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GERMANS BEGIN FRONTIER MOVEMENT

CARMANIA SINKS SHIP PEGASUS IS DAMAGED EMDEN TAKES PRIZES

Official Bureau and Admiralty Reports Give Impartial Information of British Gains and Losses in Naval Service at Distant Locations

London, Sept. 20.—The official press bureau made the following announcement to-night: "The Carmania, armed as an auxiliary cruiser, attacked and sank a German armed merchant cruiser, either the Cape Trafalgar or the Berlin, off the east coast of South Africa. The survivors of the German ship were rescued by a collier. The Carmania had nine men killed and twenty-six wounded."

The admiralty issued to-night bulletins of important encounters in far-off waters. Successes and misfortunes were both chronicled impartially. The admiralty report says that since the outbreak of the war the British light cruiser Pegasus, under command of John A. Inglis, had been working from Zanzibar and had rendered valuable services, including the destruction of Dar-Es-Salaam (a seaport in German East Africa) and the sinking of the German gunboat Mowe and a floating dry-dock.

Konigsberg Damages Cruiser.

"Early this morning," continues the statement, "she was attacked by the Konigsberg while anchored in Zanzibar harbor cleaning boilers and repairing machinery. The Pegasus, thus taken at a disadvantage and somewhat outraged by the newer four-inch guns of the Konigsberg, was completely disabled after suffering a loss, unofficially reported at twenty-five killed and eighty wounded. This is a high proportion out of a crew of 234."

"The damage done to the Konigsberg is not known. She was last seen steaming to the southward."

The Pegasus is a protected third-class cruiser of 2,135 tons, with a speed of 20 knots and armed with eight four-inch and eight 3-pound guns, and was built in 1899. Her crew numbered 234.

The Konigsberg is a more modern vessel, being built in 1907, a third-class cruiser of 2,350 tons, with an armament of ten 4.1-inch guns and eight 2.1-inch guns. She has a speed of 23.5 knots and a crew of 322 men.

"On September 10, the German third-class cruiser Emden, 3,544 tons, from the China station, after being completely lost for six weeks, suddenly appeared in the Bay of Bengal, and during the period including September 10 to 14, captured six British ships as follows: The Indus, Lovat, Killim, Diplomat, Frabcock and Kating, of which five were sunk and the sixth was sent to Calcutta with the crews of the others. The Emden is now reported at Rangoon, and it is possible that she has made other captures."

Dwarf Able to Hold Her Own.

"The British cruiser Cumberland, Captain Cyril Fuller, R. N., reports from the Kamerun river that a German steamboat on the night of September 14 attempted to sink the British gunboat Dwarf, Commander Frank Strong, with an infernal machine in her bows. The attempt failed and the steamboat with one prisoner was captured."

"On the night of the 16th the Dwarf was purposely rammed by the Nashtigall, a German merchant ship. The Dwarf was slightly damaged but sustained no casualties. The Nashtigall was wrecked. The enemy lost four white men and ten colored men, eight white men and fourteen colored are missing."

"A further report from the Cumberland to-day says that two German launches, one carrying explosive machines, were destroyed. The enemy lost one white man killed and three whites and two natives taken prisoners."

Falmouth, Eng., Sept. 20.—The German barque Ponape, from Iquique, Chile, for Antwerp, with nitrate, has been captured by a British warship and brought here.

French Review of Naval Affairs.

Bordeaux, Sept. 20.—An official announcement addressed to the navy and reviewing the work of the fleet since the outbreak of hostilities says: "The navy was called on to cover the return of troops to France from Africa which was done satisfactorily."

"Assisted by the British forces in the Channel and the North Sea, the command of the sea was attained from the first day the war broke out."

"The French and British fleets also assured the security of the Mediterranean after the flight of the Goeben and Breslau, and the enemy has not appeared again."

Cutting Off Enemy's Foreign Supplies.

"The German fleet does not leave its base. Nevertheless, the British fleet was able to fight a naval battle off Heligoland from which it emerged victorious. It is impossible to know whether the enemy's fleet will end by accepting the challenge, but meanwhile the allied squadrons are mistress of the sea and are blockading the German and Austrian coasts, forcing the enemy to live almost exclusively on themselves and reckon only on their own resources. This is certain assurance of ultimate success for us if the war is prolonged."

The communication proceeds to show that French sea-borne trade continues to enjoy full liberty of movement and concludes by emphasizing the manner in which the navy and army have co-operated for the defence of the country.

SERVIA CONTINUES SUCCESSFUL FIGHT AGAINST HER ENEMY

Nish via London, Sept. 21.—An official communication reviewing the Serbian campaign, says: "The enemy's attempts to cross the Drina on the Losnitza and Ratcha line have again failed and all the Austrian attempts to cross the Save on the Mitrovitza and Shabatz, have also been unsuccessful. Nothing of importance is reported from the Save and Danube front."

"The enemy are retiring from Visegrad, Bosnia, 40 miles southeast of Sarajevo, abandoning all its stores. Our troops seized 20,000 kilograms (about 44,000 pounds) of flour, 20,000 tins of meat, many blankets, a field hospital with 100 wounded and all medical stores and forty railway wagons."

"The Montenegrins, after carrying the fortress of Fochka and Gorazda, in Bosnia, captured Jabuka, on September 16, and took Rogatica on the 17th. The morale of our troops is excellent, but the Austrians are completely demoralized and are fleeing panic-stricken."

"The Montenegrin army is only 15 kilometres (about 10 miles) from the Bosna capital and has captured a large amount of booty."

RUSSIAN ARTILLERY BOMBARDS JAROSLAV

Fighting Has Begun With Garrison of Przemysl; Austrian Rear Guard Driven Back.

New York, Sept. 21.—Colonel Golejewski, military attaché to the Russian embassy, issued to-day the following official statement which he said he had received from Petrograd: "The Austrian rear guard, which attempted to delay our advance near Barrow, at Rzeszow, were driven back with heavy losses; our artillery is bombarding Jaroslav."

"Fighting with the garrison of Przemysl has begun; the artillery fortress has opened fire. In passing through the woods our troops find batteries of guns abandoned by the Austrians."

GERMANY PROPOSED AN ARMISTICE TO BELGIANS

London, Sept. 21.—A dispatch from Antwerp to the Central News says the armistice proposal made some days ago by Germany to Belgium provides that civil government in all towns should be immediately resumed by Belgium and the German occupation of these towns be discontinued on condition that communication with the Germans in France be not interfered with. Belgium refused to agree, saying to do so would be disloyal to the allies.

EMPEROR OF AUSTRIA IS VISITING WOUNDED

The Hague, Sept. 21.—The intimation recently cable abroad that Emperor Francis Joseph had fled from Vienna is denied by the Austrian-Hungarian minister here, who to-day received a dispatch describing the activities of the emperor on behalf of Austrian wounded. These include a visit to one of the imperial palaces which has been turned into a military hospital.

HAD LITTLE CROSSES TO TAKE INTO PARIS

Bordeaux, Sept. 21.—A Verdun dispatch to the Petit Gironde says French soldiers near that point found a valise of a Prussian officer, containing little iron crosses, strung on black ribbons and bearing the inscription "1814-1914."

MONTENEGRIN ARMY IS NEAR BOSNIA CAPITAL

London, Sept. 21.—A Montenegrin army is only ten miles from Sarajevo, capital of Bosnia, according to a dispatch received to-day by the Montenegrin minister from the foreign office at Cetinje. The communication adds that the Austrian army is retreating rapidly before the Montenegrins, abandoning rapid-fire guns and stores.

CRUISER NEWCASTLE NOW AT SAN DIEGO

San Diego, Cal., Sept. 21.—Arriving off Point Loma this morning the British cruiser Newcastle, stripped of all unnecessary deckwork, dropped anchor a mile and a half from shore. Capt. M. W. Diggle, commanding, came ashore in the ship's launch, paid his respects to the commander of the U. S. S. San Diego and visited the British vice-consul. He said he would proceed northward toward San Francisco this afternoon.

RHEIMS CATHEDRAL IS PILE OF RUINS

Despite Continuous Artillery Attack Germans Have Been Unable to Take City

INFANTRY CHARGES ARE MADE THROUGH SHRAPNEL

French Gain High Ground of La Pompelle at Point of Bayonet

Chalons Sur Marne via Paris, Sept. 21.—The Germans continued bombarding the principal buildings of Rheims all yesterday and last night. Debris and crumbling walls are all that is left of the thirteenth century cathedral, the most remarkable example extant of early Gothic architecture.

In addition to the cathedral, the museum, the hospital and the city were all for the greater part destroyed. Several inhabitants of the city were killed.

In spite of the bombardment and their repeated attacks on it, the Germans have been unable to take Rheims, which they evidently desire so as to obtain command of railways leading to Charleville, Verdun and Chalons. The allies have repulsed the German attacks and made several impetuous counter movements in which their infantry charged with magnificent bravery regardless of the terrible storm of shrapnel.

The first ranks suffered terribly, but as fast as the men fell others rushed up to take their places and when the enemy's lines were reached there were furious hand-to-hand encounters, in which the Germans were forced to give ground except on the heights of Brimon, which, owing to the overwhelming fire of machine guns, the Germans captured.

At the same time the French made a fierce assault on the heights of La Pompelle, which they carried at the point of the bayonet. The struggle was a desperate one, and after the retirement of the Germans, Turks were found dead from bayonet wounds with their hands clasped in such vice-like grips around the necks of antagonists that they literally had to be pried open.

Persons who have returned from Rheims say it is difficult to find words to describe these attacks and counter attacks of infantry amid showers of shrapnel and shell and in a deluge of rain. The Germans, they assert, seem in a desperate hurry to finish their task and are enraged at the stubborn resistance of the French. The Germans had all the best of the position at the opening of the battle, but the situation is now changed and the French have been able to gain positions of high ground that will enable them to fight on even terms and they declare the Germans will never be able to break their lines at Rheims.

Soldiers are coming back covered with mud and drenched by the heavy rains, which continue. The chalky clay ground north of Rheims has been so softened, they say, that it will be impossible for a retreating army to get away its artillery. To this fact they attribute the desperation with which the Germans are fighting. Floods caused by the continuous rains are likely to greatly impede military operations, especially in the east, where the streams are beginning to overflow their banks. The river Sauvresse already is out of its banks and some habitations are isolated.

Bordeaux, Sept. 21.—A detailed account of the German bombardment of Rheims relates that the cannonading has lasted for a fortnight. The Germans are said to have used petrolium shells and the city was set on fire in many places and whole blocks of houses reduced to smoking ruins. The part of the population which was unable or unwilling to leave the city was without food for several days. The people took shelter in cellars. Some were injured, but little or no loss of life has been reported.

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RUSSIANS IN GALICIA CAPTURING AUSTRIANS

Paris, Sept. 21.—In a message from Petrograd the Havas Agency correspondent says that during the last three days the Russians in Galicia have captured 15,000 Austrians, including 150 officers. Many cannon, quick-fire guns and supplies have been taken.

65,000 CHOCOLATE BARS FOR CANADIAN TROOPS

Government Accepts Gift From William Neilson, Limited, to Expeditionary Force.

Toronto, Sept. 21.—William Neilson, Ltd., Toronto, offered to supply the government with 65,000 bars of chocolate, for use in whatever manner the government should choose.

This offer has been gratefully accepted by the minister of militia, Colonel Sam Hughes, and the chocolate is to be shipped to Valcartier, and from there will be transhipped with the Canadian commissariat to Europe. The several hundred members of the staff of William Neilson, Ltd., have also donated one full day's pay to the Canadian Red Cross fund.

FINANCIAL CONDITIONS OF SWITZERLAND SOUND

Washington, Sept. 21.—The Swiss legation to-day issued this statement: "In the last few days cable reports were published in the American press which are likely to injure the credit of Switzerland and give an entirely false impression of the prevailing financial situation. Nothing is known to the legation of Switzerland of these exaggerations. Conditions in Switzerland are quiet and the price of foodstuffs is normal. The army is still at the frontier. A war loan emitted in Switzerland recently was largely oversubscribed."

CAMPED 9 DAYS IN WATER, TROOPS EAT ONLY VEGETABLES

Paris, Sept. 21.—Copies of letters said to have been found on German prisoners continue to be made public here. One credited to a Brunswick non-commissioned officer reads: "Our life is not a gay one. For nine days we have camped in water and we are living on beets and sugar. Bread is a luxury. The tension is frightful and our losses are enormous. There is not a single officer left in my company, reduced from 250 to 60 men."

Other letters of a similar tenor are given out and wonder is expressed at how men living on raw vegetables have still the courage to fight with such desperation, especially under most trying weather conditions.

BOMBS OF JAPANESE DESTROY TWO FORTS

Paris, Sept. 21.—Telegraphing from Petrograd, a correspondent of the Havas Agency says: "A dispatch received here from Vladivostok declares that Japanese aeroplanes throwing bombs have destroyed two of the important forts at Tsing Tau."

ARMY OF AUSTRIA NOW STATIONED IN BRUSSELS

Quarrels Between Bavarians and Prussians End in Shooting of Ringleaders.

Amsterdam, Sept. 21.—A message to the Telegraaf says German troops who were in Brussels have left that city for the French and Russian fronts, and the army now occupying the city is Austrian, and has with it several heavy siege guns.

The Telegraaf says that as an outcome of quarrelling between Bavarian and Prussian soldiers, several of the Bavarian ringleaders in these disorders have been court-martialled and shot. Brussels is reported quiet. The price of provisions has increased considerably and some products are scarce.

FRANCE DENOUNCES GERMAN VANDALISM

Destruction of Rheims Cathedral is Protested to World's Neutral Governments.

Bordeaux, Sept. 21.—The French foreign office has forwarded to neutral governments a protest against the German bombardment of the cathedral at Rheims, couched in the following terms: "Without being able to invoke even the appearance of military necessity, and for the mere pleasure of destruction, German troops have subjected the cathedral of Rheims to a systematic and furious bombardment. At this hour the famous basilica is but a heap of ruins."

"It is the duty of the government of the republic to denounce to universal indignation this revolting act of vandalism, which, in giving over to the flames this sanctuary of history, deprived humanity of an incomparable portion of its historic patrimony."

STILL MORE AMERICANS ARE LEAVING CONTINENT

London, Sept. 21.—The relief agents of the American government may not be able to conclude their work by October 1, if to-day's influx of Americans from the continent is a criterion of the number still in Germany.

Six hundred Americans, all from Frankfurt, reached the relief committee to-day.

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LASSIGNY HEIGHTS ARE TAKEN; ALLIES OBTAIN ADVANTAGE

Official Announcement From Paris Reports the Capture of Mesnil-les-Hurlus and Massignes Positions From Germans

Enemy is Reported to Be Covering Fighting Bases and Moving Large Forces With Trains and Stores Rearward

On the Battlefield, Sept. 21, via Paris, 5.36 p.m.—The right wing of the German line has been thrust back about seven miles during the last forty-eight hours as a sequel to continuous fighting night and day.

Both armies despite almost superhuman fatigue show the utmost determination not to yield an inch of ground without a terrible struggle, but the fresher troops at the disposal of the allies have gradually forced the Germans to recede.

London, Sept. 21.—An officer just returned from Soissons states that an aeroplane reconnaissance has given rise to the conviction that a large portion of the German forces is retiring with its trains and heavy stores, says a dispatch from Paris to the Express.

It is believed orders have been received from Berlin for the main forces to retire and defend the German frontiers, leaving only 200,000 men to defend the fortified lines and cover the retirement.

Paris, Sept. 21.—The following official announcement was given out in Paris to-day: "First, on our left wing, on the right bank of the river Oise, we have advanced as far as the heights of Lassigny, west of Noyon. To the east of the Oise and to the north of the river Aisne the Germans have given evidence of a recrudescence of activity."

Enemy Repulsed With Heavy Losses.

"In the region of Craonne there have been violent encounters which did not stop short of bayonet charges. The enemy has been everywhere repulsed with considerable losses. In the country around Rheims the enemy has not undertaken any infantry attack, confining himself to artillery fire, directed against our front, from heavy guns."

"Second, on the centre, in the Champagne country and on the western slope of the Argonne river, an exception being made south of Souain, we have taken Mesnil-les-Hurlus and Massignes. In the Woevre district the enemy still holds the region of Thiancourt, and has cannonaded Hasonchatel."

"On our right wing, Lorraine and the Vosges, there is nothing new."

"The Germans are fortifying themselves in the vicinity of Delmeil, to the south of Chateaux Salins."

Putting Pressure Against von Kluck.

London, Sept. 21.—While the fortunes of battle fluctuate between the lines along the centre of the extended front in France, desperate efforts are being made to execute turning movements on both flanks.

The Anglo-French left wing is exerting every ounce of strength to turn the flank of the German general, von Kluck, reported as having received heavy reinforcements, while the German left, according to a cautiously worded announcement in Berlin, is making equally strenuous efforts to outflank the French right resting on Verdun.

Rumors Continue of Retreat.

Some reports received in London declared that the reason for the desperate German counter attacks on Rheims is found in a movement of the allies, which has virtually isolated Rheims from Laon, a town 30 miles to the northwest. If this is true, all of General von Kluck's strategy in protecting his sorely pressed left flank would prove futile. Rumors continue to circulate in London that the Germans are preparing a great retreat from France on their own border fortifications.

Allies Strongest With Cold Steel.

One reason for the dearth of news from the battle front is to be found in the bad weather which has rendered ordinary signalling and aeroplane scouting unreliable. Stories now filtering through set forth that the Germans made desperate efforts, the middle of last week, to recapture the ground they had lost along the river Aisne.

Day and night the assaults continued. The Germans, played into action by bands rendering military airs, hurled masses of men on the hastily-constructed entrenchments where the allies had dug themselves in as a protection against the pitiless artillery concealed on the heights above them. It was cold steel against cold steel and ended in the allies holding their position.

LATE NIGHT WAR NEWS

FIGHT WILL GO ON TILL VICTORY WON

Armies Believed Yesterday To Have Been Engaged Hand-to-Hand

London, Sept. 20.—The best blood of Britain and Prussia helps the torrential rains to swell the Aisne river's flood, while the British and German people, together with the rest of the world, wait without news of the greatest battle in the world's history.

Following an artillery duel of four days, it is probable that the German and allied armies clashed yesterday in a hand-to-hand conflict. The result of that struggle is still unknown to anyone outside the official circles in Berlin, France and London.

With the allies attempting to turn the German right flank, the Germans attempt to push through the centre and reoccupy Rheims and the men practically dying from exhaustion, the situation has reached a stage which has passed the critical to the vital. It has become a question of reinforcement.

The battle has already been prolonged beyond the point of human endurance. It is said by some military men that the result has become a question of nerves. They claim there is a point when even military genius must succumb before constantly piling heaps of dead and constantly growing choruses of wounded men.

Strategically, the two armies are both in a position from which neither of them dares to withdraw. Steady rain for a week has made it impossible to extricate heavy artillery from the morass into which the whole of Northern France has been turned.

Neither side will dare to give up the battle on the Aisne without its guns, and these, seemingly equal in numbers and strength, have nearly roared out their usefulness.

The men on both sides must be at least knee-deep in the water of their trenches. They dare not raise their heads. They scarcely dare tend their wounded. They cannot risk the burying of their dead. It is a battle without parallel in history. Nearly 3,000,000 men are engaged and apparently cannot get away from each other.

GERMAN OFFENSIVE IN EAST PRUSSIA CHECKED BY RUSSIA

Antwerp, via London, Sept. 20.—The Russian legation announces that the German offensive in East Prussia has been checked and that the Russians have captured part of the artillery which was being sent by the Germans from Breslau to aid the attack on Ivangoron.

DEAD ARE BURIED ON FRENCH BATTLEFIELD

Correspondent Tells of Battle at Ancient Chateau of Mondement

London, Sept. 20.—Describing the scene on the battlefield at Marne a correspondent writes: "Long lines of newly broken brown earth mark the graves of the victims. Some of these burial trenches are 150 yards long. The dead are placed shoulder to shoulder and often in layers. This gives some idea of the slaughter that took place in this battle."

"The peasants, who are rapidly coming back to the scene, are marking the grave trenches with crosses, and planting flowers above and placing on them simple bouquets of dahlias, sunflowers and roses."

"Some of the hottest fighting of the battle took place around the beautiful old chateau of Mondement, on a hill six miles east of Sezanne. This relic of the architectural art of Louis XIV. occupied a position which both sides regarded as strategically important. To the east it looked down into a great declivity, with the concealed marshes of St. Soud at the bottom. Beyond are the downs and heaths of Epemay, Rheims and Champagne, while the heights of Argonne stand out boldly in the distance. To the west is a rich agricultural country."

"The possession of the ridge of Mondement was vital to either the attackers or the defenders. The conflict here was of furnace-intensity for four days."

"The Germans drove the French out in a terrific assault and then the French guns were brought to bear, followed by hand-to-hand fighting on the gardens and lawns of the chateau and even through the breached walls. The French eventually took the position."

ROUMANIA WITH RUSSIA BULGARIA SYMPATHETIC

Balkan States Becoming More Active in Regard to the European War.

Washington, Sept. 20.—Possibilities of Roumania entering the European conflict on the side of Russia are reported in brief official advices from neutral observers in Bucharest. No reasons were given for the probable action of Roumania.

Bulgaria likewise, is reported showing strong sympathies for Russia. On the receipt of news of Russian victories in Austria a few days ago there were big demonstrations against Austria throughout Bulgaria which had to be suppressed by the police. Advices similarly show that Italy is having considerable difficulty in suppressing popular demonstrations in favor of the Triple Entente.

NEGOTIATE FOR RELEASE OF CAPTURED STEAMER

American Embassy and Netherlands Legation in London Making Representations

London, Sept. 20.—Both the American embassy and the legation of the Netherlands in London are negotiating with the British admiralty to bring about the release of the steamer Ryndam, of the Holland-American line, now detained at Queenstown. The Ryndam was taken into Queenstown by a British warship, while on her way from New York to Rotterdam. She has on board twenty-three Americans, including Captain Augustine McIntyre, U. S. A., who was on his way to the continent as a military observer of the war.

JAPANESE WIN FROM KIAU CHAU GERMANS

Tokio, Sept. 20.—It is officially announced that the Japanese expeditionary forces attacked the Germans thirty miles north of Kiau Chau and defeated them on September 18. The Germans are said to have abandoned a fortified position and fled in disorder.

PURCHASE OF HORSES STOPPED.

Ottawa, Sept. 20.—The purchasing of horses for the British army, which has been conducted here for some time, has stopped. It is understood the reason for purchasing no more at the present time is due to lack of room at Montreal.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

MINORITY HAS HALF OF FERTILE EARTH

Naval Expert Suggests Majority May Attempt to Gain Territory

New York, Sept. 20.—Edgar Stanton Maclay, author of several volumes dealing with naval affairs, seeks striking arguments for a big American navy in the present European war. He says: "It would be prudent for the people of the United States at this most critical period of the world's history to consider carefully the racial and territorial problems of the globe as they present themselves to-day and shape our government policies accordingly."

"That the world is rapidly approaching the time when all the desirable lands will be pre-empted cannot be doubted. Indeed, it is an over-population of the land that is the underlying cause of the present world-wide upheaval. Not that the earth has actually reached the acute stage of over-population, if all its inhabitants were evenly distributed, for the latest estimates show that the average is less than thirty persons to the square mile, while the earth's capacity is about 100 people to that unit of measurement."

"But the earth's population is not evenly distributed. While there are vast areas in the western hemisphere, in Africa, the great islands of the ocean and even parts of Europe and Asia, which scarcely have begun their development, there are many sections where the population, owing to racial, territorial and political limitations, have been seriously congested for many years."

"So serious has this condition become that in China millions of natives have been compelled, literally, to step off the earth." In the city of Canton alone it has been estimated that 300,000 men, women and children have permanent homes in sampans, junks and even rafts. Many of these floating inhabitants seldom set foot on land, having been born, bred and brought up in the aquatic domiciles.

"On all the rivers, lakes, canals and sheltered waters of the coast of China are to be found thousands upon thousands of these permanent abodes on water occupied by families which have been pushed off the face of the earth."

"Even in Western Europe we find a similar condition of over-population. In Holland several million of industrious people have been forced off tide-level land, and are now dwelling on the unclaimed bottom of the North Sea. They, in truth, have been crowded off the earth, quite as much so as the enormous floating populations of Eastern Asia."

"We get a clearer understanding of this serious condition when we realize that of the 52,541,102 square miles of land in this globe fewer than 30,000,000 are suited for the support of mankind. Ernest George Ravenstein, F. R. G. S., estimates the earth's fertile area to be a trifle more than 28,000,000 square miles. Professor Supan, of Gotha, and other eminent geographers make estimates that vary slightly from Ravenstein's, but none of them reaches the 30,000,000 mark, which therefore may be accepted as the extreme limit of the earth's area of fertility."

"Centuries of practical experience have demonstrated the fact that these fertile lands will not support on an average more than 100 human beings per square mile, from which it is fair to estimate that the world's population is limited necessarily to 3,000,000,000 people."

"Already it has exceeded more than half for this limit, and it needs only a brief calculation to show how, under natural conditions, the earth's population of 1,600,000,000 will reach the 3,000,000,000 mark in a few generations."

"Of the earth's fertile area the United States controls about 4,000,000 square miles, and Great Britain about 12,000,000, a total of 16,000,000 square miles, or more than half of the earth's available acreage. The English-speaking population of the United States is about 60,000,000, while that of Great Britain and her colonies is about 60,000,000, making a total of English-speaking population of 120,000,000 in the world's population of more than ten times that number."

"These figures are highly significant. They show that the English-speaking race, composing only one-tenth of the world's population, controls more than half of the earth's fertile area in the face of the remaining nine-tenths of the world's population. "How long will it be before the 1,500,000,000 people of various bloods who are now confined to less than half of the earth's fertile area will take up arms against the people who are holding more than one-half of the world's fertile areas?"

"In the light of these facts, pregnant with appalling possibilities, can we not appreciate the wisdom of British statesmen who for several hundred years have insisted on maintaining the fighting strength of Britannia's navy to a point where it would be equal to that of the combined strength of any two possible adversaries?"

"Can we not see that by the very means of this naval policy that Britain gained the supremacy of the seas; that the English-speaking race was able to secure for its posterity 16,000,000 square miles of the most desirable lands on the surface of the globe?"

"To be sure the cost of maintaining enormous fleets all these years was a serious burden to the taxpayers. But how infinitesimally small the sum total of Britain's naval expenditures for a thousand years appears when compared with the incalculable value



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 Dated at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, this 15th day of September, 1914.
 ERNEST A. HARRIS
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OAK BAY VOLUNTEER POLICE.
 NOTICE.
 On and after this date, drill in Oak Bay Park will be discontinued.
 A meeting of the force will be held on Tuesday, September 22, in the Council Chamber, Municipal Hall, Oak Bay, at 8 p. m., when explanations will be given of the duties of the force and arrangements for future training will be discussed.
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REOPEN RATE CASE

Washington, Sept. 19.—The Interstate commerce commission to-day decided to reopen the eastern advance rate case and will begin hearings here on October 19. A formal order to that effect was prepared.

ITALIANS AT TRIESTE STOP CHURCH SERVICE

Rome, Sept. 20.—Reports received here state that the factories of Austria in which explosives are manufactured are being worked to their capacity day and night.
 According to the correspondent of the Messagero at Trieste, the municipal authorities of Trieste, where the great bulk of the population is Italian, have refused to permit a special church service imploring victory for Austrian arms, on the grounds that the war is contrary to the sentiment of the people of the city.

BRITISH SUBMARINE IS LOST; DETAILS LACKING

London, Sept. 20.—The British admiral announced the loss of the submarine A-E-1, belonging to the Australian fleet. No details were given by the cable from the Australian government reporting the loss.

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COWICHAN SHOW WAS GREATEST YET HELD

An Abundance of Exhibits Filled the New Agricultural Hall Officially Opened

Duncan, Sept. 19.—The judges at the annual Cowichan show which closed Saturday were of the opinion that the exhibits exceeded in quality all previous shows and the fact that the new building 70 by 90 feet was filled was evidence that the show this year was larger than any before.

Flowers were judged by F. B. Pemberton of Victoria, whose only suggestions for improvement were that the sweet peas looked better shown in open mouthed vases and should not be cut with foliage. Prize winners were: Astors, Mrs. Gibbods, zinnias, Mrs. A. G. Price; stocks and pansies, Mrs. Kier; dahlias, Mrs. Hamish Morton; petanias, Mrs. Scarborough; autumn chrysanthemums and carnations, Miss Marrino; sweet peas, Mrs. Whitmore; annuals, Mrs. Elkington; perennials, Mrs. Townsend; bouquets, Mrs. Musgrave; bowl of roses, Mrs. Elkington.

Among other prizes were: Decorated tables, Miss Sutherland; second, Mrs. Gibbods; third, Mrs. Walker.

Vegetables were judged by T. Sanderson from the agricultural department. Special mention was made of Fry and Taylor's white carrots, of Mr. Roberts and W. Paterson's thousand headed kale, of A. K. Wilson's tomatoes.

Dr. Rutherford's commercially-packed apples and pears, over fifty boxes, received special comment. T. A. Word and W. Herd also had displays which would be hard to beat. The first was judged by B. Hoy from the agricultural department, who showed some of the exhibitors how they might have improved their displays by correctly naming them and by better packing.

Oats shown by P. W. Anketil-Jones

was over seven feet high with good stiff straw.

There were two exhibits of Women's Institute jam which has been made by the ladies to conserve the food supply and to augment the patriotic fund.

A large collection of home-made butter was judged by T. A. F. Wancko, dairy instructor of the department of agriculture.

The Cowichan Creamery butter and eggs occupied a place on the stage. These eggs are stamped with the number of the farmer who sells them so that in case of fault it may be traced. In the needlework section the number of entries exceeded those of any previous year, a quantity of the work having been sent from Victoria and Vancouver and other outside points. For the sofa cushion, silk embroidered, Miss J. E. Davidson, with pink roses embroidered on a linen ground, was first with Miss Palmer second.

For the embroidered tea-cloth Mrs. C. H. Dickie, with eyelet and solid embroidery on white linen, was first and Miss Booth, with solid embroidery and French knots, had second place.

In eyelet embroidery Miss Maitland-Douglas was first. An exceedingly beautiful Irish croquet collar was shown by Miss Kingston.

The St. John's Guild carried off the prize for the best collection of sewing by any local sewing society.

For domestic science the bread prizes went to Mrs. Dickie, Mrs. Drom, Mrs. McKinnon, Mrs. Smith. The best collection of jam was Mrs. A. G. Price's, with Mrs. W. Patterson second. Mrs. Barber-Starkey took first with a collection of bottled fruits.

In the children's department the bread and cakes were of good average merit and had a fair number of entries.

In the art section the principal prize winners were Dr. Rutherford for two very fine landscapes; Mrs. Leather, Miss Hadwen, J. Spears, L. Springett, Mrs. Wallick.

The educational work went chiefly to Crofton and Somenos schools.

During Saturday Sir Richard McBride performed the ceremony of opening the new hall.

SUBMARINE A.E.-1 WAS LOST THROUGH ACCIDENT

No Enemy Within 100 Miles Disappeared With All Hands on Board.

Melbourne, Sept. 20.—Rear-Admiral Sir George Patey, commander of the Australian navy, in a wireless dispatch to the government, states that submarine A-E-1, which was reported yesterday as lost, disappeared with all hands on board. Other vessels of the fleet made a search but failed to discover wreckage. The loss is attributed to accident, as there was no enemy within 100 miles, and the weather was fine at the time. This is the first disaster in the history of the Australian fleet. The A-E-1 was under command of Lieut. Thomas F. Bant.

HUNTERS AFTER MOOSE ARE DISCOVERED SHOT

Berwick, N. S., Sept. 21.—Amos Hall and Rupert Jodrey, of Take George, went early Saturday morning moose hunting. Not returning when they were expected search was made for them. Hall was found dead, having been shot through the heart and Jodrey was dangerously wounded.

It is not known how the accident happened.

NOTABLE NAMES IN ARMY DEATH LIST

Lieut.-Col. Lowther, Formerly in Canada, is Among the Injured

London, Sept. 20.—Captain R. N. Grenfell, the famous polo player of the Buckingham Yeomanry, attached to the Ninth Lancers, was among the officers killed in action in France. His name appears in the list under date of September 16, issued by the War Office last night.

The list also contained the names of Captain Lord Guernsey, of the Irish Guards, and Captain Lord A. V. Hay, also of the Irish Guards. Colonel F. R. F. Boileau, of the general staff, died of wounds.

The names are given of twenty officers killed, forty wounded, one who died of wounds and one missing.

The following casualty list was issued from the general headquarters of the expeditionary force last night:

Killed.

Bond, Lieut. R. H., King's Royal Rifle Corps.

Cathcart, Captain A. E., King's Royal Rifle Corps.

Denroche-Smith, Lieut. A. J., 18th Hussars.

Foljamb, Major H. F. B., King's Royal Rifle Corps.

Forster, Second Lieut. J. B., King's Royal Rifle Corps.

Henriques, Lieut. R. L. Q., Rifle Brigade.

Jenkinson, Captain J. B., Rifle Brigade.

Johnstone, Major J. H. W., Royal Field Artillery.

Montessor, Lieut.-Col. E. H., Royal Sussex Regiment.

Pelham, Lieut. the Hon. H. L., Royal Sussex Regiment.

Seabrooke, Temporary Second Lieut. J. H., Intelligence Department.

Thompson, Second Lieut. G. S. R., King's Royal Rifle Corps.

Wounded.

Balfour, Second Lieut. O. H. C., King's Royal Rifle Corps.

Brown, Captain G. H., Coldstream Guards.

Browne, Second Lieut. the Hon. M. P. D., Coldstream Guards.

Rushell, Second Lieut. C., Royal West Surrey Regiment.

Cameron, Brevet Lieut.-Col. M. J. G., Cameron Highlanders.

Constable-Maxwell, Second Lieut. L. S. J., Cameron Highlanders.

Edwards, Captain G. J., Coldstream Guards.

Hilton, Lieut. C. T., King's Royal Rifle Corps.

Grant, Major C. J. C., Coldstream Guards.

Greatwood, Captain F. W., Lincolnshire Regiment.

Hayes, Lieut. W., Royal West Surrey Regiment.

Heath, Captain M. G., Royal West Surrey Regiment.

Heseltine, Captain J. E. N., King's Royal Rifle Corps.

Jackson, Captain G. J., King's Royal Rifle Corps.

Jelf, Major R. G., King's Royal Rifle Corps.

Johnson, Lieut. W. T., South Wales Borderers.

Kenny, Lieut. B. M., Royal West Surrey Regiment.

Lowther, Lieut.-Col. H. C., D.S.O., Scots Guards.

MacDonald, Lieut. R. M., Cameron Highlanders.

MacLachlan, Lieut.-Col. B., Cameron Highlanders.

McLachlan, Second Lieut. J. W. F., Cameron Highlanders.

McNamara, Captain A. E., Royal West Surrey Regiment.

Mellor, Lieut. J. S., King's Royal Rifle Corps.

Nicholson, Major G. S. W., Royal Field Artillery.

Pigot-Moodie, Lieut. G. F. A., Royal Scots Greys.

Pilleau, Major H. C., D.S.O., Royal West Surrey Regiment.

Ponsonby, Lieut.-Col. J., D.S.O., Coldstream Guards.

Pringle, Lieut. R. S., Royal West Surrey Regiment.

Schreiber, Lieut. E. C. A., Royal Field Artillery.

Stanley-Crook, Captain R. F. S., Royal West Surrey Regiment.

Stewart-Murray, Maj. Lord George, the Black Watch.

Tuftnell, Second Lieut. C. E., Coldstream Guards.

Lieut. the Hon. H. L. Pelham, of the Royal Sussex Regiment, who was killed, was a brother of the Earl of Chichester.

Major C. J. C. Grant, of the Coldstream Guards, wounded, is the son-in-law of the Earl of Rosebery. He was wounded during the campaign in South Africa.

Lieut.-Col. H. C. Lowther, of the Scots Guards, was until last year military secretary to the Duke of Connaught at Ottawa. He served in South Africa during the war there and was later military attaché at Paris, Madrid and Lisbon.

Major H. C. Pilleau, of the Royal West Surrey Regiment, wounded, served in South Africa, was twice mentioned in dispatches, and won the D.S.O.

Lieut.-Col. John Ponsonby, of the Coldstream Guards, wounded, comes of a fighting family. He is the son of the late Gen. Rt. Hon. Sir Henry Ponsonby and a brother of Sir Frederick Ponsonby, governor of Bombay. Earl Grey is a cousin. He has seen more service than the average soldier, having served in Uganda, Matabeland and South Africa.

Lord George Stewart Murray, of the Black Watch, wounded, is the second son of the Duke of Atholl.

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Explosion Followed Rumbling This Morning, Rocking Houses Nine Miles Distant.

Redding, Cal., Sept. 21.—After a night of another murmuring and rumbling, Lassen peak exploded to-day in a sharp thunderclap which rocked the houses at Macomber Flat, distant nine miles from the mountain.

The eruption to-day is the forty-eighth since the pre-historic volcano woke to new life May 30, and the first that has been accompanied by an earthquake.

At 3 o'clock in the morning, the time the shock was felt, the activities of the mountain were not pronounced enough to make themselves visible from a distance, but at six o'clock a vast volume of sulphurous ash-laden smoke and steam was seen pouring from a fissure one mile below the older vents.

The mountain now has four craters, the ancient one, still sealed; the new main crater, adjacent; a third crater, formed by the eruptions of the past three weeks, not far below the main crater, and the fissure blown open to-day.

No preacher is listened to but Time, which gives us the same train and turn of thought that elder people have in vain tried to put into our heads before.—Dana

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THE WAR.

Slowly but persistently the allies are making progress against the German right wing. They have occupied the heights west of the Oise in the direction of Noyon and they hold the highland north of the Aisne near Craonne. These are distinct gains on the positions held by them when the battle began eight days ago. The French claim in this respect is proved by the rushing of fifty thousand soldiers from Lorraine to strengthen the German right. The allies are in great numbers in this region and there is reason to believe that still another army is approaching from the northwest. It is north of the Aisne and west of the Oise that the British are stationed and they are supported by two French armies in each position.

The position at Craonne is regarded by both the allies and the Germans as vital. It is a wedge driven between the covering force northwest from it along the Oise and the strongly entrenched Germans south of the Aisne and north of Rheims and towards the east. This accounts for the fierce attempts of the invaders to displace the allies, attempts which culminated the other night in a hand-to-hand encounter in which the Germans suffered terrible losses. Berlin admits the failure of the attack in its announcement that there is no change along the front. In the Argonne district the army commanded by the Crown Prince is still retreating with the intention either of deviating from the line of the Meuse into Luxemburg by way of Stenay or getting into closer touch with the Germans along the Aisne. If it adopted the first course it would be separated from the four armies of the German centre and right, thereby weakening them immensely. If it took the second route it would facilitate the French turning movement considerably. It seems destined to pay a severe penalty for postponing its retreat too long after the rest of the German front had retired.

A French officer arriving in Paris says the report of an aeroplane reconnaissance from Soissons confirms the belief among the allies that the Germans are about to retire to their line of frontier fortifications. This would be a difficult operation, but unless the invaders can break through the allies' front it is their only recourse. In retiring they would have to abandon a large quantity of artillery and supplies; thousands would be killed or taken prisoners, and they would be punished so severely that their outlook as an effective resisting force would be desperate. Besides, the retirement of the Germans would be the signal for the intervention of Italy. The Mediterranean power has called its reserves to the colors. The Austrians have mobilized 200,000 men along the Italian frontier and are fortifying Trient. Were Italy to intervene Austria would be invaded from four quarters and Russia would have her hands free in a comparative sense to aim her strongest blows at Germany.

The Russians now are attacking the Austrian fortresses of Przemyśl and Jaroslavl southwest and west of Lemberg. In these two positions fractions of the armies of Auffenberg and Dankl have sought refuge. They have been isolated from Craew and their investment locks up a considerable part of the Austro-German force. The main Russian advance on Germany by way of Posen and Breslau cannot now be far off, if it is not in progress. It is likely also that a few weeks at the most will see Austria detached from what is left of the Triple Alliance and Germany will be left alone to meet the herds of Russia on one frontier and the armies of Great Britain, France and Belgium on the other, strengthened by the reinforcements which will be rushed continually to their ranks from across the sea.

So far the Austrians have sustained fully the reputation they have earned

during the last 120 years. In that time they have been systematically defeated in every campaign in which their armies have been engaged. Napoleon beat them at Marengo in 1800, at Ulm and Austerlitz in 1805 and at Wagram in 1809. They were beaten by the Italians in 1848, by the French in 1859 and by the Prussians in 1866. Austria's difficulty in most of her wars has been that a considerable portion of her army has been compelled to fight against people of its own race. This is especially the situation now in a war against Russia and Serbia and similar conditions will prevail if Italy intervenes. It is one of the penalties of having an empire whose diversified peoples are not bound together by institutions worth fighting for.

A MANICAL DELUSION.

Haeckel and Eucken, the eminent German philosophers, have issued a joint statement declaring that Germany is fighting for freedom, justice and commercial fair play. This is a matter of viewpoint and definition. The Prussian idea of freedom and justice is tyranny and injustice as judged by the standards of nations in which the people are the masters of the state and not the servants of an oligarchy. Berlin's conception of the highest civilization is not outraged by the violation of solemn covenants and the wrongs inflicted upon Belgium. It accepts the dictum of the German chancellor, according to the authorized report of his speech in the Reichstag, that his country must "hack its way through somehow" regardless of treaties and every other consideration.

Germany's ideal thus can be realized only through force. Bismarck explained it with harsh emphasis when he said that the only effective diplomacy was blood and iron. The development of the democracy, the active participation by the people in the administration of national affairs, the principles laid down by Jefferson and Lincoln, are frivolous delusions; Magna Charta and the Petition of Rights are bizarre and absurd under this conception. When her intellectual giants subscribe to the doctrine expounded by von Bernhardi, who said that Germany's destiny must be either world power or downfall, that she must crush democratic France and rape Belgium, Holland and Denmark, we who understand freedom as a people's most precious heritage can appreciate how thoroughly the German mind has been poisoned.

The Prussian attitude is one of contempt for the system of democracy. It regards the institutions of Great Britain and the United States as effeminate and decadent. The subordination of the army and navy to the people's will is considered a manifestation of national weakness. A country in which a child plays with the shovel and spade is held to be a weakling compared with that in which the youngster prefers to wear his father's uniform and sword. The first duty of the state, according to German publicists, is to crush its neighbors if they stand in the way. The development of culture—progress in the arts and sciences—is subservient always to the "martial virtues." The motto, in the words of the national song, is "Germany over all," regardless of the means by which that ideal is attained. Germany over all, with little Belgium a wilderness of smoking ruins and the pitiable corpses of a murdered people who fought only for their homes; Germany over all with Louvain, Termonde and a score of smaller towns in ashes!

This point of view, extraordinary to Anglo-Saxons, is declared to have the express approval of the Almighty. The Kaiser says he is the instrument of God to punish the Belgians, his assumption being that they stood in the path of God's chosen people, though in doing so they obeyed the primary law of nature. God, this perverted ruler claims, is with him when he lays His temples in ruins in Louvain and Rheims; when his air-warriors drop bombs on hospitals and orphanages in which His children are lying, helpless and suffering! We are to infer that God, who from Sinai forbade the people to murder, lie and steal, stood behind the Kaiser when his government broke its word to Belgium; when by brute force it stole that country and declared it to be a German province; when, according to their own admissions, his officers shot the burgomaster of Aerschot and his son after partaking of their hospitality. So Genghis Khan and Tamerlane no doubt believed they had divine approval in their blood-stained marches to the west; so Torquemada with his inquisitorial torch harbored the delusion that he had the sanction of heaven to destroy heretics; Ravallac, reeking with the blood of Henry of France, considered he had struck a righteous blow. The Turks ascribed their massacres of the hated ghiaours to the virtues of Allah, and even the savage American redskin thought the Great Spirit nerved his arm for the hideous tortures he inflicted upon his helpless victims. And Torquemada, Ravallac and Murad the Turk were not without "culture."

Imagine Providence blessing the horrible violation of its own laws! The fact that authoritative Germany

accepts this blasphemy proves that the particular obsession it has nursed for fifty years has dethroned the country's reason. Insane people frequently kill their sleeping families in the belief that they have been adjured from Heaven to do so. The Russians marched into battle against the Japanese with invocations to the Almighty on their lips, and the Japanese, whose glorification went no higher than their revered Emperor, won. These facts and inferences are obvious to the mind which does not run in turgid channels. Their recital is interesting as exhibiting the kind of spirit which must be stamped out. Napoleon superstitiously attributed his early successes to his star—and himself. As long as he fought for the integrity of France or to free Italy from the tyrannical Hapsburgs he won. When he started to steal other people's countries his star began to grow dim. When his judgment became diseased he declared, as the Kaiser declares to-day, that only through his supremacy could freedom and justice prevail throughout the world. The world declined to accept a madman's view, and Napoleon fell.

It may take a long time to stamp out of Europe the spirit which must be ingrained in the German people if we are to believe the proclamations of their ruler, philosophers, educationists and even divines, but it must be done. Germany may govern herself as her people see fit, but she shall not impose her system on the world. To teach this lesson it may be necessary to make her a wilderness, just as she has made Belgium a wilderness. Rome entertained a similar conception of freedom and justice, and Rome fell never to rise again. There will be no peace in Europe until Germany is brought to realize that the best diplomacy is not blood and iron and the hideous Bismarck delusion is driven from the face of the globe.

SCATTERED-BRAINED HENRI.

Henri Bourassa has broken out again. He is publishing a series of articles in Le Devoir, severely opposing Canada's participation in the war and even reflecting upon the good faith of Sir Edward Grey in the negotiations leading up to the outbreak. Most of the Montreal newspapers ignore his fulminations as unworthy of notice, but the Mail has been pouring hot shot at the head of the Nationalist leader.

Bourassa is, and always has been, an irresponsible wind-bag. In his little way he is as hair-brained as the German Kaiser, with whom he seems to sympathize because in no other direction can he keep himself in the limelight. He hates Great Britain and the British people because their attitude to one of his kidneys is that of amused tolerance. He hates France, his mother country, because, we presume, she is his mother country. He hates Canada, with the exception of the two by four space which accommodates Bourassa. He would like to be arrested for treason. Then his cup of happiness would be full, because his name would figure in the headlines, his picture in the newspapers and possibly in the rogues' gallery, and a few fools like himself would say: "It's in the blood. He's Papineau's grandson all over." Like a manoriel with a tin-can tied to its tail, Bourassa makes a lot of noise, and the smile is so apt that we suggest to our contemporary the Mail that it advocate the incarceration of frenzied Henri, not in the jail, but in the pound.

TO-DAY'S SUMMARY.

There is no victory as yet for either side in the battle of the Aisne, which has now raged in France for ten days. The ten days of desperate battle, fierce artillery fire day and night; infantry charges in which the fighting has been hand-to-hand, and cavalry onslaughts when opportunity offered, have shown one result—the soldiers of the three nations engaged are becoming exhausted. The human machine is weakening under the frightful demands made on it.

Another factor which has had a notable effect on the conduct of the operations has been the weather. An incessant cold rain has flooded the valley of the Aisne. The river has overflowed its banks, roads and fields are heavy and trenches are filled with water.

The transportation of all kinds, for both sides, is rendered much more difficult. It is even said the Germans can no longer move their heavy artillery with effective promptness on account of the heavy roads. The men are camping in water and the French say the Germans are suffering from lack of food.

While neither side claims a decisive outcome, yet there appears to be good reason to believe that the battle is drawing to some definite development. Military opinion, both in London and Paris, leans to the conviction that the present lines, battered for ten days, soon will have to show noticeable changes.

The fighting is fiercest on the allies' left, where desperate efforts are being made to turn the flank of the German army under General van Kluck. Von Kluck has been reinforced, but in spite

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of this the French in late official reports, claim an advantage. A news dispatch received in London from France says an aeroplane reconnaissance has given rise to the conviction that a large portion of the German forces is retiring in the direction of fortified positions on the German border.

The destruction by German shell fire of the famous cathedral of Rheims has been made a matter of protest on the part of the French government. Berlin, in an official statement, asserts that the fire of the French came from the direction of the cathedral and the necessity of bombarding it is regretted.

The French navy, acting in conjunction with the British naval forces in the Channel and the North Sea, has aided in retaining command of the sea, which has been in the hands of the allies since the war began.

Przemysl, in Galicia, is resisting the invading Russians with artillery fire. It is said that a strong German army is at Przemyśl. Berlin says there is no news from the Russian front.

The floating of the German loan is described as a brilliant success. The official afternoon statement from Paris says that terrific bayonet charges in the vicinity of Craonne resulted in the drawing back of the Germans with heavy losses.

The Fatherland, published in New York for the purpose of keeping the American people truly informed about the culture of Germany and the benevolence of her designs upon all the world, speaks of the sweeping victories of the Kaiser's armies, reports the progress of rebellion in Ireland and says the uprising in India is spreading. It is also striving to stir up lurid issues in the United States by references to the old trouble between the North and the South. The impression Herr Herman Ridder and his organ of truth and culture is making may be estimated by the following single sentence from the New York Globe: "Great Britain's attitude throughout the whole affair has been above reproach." As to the state of Ireland, a dispatch in a New York paper says: "Recruiting in Ireland is going on well. Irish opinion remains universally and even fiercely on the side of the allied armies."

The Montreal Journal of Commerce suggests that it is too bad the Kaiser was not permitted to keep his date and dine in Paris on August 12. Since the allies were so unkind as to interfere with his plans, he should invite them to dine in Berlin about October 12.

WOMEN'S TEN COMMANDMENTS.
Grain Growers' Guide.
The following ten commandments were issued by the women of Chicago to the aldermanic candidates in their city at the last civic elections:
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Thou shalt not set thy party above the people.
Thou shalt hearken to the cry for clean milk.
Thou shalt not forget the death rate of babies in thy ward.
Neither shalt thou forget the morals of the young; nor shalt thou bend thine ear to small theatres that fight ordinances for ventilation and for clean pictures.
When special and powerful interests ask for favors, the public policy shall be near thee.
Thou shalt not have an office connected with a saloon.
Thou shalt have a keen sense of smell to detect nuisances and garbage evils; garbage dumps shalt thou abolish.
Thou shalt help to keep amusements safe for the city's children.
Thou shalt not hearken to commercial vice.
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| Juliet Slippers in velvet and corded velvet, black and grey and moss green and brown. Per pair..... \$1.00 | Strong Black Felt Slippers , leather sole and heel, fleece lined. Pair..... \$1.00 |
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—Main Floor

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| All-Felt Strap Slippers , cherry and navy; all sizes. Pair..... 50c | Arctic Plaid Ankle Strap Slippers , felt and leather soles; all sizes. Pair..... 50c |
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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.

John Place, M.P.P., registered at the Dominion hotel Sunday.

Mrs. Cambetty, of Nanaimo, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

F. Shelley registered at the Dominion hotel from Vancouver yesterday.

R. S. Ross is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Vancouver.

F. Picton, of Vancouver, is in the city, a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

F. T. Saunders is registered at the Empress hotel from Prince Rupert.

Miss Lucille Angelo, of Detroit, Mich., is staying at the Dominion hotel.

D. Westenhof, of Winnipeg, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

C. E. Eckert registered at the Dominion hotel from Chilliwack yesterday.

James Brown, of Calgary, is registered at the Empress hotel during his stay here.

A. Knight is a Chilliwack visitor in the capital. He is at the Strathcona hotel.

Mrs. James McGregor was among yesterday's arrivals at the Empress hotel.

C. S. Thompson is staying at the Empress hotel while here from Vancouver.

V. T. Henderson, of Vancouver, registered at the Dominion hotel this morning.

Miss Edna Erskine, of Toledo, is staying at the Dominion hotel for a few days.

J. C. Cook, of Seattle, arrived yesterday at the Empress hotel for a short visit here.

W. E. Short, of Montreal, is among the guests newly-arrived at the Empress hotel.

R. B. Peiham is in the city from Fort George and is registered at the Empress hotel.

M. B. O'Dell, of Vancouver, was among this morning's arrivals at the Dominion hotel.

W. W. Alton, of Vancouver, is staying at the Strathcona hotel while here from Vancouver.

E. B. Walters, of Vancouver, is among the guests registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cunningham are here from Hope and are guests at the Strathcona hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor are in the city from Regina and are registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Andrew Wilson has arrived in the city from Winnipeg and is staying at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers Rowland are staying at the Empress hotel while here from London, Eng.

Angus Stewart is among the Vancouver visitors in the capital. He is at the Strathcona hotel.

H. R. Graham is visiting the city from Ashley, North Dakota. He is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

Mrs. W. G. Hull and Master Hull, of Wilmington, North Carolina, are among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wilson have arrived in the city from Kelowna, and are staying at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Van Orden, of Warwick, N. Y., are visiting the city. They are registered at the Strathcona hotel.

D. Nicholson, the road superintendent at Ladysmith, is in the capital on business and is registered at the Dominion hotel.

Howard Edgar, of the Union Bank staff, has been transferred to Prince Rupert and left on Friday night for the northern city.

Hon. W. Templeman returned to his home yesterday after spending three weeks in Royal Jubilee hospital. He is steadily recovering.

To-day's arrivals from Vancouver include George H. Ferguson, W. H. Jaques, Ernest H. Bollett, Mr. and Mrs. Fife and H. P. Lang, who are staying at the Empress hotel.

Lieut.-Col. Anderson, who is chief engineer under the department of marine and fisheries, arrived in the city from Prince Rupert this morning. He is conducting a tour of inspection of the lighthouses on the coast. He is accompanied by Mrs. Anderson.

A very charming wedding was solemnized last Friday evening at St. Andrew's Presbyterian manse, Linden avenue, when Rev. Dr. Leslie Clay united in marriage Margaret Inches, daughter of Mrs. A. E. Greig, of Kelvin road, and George Donaldson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Donaldson, of this city. The bride was attired in a smartly-tailored suit of cobalt blue serge and wore a big black velvet picture hat with touches of cerise and gold. Miss Elizabeth Scowcroft attended her as bridesmaid, wearing a costume of midnight blue and a black velvet hat faced with pink. The best man was John Rose, a nephew of the bridegroom. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's mother, Kelvin road, where a delicious repast was served, and the heartiest of congratulations showered on the happy pair, who left later in

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the evening for Vancouver, where the honeymoon will be spent. Among those present were Mrs. Greig, Mr. and Mrs. James Donaldson, Mr. and Mrs. John Rose, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Birch, Mrs. Worsley, H. G. Beall, Miss Fox and Miss E. Scowcroft. The bridegroom's present to the bride was a handsome gold watch; to the bridesmaid a pearl and amethyst pendant; and to the best man, gold sleeve links. The bride's present to the bridegroom was an upholstered leather rocking chair. Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson will make their home in Victoria.

The marriage of Jennima Campbell Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee, of Russell street, Victoria, and Charles William Dalimore, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Edgar Dalimore, of Frome, Somerset, Eng., was quietly celebrated on Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. Dr. Maclean, pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West, performing the rite. The bride, who wore her traveling dress, was given away by her father, the ceremony being witnessed only by the immediate relatives of the young couple, who left almost immediately for a motor tour of the island. A delightful event took place in honor of the bride and bridegroom—eleven last Friday evening in connection with the choir practice at St. Paul's Presbyterian church, of which they were present as chorister and organist respectively. At the conclusion of the regular weekly practice the members adjourned to the lecture hall, where, to the surprise of the popular couple whose marriage was so soon to take place, a "shower" of useful articles had been arranged by their colleagues in the choir. "Auld Lang Syne" was sung in unison by the choristers, Dr. Maclean afterwards, speaking in behalf of the choir, extending the heartiest of good wishes and felicitations. Later a delicious repast, furnished by the choir, was served, during which many toasts to the happiness of the pair were proposed.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 21—5 a. m.—The barometer is high over this province, and with the exception of rain in Cariboo fair weather is general, with moderate winds on the coast and F. F. F. on the interior of Alberta and Saskatchewan. Rain is falling in Manitoba.

Forecasts.

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Tuesday, Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Seaside—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 49; wind, 2 miles N. E.; rain, .03; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 50; wind, calm; rain, .06; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 38; wind, calm; rain, .01; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday, 57; minimum, 34; wind, calm; rain, .22; weather, rain.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 58; wind, 4 miles S. W.; weather, clear.

Temperature.

Victoria	64
Nelson	64
Prince Rupert	61
Calgary	60
Edmonton	58
Prince Albert	50
Winnipeg	78

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Saturday:

Highest temperature, 55
Lowest temperature, 45
Average temperature, 51
Rain, .10 inch.
Bright sunshine, 18 minutes.

General state of weather, showery.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Sunday:

Temperature.

Highest	58
Lowest	48
Average	54
Rain	.09 inch.
Bright sunshine	1 hour 24 minutes.

General state of weather, fair.

AT THE THEATRES

"KITTY MACKAY."

"No frouch could live in the atmosphere of 'Kitty MacKay.'" This is the way one New York newspaper described Catherine Chisholm Cushing's brilliant comedy which is to be seen at the Royal Victoria theatre on Thursday and Friday, September 24 and 25.

"Kitty" will be presented by the same company that appeared at the Comedy theatre, New York, where the play was enjoyed by audiences that taxed the capacity of the theatre for more than one year.

"Kitty MacKay" is a saucy, winsome Scottish lassie with a quick tongue and a vivid imagination, and when the fairy prince comes to take her to London town she takes it all as a matter of course. Those who know, declare that "Kitty MacKay" is the funniest play that has been in New York in years, and since it has started on its tour every city it has visited agrees with the metropolis. William Elliott, under whose direction the play was produced, has spared no expense or effort. The programme contains such well-known names as Marjorie Murray, Paet Hunter, Eleanor Daniels, Wallace Erskine, Marie Stuart and others.

A special military night will be given Thursday, September 24 for the 60th Highlanders.

CLERGYMAN UPHOLDS THEATRE

Ralph Connor, the famous author of "The Sky Pilot" and many other books of wide circulation, said in a recent interview: "The dramatic art was far too great and grand to be done away with. The churches would do well to build theatres themselves, establish dramatic schools, and train actors for the rendering of good useful plays." Mr. Connor is not the first clergyman who has recognized and acknowledged the value of the theatre, not only as a means of education, but also as a means by which men may be cheered and uplifted when the heart is heavy and the path of life seems rough.

There are times when a man steps into a theatre, "soul-weary" with the duties of the day, not wishing to be "educated" not wishing to be faced with the working out of some social or racial problem, but in a mood to be entertained, to be made to laugh and to be thrilled. At such times he wants to see a play in which the plot is clear, the action brisk, and the comedy abundant and clean.

No better choice could have been made for such folk than that made by the Allen Players for this week's production, which is to be "The Stowaway," one of the most successful English comedy dramas ever written.

A welcome innovation by the management, and one which should meet with the hearty support of the public, is the holding of a bargain night every Monday when any reserved seat may be had for 25 cents.

GIFTS ACKNOWLEDGED

Numerous Donations Received at Annual Pound Party of W. C. T. U. From Generous Friends.

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TWO WOMEN WRITERS.

Until George Eliot, I thought George Sand the greatest writer of her sex in all literature. I cannot read her now. But that is individual taste, not deliberate judgment. She is as eloquent as one can be in French—the unreal, unhealthy eloquence that Chateaubriand, Lamennais, Lamartine made so popular, that nobody but Hugestives after now. But she had passion and understanding, and deep sympathy and speculative thought, and the power—in less degree—of creating character. She could rise very high, for a moment, and her best prose is like a passage from good poets. . . . She scatters over twenty volumes the resources her English rival concentrates into a chapter.

When George Eliot died Lord Acton wrote: "It seems as if the sun had gone out. You cannot think how much I loved her. Of eighteen or twenty writers by whom I am conscious that my mind has been formed she was one. Of course, I mean ways, not conclusions. In problems of life and thought, which baffled Shakespeare disgracefully, her touch was unfailing. No writer ever lived who had anything like her power of manifold but disinterested and impartially observant sympathy. If Sophocles or Cervantes had lived in the light of our culture, had Dante had prospered

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PITHY PARAGRAPHS

"There is no such thing as luck!" "There isn't, eh? Did you ever see anybody upset an inkstand when it was empty?"

Passenger—"Were you ever boarded by pirates, captain?" Captain—"Yes. I've stayed at several of these summer hotels!"

Depressed Luncher—"Have you any prussic acid?" Waitress—"No, sir." Depressed Luncher—"Then bring me one of your steak and kidney puddings."

Rocker—"I hear that Helen has broken her engagement to Jack." Mrs. Knocker—"Yes. They say she thought he was too good to be true."

Ella—"Allow a horrid man to kiss me?" Never! "Stella—"Neither would I. But, thank goodness, there isn't one among all my male acquaintances."

"Now see what you have done!" howled Casey, as Phog accidentally upset a hod of bricks, sending them crashing to the ground, four stories below. "Well, the boss has ordered wurk stopped, su. 'e coudn't have used them anyhow," replied Hogan. "Little yez know about it. There's an Orangeman's parade comin' by here in ten minutes," retorted Casey.

Eva—"Dear, you should be careful not to offend that young man." Ernie—"Offend him? Why, I merely said, 'I wish you many happy returns.' It's his birthday, you know." Eva—"Yes; but he is sensitive on returns. He's a poet."

"But she says she has never given you any encouragement." "Did she say that?" "She certainly did." "She told me that her uncle was going to leave her a fortune and that he had one foot in the grave. If that is not encouragement I'd like to know what you call it."

Some time ago the keeper of a museum was engaged in placing some new curios that had just arrived from Egypt, when he noticed a perplexed look on the face of his attendant. "What's the matter, Smith?" he queried, going to the assistant. "Is there anything you don't understand?" "Yes," answered Smith. "Here is a papyrus on which the characters are so badly traced that they are indecipherable. How shall I class it?" "Let me see," returned the keeper, examining the curio. "Just call it a doctor's prescription in the time of Ptolemaeh."

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THREE BY-LAWS ARE PASSED IN SAANICH

Measures for Roads, Waterworks and Water Purchase Approved; Recount

Although the total vote cast was small in comparison with the number of persons entitled to exercise the franchise the electors of Saanich on Saturday manifested in a very definite way their approval of three of the four by-laws submitted to them by the municipal council, though the opposition to the school by-law developed as much strength at the poll as had been shown in the series of meetings preceding the polling day.

The general expression of opinion round the municipal hall when all the returns were in was that the majority for this by-law was surprising and an emphatic endorsement of the course in resubmitting the proposal to the people under the amended specifications. That the margin should be so large without the assistance of any such organization such as supported the measure in 1913 is regarded as an extension that the electors recognize that macadam roads will not stand up against automobile traffic.

The majorities for the waterworks by-law and the water purchase by-law caused no surprise, as they had been expected to be as large as those registered, the ratification of the agreement with the city water commissioner to purchase water as soon as Sooke waterworks is completed having been generally approved everywhere before the voting. The measure received the largest number of votes cast for any of the by-laws and there were fewer against it than against any of the others.

On the returns of the deputy returning officers the school by-laws failed to show the necessary three-fifths majority required in a money by-law. Owing to the fact that 78 papers were returned as spoiled, many of them not having any mark upon them, the returning officer decided to have a recount to-day when legal advice will be taken as to a blank ballot is necessarily a spoiled paper. The importance of the recount is explained by the fact that to pass the measure the number of votes required over and above those obtained is 48, so that it is quite possible the by-law may obtain the necessary majority on a recount.

The polling was without incident, although a number of electors complained, particularly at Tolmie school, that they had been left off the roll.

One man after voting for nine years had come the long distance from Beechy Bay only to find his name off the roll. The boxes were taken, after the deputies had completed their tallies, to Royal Oak by automobile and the last return was turned in just before 10 o'clock. Quite a crowd had collected at the municipal hall to hear the result and there were also constant telephone calls from town, particularly from the clubs, for information.

From the accompanying figures it will be seen that there was an unusually large number of spoiled papers. None of the officials can explain so large a number as the issues were plain and no confusion should have occurred. Among the rejected ballots the large number of papers without marks upon them was remarkable. Everyone concerned agreed that the arrangements made by Mr. Sewell as returning officer were admirable. The rain undoubtedly kept away a large number of voters, particularly the lady freeholders.

Accompanying are the details by wards of the vote on each by-law:

Waterworks (\$75,000)		
Ward	For	Against
One	150	25
Two	180	30
Three	120	15
Four	44	18
Five	265	13
Six	73	50
Seven	64	44
Eight	245	11
Nine	500	153
Ten	500	153

Water Purchase (To Ratify Agreement)		
Ward	For	Against
One	150	25
Two	180	30
Three	120	15
Four	44	18
Five	265	13
Six	73	50
Seven	64	44
Eight	245	11
Nine	500	153
Ten	500	153

Paving (\$450,000)		
Ward	For	Against
One	150	25
Two	180	30
Three	120	15
Four	44	18
Five	265	13
Six	73	50
Seven	64	44
Eight	245	11
Nine	500	153
Ten	500	153

Schools (\$50,000)		
Ward	For	Against
One	150	25
Two	180	30
Three	120	15
Four	44	18
Five	265	13
Six	73	50
Seven	64	44
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"One of the most baffling of the many mysteries that enshroud us," grimly remarked the Old Codger, "is why people persist year after year in going away on vacations when they could be just as uncomfortable at home."

A Pretty Deception—Crawford—"So you found a package of old love letters you wrote your wife years ago. What did you do with them?" Crabshaw—"Changed the dates and sent them to her while she was away in the country."

SAYS YOUTH NEEDS MILITARY TRAINING

Lt.-Col. W. P. Anderson, C. M. G., Ottawa, Speaks of Canada's Younger Generation

That every boy in Canada ought to have military training for a few years of his life at least is the opinion of Lieut.-Col. William Patrick Anderson, C. M. G., who is now in the city on the course of a tour of inspection in connection with his work as chief engineer under the department of marine and fisheries.

No man in the Dominion is better qualified to speak upon the effects of military training than Lieut.-Col. Anderson, who in addition to being chairman of the executive of the Dominion Rifle association, has always taken an active part in the Boy Scout and Cadet movements and has himself commanded a Canadian team at Bisley, besides serving on the same continent for years. He also founded the Canadian Militia Gazette and edited it for two years, so that in both a practical and a theoretical sense he is particularly well versed in all branches of that arm of Canada's defence presided over by the Militia department.

"Military training," he stated to the Times this morning, "is the best physical stimulus a growing boy can get, for in addition to training the body in a more efficient way than almost any other line of endeavor, it helps materially in the training of the mind, as it inculcates that discipline which has long been one of the greatest needs of our own Canadian youth."

The colonel was somewhat loth to give his views on the war of the seven nations, but in reply to questions stated that he hoped Canada would get ready to offer further contributions of men and money, as both he felt would be required from all the Overseas Dominions before this war had reached its termination. It was Canada's bounden duty to have further bodies of men well equipped and prepared so that when the call came they would be ready to go at once and without delay and in such state that they would be competent to meet the trained organization which the Kaiser's forces can set against them.

"No man can close his eyes to the fact that on the outcome of this great campaign depends the very existence of the British empire. Germany must be put in a position where she cannot make trouble again for generations to come."

"It is going to be a long war undoubtedly. At the beginning Kitchener said it would probably last eighteen months. Later he stated in the House of Lords that it might take three years, and no man is in a better position to know the real facts of the case than he. Yes, it is going to be long and terrible struggle. The forces of Germany are well organized—better so than perhaps any others in the world—though the British soldiers have shown themselves to be better marksmen and better trained soldiers. Unfortunately, however, there are so few of them who have been adequately trained, for it is no use, in my opinion, to set raw troops against the trained men."

Colonel Anderson stated further that he thought Germany had already lost a good deal of prestige through the war by her lack of faith, which would react against her throughout the whole civilized world. The British empire could not help going into the fight. To have avoided it would have been a repudiation of its traditional and national honor. The struggle would naturally resolve itself into a question of endurance, both economically and with regard to personnel. The allies were obliged to win, and the British empire would go into it to the last atom of its resources. He had no doubt of the ultimate end, but it was going to be a titanic struggle which would leave its mark on Christendom for many, many years to come.

HELD ANNIVERSARY AT ESQUIMALT CHURCH

Rev. Thos. Keyworth and J. R. Cowell Preached at Esquimalt Methodist Celebrations

Esquimalt Methodist church yesterday celebrated its first anniversary by special services, the pastor, Rev. Thos. Keyworth, preaching in the morning, and J. R. Cowell in the evening. Special services were provided, Mrs. Keyworth singing in the morning, and the choir rendering an appropriate anthem, and, in the evening, Miss Burgess singing "Jesusalem," Mr. White a paraphrase of "The Lord's Prayer," and the choir the anthem, "Before Jehovah's Awful Throne."

The text chosen by Mr. Keyworth for his sermon in the morning was, "I Him was life, and the life was the light of men." The secret of Christ's ever-widening influence was to be found, not in His miracles, not in His preaching, not in His teaching. It was in Christ Himself. He was the great Miracle, the great Sermon, the great Lesson. His life exercised an unconscious influence which was the light of men and led them up through all the dark ages with sustained faith. People had remembered what Christ said, but after all, it was the life which He had led which had given the world the example toward which it blindly groped, and had provided the great lever which was to be its redemption. The lesson of fine actions was much more enduring than that of fine words.

Speaking in the evening on his "Great discovery at Windsor castle," J. R. Cowell surprised his expectant hearers by telling of a spider's web which he had seen in the home of the British empire monarchs, stretched across one of the windows there. "The spider took hold with her hand and is fast in kings' palaces." Almost through all time regarded as one of the odious and undesirable creatures, said Mr. Cowell, the spider, nevertheless, was found everywhere. It penetrated the tiniest crevice. It entered the king's palace by the door used for the entry of the king's invited guests; it crawled through the windows made for the clean fresh air to enter. So it was with evil things which entered the human heart. The gateway for man's highest thoughts and ambitions was by which evil thoughts entered his heart. People, especially young people, should keep strict vigil over their portals, and not permit, in idle moments, the entrance of evil ambition and false ideals to cloud the outlook and choke up the windows looking out to heaven.

The anniversary celebrations will be continued this evening at the church, with a public tea to which a cordial invitation is extended. Mr. Cowell will give a lecture on "The times and its lessons," in which he will treat with the great European conflict and its moral causes and effects.

RAIN INTERFERED

Scores of Civilian Rifle Club Marksmen Suffered Because of Unfavorable Weather.

A large number of the members of the Civilian Rifle Club faced the elements on Saturday afternoon and shot at Clover Point range under very trying conditions, heavy showers falling at intervals. Low scores were the result, especially at the long range. H. J. Wicks won the gold button in A class, S. Greig the bronze button in C class. There will be no more mid-week shoots until further notice.

The scores:

R. S. Greig	200	500	600	Tl.
H. J. Wicks	32	31	32	36
G. Douglas	29	33	29	31
J. V. Boyd	36	32	28	30
E. H. Beane	31	31	27	28
F. T. Murray	31	32	26	29
A. J. Giddes	33	34	19	26
A. E. Asie	28	31	26	25
D. McNeil	31	29	25	25
A. How	32	28	21	21
Capt. Gollup	31	29	25	25
A. Symonds	28	26	24	28
R. V. Gordon	27	34	17	28
W. P. Mumfry	27	27	27	27
S. Martin	26	26	21	23
J. F. Pinkham	22	22	19	20
W. Clack	21	24	14	18
W. R. Menzies	25	32	10	27
C. Thomas	23	22	20	25
G. Ker	24	23	17	24
J. A. Casanave	25	16	21	22
G. B. Killo	23	22	16	21
C. B. Pearson	23	19	16	21
H. Martin	23	18	15	21
J. V. Wright	25	16	14	21
Arthur Whitley	24	13	12	21
C. Tupper	15	9	21	45
J. A. Rowe	22	12	7	43
F. E. Pickard	14	3	1	21
S. G. Clark	14	Retired		

Members must return the score cards, whether completed or not, to the secretary before leaving the range.

PANTAGES VAUDEVILLE

Six acts, instead of the usual five, with a beautiful fantasy of gossamer and dancing as the headline attraction, form the offering at Pantages theatre this week, the new show opening with the matinee to-day. The fantasy is called "Kingdom of Dreams," and is said to be one of the prettiest and most pretentious acts of the kind this house has played.

The added feature of the programme is "Smithy and the Eel," described as one of the most vivid one-act dramas in vaudeville. The sketch is played by Harry Cornell, well known here; Ethel Corley, a Seattle girl, and their company.

Another drawing card is a surprise comedy conceit, called "Women As Is"—whatever that means—to be staged by Early and Light.

The Acme Four, a quartet of men, are noted as excellent all-round entertainers. Gray and Peters are cycling experts, who are said to have something new to display in this line of endeavor. Bob Kelley and George Catlin, the black-face comedian and Chinaman comedian are also among those present.

MAKE REQUEST FOR UNIFORM CLOSING

Retail Merchants—Wait on Mayor To-day; Two Deputations for To-night

Another side of the question of early closing was presented to Mayor Stewart this morning for consideration. Owing to the decision of the city council last Monday confirming the suspension of the operation of the Early Closing by-law, which was to have come into force that day, there is now no law at all, outside of the 9.30 p. m. rule, regulating the closing of stores in the city.

A deputation from the grocers and other retail merchants in the business section of the city waited on his worship this morning to point out that they were being put to a serious inconvenience by the competition of the suburban grocers, many of whom employ no help and continue to sell after the hours when the large stores in the centre of the town close up. The large stores were carrying large liabilities and paying high rents while the smaller stores had not these outlays. The deputation asked that the measure be made universal, with closing at 6 p. m. on days other than Saturdays and the eve of public holidays. Reference to the repeal of the old measure was made. This repeal had given security to those who closed at early hours and had been obtained on representation that a general by-law would take the place of the former measure in future.

Two deputations have secured a hearing for this evening on the question of unemployment. The Trades and Labor council's sub-committee, appointed on Saturday, has been promised a hearing on the question of public works to be conducted by the city council, and the Imperial Conservative association leaders are to be heard at 7.45. Fifteen-minute talks are too short to lay the facts before the aldermen, and it is now a most irregular thing to hear any delegations before the meetings of council, particularly when there is so much work to be done as at the present time.

The report for the month of August on the progress upon Sooke waterworks will be before the council. The work will slacken off somewhat now under unfavorable weather and there will be a decreasing output of pipe, as it has too much pipe ahead of the gangs laying it on the grade. The party of civil engineers who visited the lake on Saturday under the guidance of the water commissioner, the resident engineer and others, saw what was being done at the Pacific Lock Joint company's plant at Cooper's Cove.

Most controversial of the matters before the city council this evening will be the report of the civic investigation committee, which will cover the departments into which an inquiry has been held during the past few weeks. It is reported that recommendations of reductions in the building inspector's, engineering and the plumbing departments will be made, as these are some of the departments which have been effected by the curtailment of construction work. The electric wiring department has already been pruned by the release of the assistant inspector. The recommendation of the committee's report will not be drastic in character and will leave to the council the policy as to whether a reduction of salaries is desirable.

Whether the city council will this evening take up the long report on the public fire protection of the city made by Messrs. Maury and Cheney is a matter of uncertainty. There are so many parts of the report affecting various departments that it will require the attention of various committees before it can be handled satisfactorily.

The city solicitor will report a claim for damages made by a workman on the Sooke pressure pipe line who was struck by a piece of rock during blasting operations on the Burnside road. The solicitor also has two by-laws to which reference has already been made, the liquor license amendment by-law and the by-law to regulate the examination of moving picture operators and their apprentices by a board.

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On Wednesday afternoon there will be a meeting of a special committee dealing with street-ends on the waterfront. The subject has received intermittent attention for some years and has again become of importance because of applications for water privileges which affect various streets where they abut on the waterfront.

A general sense of satisfaction was expressed to-day that the bank rate and the rate of exchange have fallen as a result of easier business conditions between London and New York. As the city has to renew its treasury bills next week, a fall in the rate of exchange will save a great deal of money. Quotations in New York now are at 4.39 on the pound sterling. The city apparently will be able to transact its business at a lower rate than the fiscal brokers indicated in their recent telegram. Another ten days may see further rate reductions, which will improve the situation so far as the city is concerned.

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NINE BODIES FROM LEGGETT RECOVERED

Coasting Steamers Pick Up Victims of Ocean Tragedy; Number Lost Unknown

Newport, Ore., Sept. 21.—The bodies of eight victims of the steam schooner Francis H. Leggett, which sank Friday in a gale sixty miles south of the Columbia river, were picked up late yesterday by vessels near the scene of the tragedy.

The schooner Patsy arrived here today with four bodies which were picked up just before dark yesterday five miles southwest of Tillamook Rock and four miles off shore. The schooner Tillamook, passing the same locality at the same time, picked up four more dead, one of whom was a woman. The Tillamook put in at Umpqua. None of the dead have yet been identified. Three had on life preservers and a fourth was lashed fast to a life raft. The four victims brought here appear to have been members of the crew.

Wheeler, Ore., Sept. 21.—The body of a woman, evidently a victim of the ill-fated steam schooner F. H. Leggett, was found today on the beach at Neah-Kah-Nie mountain, near here. The woman's right arm bore tattoo marks and on her right hand were three rings.

Number on Board Unknown.
Portland, Ore., Sept. 21.—No additional information was received here today to indicate the exact number of those who lost their lives when the steam schooner Francis H. Leggett went down in a gale off the Oregon coast on Friday. All the ships' lists left on shore show that the passengers and crew numbered 61, but it is known that there were additional passengers on board, making the total seventy or more, of whom only two were rescued.

Captain Moriyma, of the Japanese cruiser Izumo, which picked up the Leggett's "S. O. S." call, informed other vessels in the vicinity, today sent the following wireless to the Portland office of Charles S. McCormick & Co., agents for the Leggett:

"Very sympathetic; condolences for sad disaster which resulted in the loss of the Leggett and its many victims. Very sorry we could not reach scene of disaster in time on account of the great distance."

"CAPTAIN MORIYAMA, 'Izumo.'"

LAHAINA IN FROM 'FRISCO

The American barquentine Lahaina arrived in the Royal Roads this morning from San Francisco. She is to load a cargo of lumber at Hastings Mills, Vancouver, for the west coast of South America. She flies the house-flag of Hind, Ralph & Co.

VICTORIA BACK IN SERVICE

At 1 o'clock this afternoon the C. P. R. steamer Princess Victoria arrived from Seattle, completing her first trip in the triangular service since her crash with the steamer Admiral Sampson off Point No Point last August.

TEES RETURNS AFTER VERY ROUGH PASSAGE

Encountered Heavy, Southeast Gales on Way From Clayoquot

After a very stormy trip the C. P. R. steamer Tees, Capt. Edward Gilliam, returned from West Coast ports as far north as Clayoquot early yesterday morning. Officers of the vessel report a series of howling southeast gales, together with very heavy seas and drenching rains. On Friday night the weather became so bad that the steamer ran into Toftino to await an abatement of the storm. Coming round Cape Escale on the homeward run a southeaster was blowing very hard, but the sea although choppy did not work up to any height.

Winter weather has now practically settled down over the West Coast. While there may be times between now and the middle of November when the weather will be good, mariners are prepared to meet the raging southeast gales every time they put to sea from now on.

One More Summer Trip.

The Tees will make one more trip on her summer schedule, being due to leave on Wednesday night for Holberg. Commencing October 1 the steamer will set out on her winter schedule, making the trip to Holberg on the first and twentieth of each month and running to Clayoquot on the tenth of each month.

On her last trip in from Clayoquot the Tees brought a fair list of passengers. Travel to and from the West Coast is not exceptionally heavy this year, but it is anticipated that next spring will see quite a number of tourists taking in the trip. The C. P. R. did not start until last summer to advertise the West Coast run as a new route for eastern visitors to this part. When the service becomes better known it is expected that many people will take in the trip. The C. P. R. hopes that many Victorians and Vancouver people will spend their holidays along the West Coast next year.

RENEW ORDER PROHIBITING CHINESE IMMIGRATION

Definite word has been received from Ottawa that the Dominion government intends to renew the order-in-council prohibiting the entry of Chinese immigrants into Canada. The matter was taken up with the government by the trans-Pacific steamship companies interested in the Chinese traffic, and it is understood that a reply has been received here advising steamship agents to refrain from booking Chinese in view of the pending legislation.

September 30 sees the expiration of the order-in-council passed six months ago barring all Chinese immigrants except merchants and students. The order, it is understood, will be extended for a similar period of six months, which means that no Chinese laborers, or those other than merchants and students, will be permitted to enter Canadian ports before March 31, 1915.

MARY TO BE PAINTED.

The C. P. R. steamer Princess Mary is to be hauled out on the Victoria Machinery Depot for cleaning and painting.

SALVORS CONFIDENT LORNE WILL FLOAT

Word Brought Here That the Barge America is Breaking Up, Tug is Still Sound

There is every probability that the local towboat Lorne will be floated from the rocks of San Juan Island. The barge America, however, has found her last resting place and shows signs of breaking up. H. B. Davenport, local agent for Dodwell & Co., with a party of yachtsmen, made a trip to the scene of the wreck yesterday and he brings back the cheery word that the salvors are confident that the tug will be floated.

The barge America is resting on her port side at an angle of nearly 45 degrees. The port bulwarks have given away and the deck is heaving. If another bad storm hits the hulk it is almost certain that she will pound to pieces. Nothing has been attempted as yet in the salvaging of the America's cargo, all attention being centred on the floating of the Lorne.

Was Jacked Up Once.

The salvors made splendid progress on the raising of the tug last week. They had the craft jacked up on an even keel and preparations were under way to pump her out and then pull her off. But a strong southwest wind sprang up and the big sea caused the jacks to give away, with the result that the Lorne went over to her former position. The two towboats which were standing by the Lorne had to head outside and face the storm, as there is no good anchorage in the vicinity of the wreck.

The salvors are experiencing many difficulties in floating the towboat. They have one good working day and then the following day it blows hard and they have to suspend operations. The salvors are quite confident that they will float the craft, but they cannot give any date as to when they will have her off owing to the nature of the weather at this time of the year.

ARRIVAL OF NATAL HAS BEEN DELAYED

Steamship Will Dock From Europe on Wednesday; Brodmount May Not Call

Frank O. White, local agent of the East Asiatic Steamship Company, has received information that the steamship Natal will arrive at Victoria on Wednesday from European ports. It was reported last week that the Natal would dock here today, but changes have been made in her schedule making her appearance here later than was expected. The Asiatic steamship has 100 tons of steel plates, iron bars and general merchandise to discharge at the outer docks for Victoria merchants.

Arrangements have been made by the owners of the Natal to have her proceed to Europe from this coast via the Panama Canal and they are quoting new rates for cargo. Capt. O. Dahl is master of the steamship and after discharging here he will take his ship to Vancouver and Puget Sound ports. A full cargo has been booked for the ship at Seattle, Tacoma and San Francisco.

Brodmount Not to Call

Information received today stated that the Blue Star steamship Brodmount, which is inaugurating a new service, will not call at either Victoria or Vancouver, but will proceed direct to Seattle. She is expected to pass in at Cape Flattery any day now.

The British steamship Knight of the Thistle is due to pass out from Union Bay to-morrow on her way to San Francisco to load a full cargo of grain for the United Kingdom. The Knight vessel called off here yesterday for a Nanaimo pilot and today she is loading bunker coal. She is to make the trip to Europe via the Panama canal.

G. P. R. BUY MINNESOTA?

Shipping men are to-day discussing a rumor to the effect that the C. P. R. may take over the Great Northern liner Minnesota. It is stated in shipping circles that the C. P. R. having had all its trans-Pacific fleet taken over by the British admiralty for cruises or transport purposes, is looking around for a ship, and that the Minnesota meets the case. The Great Northern has cancelled the sailing of the Minnesota booked for September 25.

QUADRA TO OVERHAUL AFTER SHORT CRUISE

Repairs to Be Made to Engines; Returned Yesterday From Lengthy Trip

Following a short trip to the west coast the lighthouse tender Quadra, Capt. Le Blanc, is to be laid up for her annual overhaul. The Quadra returned yesterday from a trip to Prince Rupert and the Queen Charlotte Islands with Lieut.-Col. W. P. Anderson, C. M. G., chief engineer of the marine department, and Capt. Geo. Robertson, head of the Victoria agency of the marine department. Arrangements are under way now to have the Quadra proceed with stores and supplies for lighthouses along the west coast as far north as Uluksuet.

It is expected that the lighthouse tender will be out of service for about six weeks or two months. Some repairs and alterations have to be made to her engines. The tender Estevan, Capt. Barnes, is again under the control of the department after having had a spell with the naval authorities, so the local agency can now spare the Quadra for her well-needed overhaul.

Made Long Cruise.

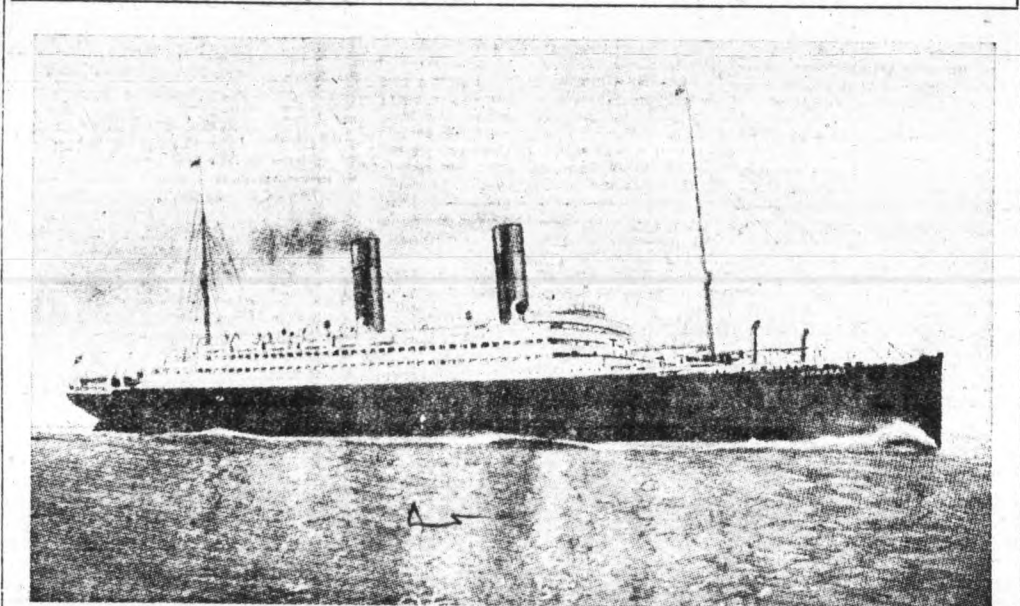
With Col. Anderson the Quadra proceeded from Victoria to Bonilla Island and the site of the new first-order lighthouse which is to be erected there was inspected. The tender then proceeded to Prince Rupert and Capt. Frank Saunders, agent of the Digby Island station of the marine department, joined the ship. The Quadra made for Langara Island, where a new first-order light has been placed in operation. Stops were also made at Naden Harbor, Masset and Rose Spit. The Quadra was headed south and stopped at Skidegate. Later she made for Cape St. James, where another new lighthouse has been built.

The Quadra was favored with fair weather during her cruise. When crossing Milbank Sound on the way south strong southeast gales with rain were encountered.

ALTA LEAVES FOR AFRICA.

The barquentine Alta, Capt. Thonagel, put to sea yesterday morning at 11 o'clock in tow of the tug Golliah. She carries lumber for Cape Town, South Africa.

Auxiliary Cruiser Which Sank German Vessel of Same Class



CUNARD LINER CARMANIA
The Carmania fell in with either the German merchant cruiser Cape Trafalgar or the Berlin off the east coast of South Africa and sank her on September 14.

MARINER DEAD

Seattle, Sept. 21.—Capt. J. W. Smith, one of the best known mariners on the Pacific coast, and for the last 14 years principal of the Seattle nautical school, died yesterday at the family residence, 1607 Sixth avenue west. He was a native of Dundee, Scotland, where he was born on Christmas eve, 1856. He was formerly master mariner on the Pacific liners Victoria and Tacoma. He is survived by a widow, one son and one daughter.

FAGELUND'S BIG CARGO

Seattle, Sept. 21.—The Norwegian steamer Thode Fagelund, under charter to the shipping firm of W. R. Grace & Co., is completing a cargo of 3,600,000 feet of lumber at Port Angeles for Australia. Part of the cargo was loaded at Tacoma and Mukilteo. The Thode Fagelund is expected to sail the middle of this week.

R. M. S. P. LINERS' POSITIONS.

The Royal Mail Steam Packet company, Findlay, Durham & Brodie, agents, report the positions of the vessels of their trans-Pacific fleet as follows:

Merionethshire, expected to sail from Yokohama for the Pacific coast, October 2.

Radnorshire, arrived at London, September 5.

Den of Ruthven, arrived at Manila from Hongkong, July 23.

Den of Airle, expected to leave Hongkong for Japan and the Pacific coast, September 23.

Glendochy, arrived at Shanghai from Yokohama, July 30.

Monmouthshire, at Portland, Ore.

Phoenix Stout, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Sept. 20.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Strs. Morning Star, Vancouver; Panama Maru, Tacoma; Richmond and Nome City, San Francisco; Bee, Everett; Fulton, Vancouver. Sailed: Strs. Lurline, Honolulu; Admiral Farragut, San Francisco; Washington, Tacoma; Nome City, Tacoma; Hornet, Bellingham; William Chatham, Tacoma; Despatch, Powell River and Victoria.

Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Nome City, San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Argyll, San Francisco.

Portland, Ore.—Arrived: Str. Northland, Klamath, San Francisco; F. H. Buck, Monterey; Siskiyou, Los Angeles; Daisy Putnam, Coos Bay. Sailed: Str. George W. Elder, Breakwater.

Astoria, Ore.—Arrived: Strs. Northland, Jim Butler, Klamath, Roanoke, Buck. Sailed: Strs. Olem, W. W. Fenwick, Paraiso, Bear, Dauntless (tug), Saxon Monarch, G. W. Elder, Breakwater.

MANY PASSENGERS REACH NEW YORK FROM EUROPE

New York, Sept. 21.—Three trans-Atlantic liners with 4,273 passengers arrived today, and three more with 1,107 were due before night, making the total 5,380, the majority Americans. The Nieuw Amsterdam from Rotterdam brought 1,733 passengers, the Cameronia from Glasgow 1,326 and the St. Paul from Liverpool 1,154. Some of the St. Paul's passengers were certain that Russian troops had been transported through the British Isles to France.

LABEL CHARGES BOTH VESSELS WERE TO BLAME

Seattle, Sept. 21.—Both the Canadian Pacific steamer Princess Victoria and the steamer Admiral Sampson are blamed for the collision in which the Canadian vessel rammed and sank the Sampson in the Sound last August. In a libel for \$6,425 filed on Saturday in the federal court in Tacoma by Philip McCaul and Anna McCaul in behalf of themselves and their five-year-old son, Philip McCaul, Jr., Mrs. McCaul and the son were passengers on the Sampson. She charges that stowage passengers from the Sampson fought their way ahead of her up the ladder to the decks of the Princess Victoria, literally walking on her in their frantic efforts to escape and forcing her to remain in the water for nearly eight minutes.

The libel, which was filed by Wedel Foss, a Tacoma attorney, alleges that the collision was caused by the failure of the masters of both vessels to bring their ships to a dead stop when they heard each other's whistles through the fog. Both ships are charged with traveling at too high a speed under the weather conditions.

Following the collision, the libel claims, Mrs. McCaul had to wade on the Sampson's deck through water almost up to her shoulders to reach the ladders thrown down by the Princess Victoria. She carried her son to the ladder, holding him over her head to keep him out of the water. As she clung to the ladder, endeavoring to bring the collision to a stop, she was struck on the back of her hands in their flight to safety. She was unable to get out of the water until rescued by one of the officers of the Princess Victoria.

Five thousand dollars is asked as recompense for Mrs. McCaul's suffering and injuries, and \$1,000 for the

B. C. COAST SERVICE

CHANGE IN TIME TABLE EFFECTIVE SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1914

Steamers for Vancouver will leave Victoria 1.45 p.m., arrive Vancouver 6.15 p.m., also leave Victoria 11.45 p.m., arrive 7 a.m.

Steamers for Seattle will leave at 5.30 p.m. daily, arrive Seattle 10 p.m., returning leave Seattle 8.30 a.m., arrive Victoria 1 p.m.

Steamers leave Vancouver for Victoria 12 noon, arrive Victoria 4.30 p.m. Leave Vancouver 11.45 p.m., arrive Victoria 7 a.m.

Vancouver-Nanaimo Service, Princess Patricia leaves Nanaimo daily, except Sunday, at 8 a.m., arrive Vancouver 10.30; returning leaves Vancouver 3 p.m., arrive Nanaimo 5.15 p.m.

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S.S. CHELSEA, sailing from Vancouver every Friday, at 9 p. m., calling at Powell River, Campbell River, Quathlasi Cove, Alert Bay, Bella Bella, China Hat, Swanson Bay, Butedale, Claxton, Prince Rupert and Grampy Bay.

PRICES received for all NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA PORTS every Wednesday, Pier D, Evans, Coleman & Evans Wharf.

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TALTHYBIUS SAILS WEEK BEHIND TIME

Blue Funnel Liner Cleared Yokohama Saturday; Has 475 Chinese for Victoria

Exactly one week behind her schedule the big Blue Funnel liner Talthybius left Yokohama on Saturday last, according to advices received this morning by H. B. Davenport, local agent of Dodwell & Co. The delay experienced by the mammoth ship was brought about by the quarantine regulations put into effect by the Japanese authorities. The Talthybius will be one week late docking at this port, the agents looking for her on October 2.

On board the Talthybius are 475 Chinese who will disembark at this port. This is the largest contingent of Chinese to leave any ship calling at this port during the present year. They are all returning men, having been in China on holiday trips. There are also 50 Chinese on board for United States ports. Quite a number of the Orientals who land here will go on to Vancouver and interior British Columbia towns.

Bringing Much Silk.
The Talthybius is bringing to this coast a shipment of silk valued at \$1,500,000. This is consigned to New York and will be discharged at Tacoma and rushed across the continent. The Blue Funnel liner carries a fairly heavy cargo of general merchandise, which is divided as follows: For Victoria, 533 tons; Vancouver, 3,200 tons; Seattle and Tacoma, 4,000 tons.

Reports from Vancouver state that the Blue Funnel liner Teucer, Capt. Yarwood, left there for Union Bay on Saturday afternoon. After bunkering she will head for Sound ports to complete loading for the Orient and the United Kingdom. The Teucer will carry outward a full cargo of freight. The bookings have been very heavy and cargo has been refused by the Sound agents.

COLLISION WAS DUE TO SAMPSON PORTING HELM

After the members of the marine court of inquiry which heard the evidence regarding the collision between the Princess Victoria and the Admiral Sampson on Saturday had handed back his certificate to Capt. Patrick J. Hickey, they considered the formal text of their finding, and completed this work during the afternoon, forwarding it to the department at Ottawa by the night mail.

The opinion of the court—formed, as is pointed out, in the absence of any evidence upon the other side—is that no other conclusion can be come to than that the collision was caused by those on board the Sampson porting her helm improperly a few minutes before the actual impact occurred. The evidence as to the broadening out of the whistle of the Sampson proved that the two ships were not crossing but were passing each other on practically opposite courses, and that had the Sampson maintained the course she was on, as the Princess Victoria undoubtedly did, no collision could have occurred.

That the Admiral Sampson had already nosed Point No Point on her way north and that the Princess Victoria had not yet reached that point had borne out by the location of the wreck at a point one mile and a half north of the point. The evidence as to the speed of the Princess Victoria at the time proved that she was not only going at a very moderate speed but could have had very little way upon her at the moment of impact. In concluding the judgment the court says:

"The court wished to express its highest approval of the manner in which the master, deck and engine-room officers and crew of the Princess Victoria behaved after the accident. The judgment, common-sense, nerve

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and coolness of the master in keeping his vessel in close contact with the Admiral Sampson by working her twin engines, one ahead and the other astern, and thus saving the majority of lives on that vessel cannot be too highly praised.

"The fact that only nine minutes elapsed between the impact and the sinking of the Admiral Sampson, and that in this short space of time eight boats were lowered into the water and saved a number of lives, speaks not only for the high state of discipline maintained on board the Princess Victoria but also for the efficient state of her equipment as regards her boats and life-saving gear."

"The court, in conclusion, wishes to extend its most sincere sympathy to the relatives and friends of those who lost their lives through the accident."

SEVEN TUGBOATS PULL BIG LINER FROM BAR

St. John, N.B., Sept. 21.—The Furness line steamer Shenandoah, which has been perched on the navy island bar ever since she was brought into this port ten days ago in a leaking condition, from striking on the American ledge, and was successfully floated at high water at noon yesterday, and was towed to Kennedy's slip for the purpose of conducting a survey for damages and effecting temporary repairs. Seven of the largest tug-boats in the harbor were engaged in the task of dislodging the liner.

LAST SHIP FOR ST. MICHAEL'S.

Seattle, Sept. 21.—On her last voyage this year to St. Michael, Solomon and Dickson, the Alaska Steamship company's liner Victoria, Capt. John A. O'Brien, will steam from Seattle tonight. Twenty-seven passengers, twenty of whom are women, have been booked for the voyage. The Victoria will have a cargo of 2,200 tons, the greater part of which is winter supplies for the mining camps of Seward peninsula.

The Victoria will make one more voyage to Behring Sea this year, sailing from Seattle on October 18.

History shows that surnames did not come into general and hereditary use in England until after the Norman Conquest, when the upper classes were first known by the names of their lands. The lower orders took the names of trade, birds, animals, and various other objects in art and nature. We are told that the earliest English surname is "Hatto."

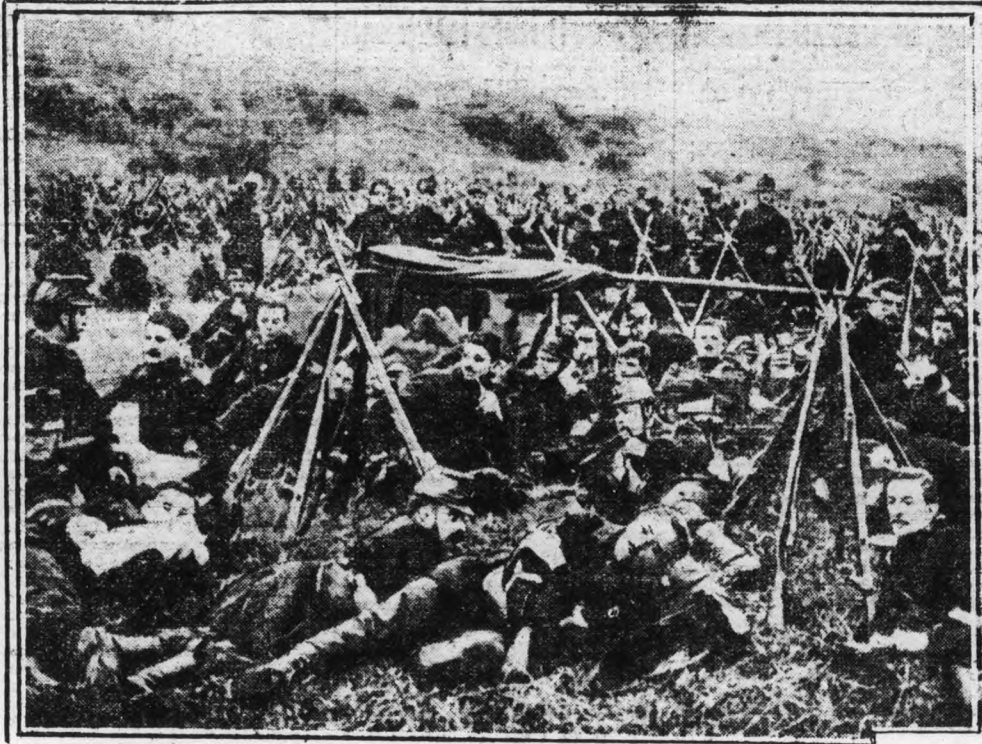
TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS.					
Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Eposon	Hill	2,970	(Rails C.N.R.)	In Magellan Straits	Sept. 21
Makura	Phillips	4,921	C. P. R.	Sydney	Sept. 21
Natal	Gardner	2,469	Gardner Johnson	Antwerp	Sept. 20
Sowwell	Ryan	2,432	(Rails, C.N.R.)	Sydney, C.B.	Sept. 20
Radio Maru	Asakava	3,849	G. Northern	Hongkong	Sept. 22
Talthybius	Allan	6,530	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	Sept. 25
Historian	Llewellyn	4,455	Balfour Guthrie	Liverpool	Sept. 27
Seattle Maru	Siffo	2,318	P. Rithet	Hongkong	Oct. 1
Monteagle	Douglas	2,900	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Oct. 1
Yokohama Maru	Machida	4,280	G. Northern	Hongkong	Oct. 8
Den of Airle	Hemming	2,430	D & B.	Hull	Oct. 9
Niagara	Rolls	2,582	C. P. R.	Sydney	Oct. 13
Gladstone	Jonsson	6,087	(Rails, C.N.R.)	Sydney, C.B.	Oct. 15
Mexico Maru	Kobayashi	3,850	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Oct. 15
Awa Maru	Tomimaga	3,900	G. Northern	Hongkong	Oct. 15
Chicago Maru	Hori	3,850	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Oct. 20
Arna	Michelson	3,250	R. W. Greer	New York	Nov. 1
Brazilia	Phillips	4,553	Gardner Johnson	Hamburg	Nov. 15

DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES.					
Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	To	Due
Crown of Seville, H. Cove, Liv'g	Sept. 20				
Aki Maru, G. N. Hongkong	Sept. 22				
Panama Maru, R. P. Rithet, H'gk	Sept. 22				
Makura, C.P.R. Australia	Sept. 23				
Teucer, Dodwell, Liverpool	Sept. 23				
Empress of India, C.P.R. H'gk	Oct. 15				
Monteagle, C.P.R. Hongkong	Oct. 21				
Niagara, C.P.R. Sydney	Oct. 23				

COASTING VESSELS.					
From Northern Ports.	From Southern Ports.	From West Coast.	From San Francisco.	From Comox.	From Seattle.
Princess Sophia, C.P.R., Skagway	Sept. 21				
Camosun, U.S.S. Bella Coola	Sept. 21				
Prince John, G.T.P., Pr. Rupert	Sept. 25				
Princess Sophia, C.P.R., Skagway	Sept. 25				
Tees, Holberg	Sept. 23				
Tees, Clayoquot	Sept. 19				
Governor, Pacific Coast	Sept. 21				
Governor, Pacific Coast	Sept. 25				
Charmer, C. P. R.	Sept. 22				

Belgian Troops Resting in Field of Battle



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And further take notice that any such persons who are subjects of the Countries aforesaid who do not comply with the above requirements forthwith, will be proceeded against.

Dated at Oak Bay, B. C., this 15th day of September, A. D. 1914.

W. E. OLIVER,

Reeve of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay, B. C.

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And further take notice that any such persons who are subjects of the Countries aforesaid who do not comply with the above requirements forthwith will be proceeded against.

Dated at Esquimalt, B. C., this 16th day of September, A. D. 1914.

J. R. SAUNDERS,

Reeve of the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt, B. C.

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Notice is hereby given that all persons who are subjects of Germany and Austria-Hungary, who reside or enter the City of Victoria, are required forthwith to present themselves to the Chief of Police of the City of Victoria at the Detective Office, situate at No. 620 Cormorant Street, Victoria, B. C., to there leave their names, addresses and descriptions, and make such report and give such other information and follow such directions as shall be required or directed by the Chief of Police.

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DATED at Victoria, B. C., this 10th day of September, 1914.

A. STEWART,

Mayor of the City of Victoria, B. C.

SAANICH MUNICIPALITY

NOTICE

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Dated at Royal Oak, B. C., this 14th day of September, 1914.

GEORGE MCGREGOR,

Reeve of the Corporation of the District of Saanich.

THE CASE FOR RUSSIA

By Prince Kropotkin

To say that the present war is a war against militarism is to be guilty of a platitude. For days past every leader-writer in the country has been saying so. Yet the attitude on this subject of a great number of people is extremely curious. They seem to be oppressed by the thought that they may have to cry, when the war is over, "Le roi est mort, vive le roi!" After Germany—Russia.

England cannot crush German militarism alone. All of us who have followed the lead of Germany for forty years must strike together. Belgium has struck her blow. France and Russia will strike harder; perhaps the heaviest blow will come from Russia. And there is the rub. For what if Russia, having helped to crush Germany, develops a psychology analogous to that of Germany after 1870, and after tasting power, decides to become the greatest of all—fosters the spirit of militarism which we are now arrayed against?

Let us picture Russia victorious. Then, so argues Mr. Bernard Shaw (and in the given case he represents not only himself but quite a number of other people), the Russian government will triumph. . . . Germany will be crushed. . . . the balance of power will incline in favor of Russia. After that the situation becomes too horrible to contemplate.

Mr. Shaw might be reminded that there is another Russia—the Russia of Tolstoy, Borodine and Gorki. But for the time that is forgotten; or people refuse to realize the extremely important fact that if Russia is instrumental in defeating Germany, it will be largely owing to the intelligence of that other Russia.

Against German Militarism. Russians have sunk their differences; they are showing a united front. A month ago there were barricades in St. Petersburg; the day the war was declared the barricades disappeared, and the men who had held them were the first to join the army. They were willing to lay aside their personal grievances in the desire to strike a blow at Germany; and it is military Germany at which they are aiming the blow. For those men and women owe an enormous debt to the culture of Germany. They know more about it, too, than the men and women of many other countries, having studied it more closely, eager to assimilate what was best in it. At the same time they realize perfectly that the first culture to droop and wither in the stifling atmosphere of German militarism is German culture. From supplying the world with the best music and literature and philosophy, Germany has become an authority on uniforms and decorative dinner-ware. The Germans may have fashioned a great empire, but they have become a small people.

Now, at last, they may become a great people. If Europe succeeds in bursting the bonds of militarism, the first to benefit by the change will be Germany. How much remains to be seen; but it is interesting to remember Bebel's words: "Behind every war of the future there lurks a revolution." Many, on the other hand, expect a revolution in Russia. It is too early to foresee what exactly the war will bring, and I do not say that Russia will necessarily have a revolution when the war ends; but what I do affirm is that in Russia, just as in every other country in Europe, there will be a rapid evolution of the present forms of government.

Russia's Intentions. Since the declaration of the war in Russia there has been the most extraordinary spontaneous truce between all parties. In the Duma Mens. Pourishkevitch, most rabid of reactionaries, has openly repented, and has recanted his anti-semitic views, announcing his belief that all should have equal rights as Russian citizens. What is more important is that the Conservative party, the Novoe Vremya, has proclaimed the beginning of a new era, the new era being, of course, the development and strengthening of a constitutional regime.

As one of the meagre proofs of Russia's nefarious ultimate intentions, it was inevitable that the bogey of a Russian invasion of India should be resuscitated. But that poor bogey is fast losing its savdust. The greatest Russian politicians and military authorities, notably General Kourapatkin, have repeatedly affirmed that the conquest of India would be the beginning of the end of the Russian empire. Owing to the almost insurmountable difficulties and the extravagant expenditure which the campaign alone would entail, such an undertaking is altogether outside the range of possibilities. The world has changed since the day when General Skobelev declared that "the road to Constantinople lies through India."

Certainly Russia will not allow Constantinople to be taken by anyone—that is why she did not allow Bulgaria to advance beyond Tchatalja. But Constantinople will lose its importance in the eyes of Russia as soon as the question of the opening of the Dardanelles is settled favorably. When that has been arranged Russia's ambitions no longer concern Europe politically.

Mr. Shaw talks glibly of the necessity of conserving Germany's eastern frontier. Why? Against whom and what? It is not Germany's eastern frontier that has mattered one jot in the European balance of civilization; it is that Russia lay beyond that frontier and served as the bulwark not only of Germany but of Europe against the Tartars who overran her and put back her civilization by a couple of centuries. It is idle speculation, but an interesting point nevertheless, to wonder whether Germany would have maintained as much culture as Russia has done had she been forced to bear the brunt of such an invasion.

Russian bureaucracy, as all bureaucrats, has welcomed militarism, and has counted on it confidently as a support. With a weaker Germany there will no longer be either excuse or necessity for encouraging it; and the bureaucracy will lose ground proportionately. The democracy, having played an important part in the campaign, will not only be more actively conscious of its rights; it will find them easier to obtain. This applies not only to Russia proper, but to Finland, Poland and the Caucasus, which, so far, are standing by Russia. A government financially weakened, and in wretched after any war, becomes more dependent on its people—and more tractable.

It is obvious that if progressive Russia has joined forces with reactionary Russia for the moment it is because she feels herself strong enough to postpone her own demands. And in that case she is hardly likely to allow herself to be yoked with a half-grown militarism after she has laid aside her own grievances while helping to strike a blow at militarism which, though irksome to other nations, has weighted most heavily on its own people.

THE GERMAN FUTURE

By Rt. Hon. Sir Joseph Compton-Bloket, P.C., M.P., in London Daily Mail.

Why is Russia a friend and Germany a foe?

Russia is a far-away country, Asiatic as well as European. She sprawls across two continents, and is touched by the opposing civilizations of the east and of the west. Her science is only awakening, her literature is the breaking of a stormy morning. She has a vast population—both tillers of the soil and nomads—little educated, steeped in superstition. But we have no quarrel with Russia involving life or death, and never have had one. We have not striven with her for maritime supremacy, in commercial competition, or even for the acquisition of territory.

Russia is driven by necessity to find an outlet to the sea, one which is not closed in winter by the load of ice or which does not open upon inhospitable coasts. If she is to find her natural development among the nations she must be in a position to exchange her wealth of arable and of pasture, her oil and her minerals, for the products of the civilized world.

She has, indeed, a port upon the White sea which is only an inlet from the Arctic. The approach to her capital in the Baltic is at the mercy of winter, and the entrance to it from the open Atlantic is under the control of Denmark, within easy reach of interference from Germany. She has ports upon the Black sea; but communication with these can be throttled at any time at the Dardanelles. The Caspian is only an inland lake, and in the far-away Pacific she has a difficult egress from Siberia at Vladivostok.

Her attempts to open sea-way communications have brought her into contact with this country. We fought the Crimean war to keep her out of the Mediterranean; although Great Britain already commands that inland sea at Gibraltar in the west and at Suez in the east. She threatens us upon Afghanistan, and we strengthen ourselves upon the Persian gulf. She stretches a long arm to Port Arthur, and is driven out of it by Japan.

It is quite possible for us to give Russia reasonable opportunity for the development of her immense resources, associating ourselves with her in her commercial efforts. If she is still too Asiatic in some of her political methods she is willing to recognize the independence of the minor Slavic states to her own supremacy.

The German Danger. The German menace is of a totally different character. The more civilized, the more dangerous the German becomes as a public foe. He has a perfect right to compete with us in every part of the known world, but as his commercial interests increase he develops his navy under the pretext of protection for his commerce.

It may be asked why Germany should not have the same naval power as Great Britain, and upon what argument do we claim supremacy at sea. The German colonies are few, scattered, indifferent in quality, practically useless to the Fatherland for German settlement. Germany can never possess a world-wide empire without warring successfully against France, Great Britain, or the United States. There is plenty of room in South America, Australia, and Africa for emigrants from Europe, but the space is bespoken. She has come too late into the position of a great power, and it is only by conquest that she can redress the balance against her. She has, indeed, scope enough and to spare for the exercise of world-wide energies if she is contented to do as Great Britain has done in countries where she makes no claim to political preponderance. Argentina is an instance of this peaceful penetration, while British capital is at work in almost every country where the need exists and it is hospitably entertained.

What Germany May Do.

But there cannot be two supreme powers at sea without conflict. The increase of the German fleet has proved its intention by its persistent concentration in the North sea, while its commercial interests abroad have

shared the protection of the British dominions. There is no contest with German civilization; it is with the extravagant ideas of German political power that we are engaged. The civilizing forces of Germany would remain even if she were to return to the political grouping which existed before 1870. Germany could extend her civilizing influences throughout Slavdom without claiming to govern the Slav. There is no necessity for her to drive through the Balkans, as there was none to mutilate Denmark by the annexation of Schleswig, or to make France a perpetual enemy through the unhappy appropriation of Alsace-Lorraine.

If Germany fails in the present war she will inevitably have to submit to loss of territory. Yet that very sacrifice may prove her salvation by relieving her of the burden of armament, limiting her ambition, but leaving her free as the central European state to become the friend of all her neighbors. The very downfall of Austria as an empire may serve the building up of a new Germany, stronger for consolidation.

Why should Germany rule the Slav against his will? Let the Austrian Slav provinces find their true affinity. The Slav has been long in Europe and has his right to his share of soil and self-government. Of old the Slavic hosts stemmed the advance of the Turk, and have finally thrown off his dominance. They are coming into their kingdom; let them be welcomed into the group of European nations. Italy deserves to receive the last of her provinces under foreign rule. Schleswig should return to Denmark, Alsace-Lorraine to France, and possibly Luxembourg to Belgium. But the addition of German Austria to the present German confederation will more than compensate for the loss of these territories, even if Posen and Galicia be parted with to the new Poland.

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SPORTING NEWS

BENEFIT GAME AT BALL PARK

NO FURTHER DRAFTS ON BEES

Seattle and Vancouver Split Even Yesterday; Victoria All-Stars Defeat Nanaimo for Island Title

Owner Kingham, of the Victoria baseball club, returned from Seattle this morning, but he had little to say on the plans that the Northwestern league has mapped out for 1915. Mr. Kingham is sure that the salary limit will be lifted for next year and that the schedule will also be cut down a bit, allowing the teams to open later, while Bellingham will be given a full share of Sunday games for next season. No further drafts for Victoria players have been put in and it is thought that if any other local players advance they will go up to the Coast league.

Preparations have been completed for tomorrow's benefit ball game at the Royal Athletic park between the C. P. R. club and the Allen Stock company. The proceeds of this game will be handed over to the Connaught seamen's institute, and judging from the sale of tickets, a splendid crowd is looked for. The railroad team will line up with their crack twirler Zarrell on the mound, while the Allen Players will inject a lot of comedy into the game. New and original rules will be followed out and Miss Vera Felton will umpire. The game will start at three o'clock.

Seattle, Sept. 21.—The post-season series came to an end yesterday at Dugdale's park with a double-header.

SOCCER LEAGUES TO REMAIN THE SAME

Old Country Clubs Receive War Office Sanction to Continue Schedule

Secretary Youson, of the Victoria Football association, states that the different divisions of the V. F. A. will continue as they are now constituted. "It is too late to think of organizing another senior club now," he stated to the Times, "and the intermediate division will also remain the same." A meeting of the V. F. A. will be held at the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday night, when it is expected the balance of the schedule will be given out. The opening of the league is billed for Saturday next at Beacon Hill.

Most of the teams were out practicing on Saturday, the Thistles winning from the Wests 4 to 2 in a preliminary work-out. Neither club were at full strength, but the Scotsmen showed a lot of clever football in the rain, and must be reckoned with as contenders for the Victoria championship. The Empires won a clean-cut victory over the Fairfields, 2 to 0, both clubs putting up a nice game. The teams: Empires—Davies; Lacey and Castle; Dobbie, Nash and Smith; Woods, J. Cummings, McLeod, Linn and J. Cummins. Fairfields—Leeming; Cox and Gibson; A. Clegg, Church and G. Clegg; A. Lea, Lawson, Creighton, R. Lea and Erickson.

London, Eng., Sept. 21.—The war office authorities having recommended the continuance of the football games under association rules, all scheduled matches were played Saturday and attended by enormous crowds. The following are the results of the games played on the grounds of the first mentioned club:

First Division.
Aston Villa 2, West Bromwich Albion 1; Bolton Wanderers 2, Manchester City 1; Bradford 2, Sunderland 1; Liverpool 2, Sheffield Wednesday 1; Manchester United 2, Blackburn Rovers 0; Middlesbrough 2, Chelsea 0; Newcastle 1, Bradford City 0; Oldham Athletic 2, Notts County 1; Sheffield United 1, Everton 0; Tottenham Hotspur 1, Burnley 0.

REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Williams is Talking a Lot of Nonsense.

When Nick Williams handed out that bunk at Portland about the Northwestern League being cut down to four clubs, he was probably making a play for popularity with the Coast League-writers. There is as much chance of the Northwestern League being cut down to four clubs as there is of Seattle jumping to the Coast League. The fact of the matter is that President Hughes is about to take another city into the circuit. The annual meeting of the Northwestern League will be held the middle of December when it is expected that the plans will have been completed for the playing of at least thirty of the Tacoma and Victoria fixtures at Bellingham next year. Victoria's Sunday games will be played at Bellingham, while some of the Tacoma fixtures will also be transferred there.

Rowing Coaches in War Zone.

American college oarsmen are in despair, fearing the European war will take from them two of the greatest British rowing instructors. Vivian Nickalls, who has been head coach of the Pennsylvania crew, has sent word that he will stay in England to go to the front with his troops. Guy Nickalls, his brother, who was largely responsible for Yale's rowing revival last spring, was expected at New Haven in September to fulfill his contract. Nothing has been heard from him and Yale men fear he is at the front.

Many Athletes For 'Frisco Meet.

The war withdrawals from the Olympic games at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition will be more than compensated for by the fact that more than five hundred Oriental athletes who will participate in the Far Eastern Olympic games in October have agreed to come to San Francisco in 1915.

In which Vancouver beat Seattle in the first conflict by a score of 1 to 0. In the second Seattle took Vancouver into camp, 1 to 0. Weiser Dell pitched the afternoon game for Seattle and closed his career with that team with a no-hit-no-run game. Jimmy Clark pitched both games for Vancouver. He was good all the way. In the first game he held Seattle to three hits.

"Wee Wee" Balcorn pitched the Victoria All-stars to a double victory over Nanaimo, winning the Vancouver Island championship. Saturday the North Ward star twirled the locals to a 11-1 victory, while yesterday he held the Miners to 6 scattered hits and Victoria won 8-2. The feature of both games was the steady pitching of the youthful North Ward star.

Portland, Sept. 21.—Arthur Kores, utility player on the Portland baseball team, yesterday announced that he had received a second contract from the New York Giants which satisfied him and that he had signed it. He will report next spring. Kores received a contract from the Giants last week, but declined at that time to sign.

It is no secret that Tealey Raymond can have the management of the Seattle club for 1915 if he wants the job. There is nothing to indicate that he will not hold the reins again, but Tealey does not deny that the job is anything but enjoyable.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 21.—Joe McGinnity, a pitcher formerly of the New York Giants and lately of the Tacoma Northwestern league team, signed yesterday with Venice.

BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Standing: Won. Lost. Pct.
Boston 78 50 .561
New York 76 58 .563
Chicago 72 62 .537
St. Louis 71 66 .515
Philadelphia 67 71 .486
Pittsburgh 67 71 .486
Brooklyn 62 74 .456
Cincinnati 56 80 .412
No games Sunday.

SUNDAY'S GAMES.
American League.
First game—Washington 3, Chicago 1.
Second game—Washington 3, Chicago 6.
Cleveland 1, Philadelphia 4.
St. Louis 2, New York 2.
First game—Boston vs. Detroit, 3. Second game—Boston 7, Detroit 2.

Coast League.
Venice 3-1, Portland 0-8.
Oakland 4-8, Los Angeles 3-8.
Mission 0-2, San Francisco 1-5.

Federal League.
Buffalo 2, Indianapolis 3.

BENEFIT MATCH.
It is hoped to play the postponed benefit match for Verrill, the Victoria Cricket club pro, some day this week, at the Hospital grounds.

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VICTORIA CHESS CLUB.
Members of the Victoria Chess club are notified that a meeting will be held in the office of J. T. L. Meyer, room 10, 624 View street, on Saturday, Sept. 25, at 8 p. m., to discuss the question of obtaining premises whereby to re-open the club for the winter months. All lovers of the game are invited to attend.

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MOTOR RACES WERE FINISHED IN RAIN

Greasy Track Again Hampers Auto Drivers at the Willows; Cameron Stars

Rain failed to stop Saturday's card of motor races at the Willows, the drivers giving a thrilling exhibition of their skill upon the greasy track. The programme was finished in the pouring rain, and while the crowd was small, the promoters lived up to their promises of making the competitors drive, regardless of the weather conditions. Joe Market captured two of the motor cycle events. D. Wetter winning the novice event. In the motor car races, Toots Cameron hauled down a brace of wins with his speedy little Saxon. L. Nelson was the other auto winner. Several of the motor cycle events had to be postponed because of the driving rain in which the races were completed, the match events also being called off for this reason.

The feature event of the programme was the five-mile free-for-all, in which L. Nelson, piloting an Apperson speedster, beat out Cameron in a close finish. The cars skidded at every turn, but the drivers handled them with rare judgment, the five miles being covered in 9:52. Toots Cameron won the five-mile bullet event with his Saxon entry in commanding style, Bob Steele landing second money. Harry Hanover hauled down two third prizes with his Yellow Peril, this car being unable to do justice to itself because of the greasy track.

It is just possible that an inter-city motor cycle and motor car event will be staged at the Willows on Thanksgiving day, providing the weather is at all favorable. Saturday's results:—
First race—Three-mile Douglas motor cycle—1, J. Market; 2, E. H. Hanbury. Times, 5 mins. 7.4-5 secs.
Second race—Motor cycle. Five-mile novice—1, D. Wetter; 2, J. Rose; 3, J. Cameron. Time, 6 mins. 55.1-5 secs.
Third race—Two-mile handicap—1, J. Market; 2, E. H. Hanbury; 3, T. Christie. Time, 2 mins. 48 secs.

Fourth race—Motor car. Five miles—1, E. J. Cameron; 2, Bob Steele; 3, H. Hanover. Time, 8 mins. 40 secs.
Fifth race—Free-for-all motor car. Five miles—1, L. Nelson; 2, E. J. Cameron; 3, H. Hanover. Times, 9 mins. 52 secs.

Sixth race—Motor car obstacle. One mile—1, E. J. Cameron; 2, D. R. Cameron; 3, L. Nelson.
Judges—J. Gorman, J. D. Lamont, H. Hanover. Timekeepers—J. W. Duncan, W. J. Shortt. Starter—H. M. Pashley.

CIVIL SERVICE CLUB WON ON SATURDAY

A game of more than ordinary interest was played on Saturday between the Civil Service and the Land Registry teams at Heywood on the regatta. The Civil Service copped the long event of a 4-0 score. Swan and Bridges were the most prominent among a galaxy of stars on the Civil Service line, while the defence of Moffatt, Bigwood and Northcott was invulnerable. Northcott, the veteran in goal, pulling off a comely feat, will go a long way to encourage the other stars in the soccer world to return to the game. Tidens and Wilson played a strong defence for the L. R. O., while Freeman, Hemmelford and Dai Thomas were the pick of the forwards. Dai Thomas especially found the goal to his liking and kept the C. S. A. defence on the go. Dougan gave mutual satisfaction as referee.

RITCHIE WILL GO EAST THIS MONTH

San Francisco, Sept. 21.—Willie Ritchie, now hailed as the American lightweight champion, left yesterday for Los Angeles on the last leg of his vacation period. He will be away two weeks, before leaving San Francisco for the local fight which he will have with Jimmie Coffroth, and while business was not discussed Ritchie let it be known that he is looking ahead to a programme of ten-round bouts in Milwaukee and New York. He has received offers from Tom Andrews and Billy Gibson, and will take them up as soon as he returns from the southern part of the state.

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P. N. A. SELECTS OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Local Delegate to Act on 'Frisco Committee; Spokane Gets Ring Tourney

Seattle, Sept. 21.—At the annual meeting of the Pacific Northwest association of the Amateur Athletic union, held at the Seattle A. C. yesterday, officers were elected and plans framed for the coming year of sporting activity. A. S. Goldsmith, of Seattle, secretary of the S. A. C. and well known in athletic circles of the northwest, was selected by the attending delegates to fill the office of president.

Harry S. Burdick, of Spokane, was elected vice-president, and T. Morris Dunn, of Portland, was elected life secretary. Dr. Carroll, of Tacoma, and Harry Skuce, of Victoria, were appointed to act with the above-mentioned officers on a commission to frame up plans and regulations governing the Northwestern entries in the A. A. U. meet at San Francisco next year.

Three athletic clubs, the Mohawk and Western, of Portland, and the Walla Walla, were brought into the P. N. A. at the meeting. The year's schedule provides for the following arrangements: The P. N. A. track meet at Spokane, March 18 and 19; outdoor swimming to S. A. C.; indoor swimming to Multnomah; aquashball to Multnomah. The Spokane A. C. will give a handsome banner to the club taking out the largest number of winners in the ring. The boxing teams this year will be composed of five members instead of four, as has been the rule in the past.

Following is the season's boxing and wrestling schedule:—
October 12—Vancouver vs. S. A. C., at Vancouver.
October 23—Portland vs. S. A. C., at Portland.
October 30—Multnomah vs. S. A. C., at Seattle.
November 6—S. A. C. vs. Spokane, at Spokane.
November 20—Spokane vs. Multnomah, at Portland.
November 29—Vancouver vs. S. A. C., at Seattle.
December 11—S. A. C. vs. Spokane, at Spokane.
January 8—Multnomah vs. Spokane, at Spokane.
January 20—Multnomah vs. S. A. C., at Portland.

FINAL AVERAGES
Individual Batting
Goldie, Spokane 37 11 22 327
Reidley, Vancouver 37 11 22 327
Willott, Victoria 158 77 158 322
Schroder, Tacoma 158 77 158 322
Holke, Spokane 114 60 118 314
Neighbors, Tacoma 148 68 173 316
Hobbs, Spokane 129 55 138 314
Swain, Seattle 88 105 211
Battiste, Portland 5 9 2 300
McMullin, Seattle 158 29 144 281
Wattell, Tacoma 118 24 127 282
Glpe, Seattle 62 12 41 291
Calvo, Victoria 109 69 119 288
Schmeier, Seattle 4 21 280
Brinket, Vancouver 116 32 127 286
Adelt, Spokane 29 5 19 281
McCarry, Vancouver 116 74 108 281
Wattell, Vancouver 84 34 280
James, Seattle 154 67 151 280
Osburne, Tacoma 5 1 5 278
Schroder, Tacoma 28 1 18 272
Hunt, Vancouver 40 19 62 252
Beardon, Seattle 12 19 2 271
Sewis, Spokane 28 1 18 254
Delsoil, Victoria 61 21 57 271
Wuffli, Spokane 151 79 158 268
Bogner, Spokane 132 81 125 268
Brofford, Tacoma 118 45 109 250
Zimmerman, Tacoma 37 12 34 206
Killick, Seattle 143 61 109 206
McCarry, Vancouver 147 84 114 206
Peterson, Ballard 14 1 9 206
J. Butler, Tacoma 140 62 132 206
Carney, Vancouver 19 6 14 206
Callahan, Ballard 20 5 15 206
Delmas, Victoria 91 37 87 206
Zigant, Ballard 142 48 134 206
Stanley, Spokane 28 1 18 206
W. Butler, Spokane 151 56 150 206
Sheek, Vancouver 112 28 97 206
Sewis, Spokane 132 72 116 206
Hall, Vancouver 43 11 32 206
Melchior, Ballard 154 69 159 206
Bogner, Vancouver 132 64 129 206
G. L. Kelly, Victoria 141 45 109 206
Haworth, Ballard 67 12 63 206

OTHER VICTORIA BATTERS FOLLOW:
Carney 19 6 14 206
Narveson 26 12 23 206
Nye 159 70 119 216
Lambert 135 65 108 214
Pope 132 57 109 212
Brooks 62 15 35 207
Cum 28 7 20 207
Scotton 101 45 109 206
Hoffman 90 37 63 196
Cunningham 37 4 26 194
McHenry 29 7 20 188
Moran 78 41 34 180
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WESTS SIGN STAR.
Lem McKenzie, a star second division soccer player, has been signed by Jack Youson of the Wests. McKenzie is one of the best all-round players in the city, having played every position on the field.

LAWN BOWLING.
By defeating Walter Chambers at the Beacon Hill Park Lawn Bowling Club greens on Saturday, John Alexander became the permanent owner of the cup presented by Mayor Stewart for novices.

WAR FUND LACROSSE.
Vancouver, Sept. 21.—Playing on a sodden field and with the rain falling in torrents, the New Westminster Minto cup holders downed the Vancouver all-stars in a benefit match Saturday afternoon at the Athletic park by a score of 5 to 3.

JOCKEY INJURED.
Toronto, Sept. 21.—During the fifth race at Dufferin park Saturday, Jockey Hettridge, of Ogdensburg, N. Y., who was injured that he is not expected to recover. The doctors think his back is broken. Going to the dangerous north turn, the horse fell and rolled over Hettridge. He was picked up unconscious.

VICTORIA CHESS CLUB.
Members of the Victoria Chess club are notified that a meeting will be held in the office of J. T. L. Meyer, room 10, 624 View street, on Saturday, Sept. 25, at 8 p. m., to discuss the question of obtaining premises whereby to re-open the club for the winter months. All lovers of the game are invited to attend.

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THE CHIEF DESIGNER'S NEW FALL MODELS

What Gentlemen Will Wear This Season—The New Suits, Overcoats and Overcoatings as Shown in the Semi-Ready Tailoring—Imported British Woolens—The Finest Fabrics

All the new style models for Fall and Winter have arrived at the Semi-Ready Store. The chief designer, in writing to a friend in town, proudly proclaimed his productions as the best he had ever evolved in his long experience.

The English note is predominant in the Fall fashions for men, and the new fabrics are of beauty and harmony. The pure English models are best depicted in the three-button soft roll coat, with peaked lapel, and noticeably form-fitting, yet designed to give the effect of a comfortable lounge suit.

The younger set have always found the new attractions worth while in the Semi-Ready line, but for those who prefer the more conventional business and professional suits, the Semi-Ready designs are ever attractive.

The colors for Fall, usually with a dominant brown effect, will this season give place to a noticeable green, which will add a touch of brightness and warmth to the more sombre brown. There are some charming examples of the weavers' art in green-blue effects, and some very beautiful broken plaids in dark grey, tastefully woven with green.

Norfolk jackets are appreciably gaining in vogue, and like the Canadian ulster, they are essentially suited to the rigorous outdoor climate of Canada. Fall and Winter overcoats are shown in a profusion of patterns and fabrics, with a choice which will meet every fancy.

The show collar, at first shown only in the Canadian ulster, has taken a place with the less weighty Fall overcoat, and a neat garment of the Chesterton type, with patch pockets, will prove an attractive creation.

The Balmuccian, a revival of the old-time Raglan, has a touch of the army swagger, and for a time the military touch in clothes will find favor with the younger set.

Without much departure from the regular lines, the full dress suits and tuxedo dinner jackets in the Semi-Ready style showing have some delicate and dainty touches.

It has always been the purpose of the Semi-Ready designers to adhere closely to the immaculate and chaste creations in both fabrics and fashion. The leaders in any line must ever consider the true note in art, avoiding that which is faddy and fast fading by its lack.

With the price in the pocket, and the trade label, which gives to each customer an abiding faith in each purchase, the vogue of Semi-Ready tailoring has made rapid strides in Canada. Tailors and manufacturers from England and from the United States have journeyed to Canada to study the "secrets" of its success, and yet have sensed the fact that its fuller success lies not in secrecy, but rather in its exclusive candor.

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SPORTING GOSSIP OF THE DAY

Giants and Braves keep on winning.
Nationals won the Big Four championship but they dropped a pile of coin.
One report says they are shy five thousand dollars on the season.
A meeting of the Rugby Union will probably be held to-night.
Vancouver is to have a city Rugby league in spite of the decision to drop inter-city games.
Hamilton Tigers will again be favorites for the eastern Canada title.
Frank Lukeman has joined the first Canadian contingent.
Stan. Okell has again been chosen president of the Victoria West A. A.
New York Giants appear the lucky club in the secret drafts.
McGraw has drawn quite a few classy minor league stars.
Portland is anxious to have a pro hockey team this season.
The week-end soccer crowds in the British Isles are a fruitful recruiting ground for the Territorials.

MAY STAY IN WEST.
Hamby Shore may not be available for the Ottawa Hockey club this year. A departmental transfer may keep him in the west for the greater part of the winter. Shore is easily the fastest cover-point in the N. H. A., and his place would be hard to fill.

TOO MUCH RAIN.
Rain prevented the holding of the British Columbia Lawn Tennis Junior championships at the Victoria Club courts on Saturday, and the events will be played this week.
MRS. JACKSON CHAMPION.
Glen Cove, N. Y. Sept. 21.—Mrs. H. Arnold Jackson, of Boston, won the women's national golf championship Saturday, defeating Miss Elaine B. V. Rosenthal, of Chicago, one up.
"What do you want with all those hammocks and phonograph records and fancy groceries?" asked the storekeeper. "Going to have summer boarders?" "No," replied Farmer Cornbloss. "I wouldn't waste all them on summer boarders. I'm tryin' to make the place attractive enough to persuade a few farm hands to linger around an' help me out with the wheat crop."
"Your daughter plays some very robust pieces." "She's got a beau in the parlor," growled Pa Wombat, "and that loud music is to drown the sound of her mother washing the dishes."

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La Marquise de Fontenoy

Ex-Empress Charlotte of Mexico has been conveyed to England, and together with the members of her household, her physicians, and her nurses, is established in a beautiful country house, surrounded by a large private park, in southern Wales.

The transfer was not effected without a good deal of difficulty, and then only by means of the use of opiates. For the ill-fated sister of the late King Leopold absolutely declined to leave the chateau of Bouchout, where she had spent so many years of the captivity rendered necessary by the loss of her husband in 1853. But it was absolutely necessary to move her on the approach of the German army of invasion. For there is no knowing what might have happened if she had been present on the scene when the Kaiser's soldiers took forcible possession of Bouchout and overran the place. Although usually quiet and gentle, if anything occurs to disturb the even tenor of her life she flies into the wildest fits of rage, and on the occasion of her last interview with King Leopold, whom she has always hated with the utmost violence, she attacked him in such a fierce fashion, hurling flower-pots at his head and kicking his ulcerated leg, that he was in bed for three weeks afterwards.

She became insane some time prior to Emperor Maximilian's execution on the Plains of Queretaro, in Mexico, and while at times she seems to know of his death, there are other moments in which she talks of him as if he were still alive. Indeed, one of the most frequent and overheard of her hallucinations is to the effect that she is environed by political enemies, who are bent on taking her life and also that of her husband.

It may be recalled that she was overtaken by insanity at the Vatican during the course of a private audience with Pius IX., and there are many people, especially in Mexico, who believe that the loss of her reason was brought about by some insidious Mexican poison, which wrecks the mind but not the body, and which was administered to her by some of her Mexican or half-breed attendants, either before sailing from Mexico for Europe or while on the way across the ocean.

Maximilian heard of her insanity on the 15th of October, 1866, that is to say, nearly nine months before his death, in June, 1867. He learned it through a cablegram addressed to him from his chateau of Miramar, near Trieste, by Count Bombelles, announcing that the Empress was ill there with a very severe fever; and that it had been found necessary to summon Dr. Riedel from Vienna. Maximilian immediately called upon his own Austrian physician, Dr. Basch, to inform him who Dr. Riedel was, and was told that he was the leading alienist in Austria and the owner of one of the most notable private asylums for the insane.

From Miramar the demented empress was taken to Brussels and interned in one of her brother King Leopold's estates in the Ardennes. This was totally destroyed by fire some years later, under somewhat mysterious circumstances, which gave rise to a lot of unpleasant comment at the time. It was thereupon that her other brother, the late Count of Flanders, and her two sisters-in-law, the Countess of Flanders and Queen Henriette of Belgium, insisted that she should be established in some chateau in the immediate vicinity of Brussels, where they would be sufficiently near to the capital to enable them to pay her frequent visits, and the Chateau of Bouchout was chosen for the purpose.

Ex-Empress Charlotte possesses a very large fortune indeed, which is estimated conservatively at about \$42,000,000, she having been the principal beneficiary of the will of her occasionally rich father, Leopold I. It is now known that before sailing across the Atlantic with her Austrian husband to take her place with him on the throne of Mexico she, at her father's

instance, made a will disposing of this fortune. It was signed, sealed and witnessed in 1864, as has quite recently been definitely established, through official records and documents of evidence of a most incontrovertible character. But even the most careful search made for it among the voluminous papers left by Leopold II., many of which are scattered in the offices of the numerous lawyers, both in Belgium and abroad, whom he employed in connection with his extensive business enterprises and ventures, has failed to reveal its existence, and it is feared that it has either been lost or intentionally destroyed.

If not found, her wealth will be shared by her next of kin, that is to say, by King Albert of Belgium, his two sisters, Princess Charles of Hohenzollern, and the Orleans Duchesse of Vendome, and by ex-Crown Princess Stephanie of Austria and her sister Princess Louise of Belgium, who, by the by, has just been expelled from Austria as a Belgian. If the will is found the entire property will go to the reigning Duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, if what is now said about its purport is found to be correct.

Fighting in the ranks of the French army is Crown Prince Louis of Monaco, only son and heir of the ruler of Monaco, and who received his entire military education in the French army, in which he still holds a commission as Captain of Spanish Infantry. It is worthy of note in this connection that his father, on his accession to the throne, fought in the ranks of the French army against the Germans forty-four years ago.

Other personages of equal note who have volunteered for service under the French flag are the second son of the reigning Bey of Tunis and also the ex-Empress Hain Night of Annam, who has been residing in a sort of gilded captivity in Algeria ever since, some twenty years ago, of appalling cruelties which he practiced on his unfortunate subjects, cruelties which his suzerain, the French government, could not and would not tolerate or countenance.

Under ordinary circumstances when war is declared the royal and imperial personages holding commissions in the army of the enemy immediately proceed to resign them, and the Kaiser, in order to emphasize his anger against Britain and Russia, want a step further, causing his Russian and English warlike military uniforms to be packed up and to be dispatched respectively to King George and to the czar, at the time giving instructions that the insignia of his British Order of the Garter and his other distinctions of the same kind should be sold by public auction and the money turned over to the Red Cross fund.

Emperor Nicholas went to a still greater extreme. He was so wrought up by the discourteous treatment which his mother, the widowed zarina, had received in Germany on the outbreak of war, by the indignities offered to his diplomatic and consular representatives in Berlin and in other German cities and towns, and by the action of the German authorities in placing under arrest as prisoners of war his cousins, the Grand Duke Nicholas Michaelovitch and Constantine Constantinovitch, that he caused a special gazette to be issued cashing-in in due form the Kaiser and all the other members of the reigning houses of Germany holding colonies in the Russian army, among them being several royal and imperial ladies, including the Empress of Germany and Princess Henry of Prussia.

The gazette likewise contained a peremptory direction that no one possessing any German orders of knighthood should ever venture to wear them again. If I mention this it is to give a new illustration of the intense personal animosities that are characterizing this present war of nations in the old world.

MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

BOATS SOUGHT TO ESCAPE REGULATIONS

Patrol Boat at Esquimalt Acts; Soldiers Attend Services on Sunday

Sunday proved to be a much more pleasant day for the soldiers in camp about Victoria than the past few days. The day was quietly spent by the various units, but the return of brighter weather, while it did not immediately make the grounds drier, was welcomed by the men, who moved about under conditions more normal than had been possible for some days past. The discontinuance of the rains did not mean so much to the men at the Willows and the drydock and navy yard, as to those of the Fifth Regiment in camp at Macaulay Plains, who most of all groaned the better conditions yesterday.

The routine duties of the day were broken by divine service. The men of the 88th Fusiliers marched to St. Paul's church, Esquimalt, where service was conducted in the forenoon by the Rev. W. Baugh-Allen, the men afterward marching back to quarters. For the men of the Fifteenth Highlanders service was held at the Willows camp at 11 a. m. by Rev. Dr. Campbell, chaplain of the regiment. The band of the Fusiliers had an engagement to play a concert at Beacon Hill park in the afternoon.

The absolute necessity of all boats conforming to the regulations which the authorities have found it necessary to put in force was indicated Sat-

urday night, when no less than 3 small craft, launches, ran foul of the men in guard in the patrol-boat which guards the waters about the drydock, between nine and ten two boats, separated only by a short period to be passing. They were challenged by the soldiers, but both failed to return the countersign. This caused the soldiers to fire warning shots. Those in charge of one of the boats thought it prudent to bring their craft to a stop, and explain themselves to the guards. The men in uniform administered a sharp warning to them, and made it plain that the regulations were to be obeyed, and that ignorance of them was not sufficient excuse as ample publicity had been given to the fact that they had been put in force. Persons seeking to avoid the rules and use the waters as under ordinary conditions did so at their own risk.

The other of the two boats seen made good its escape under the obscurity of the night.

About midnight a third launch was perceived by the soldiers on guard, and it was also stopped and called on for an explanation. Those in charge had their attention also forcibly called to the fact that the regulations must be obeyed.

The New Cult. "She wears futurist gowns, you know." "No, I don't know a thing about it. What is a futurist gown, anyhow?" "You can search me—perhaps they are gowns which are yet to be paid for."

While admitting the general usefulness of the genus "fapper" as correspondence clerk a broker tells of a terrible happening, caused by his sending a letter in a hurry. The letter was duly dispatched, but was speedily returned by the client with some sarcastic remarks. On looking at the concluding sentence he found the typist had written, "Business here has been on a more moral basis to-day." Of course, what he said was "normal."

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INDEPENDENT TROOP

IS READY FOR FRONT

Recruiting for City Regiments Goes on; Boat Sunk at Esquimalt

The Independent troop of horse which is being organized and equipped by some Victoria gentlemen of means is practically ready for the field, and it is expected that it will get away this week on route to the British Isles, where its services will be placed at the orders of the war office.

The troop is being drilled daily on foot and mounted. It has all its mounts, these being first-class, and the appearance of the body of men is exceedingly fine. Both men and mounts are getting into the evolutions with expedition, and by the time they leave will be a cavalry troop of which the city may be proud.

Recruiting for the 88th Fusiliers is going on steadily, new men who prove satisfactory and who meet all requirements coming in at the rate of ten or a dozen a day. The regiment will be up to strength by the end of the week, which makes the second time within a month that it has been in this condition. The new men are being drilled into shape as rapidly as instructors can effect it. All the men now in camp have volunteered for the front, and all will meet the physical and other requirements for active service.

The 50th Regiment, Highlanders of Canada, is so quickly getting up to strength again after contributing so many of its members to the first contingent. Drill and rifle practice go on constantly, and the new recruits are being trained in all the evolutions of the manual.

The home guard will parade at the drill hall this evening sharp at 8 o'clock for company drill. It is requested by the officers that every man turn out to this and all other drills, so that the grand shall be thoroughly efficient in all its company.

The commanding officer, Major W. S. Weeks, invites all British citizens of 21 years and over, who are not already members of some other military unit, to join the home guard and prepare to defend their country in hour of need.

A large number of employees of the federal and provincial civil service who are not in the ranks of any of the local regiments, are drilling frequently at the drill hall and display a great deal of enthusiasm in their work. Several of them have seen service and are thus in a position to render assistance in getting the others up to a point where they will be efficient in their drill. Many of the men are good marksmen.

In addition to the instances of people in boats failing to observe the regulations governing the movements of boats in Esquimalt harbor, and in Constance Cove, which is absolutely closed to craft of all kinds from fifteen minutes past sunset to fifteen minutes before sunrise, another case is reported to-day in which the warning shots of the sentries went through the craft, and it is surmised that it sank in shallow water.

Nothing was seen of it after it was challenged and the occupants refused to answer, but a couple of men were seen scrambling to land, apparently from it. Evidently they let it sink and preferred to take their chances of getting to shore rather than remain in it and try to bail it out.

As a matter of fact there is no warning from the sentries required. There has been full publicity given to the fact that the movement of boats is prohibited, and any person who is out in one after dark is taking his life in his hands, the instructions to the sentries being to shoot at any boat seen, and others are liable to be fired on at sight.

For the patriotic fund the secretary has received from the employees of the Victoria-Phoenix Brewery the sum of \$125, this being the first month's contribution from them as their share towards the maintenance of the dependents of those who have gone or are going to the front for the defence of the empire.

What can be accomplished by serious application to the acquisition of the art of rifle shooting is shown by the splendid scores made by the business men's corps in their first shoot at the Bissett targets. Lieut. Fred Richardson took the corps over the ranges, and he proposes to follow this up during the present week by giving them the theory of the art, in conjunction with Sergeants Bevan-Pritchard and Wilson.

Those who wish to qualify themselves to join future contingents, but cannot spare the time from business to enlist in one of the city regiments, should belong to this corps and secure efficiency in what Lord Kitchener said was the most requisite thing in furthering the cause of the empire, and that will be given an equal opportunity with members of the regiments to volunteer for active service, and will be enrolled when other contingents are being made up.

Meanwhile the officers of the 50th Highlanders are taking a keen interest in training the members of this corps, and are generous with their time. Appreciation of their efforts is being shown by the members of the corps, but a token of appreciation that would be very much to the point would be the enrolling of more young business men in it. The scores made at the targets were:

H. J. Davis	200	400
Pilkington	200	300
W. Shilcock	200	300
Hart	200	300
W. T. Williams	200	300
Swainson	200	300
C. H. Elliott	200	300
Payson	200	300
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BY-LAW FAILS BY MARGIN OF TWO VOTES

On Recount Saanich School Measure is Found to Have Been Lost; Proposed Work

The recount on the Saanich school by-law, made necessary by the number of spoiled and unmarked ballots, was made this morning by the returning officer. As a result Mr. Sewell declares the following figures as final:

For	401
Against	739
Spoiled	39
Total	1179
Blank	41

The by-law has been declared lost by two votes; the vote for it being short two of the required three-fifths of the total. The returning officer did not count the unmarked ballots even as spoiled ballots.

Having failed to secure the approval of the ratepayers for the building of a brick school at the junction of Burnside road and Thillicum road, the school board apparently will have to fall back on the alternative of temporary quarters at this point. This will probably be done in the immediate future, as school accommodation, particularly for young children, has to be provided in some manner. The defeat of a school by-law in this province is a most unusual thing, as the ratepayers usually vote for school buildings whatever else is turned down.

It is the intention of the municipal council to give the by-laws passed on Saturday a final reading at the council meeting to-morrow evening. The reeve said to-day that he was hopeful that the brokers in the east, with whom the council was in communication before the war started, would, as soon as they learned of the successful passage of the measures, take steps to see how at least some of the money could be raised, so that a start could be made with the waterworks.

The first work to be done when money is available will probably be carried out in ward service. The roads which have to be paved will be given first attention so that the water mains can be laid before the roads are paved. The reeve says that no trenches are to be opened till the pipe is ready for laying in the trenches. Thus only a minimum of inconvenience will be caused to traffic. Pipe will be the first equipment acquired.

It is thought that the \$100 issue of debentures for waterworks and the other measures which will be available for local purchase will be the means of having money soon for the public works now authorized by the ratepayers.

Pleaded Guilty.—Cleo Wickersham pleaded guilty in the police court this morning to being a common prostitute and was sentenced to a fine of \$25 or in default one month. The arrest was made yesterday by Detectives Murray and Macdonald.

Judgment for \$10,000.—Judgment for the plaintiffs for the full amount of their claim and costs has been given by Mr. Justice Gregory in the action which Charles L. Betterton and H. H. Jones sued Thomas D. Bell to recover \$10,000 and interest. The claim was on two promissory notes.

More Mail Here.—A mail from the British Isles, consisting of six bags of letters, which left England on September 7, by the R. M. S. Royal George, has arrived in Victoria. Advice of parcel post sent by the same mail are to hand, and it is anticipated that this will come some time this afternoon.

Successful at Cowichan.—Among Victoria competitors at the Cowichan fair at Duncan last week were Clark & Hall, who won first in the Orpington class with one of their heavy-laying strain of White Orpingtons.

EMPLOYMENT DEPOT

Local Council of Women Kept Busy; Beautiful Lace and Other Purchases on View.

The employment depot of the local council of women, 637 Fort street, has now established its tea-rooms, and the organization will do a double service in assisting ladies in need and providing teas at moderate prices. In the latter respect there is no question of conflicting with other tea shops in the city, as the teas are arranged so as to attract custom which in the usual way does not find its way elsewhere.

Some interesting examples of needlework of a century ago are on display and for sale at the depot, including a rare and very beautiful example of antique point Brussels, sixty inches in length, and an early Victorian hand-embroidered border for a shawl, worked and worn by an English lady in 1812. This is five yards in length and still retains its beautiful colors.

Many contributors have assisted in furnishing the tea-rooms, and further help has been provided by Mrs. Milne, who sent chairs; Mrs. A. W. Jones, who lent both tables and chairs and sent teacloths; and Mrs. Bromley-Jubb, who sent in some flowers. Mrs. Hadden has contributed some small jugs, which are very useful, and Mrs. Milne has donated one dollar in silver have been given by anonymous givers.

The supply of needlework and fancy-work is growing, and hand crocheted cardigan tops, knitted fasciators and shawls, dust-caps, babies' layettes, etc., may be purchased at very reasonable prices. A tempting array of home-made marmalade, green-gate jam, chutney, preserves and other bottled fruits has been arranged for sale, and is finding ready purchasers, many of whom have given orders for further consignments of the fruit.

In its primary capacity of employment depot the headquarters continues to do good work, and employed and employer are keeping in touch with the office to their mutual advantage.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Boston	R. H. E.
Pittsburg	5 9 1
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Batteries—Harmon, H. Kelly and Coleman; Rudolph and Whaling.	
At New York	R. H. E.
Chicago	6 11 1
New York	0 7 3
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At Philadelphia	R. H. E.
St. Louis	6 15 1
Philadelphia	3 12 2
Batteries—Doak, Perry and Wingo; Tincep and Burns.	
At Brooklyn	R. H. E.
First game	6 10 1
Cincinnati	6 10 1
Brooklyn	9 11 1
Batteries—Finley, Schneider and Clark; Reubach, Steele and McCarty.	

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Cleveland	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	4 9 0
Cleveland	5 12 0
Batteries—Shawkey, Brestler and Schang; Lapp; Bowman, Combe and O'Neill.	

FEDERAL LEAGUE

At Brooklyn	R. H. E.
Kansas City	11 14 1
Brooklyn	3 12 1
Batteries—Packard and Easterly; Fineran, Martin, Peters and Owens.	
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St. Louis	5 13 1
Pittsburg	2 8 1
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WASHINGTON PLANNING VERA CRUZ EVACUATION

Washington, Sept. 21.—President Wilson will receive Wednesday a detailed report of conditions in Mexico from Paul Fuller, who has just returned from conferences with General Carranza and other Mexican leaders. The president will decide soon on the exact date for the evacuation of Vera Cruz and measures to be taken for the protection of refugees. That there will be no delay in the evacuation, except that necessary in turning over affairs to the Mexicans, was indicated after a conference between the president and Secretary Garrison.

Mr. Garrison told the president that the transports would reach Vera Cruz about September 26. He refused to predict when the transports would leave Mexico but indicated he believed there would be no delay, because of fears of refugees in Vera Cruz.

George Donaldson, of 129 Ontario street, and Paul Slater, of 439 Superior street, gave evidence of going to the house of Stevenson on the night of the assault after they had heard groans, seeing Black lying on the floor they forced their way in and helped bathe away the blood, later sending for the police patrol. Sergeant Blackstock told of going out with the patrol and bringing both men to the station.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B.C., Sept. 15, 1914.

NOTICE

A meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners will be held in the Police Court, City Hall, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of September, 1914, at 2:30 p. m.

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UNITARIAN PASTOR PREACHES FIRST TIME

Rev. H. E. B. Speight, Recently Arrived From London, Addresses Congregations

The First Unitarian church, Fernwood road, was filled to capacity both morning and evening yesterday when Rev. H. E. B. Speight, the new pastor, who has just come from London, conducted the services for the first time.

His morning sermon, based on the text: "After the way which they call heresy, so worship I the God of my fathers" (Acts xxiv, 14), was an appeal to his hearers to cast off a narrow faith in an exclusive authority for spiritual revelation of God, and an entreaty for the exercise of greater open-mindedness in the search for the Divine presence.

Two thoughts, said Mr. Speight in referring to his text, were there placed side by side. The Apostle Paul had asserted his fearless advocacy of change, and at the same time his deep concern for the things that changed not; he had professed bold advocacy of the new and earnest allegiance to the old. So far from these being incompatible positions thoughtful men must see that no one was truly devoted to an old custom or an accepted belief who was not willing to face a new situation in which his cherished custom or belief had to undergo change, nor was any advocate of new ideas worth attention unless he had penetrated to the heart of the old before rejecting it.

The Protestant reformers had become reformers because they were so much in earnest about Catholicism as to find it insufficient for their spiritual needs. The past was so out of which the present had grown. This might be illustrated by the modern study of the Bible, which had been most helpful when pursued reverently and by men anxious to share the religious experience which produced the Scriptures. It was faith in God, not disbelief, which had led thinking men and women to reject repulsive ideas of God current in popular theology. It was because faith in an ever-present God was strong that men rejected the idea of a God whose self-revelation to man and direct contact with His world was limited to three decades nineteen hundred years ago.

Yet the ideas of God repellent to the modern mind did sustain a strong faith in the men whose best thoughts they represented, and devotion to new thoughts of God was not to be measured by violence in rejecting the old, but by the depth of that faith in God which led man forward in the quest for truth.

This truth bore closely on the spirit in which a Unitarian church should address itself to its task. In bearing witness to "Christianity in its simplest and most intelligible form," the forces that made for enlightenment might be left to do the destructive work. The task of the Unitarians was one of construction. There was a positive message, not concerned primarily with theological argument but embodying a faith to live by.

The bottom fact in religion was that man might know God and be guided and sustained in life by God; the highest ideal meant the sharing of the intimacy of communion with the Spirit of Life enjoyed by the Master, Jesus of Nazareth. Orthodoxy, at any rate, officially, was sceptical about this central truth. In place of direct contact of the soul with God, the evangelical offered salvation through "believing" in the statement that Christ possessed faculties neither possessed nor possible to be possessed by man. The sacramentalist, on the other hand, laid all stress on the material elements through which he "communicated" spiritual life.

"This central truth and teaching," said Mr. Speight, "is the work of a ministry, not of one sermon, to express. Our name, 'Unitarian,' no longer stands, as once it did, for a mere rejection of the metaphysical, fourth-century doctrine of the Trinity. It keeps before us the supreme fact and principle of unity in its bearing on life and religion; the unity of God; the unity of all human life; the possible unity of God and man in an intimate, so tender that our highest name for the Divine is 'Our Father.'"

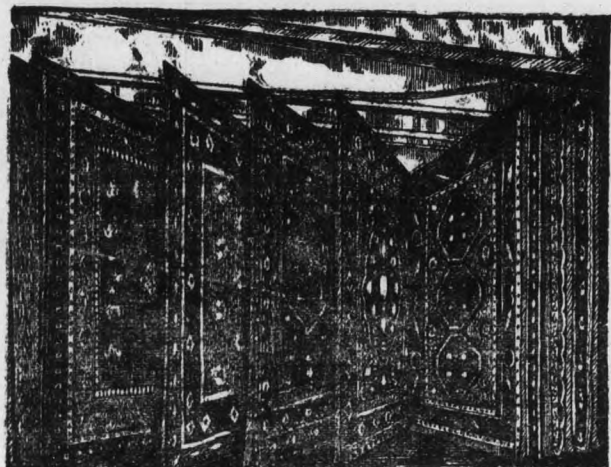
The state of Europe to-day showed how imperfectly orthodox Christianity had realized this principle. Men were meeting in deadly strife where they might as easily and more happily be co-operating in industry and the arts of peace. It was a Unitarian heresy to believe in and preach the unity of men as children of God without distinction of race or color. Some men could now pray only for the success of one or other side in the great war, because they had never thought of Britons and Germans as other than enemies. Others had entered the experience of war believing that Britons and Germans were bound closely together in the bonds of commerce and culture. To them the war meant more, and they could pray for an issue greater than British or German supremacy—an issue which would free Germany as well as other lands from the burden and yoke of militarist ideals.

And so it always was, concluded the speaker. The larger the ideas, the wider was it possible for the experience to become. Words which his hearers, as a church, might well keep before them were those attributed to Jesus by the writer of the Fourth Gospel. He had called Himself the living bread, and some Jews had asked how he could give them of His flesh to eat: "It is the spirit that giveth life; the flesh profiteth nothing; the words that I have spoken unto you, they are spirit, and they are life."

Economy has its pains as well as its pleasures. If the experience of an old Virginia dandy counts for anything. One spring, for some reason, old Mose was going round town with the face of dissatisfaction. When questioned, he poured forth a voluble tale of woe in these terms: "Marce Tom, he come to me last fall an' he say, 'Mose, dey's gwine to be a hard winter, so yo' be keeful an' save yo' wages.' An' Ah believe Marce Tom, yasuh. Ah believe him, an' Ah save, an' save, an' when de winter come it aint got no habship, an' dere Ah was wid all dat money on mah hands!"

"There!" said the young wife, proudly, as she deposited the hot plate carefully on the table. "That's the first pie that I ever made without any help; all alone myself." "So it is!" exclaimed her husband enthusiastically, looking it over critically meanwhile. "And as long as it is the very first, my dear, don't you think that, instead of cutting it, it would be nice to keep it for a souvenir? How would it do to have it framed?"

TAPESTRY SQUARES

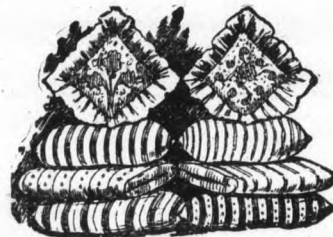


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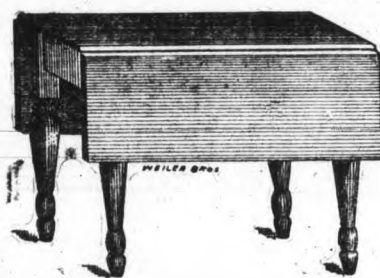
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