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WILHELM'S WORDS TO POLISH DELEGATION

Amsterdam, Jan. 10.—Referring to himself as having been throughout his reign the champion of principles making for the welfare of humanity and peaceable co-operation of peoples...

ARTILLERY ACTIONS ON WESTERN FRONT

London, Jan. 10.—A report from Field-Marshal Haig issued here last night said:

EPIDEMIC OF TYPHOID CONFRONTS HULL CITY

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—Owing to a break in the chlorination plant which occurred about a month ago, the city of Hull is confronted with an epidemic of typhoid fever.

MUTINY ON WARSHIP OF PORTUGAL WAS QUICKLY SUBDUED

Lisbon, Jan. 10.—A mutinous outbreak on the Portuguese battleship Vasco da Gama was checked by artillery fire from a fort in Lisbon harbor after the warship had fired a few shots at the land battery...

AIMS AS OUTLINED BY LLOYD GEORGE UPHELD BY CANADA

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—The Governor-General has forwarded to the Colonial Secretary the following cablegram expressing the gratification of the Dominion Government at the recent speech made by the British Prime Minister:

COPAS & YOUNG Groceries Sold by Copas & Young. Buy C. & Y. Goods and Be Convinced. C. & Y. BREAD FLOUR, the best. \$2.85. QUAKER OR ROBIN HOOD ROOLED OATS 25c.

CANADA'S REPLY TO MR. LLOYD GEORGE

Answer Sent by Acting Prime Minister to New Year Message

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—In reply to a New Year's message of congratulations from the Prime Minister of Great Britain to the Prime Minister of Canada, Hon. N. W. Rowell, Acting Prime Minister, has sent the following cable on behalf of the Canadian Government:

TO SAVE FUEL

Boston, Jan. 10.—Drastic measures for the conservation of fuel and light are provided in an order issued by James J. Storrow, fuel administrator for New England, applicable throughout Massachusetts.

DIFFICULTY MENTIONED IN HAIG'S REVIEW

London, Jan. 10.—One of the difficulties mentioned by Field-Marshal Haig in his review of the operations of the British armies on the western front is that owing to the necessity of taking over additional lines from the French, the British were definitely handicapped in the battle area.

A NORWEGIAN DENIAL

London, Jan. 10.—The Norwegian Food Minister has denied that the Helshelvik Government offered Norway grain or flour from any foreign country, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen to-day.

SIR D. M'ILLAN FOR C. N. R. BOARD?

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—The Ottawa Citizen mentions Sir Daniel M'Killan, former Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, as likely to be appointed the third member of the Arbitration Board to fix the purchase value of the Canadian Northern Railway stock.

HOSPITAL SHIP REWA SUNK BY GERMANS WITHOUT WARNING

Bristol, Eng., Jan. 10.—The British hospital ship Rewa was torpedoed without warning an hour before midnight, January 4, in the Bristol Channel, and sank within an hour. According to custom, the vessel was lit up after dark on Friday evening so that there could be no possibility of enemy submarines mistaking her identity.

EXPECTED ALIENS WILL BE FORCED TO WORK ON FARMS

Winnipeg, Jan. 10.—The Winnipeg Free Press says: "It was learned on reliable authority yesterday that within a very short time, and certainly before the spring work on the farms commences, the Dominion Government will announce conscription of alien and unskilled labor for the farms and mines and other necessary work."

RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY ALBERTA LABOR MEN

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WILL VISIT TORONTO. 700 RETURNED SOLDIERS.

Toronto, Jan. 10.—Sir Frederick E. Smith, the British Ambassador-General who is at present on a mission to the United States, will visit Toronto on January 21. He may deliver only one important speech, probably in the interests of the Patriotic Fund.

RAILWAY WAR BOARD'S LABOR PLAN OPPOSED BY M. P.'S. OF MAINLAND

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MINOR ACTIVITIES ON ITALIAN FRONT

Rome, Jan. 10.—The following official report was issued here last evening: "There have been lively bursts of artillery firing astride the Brenta River and a harassing fire across the Piave between the heights of Val Dobboladene and Montello. A small attack attempted by enemy troops in the direction of Monte Melago, on the Asiago plateau, was frustrated by our barrage fire."

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Too Busy to Write Ads

Our January Sale is still providing many opportunities for "good dressers" to purchase their entire wardrobes—Coats, Suits, Skirts and Dresses at bargain prices.

Ladies' Sample Suit House

221 Yates Street "Where Style Meets Moderate Price" Phone 1901

TWENTY-ONE BRITISH MERCHANTMEN SUNK; FOUR FISHING CRAFT

London, Jan. 10.—The Admiralty last evening reported the sinking in the last week of seventeen merchantmen of 1,500 tons or more by mine or submarine, as well as three merchantmen under that tonnage. Four fishing vessels also were sunk.

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Charlie Hope 1434 Government St. Phone 2689

Ringworm on Child's Head

Caused Great Distress and Spread to Neck and Ears—Cure Was Speedily Effected When Right Treatment Was Recommended.

Grand Bend, Ont. Jan. 10.

There is no disease of the skin more obstinate than ringworm, and the mother who writes this letter does so fully realizing what it will mean to other anxious mothers to know about Dr. Chase's Ointment.

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SHOULD AID RUSSIA.

Mr. Coleman and other writers and speakers who are emphasizing the danger and consequences of Russia falling into the arms of Germany are rendering good service to the cause of civilization. The Allies may drive the Teutons from France, Belgium, Italy and the Balkans. They may compel them to make reparation for what they have done to those countries. They may liberate large portions of the Ottoman Empire from Turkish tyranny. They may maintain the freedom of the German colonies. But if this war ended with German influence dominant in Russia, the enemy would have achieved an unexampled conquest. He would have made tributary to him the largest and richest country in the world. He would have forged fresh chains for Poland. He would have been left with the potential mastery of the whole of middle and eastern Europe and laid the foundation of military and economic power of almost limitless magnitude. But that would not be the worst of it. He would have justified his militarist policy to his own people and established the basis of its perpetuation, while Russia would merely have exchanged the despotism of the Romanoffs for the despotism of the Hohenzollerns.

AN ONION CORNER

The Hon. John Oliver has mailed to the Food Controller a photograph in support of his charge that a Vancouver operator has hundreds of tons of onions spoiling in a warehouse. The Food Control Board's Vegetable Committee has been notified.

THOSE REINFORCEMENTS.

Sir Douglas Haig's report disposes of those "millions of troops" which, according to the prophets of war whose touch ought to be pretty familiar by this time, the Russian situation is to enable the Germans to divert from the East front to the West. The additional strength available to the enemy from this development, he says, has been largely discounted by the destruction of his man-power during the last year.

APPEAL TAKEN ON RAILWAY INCREASES

Question of Law. In requesting leave to appeal to the Supreme Court, Mr. Chrysler said it was the desire of the Manitoba Government to challenge the judgment of the Board on a question of law arising out of the agreement between the Manitoba Government and the C. N. R. in respect of freight rates.

SHOULD BE KEPT INFORMED.

The Win-the-War League is on firm ground in its objection to the suppression of information of the number of men drafted under the Military Service Act in the various districts of Canada, and its insistence upon the law being properly enforced.

AN ARMY IN DIFFICULTIES.

Italian headquarters report a heavy fall of snow on the mountain part between the Brenta and Piave Rivers, which means that the Teutonic campaign against Italy cannot be continued with any expectation of gaining headway. It means, also, that the enemy must now undertake another kind of campaign and a defensive campaign at that.

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Mr. Chrysler stated that in case of any objection to the status of the Manitoba Government, he had been asked to say that the firm of J. H. Ashdown & Company, as representing the shippers, had consented to have its name associated with the application.

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In granting the request of the Manitoba Government, the chairman said that it had always been the practice of the Board to allow appeals on questions of law. While firmly convinced of the correctness of the Board's decision, it was desirable, he said, to have such a grave matter decided on such arguments as the one in question.

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Mr. Fowler of the Northwestern Grain Dealers' Association, took charge of the case for the grain men and opened by saying that neither the Winnipeg Grain Exchange nor the dealers had any desire to take exception to the general increases awarded to the railways in the Board's judgment. He sketched briefly the conditions leading up to the appointment of the Board of Grain Supervisors and said that the dealers were prepared to support that organization.

SERIOUS CRISIS IN CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

Annual Meeting Held Yesterday Elects Officers and Receives Reports

MUST VACATE PRESENT HOME NEXT MONTH

Meeting Called for Next Week to Consider Course to Be Taken

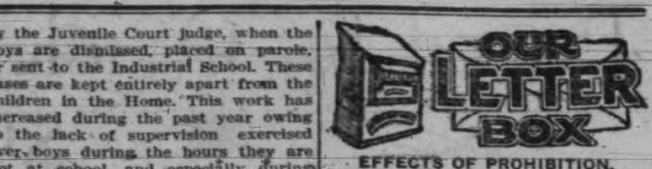
Absence of encouragement of the requisite kind from the City Council has brought the members of the executive committee of the Children's Aid Society face to face with the necessity to plan the future course of the institution. This essential phase of the Society's work was the subject of tentative but earnest discussion at the annual meeting held yesterday afternoon.

HALF HOLIDAY QUESTION AGAIN.

To the Editor:—It is with us again and bids fair to outrival the measles, the Johnson Street Bridge and other hardy annuals. Our legislators seem to make an invariable rule that all legislation should be as intricate and as unworkable as possible, so that by no possible chance will the Act work smoothly and with the least friction.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Mr. R. G. Paxton, of Edinburgh, Scotland, is in the city. Mr. Paxton came to British Columbia to investigate the brewing business with the object of starting here.



EFFECTS OF PROHIBITION.

To the Editor:—In reference to a letter appearing in your issue of January 6 on the effects of Prohibition, we would ask the privilege of expressing the opinion of an institution that should be affected to a greater extent by this legislation than any of those mentioned by your correspondent. We have referred to the legitimate hotel business of our city.

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About 100 Smart Serviceable Coats for Women

Priced for Quick Selling Friday at \$9.90 and \$14.90



To-morrow will be a big Coat day in the Women's Mantle Section, for most extraordinary Coat bargains are being offered. Another lot of late season's models, bought to advantage, just arrived, and we have made up two of the most interesting lots since the January Sale started.

There are many women in and around Victoria, who have delayed the purchase of their winter model. Others are looking for a good serviceable Coat for general utility wear—therefore we are confident that this exceptional opportunity to save will be thoroughly appreciated.

A day and a half of quick selling will see most, if not all, of these models cleared. Hence you will be wise in seeking an early hour to make your choice.

Further details are—

Coats at \$9.90

—In good quality Tweeds and Chinchillas. Smart, serviceable styles, with convertible collars, belts and pockets. Some part lined, others unlined.

This is the lowest price at which good quality Coats have been offered in this city this season. Why not take advantage of it?

Coats at \$14.90

Forty more models added to the balance of Coats selling at this price. The styles are new and fashionable, warm and comfortable. The values as good as the first day of the January Sale, when we experienced an extraordinary rush for this popular priced offering. Values in the lot worth up to \$35.00. Make your choice early.

—Mantles, First Floor

JUST ARRIVED Several New Models in

Thomson's Glove-Fitting Corsets

Fresh with Fashion's latest touches. Those women who already wear this famous make of Corset will need no further invitation than this mere announcement. Those who do not wear Thomson's Glove-Fitting Corsets will be wise in investigating the merits of these new season models. They are beautifully made and finished from delicate pink and white materials; well boned, with double steel, medium and very low bust; long hips and back. Both front and back lace. Prices range \$1.25 to \$3.50. Make an appointment with our corsetiere. Perfect fitting guaranteed.

—Corsets, First Floor

We Have Marked Down 1,500 Pairs of Men's Separate Cloth Pants

For a Quick Disposal in Our Great Rebuilding Sale. Values to \$5.50, Clearing at

\$2.50 and \$3.75

Men's Pants of all descriptions. Suitable for street, dress or work use, are included in this big offer.

There are strong, serviceable tweeds, worsteds and mixtures, in stripes, check effects and heather mixtures. Well tailored in good styles and finished with five pockets, and some with belt loops.

A chance to save practically one-third if you buy at this sale.

Former values to \$5.50. Rebuilding clearance **\$3.75** Former values to \$3.75. Rebuilding clearance **\$2.50**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

A Big Clearance of Men's Hats at

95c

Several Hundred Hats must be cleared before we remove this department, so we have sorted out all surplus lots, styles and sizes, from our better and higher priced models, grouping them all into this one offering for a quick and complete disposal.

Included are Stiff Felt Derby Hats, Soft Fedora Hats, in black, brown and navy blue; also Smart Tweed Hats. Values formerly priced to \$3.50. All to go at, each **95c**

Men's Tweed Caps, values to \$1.00 clearing at **25c**

Boys' and Children's Hats, values to \$1.00 clearing at **10c**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor



150 Pairs Men's \$6 Boots at, a Pair

\$4.85

Priced for Quick Selling Friday and Saturday Morning.

More shelf room required in our Men's Boot Department, so the Rebuilding Sale makes another big opportunity for men to save on reliable Winter Footwear. 150 pairs selected from our \$6.00 values, and they are priced for very quick selling this week-end. Every pair from regular stock, thoroughly reliable and serviceable, backed by the personal guarantee of this old established firm. Included are Goodyear Welted Calfskin Boots, Blucher or Balmoral styles; Box Calf and Gunmetal Blucher and Balmoral Lace Boots, with stout oak tanned leather soles. Most remarkable values at this time when good shoes at low prices are scarce.



Solid Leather Boots for Boys at January Sale Prices

These Boots are made of all leather throughout, strong and durable, and they will stand repairing many times—the Boot for all school boys. Box Calf Blucher style—

Sizes 1 to 5½—January Sale, a pair **\$3.75**

Sizes 11 to 13½—January Sale, a pair **\$3.50**

—Men's and Boys' Boots, Main Floor

Most Serviceable Quality Cashmere Hose for Women 50c a Pair

A quality Hose we strongly recommend for good, durable service. It is well knit and a good black; full fashioned, finished with spliced heels and toes and garter top. To buy this hose now means to save considerably later on. The new wholesale prices are a surprise to us—they will be to you next season. To be forewarned is to be forearmed—BUY NOW.

Black Cashmerette Hose, a pair **25c**

Black Cashmerette Hose, heavier grade, a pair **35c**

3 pairs for **\$1.00**

A good heavy Cashmere Hose at, a pair **60c**

Penman's Special Cashmere Hose, a pair, **75c, 85c and \$1.00**

—Hose, Main Floor

Men's Socks

Many interesting values for the January and Rebuilding Sale. Many priced 25 per cent. below to-day's market values.

Black Llama Cashmere Socks, Penman's Wool Mixtures. A pair, **50c** and **65c**

Heavy Wool Mixture Socks, suitable for soldiers, **35c** a pair, 3 pairs for **\$1.00**

Better Grades, **40c** a pair, 2 pairs for **75c**

Also a nice quality at, a pair, **50c**

Black Cotton Socks, Marathon brand, fast dyed, double toes and heels. A good strong work sock. A pair **25c**

Men's Silk Socks, for evening wear, in black, tan, white and grey; little foot and garter top. A pair **75c**

Black Silk Plaited Socks, for dress wear; a real good hardwearing sock. A pair **65c**

—Main Floor

Week-End Candy Specials

- Peppermint Bull's Eyes, regular 40c **23c**
- Plain Butterscotch, regular 30c for **25c**
- Almond Butterscotch, regular 40c for **29c**
- Lady Caramels, regular 40c for **29c**
- Toasted Marshmallows, regular 40c **29c**
- Turkish Delight, regular 40c for **29c**
- Mixed Bon-Bons, 39c and **29c**
- Kewpie Dolls, a box **10c**
- Neilson Chocolate—Soldiers' Bars, Nut Bars, Milk Chocolate, a bar **25c**
- Rose Buds, a box **25c**

—Candy, Main Floor

The Disposal of 500 Dozen Pieces of New Dainty Neckwear at 25c, 39c, 50c, 69c and \$1.00

—is creating much interest in the Ladies' Neckwear Section on main floor. It's a disposal of sample pieces from one of the largest neckwear houses on this continent. We bought them at a tremendous price advantage by taking the entire output of samples. Thus we are enabled to offer you most exceptional Neckwear Bargains. For samples see window display on Broad Street. Included are Jabots and Vestees, Sailor, Cape, Roll and Stock Collars, of Satin, Georgette Crepe, Silk Crepe de Chine, Broadcloth, Pique, Net and all the newest shapes and trimmings—

Values to 50c, selling at **25c**

Values to 75c **39c**

Selling at **39c**

Values to \$1.00 **50c**

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Values to \$1.50 **69c**

Selling at **69c**

Values to \$2.00 **\$1.00**

Selling at **\$1.00**

—Neckwear, Main Floor

The January White Sale Offers Friday

Many Attractive Values in Better-Grade Undermuslins

Underskirts of extra good quality nainsook, 18-inch flounce of Valenciennes lace, threaded with satin ribbon, under flounce of nainsook, edged with Valenciennes lace. January White Sale **\$4.50**

Envelope Combinations, of very fine nainsook, yoke of embroidered organdie, trimmed with Valenciennes lace and insertion, lace sleeves. January White Sale **\$3.75**

Nightgowns of heavy Japanese silk, variously trimmed with lace and hemstitched. January White Sale, **\$6.75**

Nightgowns of flesh colored mull, silk finished and made in various styles, daintily trimmed with Valenciennes lace and Swiss embroidery. January White Sale **\$3.50**

Envelope Drawers, of mercerized mull, trimmed with Valenciennes lace and insertion. Elastic top. January White Sale, **\$1.50**

Dainty Combinations, French styles, elaborately trimmed with insertions and lace. January White Sale **\$2.75**

Corset Covers, of fine nainsook, yoke of Swiss embroidery, trimmed with Valenciennes lace, insertion, beading, ribbon and edging. January White Sale, **\$2.00**

Princess Slips of fine nainsook, deep yoke of embroidery and lace insertion. Skirt has 12-inch flounce of tucked lawn, trimmed with insertion and lace edging. January White Sale **\$2.50**

—Whitewear, First Floor



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Sweaters for Boys

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Cotton Sweaters, with roll collar; a good, strong school sweater; in colors tan, grey, moleskin and navy—

Sizes to 28 chest, each, **85c**

Sizes 30 to 32, each, **95c**

—Selling Main Floor

50 Pairs Men's Brown Leather Leggings to Clear at, a Pair

\$5.00

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—Men's Shoes, Main Floor

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Handsome Velour Coats, in such desirable shades as navy, green, nigger brown, burgundy and purple. They display some extremely smart belt effects and the collars are prettily trimmed with plush. Regular \$39.00 to \$42.50. Now **\$24.50**

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Fifty fine Serge Skirts in shades navy, black and occasional grey. Styles include plain tailored effects, pleated designs and numerous smart belted models with pockets. Regular prices to \$14.50. Now selling in three groups at

\$5.75, \$6.75 and \$8.75

LOOK OUT FOR "THE MANDARIN"

MARY GARDEN SEEN

THIS WEEK IN THAIS

Play Became Most Popular of Year; Audiences Clamored for It

Since all of us like to know things that everyone else does not know, here is the opportunity at hand to get some "inside information" about Mary Garden, world-wide celebrity, who is now being seen all over North America in "Thais," the greatest of all the Goldwyn Pictures, and who is at the Dominion Theatre this week.

When Miss Garden first sang "Thais" in Paris at the Opera Comique, it was an unpopular composition and none of the directors of the Comique liked it. By giving it to Miss Garden they were merely retaining their contract rights to the opera by having it sung once a year. At least, that is what they thought. Instantly, through the vitality and power transmitted to it by Mary the Magnificent, as one great American newspaper calls the great prima donna, it became by all odds the most popular opera of the year and of succeeding years.

When Oscar Hammerstein, the daring and courageous impresario, launched his ambitious opera company in New York, and soon branched out to include Philadelphia and Chicago in his plans, audiences in all three cities clamored for "Thais," since the fame of it has crossed overseas.

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It's a Goldwyn Picture

VARIETY

To-day, Friday and Saturday

Jack Pickford

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SACRED TO THE MEMORY OF JACK THE KILLER

You'll double up with laughter; you'll think he's the funniest thing that's landed for many a day.

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Bank Clearings.—Bank clearings for the week ending to-day were \$1,677,497, as compared with \$1,532,701 in the corresponding period of 1917.

Settled Out of Court.—The case of the Merchants Bank of Canada vs. Munn, which was down to be heard this morning in the Supreme Court, has been settled out of court.

Mrs. Sanderson-Mongin to Lecture.—To-night in the High School auditorium, Mrs. Sanderson-Mongin will deliver an address on "Historic France," which should prove of special interest to all admirers of that gallant country.

EDUCATIONAL CLUB

Miss Eva Hart and Miss Helen Badgley and Mrs. Arthur Gray to Be Heard.
The programme to be given under the auspices of the Woman's Educational Club, at the Congregational Church, Tuesday, January 15, 8:30 p.m., promises well.

MISSIONARY'S REPORT

Good Work at Sailor's Institutes During December; Naval Men Remembered at Holiday Season.

SCHOOL RECEIVES PRIZE

Canadian Club Presents Historic Picture Won by South Park Students in History Exams.

LEAGUE TO FOLLOW PLATFORM THROUGH

Believes Enforcement of Military Service Act Only Attempt So Far

DEPRECATE REPORTED ACTION OF GOVERNMENT

By its action last night the Victoria branch of the Win-the-War League proved that it has no intention of 'downing tools' until it sees all the planks in its platform faithfully nailed into the actions of the newly elected Union Government.

Only An Attempt. Some people had conceived the notion that now a Union Government had been formed and that a non-partisan member had been elected with a bumper majority in Victoria that the league had nothing to do but to wind up its affairs and go its way rejoicing.

Mr. Cross quickly launched into the subject at the top of his mind. The disquieting press reports indicating that the Government did not intend to publish any figures relative to the manner in which the various provinces responded to the call of the first draft suggested to him that the enforcement of the Military Service Act was merely an attempt.

Why Should West Bleed? Mr. Cross declared that if it could be taken as true that the second draft—the married men—were to be called shortly, for no other reason than failure on the part of that section of the country whose single men could all back and watch the married men go, then it was time for the Win-the-War Leagues of the West to be up and doing.

Too Much Faith Dangerous. While Dr. Campbell, the next speaker, was agreed upon the point that great work lay ahead of the organization, in spite of the fact that their immediate aim in the election of Dr. Tolmie had been achieved, he was of the opinion that a little more faith should be exhibited in the new regime. He felt that interference in this early date would only tend to complicate matters.

Locking Stable Door Too Late. "There's a good old saying," said the Rev. A. deB. Owen, "that it's no use locking the stable door when the horse has bolted." While Mr. Cross had touched upon the second call of men from the economic point of view, his particular avocation suggested the needless hardship that would be worked on the homes of the country were married men to be called before the law in respect of the single ones that were carried out to the letter.

Prayer Meetings.—The lecture room at the Metropolitan Church was crowded last night when Rev. P. C. Parker gave an address on "Nations and Their Rulers." Rev. Robt. Connell was in the chair. To-night the speaker will be Rev. D. M. Perley, who by reason of five years' experience as a missionary in China, is fully qualified to speak on his subject, "Missions and Health." The chair will be taken by Rev. R. M. Thompson.

Case Dismissed.—In dismissing the charge against H. E. Levy of having on his premises at the Delhi Restaurant food unfit for human consumption, Magistrate Jay this morning doubted whether food could reach the state reported between Wednesday and Saturday last. Had there been any taint, the defendant would not have taken a piece of the forequarter of the same calf from which the hindquarter in question came to his own home on the following day.



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The operator was A. H. Maynard, who as a lad accompanied his father when many of the photographs shown as slides were taken. The pastor, Rev. Chas. Croucher, briefly acknowledged their obligation to Mr. Scolefield and Mr. Maynard, expressing the gratitude and appreciation of those present. The next meeting of the Pleasant Evenings will be held on Wednesday, December 16, the subject of the address being "Mind Your P's and Q's."

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Answers to Times Want Ads. 6, 42, 58, 79, 646, 788, 887, 1218, 1257, 1315, 1327, 1362, 1371, 1375, 1486, 1487, 1494, 1523, 1541, 1596, 1622, 1726.

Victoria Evangelistic Movement Meetings at 717 Courtney Street Thursday, January 10, 8 p. m. Business girls' tea, followed by meeting.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE TEACHERS IN DEMAND School Board Has Great Difficulty in Filling Vacancies; Other Matters. There is a serious shortage in domestic science teachers, transpired at the meeting of the City School Board last evening.

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SCHOOL NEWSPAPER EVOKES DISCUSSION Publication Was Suppressed and Printers Were Never Paid; Financial Report. Running as public school paper without the foster censorship of the principals, has brought early days upon a "sheet" of this character, known as the Victoria Public School Gazette.

MINISTERS WANT ALL CITIZENSHIP RIGHTS Think They Should Qualify for Office; Election of Officers. At the annual meeting of the Ministerial Association held on Monday the following resolution was passed, and copies have been sent to the Premier and Attorney-General of British Columbia.

SAANICH ELECTION Public Meetings Commence To-morrow Evening; Directions for Information of Voters. Possibly with the commencement of public meetings to-morrow more interest will develop in the Saanich Municipal election than has hitherto been aroused.

RED CROSS WORK Fernwood Branch. A meeting of the general committee of the Fernwood branch is called for Friday afternoon at 4:30 in the rooms on Fernwood Road by the convener, Mrs. Hudson, who hopes to see a large attendance.

OBITUARY RECORD A large number of friends attended the funeral of the late John McKinley, which was held yesterday afternoon from the B.C. Funeral Chapel.



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Ontario Power Company Prepares to Develop Additional 50,000 Horsepower

Toronto, Jan. 10.—Sir Adam Beck's plan to spend \$1,800,000 on an important addition to the plant of the Ontario Power Company, to provide 50,000 additional horsepower before the end of 1918, 15,000 to 20,000 horsepower of which will be available for use by next August, was approved at the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Ontario Power Company and the Ontario Transportation Company yesterday.

DISBARMENT ACTION AGAINST H. C. GILL, MAYOR OF SEATTLE

Seattle, Jan. 10.—Decision in the disbarment proceedings held here during the past three days against Mayor H. C. Gill and the other two members of the law firm bearing his name, Heber D. Hoyt and Herman S. Frye, is scheduled to be announced by the state board of bar examiners this afternoon.

AN APPEAL AGAINST NANAIMO SENTENCE

Nanaimo, Jan. 10.—In the Provincial Police Court here this morning Jacob Stobor, a shot lighter in the employ of the Western Fuel Company, was sentenced to two months' hard labor for neglect of duty in not seeing that a coal area in which miners were working was properly timbered.

BOLSHEVIKI WANT NO NATIONAL DEBT

British Correspondent Says They Are About to Cancel It

London, Jan. 10.—The Bolshevik Government intends to publish a decree within a few days cancelling the Russian national debt, telegraphs the correspondent at Petrograd of The Manchester Guardian. The correspondent at Petrograd understands the decree will contain these provisions: First—All loans and Treasury bonds held by foreign subjects abroad or in Russia are loans and Treasury bonds held by Russian subjects possessing more than 10,000 rubles in cash are repudiated.

SECRET SERVICE IN STATES HAS FIRM HOLD ON PLOTTERS

Washington, Jan. 10.—Through intercepted communications and evidence found on a score or more of arrested aliens, Government agents discovered a concerted movement to reorganize sabotage and anti-war propaganda in this country. The movement has been broken up and the enemy activities now are believed to be confined to sporadic cases carried on largely by pro-German sympathizers without guidance from a central headquarters.

GREATEST SPEECH WILSON EVER MADE, SAYS PARIS PAPER

Paris, Jan. 10.—The Journal des Debats remarks that Mr. Lloyd George's counter-offensive has found a powerful echo in Washington in the greatest speech President Wilson has made upon the foreign policy of the United States and its war aims.

ALLIES' CONFIDENCE BASED ON STRENGTH

Await German Effort in West Calmly, Says Sir Frederick Smith

Cleveland, Jan. 10.—"It is always unwise to predict the result of an unknown peril," said Sir Frederick E. Smith, the British Attorney-General, in an address here last night, referring to the massing of German legions on the Western front, "but the Allies await the attack with supreme confidence."

OKANAGAN AGAINST CHINESE OWNERSHIP

Farmers of District Wish Orientals Debarred From Holding Land

Vernon, Jan. 10.—The questions of alien labor and oriental ownership of land, which have been to the forefront at meetings of the Okanagan farmers during the past year, were dealt with by the Vernon Farmers' Institute in a resolution which declared that the Provincial Government should be asked to make every effort in its power to have such laws enacted as will forbid oriental ownership of agricultural lands within the Province, the Dominion and the British Empire.

GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF OIL IN STATES

Washington, Jan. 10.—Mark L. Requa, of Oakland, Calif., today was appointed head of the newly-formed oil division of the Fuel Administration, which will handle Government control of oil. The first work will be an investigation of the entire petroleum situation.

SUSPECT ESCAPED AT FRISCO.

San Francisco, Jan. 10.—Adolph Bollman, detained here by federal authorities as a suspected German spy, and who it was said had been active in German circles here, has escaped from custody according to announcement of Justice operative Don Nathan, who telegraphed all police chiefs and federal agents in the west to be on the watch for Bollman.

Germans Keep Coal From One of Dutch Fishing Fleets Now

Ymuiden, Holland, Jan. 10.—Germany has put the Ymuiden steam fishing fleet on the blacklist. Supplies of coal for the fleet from Germans are prohibited.

MORE WHEAT FROM STATES TO ALLIES

U. S. Food Administration Goes Beyond Plans and Releases 90,000,000 Bushels

Washington, Jan. 10.—The food situation in the Allied countries in Europe is regarded here as so critical that the Food Administration is planning to release an additional 90,000,000 bushels of wheat, despite the fact that the normal export surplus had been shipped by the middle of December. The American people will be asked to save to make up the deficiency.

WILL NOT TAKE RAILS FROM WESTERN LINES OF THE C. P. R. SYSTEM

Winnipeg, Jan. 10.—Steel rails will not be removed from any of the western branch lines of the C. P. R. at present. All of the lines are in operation and none can be sacrificed, and even if necessary demanded this, no steps would be taken until spring. It was asserted by company officials here today.

FIGHT FOR VOTES FOR WOMEN IN STATES

Washington, Jan. 10.—One of the long and hard fought goals of the woman suffrage cause seemed to be in slight to-day when the House took up debate on the constitutional amendment. This condition must continue, it is said, until the United States Food Administration permits the exportation of flour to this city.

VOLCANO ACTIVE.

Managua, Nicaragua, Jan. 9.—The volcano Paricu, which became active on the night of January 7, continues in eruption. The ashes are falling over an area of many miles.

LOCAL FIRMS TO HAVE VANCOUVER BRANCH

Burdick Bros. and Brett, Ltd., Brokers, Will Operate There

Vancouver, Jan. 10.—Announcement was made today that the local office of the commission and stock brokerage house of McDougall & Cowan has been bought out by the firm of Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd., which for several years have been conducting a similar business in Victoria. Final arrangements for the transfer, which will occur about the middle of this month, were being completed today by A. C. Burdick, who arrived from the capital on the morning boat.

MONEY OFFERED BY BERLIN FOR KILLING OF SIGNOR GRANADOS

Madrid, Jan. 10.—The German Government has offered to pay to the members of the family of Enrique Granadada, the Spanish composer, 500,000 pesetas as indemnity for the loss of their father.

BANDITS WORKED HARD; GOT FOUR DOLLARS

Seattle, Jan. 10.—Two masked men wearing cowboy hats and long yellow raincoats held up Night Clerk W. D. McCloskey at the Hotel Cherry, 509 Columbia Street here, at 2 o'clock this morning, bound and gagged him with toweling, thrust him into a rear room and robbed him of \$4 at the point of a revolver.

PEOPLE OF HAVANA IN NEED OF FLOUR

Havana, Jan. 10.—Beginning today Havana will be breadless. The last available supply of flour has been divided among the hospitals and asylums and by order of the Defence Board no wheat bread is to be placed on sale. This condition must continue, it is said, until the United States Food Administration permits the exportation of flour to this city.

GRAINS AT CHICAGO WEAK ON PEACE TALK

Chicago, Jan. 10.—The air was filled with rumors of early peace today and it was not long before the effect was seen in oats. A heavy selling movement caused a break of 11 cents in the distant options, but this was not reflected in cash oats, which remained unchanged. Corn also was weaker. No material break is expected in January and May corn until the cash article shows more tendency to come nearer to these prices.

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FINANCIAL NEWS

MONTREAL STOCKS

Table of Montreal stock prices including Bell Telephone, Canadian National, and various industrial stocks.

NEW YORK STOCKS STRONG AND HIGHER

Table of New York stock prices including U.S. Steel, General Electric, and various industrial stocks.

TO-DAY'S TRADING ON THE WINNIPEG MARKET

Table of Winnipeg market trading including various commodities and stock prices.

NEW YORK CURB

Table of New York Curb market trading including various commodities and stock prices.

NEW YORK BOND MARKET

Table of New York Bond Market trading including various government and corporate bonds.

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