on public questions for transfer to the public second-hand in the course of the canvass.

The workers were encouraged to ask and get information and explanations. Except for the one meeting at which the premier spoke there were to be none until after Labor Day.

He reiterated his reasons for joining the government. The only argument he advanced in support of its being a business government was that when anyone asks the premier for anything he gets a direct answer and is not put off until the morrow. For his own part Mr. Stewart acquitted himself from the accusation of being a turncoat and a prominent Liberal. His idea of a prominent party man was one who took an active part, attended all meetings, was on all committees and did all possible to advance the interests of his party, and did this continually. On these grounds he had no difficulty in freeing himself from the charge, if charge it was. He has cast as many Conservative votes as Liberal, he said, and considers men, not measures.

He had been elected mayor at a time when the city treasury was empty, he said, and there was a big over-draft, which had now been reduced to almost nothing. The province was practically in the same position, with a large amount of money owing to it which it could not collect at the moment. Ergo, Alex. Stewart is the man for finance minister. Which was to be demonstrated, as Euclid would have said.

His worship said he had a letter from an eastern financial house in which was the statement that Mr. Brewster's remarks made in the east about the position of the province, and his writ, had discredited British Columbia for many years to come. Capital was too shy to embark where there was any doubt of anything being wrong; if the writ was proceeded with and succeeded it meant that all legislation was void and the province must begin all over again; Mr. Brewster had not said it would be discontinued. The minister did not make it very plain whether he thought the province would have to begin all over again from 1871 or only from March 15.

He admitted that in the case of city affairs, the slightest doubt has to be removed, but he was very careful to steer quite clear of any discussion of his chief, as he calls him, did not take advantage of the law and refer his own doubt of the date of expiry of parliament to the court of appeal and have it settled there and then.

Touching on what the government had done in the way of legislation Mr. Stewart said the effect of the agricultural credits act does not in any way interest the people of the cities very much. He stated that while the railway guarantees might be considered extravagant all would be proud of the bridge he left severely alone, not from forgetfulness, for he mentioned that he was not saying anything on it.

Ald. Dilworth appeared to sway between some sort of independence and Toryism of the inbred variety; in language, at least. In one breath he declared himself a Conservative who had always been one because he did not believe his politics could be wrong, and in the next he asserted that if he thought the Conservative party was not doing right he would "hand his shingle over to the other fellows." By the way, the question arises from a remark made by the alderman as to some advice he gave Sir Richard McBride, did the railway policy originate with him? That could be safely inferred. If true, it would be another reason for leaving him at home next Thursday.

Apreros of changing sides, Ald. Dilworth expressed his opinion that "Alec done a noble act when he went over to the other party when he thought his own wasn't doing the right thing by the country." The alderman had been over on the reserve in the afternoon, and had been overcomers with the marvel of the shipbuilding plant. "It is really surprising you know," he confided to the audience. It

is going to be a good thing for Victoria if not for the country. As a farmer Ald. Dilworth does not agree with the mayor as to the operation of the agricultural credits act being of little interest to the cities. Whatever is good for the country districts is good for the towns, he declared.

Reginald Hayward pinned his faith to the shipbuilding policy as the best thing the government had done, but then it also had a lot of other things to its credit—these enumerated by the preceding speakers. He announced himself first, last and all the time a prospective member who would be for the business and general advancement of Victoria, and incidentally the province. From his language Mr. Hayward does not believe that any man who is a Liberal has any interest in Victoria or its industries. He took the customary Bowser candidate view of the steel industry or steel shipbuilding; it is practically impossible here; all the conditions are against it.

Mr. Hayward, by the way, as president of the Victoria Conservative Association, is one of those who have never had any objection to the activities of Harry Price, one of his fellow-officers, and for the "grafting" of Price to the tune of fifty cents a ton on the coal supplied to the government dredges in this harbor he has never had a word of protest. Recently he made objection to an appointment which had passed G. H. Barnard, M. P., on the ground that the appointee was not a native son!

Leonard Tait began with a declaration that the leading men of both sides respected each other, and that he respected the four candidates to whom he was opposed. He would not do anything to lose their respect, he said.

R. W. Perry, who closed the meeting with a burst of turgid eloquence, said the Conservatives of Victoria had nothing to say against a man because he was a Liberal.

The comment that naturally rises in regard to the statements of both these gentlemen, statements which do them credit, is that it would add force to what they said if they were to disown and denounce the contemptible falsehoods being circulated in dodger form with the object of discrediting candidates because they are Liberals.

MORE NAMES ADDED TO ROLL OF HONOR

Lieut. G. S. Ager, Previously Reported Missing, Now Thought Dead

Lieut. George Samuel Ager, reported wounded and missing after the heavy action at Ypres on April 21-25, 1915, is now believed to be dead. Lieut. Ager was one of the first Victorians to join the 5th Gordon Highlanders on its organization in November, 1913, and left for Valcartier with the first detachment of that regiment which went out from the island in August, 1914, shortly after the declaration of war. Subsequently, when the Canadians had completed their training at Valcartier and had put in some months at Salisbury Plains, he was drafted into the 18th Battalion, and was among the very first officers from the Dominion to be numbered among the wounded. In the same action Lieut.-Col. Hart McHarg, commanding the 7th Battalion, 1st British Columbia infantry, was killed. He was entertained for some time that "missing" signified "taken prisoner by the Germans," but as time went on no such word was received. Lieut. Ager had an interesting career. Before joining the Strathcona Horse to serve in the Boer war he was with the Royal North West Mounted Police. Returning to Canada from South Africa he first went to Slovan, B. C. Afterwards he came to Victoria, and was associated here as secretary for the Canada Mosaic Tile Company.

News has been received by friends in the city that Lieut. Charles Hall, for some time resident on James Island and later on Galliano Island, has died of pneumonia. Lieut. Hall was born in England, was educated at Wellington College, and subsequently went to Assam to engage in tea planting. For ten years or so he had lived in British Columbia, and some time after the war broke out joined the 88th Battalion. On reaching the old country he was granted his discharge and took a commission in the Buckinghamshire Regiment. He was wounded on July 15 while in action with his regiment, and died on August 13 at Millbank hospital, London. He was well known and had many friends in the Gulf Islands. A brother, Richard, is a member of the 11th Canadian Mounted Rifles, now in England. Another brother, Reginald, is a prisoner of war in East Africa.

Less well known in Victoria is Major W. A. T. Johnston, killed in action, who was attached to the 102nd Battalion, "Warden's Warriors," which was mobilized at Comox, and left Vancouver Island in June for England. He had been in France only a few days when he received his fatal wounds. Leaving here with captain's rank he was given his majority shortly after reaching the old country. His widow lives in Vancouver, where Major Johnston's home was at the time that he attached himself to the 102nd.

Another member of the 102nd Battalion, Lieut. Adair Cars, is reported wounded. Born in Rapid City, Manitoba, Lieut. Cars was well known in Victoria, having remained here with his parents when he was quite a young lad. He passed through the local High school, and went in for law, practising for some time in Prince Rupert in partnership with his father. He was in the northern city when he enlisted with the 102nd, subsequently taking the officers' training course at Work Point. He received his wounds in action on August 28, returning almost immediately to duty, however.

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WOMAN SUFFRAGE IN U. S.

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 8.—The National Woman Suffrage Association at its convention to-day defeated by an overwhelming vote a resolution that the association in the present national campaign support only those candidates for national offices who pledge their support to the passage of the Susan B. Anthony amendment for a federal constitutional amendment. The resolution was offered by Mrs. Raymond Robins, of Chicago, and a number of the other delegates.

BETTER TIMES TO FOLLOW IN ISLANDS

Homeward Bound Lawyer Says Philippines Will See Return of Prosperity

"While the whole question of the future of the Philippines largely depends on political conditions in the United States, the present status of the islands promises a return to a stable basis, such as has not been known for the last three or four years," said W. H. Lawrence, a young attorney of Manila, P. I., who is returning home after attending the Republican convention at Chicago as one of the two delegates from the islands. He had business in the States, he explained to the Times last evening before going out on the Empress of Asia with his family.

"The fear of political severance has seriously confused conditions in the islands, and development has been at a standstill," he said. "When the agitation for independence subsides, capital will return to the islands and a new period of activity will be open to the people of the Philippines."

"It seems to be generally understood in the United States that the islands are not to be abandoned, with the fear of their falling into the hands of the Japanese eventually, because hitherto there has not been a resident Japanese population of the dimensions relatively to other races which exists in the Hawaiian Islands. The occupation of the former German islands in the Pacific, seized by the Japanese at the outset of the war, does not appear to cause so much apprehension in the Philippines as in Australia."

Mr. Lawrence says the spirit of unrest which has been prevalent in the group for the last few years has oppressed the resident Americans in a way not understood on this continent, because the new residents went in with capital and resolute endeavor to make homes in the islands. The effect of political agitation has seriously depreciated the value of their investments and the results of their industry. He thinks if the islands are left alone, their value to the United States will justify their retention before many years are over.

The withdrawal of the Pacific mail steamers, he said, will practically divert all the cream of the passenger traffic from the islands homeward by the route.

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In most cases the information as to absentees will be certain enough to cause the immediate arrest of the personator. Justices of the Peace will attend at the polling divisions on election day and these Justices will have forms of information and warrants of arrest so that prompt action may be had in case of necessity. The Association asks your cooperation in defeating the efforts of the personator.

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(Signed) A. B. FRASER,
President Victoria Liberal Association.

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Many Lieutenants to Prepare Themselves for Higher Position.

Forty-one Lieutenants, mostly in the overseas forces, are entered for the captain's qualifying course which will open on Monday next at Work Point under the Royal School of Infantry. The following are the names of the candidates, with the corps they represent:

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- 197th Overseas Battalion, C. E. F. Lieut. A. M. O. Gold.
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- 221st Overseas Battalion, C. E. F. Lieut. T. S. Leslie, Lieut. C. M. Inglis, Lieut. H. M. Elliott, Lieut. D. E. Johnston, Lieut. W. D. Butler, Lieut. G. G. M. Hulme (Yukon Inf. Coy).
- 14th Regiment, I. F. of C. Lieut. R. McDougall, Lieut. D. R. MacDonald, Lieut. R. H. Gilbert, Lieut. W. F. T. Stewart, Lieut. E. Lo Messurier, Lieut.



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