

WEATHER FORECASTS

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday: Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, gradually fair, not much change in temperature. Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, gradually clearing, and higher temperature.

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WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Pantages—Vladivostok. Dominion—Mrs. Petrova. Royal Victoria—Clara Williams. Variety—Sessie Hayakawa. Columbia—Florence Lee. Romany—Carmel Myers.

EIGHTEEN PAGES

FRENCH BEAT BACK MASSES OF ENEMY TROOPS ON THE LEFT

AMERICAN TROOPS ARRIVING IN BATTLE AREA ARE KEEN TO HAVE SHARE IN DEFEATING THE ENEMY

Enemy Again Throws Shells into Paris at Long Range To-Day

Paris, June 1.—Paris is again under German fire to-day. The bombardment by long-range guns was resumed this morning.

COUNTER-ATTACKS BY FRENCH ON WEST SIDE ON THE NEW SALIENT THROW ASSAULTING FORCES BACK

Ground Retaken and Prisoners Captured Between Soissons Region and Chateau Thierry; Enemy Forces Spread Out Somewhat on North Bank of Marne

London, June 1.—Having reached the Marne, the German Crown Prince is now striking westward with all the force of the armies at his command with the apparent purpose of forcing the elimination of the Montdidier salient and ultimately pushing in below Amiens to cut off Paris from the north.

So far, according to the French official report, his progress has been small, despite his most desperate efforts. On the important front between Soissons and Chateau Thierry, on the Marne, indeed, the French have been impetuously counter-attacking and at points the enemy not only has failed to advance, but has been forced to give ground.

This was notably the case immediately to the south of Soissons, where the enemy was thrown back. Farther south the Germans had worked some three miles west of the Soissons-Chateau Thierry road and had taken the village of Chaudun. The French drove in here so determinedly, however, and recaptured the place which they now hold. Ground also was won from the Germans just below, near Vierzy.

Still farther south the German advance has progressed somewhat farther from the main road to a total of something like four miles. Paris reports, however, that new German attacks here, in the region of Chouy and Neully, were broken, the French maintaining their lines to the east of these towns.

French Report. Paris, June 1.—The German attack continued during the night with redoubled violence on the western side of the new salient, between Soissons and Chateau Thierry. The French made counter-attacks and drove back the masses of German troops in the region of Soissons and on the line of Chaudun-Vierzy, gaining ground everywhere, that new German attacks here, in the region of Chouy and Neully, were broken, the French maintaining their lines to the east of these towns.

Beat Back Enemy. The statement follows: "The pressure of the Germans continued late yesterday and throughout the night with renewed violence on the front between Soissons and Chateau Thierry. In the region of Soissons and Chateau Thierry, French troops, making counter-attacks with indefatigable energy, pushed back masses of enemy troops, winning ground everywhere and taking several hundred prisoners. South of Soissons the Germans were thrown back on the Crise River. Chaudun was taken and lost several times and finally remained in the hands of the French after desperate fighting.

Lines Maintaining. The battle was violent in the region of Chouy and Neully (in the center of the western side of the salient). Our troops broke up German attacks and maintained their lines immediately to the east of the localities affected.

British Report. London, June 1.—The German artillery was considerably more active this morning in the sectors of Villers-Bretonneux, east of Amiens, and Hebuterne, north of Albert it is announced officially.

The statement follows: "A hostile raiding party was repulsed last night east of Villers-Bretonneux. Local fighting has taken place to our advantage at Aveluy Wood, north of Albert. A few prisoners were taken by our troops in these encounters.

The hostile artillery developed considerable activity early this morning in the Villers-Bretonneux and Hebuterne sectors, and has been active during the night south and west of Lens and in the neighborhood of Givency.

International Red Cross Prepares to Protest to Germany. Geneva, June 1.—The members of the International Red Cross Commission are preparing a strong protest against the bombing by German airmen of hospitals behind the British and American fronts. The Commission expressed deep indignation when official figures on the bombing raids were presented to it.

Associated Press Correspondent Says Troops From States Now Reaching Useful Positions in Battle Zone; Enemy's Efforts to Cross Marne Fail

With the French Army in France, June 1.—(By the Associated Press).—American troops are reaching useful positions in the battle area. These troops display the most ardent desire to share in the present great battle with their European comrades.

With the French Army in France, June 1.—(By the Associated Press).—Attempts of the Germans to cross the river Marne have met with vigorous resistance and failed. The troops which made the effort retired from the river bank.

By pushing on to the northern bank of the Marne the Germans have brought the point of their fan-like movement to a sharp salient. They evidently are anxious to develop the advantage thus gained by pressing westward from Chartres to Chateau Thierry.

The correspondent watched the enemy's movements in this vicinity, which were plainly visible in the brilliant sunshine. All their efforts tended westward.

The Allied artillery is making splendid practice on the German troops. As far as has been reported, only small forces have attempted to force a crossing of the Marne. German artillery has reached the heights behind the river in some force and was active early yesterday but was not effective.

More Troops. The enemy is increasing unceasingly the number of troops engaged in the battle. The general idea which the offensive began appears to have been that each enemy division should occupy a front of only 2,000 yards. Since that time the line of battle has been extended, and in order to maintain the density of the attacking army, further units have been brought from the rear and thrown into the fighting.

The time and place of the return blow by the Allies seems to be puzzling the German commanders, who are endeavoring to secure strong points for pivots.

Local Reserves. The task of strengthening the retiring divisions of the Allies where this was necessary was placed in the hands of the local reserves. It has been carried out exceedingly well under the most difficult conditions.

The formidable nature of the German effort may be gathered from the absolute identification of nearly fifty of their divisions (about 675,000 men). There certainly are a number of other divisions in immediate support.

The divisions taking part in the fighting which have been added most recently belong to the volunteer army. All of them were engaged in the March battle and afterwards were sent to the rear to be fitted out and to receive special training.

CAPTURED AMERICANS TREATED BRUTALLY

Germans Take Away Their Clothes and Keep Them Hungry

With the American Army in France, May 31.—Via London, June 1.—(By the Associated Press).—A Russian prisoner who recently returned from Germany has made a statement at Moscow which is now available here, to the effect that he saw American prisoners of war in a camp at Tuelch, West Prussia, and that they asked him to let it be known that they were being treated brutally. The prisoners said they were hungry and penniless.

When the Americans arrived at the camp, according to this account, the Germans removed all their clothing. They told the prisoners they should not wear expensive clothing and shoes while working and that their property would be taken care of until their return to the United States. The Russian said, however, that everyone knows what that means.

Italians Expecting Austrians to Launch Blow Very Shortly

Italian Army Headquarters, May 31.—Via Rome and London, June 1.—It is considered a question of only a short time when the Austrian offensive, long heralded by the meeting of the German and Austrian emperors, will break violently. This is further indicated by local actions at both extremities.

HAWTHORNTHWAITE STATES HIS VIEWS ON SETTLERS' RIGHTS ACT DISALLOWANCE

"The disallowance of the Brewster Amendment to the Vancouver Island Settlers' Rights Act by the Dominion authorities came as a bolt from the blue to the settlers interested. The drastic nature of the step taken is a vital and serious one and at once raises the question from a local to a provincial issue. It is clearly an invasion of the right of the Province of British Columbia," said J. H. Hawthornthwaite, labor member for the Newcastle riding, to a representative of The Times this morning during an interview in connection with the startling intelligence published in these columns yesterday. No British Columbian is perhaps better posted on this particular question than is the member for Newcastle, and from the moment the information reached this city yesterday afternoon Mr. Hawthornthwaite had been one of the busiest men in town. He does not pretend to anticipate any possible action by the Oliver administration but he does say, from his knowledge of the Premier, that the Hon. John Oliver will, without question, vigorously resist the ill-advised action of the Dominion authorities, and that in taking a firm stand Mr. Hawthornthwaite predicts without hesitation a united province behind him.

Constitutional Aspect. Dealing with the constitutional side of the question Mr. Hawthornthwaite alludes to the British North America Act, sub-section thirteen of section ninety-two, of which gives to the Province exclusive legislative powers in the matter of property and civil rights. Section ninety-one outlines and defines the legislative powers of the Dominion Parliament and section ninety-five reserves to the Province has concurrent powers with the Dominion. Sections fifty-six and ninety of the Act deal with the question of disallowance and limits the period in which such action may be taken in the case of the Provinces to one year.

Should Resist Encroachment. "Canada, while being an integral part of the British Empire, differs from Great Britain and Ireland," continued Mr. Hawthornthwaite, "inasmuch as it has a written constitution—the British North America Act. Under the Act confederation was accomplished and Canada became a Dominion. The powers of the Dominion and the Provinces are clearly defined under the Act and it is imperative that the Province should energetically resist any encroachment upon its rights and prerogatives." Mr. Hawthornthwaite contends that this is neglected in any particular case, a precedent is set once established which may lead to disastrous consequences.

Cannot Understand Why. In view of the clearly defined exclusive legislative powers of this Province the member for Newcastle says it must be evident that any disallowance of legislation in accordance with the provisions of the Act is not only unconstitutional but a grossly unfair and dangerous proceeding. He points out that the Courts of the Dominion and the Privy Council itself—the highest Court in the Realm—are open to all litigants and in view of this fact, it is difficult for him to understand why action of the nature now recorded should be resorted to.

The McGregor Case. Alluding to the action of the Privy Council in the McGregor case he points to that ruling which decided that the Settlers Rights Act of 1904 was remedial legislation, and that the Province had the right and the exclusive right to deal with the question. This may have been the reason, he suggests, why the powers of the Dominion Government were invoked. Of course, he recalled, within the clearly defined provision of the British North America Act the Legislatures of the Country have the power to remedy injustice and rise superior to any Court; but, he goes on to point out, when these powers are invoked for a contrary purpose and invoked unconstitutionally a most serious situation arises.

Therefore, he contends, that if the present Government of British Columbia is to maintain responsible Government and Provincial rights action from Premier Oliver and his colleagues in the Cabinet will be necessary. Concerning the nature of the Premier's procedure he has very little doubt although he preferred not to "think aloud."

Historical Survey. In historical vein Mr. Hawthornthwaite agrees that the Settlers' Rights question has always been a bone of contention. When the building of the Canadian Pacific Railway was first contemplated he recalled the fact that the citizens of Victoria—then the only town of importance in the Province—were extremely anxious to have it made a terminal point and a promise to this effect was extracted from Ottawa. Legislation was passed at the National Capital requiring the Province of British Columbia to set apart lands for the benefit of the Railway.

Posts Rushed. Another very successful raid has been carried out by Quebec troops, several more prisoners being captured.

Higher Pullman Rate in States. Washington, June 1.—In line with the increase of the passenger rate to three cents a mile, the Pullman Company shortly will raise the minimum overnight rate for sleeping berths from \$1.50 to \$2. Other Pullman rates will not be changed materially.

German Aviators Again Bomb Paris. Paris, June 1.—German airmen attempted two air raids on Paris last night. The first was a failure, but on the second occasion bombs were dropped on the capital.

The following official statement was issued early to-day: "Enemy aeroplanes having crossed the lines in the direction of Paris, the alarm was given last night at 10:55 o'clock and our guns opened fire. No bombs fell on Paris. 'All clear' was sounded at 11:45 o'clock. 'Fresh sounds of motors having been reported by lookout posts, the alarm was again sounded at 11:56 o'clock, and 'all clear' at 12:38 a. m. A certain number of bombs were dropped in Paris region."

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**AIR RAID ALARM AT MANNHEIM CAUSED EIGHTEEN DEATHS**

Geneva, May 31.—Via London, June 1.—Eighteen women and children were trampled to death and a number of persons injured in a panic which followed an aerial raid alarm sounded at midday in Mannheim yesterday, according to a dispatch received here. The streets were crowded when the

alarm was given, and a wild rush for shelter ensued. It developed later that the warning signals were caused by the sighting of a squadron of German aviators returning to their base near Mannheim.

**DISORDERS IN IRELAND.**

London, June 1.—A dispatch to the Central News from Dublin says a proclamation was issued yesterday saying that the Counties of Limerick and Tipperary will be proclaimed special military areas if unlawful assemblies continue.

**KILLED WOUNDED IN CANADIAN HOSPITAL**

German Airmen Dropped Bombs on Building; Worst Atrocity Recorded

With the British Army in France, May 31.—Via London, June 1.—(By the Associated Press).—Early Thursday morning German airmen bombed another hospital—this time a Canadian institution—and exacted a considerable toll of casualties. The raid occurred at 12:30 o'clock in the morning.

The hospital attacked was a large one and was marked with huge Red Cross signs. The German airmen, working partly by the light of the moon, dropped four bombs near the hospital, and then, not apparently able to see exactly where they were hitting, lighted a brilliant flare to illuminate the surroundings.

As the place was lighted up by this flare, they released another bomb or two, which dropped squarely on a large wing of the hospital. Part of the wing was demolished and many persons were killed and wounded when the building collapsed and buried them. The demolished wing caught fire and burned fiercely, with many victims still pinned in the wreckage.

Nothing more awful has occurred in the annals of the hospital service since the war began. Every available person in the neighborhood, was called out to assist in the rescue work. With the assistance of ladders and other fire apparatus, the hospital proper was rapidly emptied of patients and personnel. It was a desperate situation. A roaring furnace represented what was left of the big wing.

Many unconscious forms were carried out by heroic men, who risked their lives to reach them. Excellent work on the part of the firemen finally resulted in the fire being extinguished, but there were still many victims, including more than one sister, buried in the ruins. There was no hope that they were alive.

Absent-minded Verger (who is a waiter during the week), as he hands collection-plate to member of congregation: "Thick or clear, madam?"

**GREEKS WAKE THRUST AND WIN VICTORY**

Wrest Positions South of Struma From Bulgarians and Germans

London, June 1.—More than 1,500 German and Bulgarian prisoners, among them thirty-three officers, and a large quantity of war materials have been captured by Greek troops on the Macedonian front, according to an official communication received from Salonica last night, the text of which follows: "Greek troops, supported by French artillery, have captured the strong enemy positions of Serka di Legen, on the Struma front, on a width of twelve kilometres and a depth of two kilometres. More than 1,500 Bulgarian and German prisoners were taken, including thirty-three officers. A large quantity of material also was captured."

French Report. Paris, June 1.—A report on the operations on the Macedonian front issued by the War Office here last night, said: "Eastern Theatre, May 30.—Greek troops, supported by French artillery, attacked enemy positions of great strength at Serka di Legen, south of Struma. Over the whole of the front of the attack, which measures twelve kilometres, and to a depth of two kilometres, the infantry captured in the first rush the first positions of the enemy, reaching all of the objectives set and passing them at certain points. The enemy reacted strongly with a violent artillery fire, and west of Serka di Legen a counter-attack was made which failed completely. More than 1,500 prisoners, Bulgarians and Germans, including thirty-three officers, have been counted up to the present. Important war materials have fallen into our hands. The Greek troops and the French soldiers who are co-operating with them have shown the finest spirit in spite of unfavorable atmospheric conditions.

"The aerial forces took an active part in the battle, using their machine guns at a low altitude on the Bulgarian reserves. They have bombarded with success railway stations in the Vardar Valley and the aviation grounds at Hudovo. "In the region of Doiran, and near Dobropele, British and Serbian troops have carried out with success a number of raids, bringing back prisoners."

**BAUBLE FROM KAISER FOR CROWN PRINCE**

Amsterdam, June 1.—Kaiser Wilhelm has conferred upon the German Crown Prince the Star of the Grand Commander of the Royal House of Hohenzollern, with swords, a Berlin dispatch to-day announces.

**Nerves Shattered by Operation**

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**STIFF RESISTANCE OFFERED BY FRENCH**

Paris Last Night Reported Wings Still Holding but Centre Giving Ground

Paris, June 1.—The War Office here reported last night: "On our left wing, in the region of the Lower Ailette, the Germans continue their pressure during the course of the day. Our troops have broken all enemy attacks in the region of Blerancourt and west of this locality. The enemy, who had succeeded in crossing the east of Semigny, was repulsed on the right bank of the river. "The principal effort of the enemy has been in the sector of Soissons and farther to the south, in the direction of Neuilly. "To the west of Soissons our troops have delivered vigorous counter-attacks, and have arrested all the enemy's efforts, inflicting very heavy losses. The enemy was unable to make any progress in this direction. "On the other hand the enemy has been able to win some ground to the west of the road from Soissons to Chateau Thierry, and in the direction of the lower Oise, Culchy-la-Ville and Culchy-le-Chateau. "In the centre weak German forces have reached the north bank of the Marne between Charveaux and Joulgonne. "On our right the situation is unchanged, as well as to the northwest and to the north of Rheims."

British Report. London, June 1.—Field-Marshal Haig reported last night: "There is nothing of special interest to report from the British front." "On Western Wing. Paris, June 1.—On the western wing of the battlefield, from the Oise to Chateau Thierry, the strongest German efforts were directed Friday. Between the Oise and Soissons the French hold a broad salient between the two pockets made by the German offensives of March 21 and May 27. "The salient held by the French constitutes a grave danger to the German flank, and the enemy is striving to remove it, but with indifferent success. The ground won in earlier offensive operations serves as the point of departure for the movement, which is operated from two bases, the Noyon-Montdidier line on the right and the Soissons-Chateau Thierry line on the left. "American Report. Washington, June 1.—The following report from General Pershing was issued here last night: "In the course of a raid executed this morning by some of our troops in the Westve, our technical detachments, the Oise and Soissons advanced positions. At the same time raiding parties inflicted losses in killed, wounded and prisoners. "The artillery fighting has diminished. "There is nothing to report from the other sectors occupied by our troops. "Early in the day our aviators shot down a hostile machine."

German Statement. Berlin, May 31.—(Via London, June 1.)—An official statement issued here this evening says: "On the front from Noyon to the west of Rheims our attack is progressing favorably." "An official statement issued earlier in the day said: "We have closely pursued the enemy retreating from the Ailette front. South of the Oise and across the Ailette we captured the Bretigny-St. Paul Crosly-Laure line. "North of the Aisne, in constant fighting, we drove the enemy back by way of Bleuxy-Chavigny. "To the south of Soissons the French brought forward cavalry and infantry for a violent counter-attack. They were caught with disastrous effects by our fire and defeated. "We have crossed the Soissons-Hartennes Road. "French divisions which were brought up in the direction of Percey-Tardenois from the southwest across the Marne and from the southeast were unable anywhere, in spite of their desperate counter-attacks, to offer successful resistance to our advancing corps. "The rear positions of the enemy at Arcy and Grand Rosey were pierced. To the south of Mere-en-Tardenois we reached the Marne. The heights of Saint-Remy, Romilly and Champigny are in our possession. "On the southern bank of the Vesle, to the west of Rheims, Germigny, Gueux and Thillois were captured. "The number of prisoners and quantity of booty are increasing continuously. More than 45,000 prisoners and more than 400 guns and thousands of machine guns have been taken."

**DEBENTURE STOCK ISSUE BY OTTAWA**

Ottawa, June 1.—Sir Thomas White, Minister of Finance, announces the creation of a new issue of Dominion of Canada debenture stock, bearing interest at the rate of five and a half per cent per annum and selling at par. The issue carries the privilege of conversion into any future war loans, and will be specially attractive to those who from time to time have money available for investment in forthcoming war loans, and sending their issue, desire to invest with profit and security. "It is the Minister's hope that sums received in interest payments on present holding of Victory Bonds and other war loan issues will be invested in this debenture stock. "The new stock will be issued in denominations of \$50 and multiples thereof, and will mature in two or three years from June, 1918, as desired. Interest will be paid by cheque from the Finance Department on December 1 and June 1 each year. Investment may be made at once in the new securities. Subscriptions will be received direct by the Finance Department or through recognized bond dealers and brokers."

**MANIFESTO UNEXPECTED.**

London, June 1.—According to The Daily Mail, the Vatican has written to the Catholic Union, disclaiming all knowledge of the Irish Bishops' manifesto against conscription. The communication says that the manifesto was published about the manifesto about eight days after its publication. "Who killed the hen that laid the golden egg? The man who gets his printing done in the East. Ask for this label."



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**NORTH GERMAN GAZETTE'S IDEAS OF OFFENSIVE**

Amsterdam, June 1.—The Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung says that it is increasingly apparent that the Crown Prince's advance is not a new attack but a systematic continuation of the previous offensive. Continuing, it says that thanks to communications in the region south of Chalney which were secured in April, the new region of attack is already beginning to grow organically, together with the big wedge driven toward Amiens. "There are tremendous strategic and operative possibilities in the positions now won," the article concludes. "Meanwhile, now, as before, General Foch's army stands in the region north of Amiens. There the Entente awaits in uncertainty a revival of our offensive." "The military correspondent of The Hamburger Nachrichten points out that further developments, mainly, will be influenced by two factors. First, the increased effect of the French reserves must be reckoned on because General Foch has had the opportunity to bring up even remote troops, and second, that there are local difficulties, including the entire lack of main roads and railway communications from north to south to connect previous bases with the foremost positions already reached. The existing communications, he points out, follow the courses of the river valleys running from east to west, and until the railway communications are covered and supplies are assured the offensive can not be continued relentlessly at the same pace as heretofore."

**BRITISH WORKERS' LEAGUE FOR FIRM PROSECUTION OF WAR**

London, June 1.—(Via Reuter's).—The British Workers' League has decided to form itself into a political party to be known as the National Democratic and Labor Party. The council of the League also has passed a resolution expressing full confidence in Mr. Lloyd George and his Cabinet colleagues and assuring them of the loyal and unwavering support of the party in combating the mischievous policy of the defeatists and pacifists and calling on all patriotic citizens to rally to the support of the statesmen, sailors and soldiers of Great Britain and her Allies in the vigorous prosecution of the war.

**A GREAT EXPLOSION CAUSED BY ENTENTE AIRMEN AT ZEEBRUGGE**

Amsterdam, May 31.—Via London, June 1.—A long and heavy aerial attack was made on Zeebrugge on Thursday night, and about 1 o'clock this morning there was a tremendous crash and the concussion was felt by the entire neighborhood. Flames and smoke arose high in the air, and it is supposed that a powder magazine was exploded, according to a Flushing dispatch to The Telegraph.

**CANADIAN PROMOTIONS.**

London, June 1.—Lieut.-Colonel H. A. Bell, of an Alberta regiment, has been appointed brigadier-general to succeed Brigadier-General Kitchin, who has returned to Canada on special duty. Major G. H. Atkins, of Saskatchewan, is gazetted brigadier-major, and Capt. A. E. Bassett and K. H. Bovill, staff captains.

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## OBSERVERS IN FRANCE WRITE CONFIDENTLY

Premier Clemenceau's Paper Says Enemy Will Be Completely Blocked

Paris, June 1.—The military critics here, says a Eavas Agency review today, still regard the situation as serious, but consider the signs increasingly reassuring. The most important development is regarded as the enemy's attempt to advance westward and push toward Paris. This is considered, as revealing his strategic intentions unmistakably.

In the first shock of this new rush, it is pointed out, the Allies were obliged to give ground in some places, but they held their own on the Aisne and the Ourcq, and their vigorous counter-attacks are considered a prelude to the stoppage of the enemy advance.

At present the most important part of the battlefield is that with Noyon, on the Aisne to the south of it, on the one end and the district north of Chateau Thierry on the Marne, on the other. It is here that the German push toward Paris demands undivided attention.

The newspaper L'Homme Libre, Premier Clemenceau's organ, is optimistic today over the situation. It points out that the enemy plan to draw the Allies

toward the south and to push on westward, only met with success so far as the first part of it was concerned. The remainder of the plan is being completely defeated, it declares, and everything gives reason to believe that the enemy will be totally blocked.

Troops Confident.

There was much satisfaction evidenced yesterday in the Chamber of Deputies over the information given the members by the army control delegates. The particulars can not be published, as they have to do with the movements of troops, but the delegates emphasized the excellent impression that had been made on them by the confident spirit among the troops of the reserve divisions which are destined to fall upon the invaders.

In greeting a delegation of Socialist Deputies, Premier Clemenceau voiced his absolute confidence in the issue of the present operations. He gave the Deputies details which made an excellent impression.

Premier Clemenceau, in his capacity of War Minister, has issued an order suspending until further notice all furloughs and leaves of absence in the army.

## WOMAN IN STATES VIOLATED ESPIONAGE ACT AND IS JAILED

Kansas City, Mo., June 1.—Mrs. Rosa Foster, 37, of New York, who was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment in the Missouri state penitentiary on each of three counts of an indictment charging her with violation of the espionage act, Federal Judge Arba S. Van Valkenburgh announced that the sentences on the three counts would run concurrently, and that the defendant would be subjected to no fine.

## DR. CHAS. M. MAYO HEARD IN HAMILTON

Famous Surgeon of Rochester, Minn., Addresses Ontario Medical Men

Hamilton, Ont., June 1.—Crowding the assembly room of the Royal Connaught Hotel here to its limit, over 1,000 people cheered to the echo Major Charles M. Mayo, of Rochester, Minn., noted as one of the famous surgeons in the world, as he rose to deliver a speech last night on cancer. The address was given at the closing night's session of the Ontario Medical Association and the closing night's session of the Medical War Congress.

Major Mayo declared that the cause of cancer was a cell in a multicellular organ that had lost its control, that had lost its community existence and reverted back to primitive life and become parasitic. In multicellular life each cell had its relation to the other, each had its bit to do, its responsibility to carry, and in return had to receive like in return. Carrying the analogy to cancer, he said: "Major Mayo declared that the future human existence would be such a community life."

"Cancer continues to be one of the greatest modern scourges," he said; "it seems to be on the increase, especially among highly civilized people." It also attacked lower forms of life. He had seen it in chickens, and he believed that it was common among dogs.

The greatest advance in the knowledge of the disease had come from the study of the individual cell. Two hundred thousand people had it "in this country," said Major Mayo, and 80,000 people died yearly from it. Apparently he was referring to the United States. The disease rarely occurred in persons under twenty years old.

## TERAUCHI SPEAKS OF JAPAN'S RELATIONS WITH THE ENTENTE

London, June 1.—There is little present possibility of an alliance between Germany and Japan, Premier Count Terauchi asserted in an interview with the Tokio correspondent of The Daily Mail. "I feel earnestly that under the present circumstances such a contingency as a German-Japanese alliance is impossible," the Japanese Premier said. At the same time Count Terauchi emphasized his belief that Japan's relations with the Entente would continue unaltered. The Premier asked to be excused from discussing intervention in Siberia.

## FUEL SHORTAGE IN UNITED KINGDOM

London, June 1.—The fuel shortage continues so acute that the Government is being urged to save another hour of daylight by putting the clock ahead a total of two hours during the summer months. Advocates also favor the abolition of street lighting during the summer.

## LONDON NEWSPAPERS' COMMENTS ON FIGHT

Daily Telegraph Says Second and Greater Battle of Marne is Opening

London, June 1.—The gravity of the news from the Western front is emphasized in the morning newspapers here, which comment anxiously on the situation, although they express hopefulness as to the final outcome. The Daily News says the statement given out last night by a military authority to the Associated Press in which the situation was described as a very anxious one, is disquieting, since it must be accepted as reliable. This newspaper, however, encourages the view that the situation is in no way past relieving.

The Daily Telegraph sees great possibilities in the strategic situation. Asserting that the anxiety and stress of the last few days are not diminishing, it adds: "It would appear that a second battle of the Marne of far greater intensity and weight than that of 1914, is opening, but in totally different circumstances. The difference, however, is as much to the advantage of the Allies as to the enemy."

The Daily Express says: "Never since the outbreak of the war has the situation been more menacing or have the possibilities been greater, yet the country remains unperturbed, almost indifferent. We have become accustomed to the German attack that succeeds for a few days and then comes to the end with the object unattained. We have persuaded ourselves this must always happen. The argument is false. This faith is not based on reason."

Confidence in American help is shown in the comment of several papers. The Daily Mail enumerates the strong points in favor of the Allies, including "the rapid arrival of American troops, which will speedily restore the Allies' preponderance in numbers."

The Times also looks to the day when the arrival of American troops will more than reverse this present preponderance.

"The American power is growing fast," it says. "The whole nation is behind the army as it has never been behind any movement yet, and it is a nation of 100,000,000 free men who have never known defeat. Until they join us in full force our business is to hold on. When they do join us our victory will be at our doors."

## Washington Opinion.

Washington, June 1.—With the German forces in the Aisne drive standing along the Marne River, some military observers here to-day were inclined to believe the advance in that direction would stop and that the invaders would seek to consolidate their position on the Marne for defensive purposes, while turning the direction of the attack westward in an effort to consolidate the Aisne and Picardy battlefronts.

The positions mentioned in the reports to-day indicate that the German strategists are trying to pinch the French defenders out of the angle of which Soissons is the apex. Officials here believe they already have crossed the road between Soissons and Chateau Thierry.

There is warrant officials here believe, in the assumption that General Foch has not materially reduced the reserves held behind the Aisne and Flanders fronts, relying upon the line of the Marne to check the German movement in the Aisne drive and meanwhile using his reserve force to sustain the wings of this new battlefront.

## LARGE NUMBER OF CATTLE PERISH IN INCENDIARY BLAZE

Niagara Falls, June 1.—In a fire that swept through the cattle sheds of the Grand Trunk Railway here yesterday eighteen carloads of cattle were destroyed.

Although the origin of the fire is unknown there were indications that the sheds had been saturated with inflammable liquid.

The fire spread with such rapidity that the animals could not be reached.

## BOASTING GERMANS INTERNED IN QUEBEC

Montreal, June 1.—The largest party of enemy aliens, twenty-one in number, yet sent to the internment camp at Kapuskasing, has been rounded up in this city this week for boasting of German "victories."

## German Immigrants.

Winnipeg, June 1.—At an executive session of the local Council of the National Council of Women yesterday afternoon an emergency resolution was endorsed urging upon the Dominion Government the desirability of making an investigation into the influx of German immigrants from the United States into the western provinces. The resolution will be submitted to the convention of the National Council at Brantford on June 11.

## SPIRIT OF REBELLION SPREADS IN BOHEMIA

London, June 1.—Riots and internal disorders of all kinds are increasing in Bohemia. A Vienna newspaper says that what is happening to-day in Bohemia resembles the Lombardi and Venetian uprisings in 1848, except that to-day the Empire is hampered by her engagements in a war from which she does not see a way to escape.

At Chosen crowds, exasperated by police brutality, set fire to the barracks and to the City Hall, where the mounted police were lodged. Eight of the officers were burned to death.

At Koln the people pulled down the Austrian flag and raised the Bohemian flag. Public buildings have been burned at Tabor and other towns in Bohemia, and in Olmutz, Moravia. At Prague the offices of the German newspapers, The Zeitung and The Neue Nachrichten, were sacked, but the Prague correspondent of The Stuttgart-Neue Nachrichten telegraphed to his paper that the events of last Sunday at Prague exceeded in gravity the previous demonstrations.

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Vancouver, B. C., June 1.—The Canadian Railway Commission is now on the way to Vancouver from Prince Rupert, and will arrive here this afternoon.

Sir Henry Drayton, chairman of the commission, is not with the party, and D'Arcy Scott, assistant chief commissioner, will act as chairman during the sittings here and at Victoria next week. The commissioners comprise Messrs. Boyce, Richardson and Butcher.

After arriving here the commission will leave for Victoria, where a session will take place on Tuesday. The first sitting in Vancouver will be on Wednesday, and will probably not extend beyond that day.

## TWINING IS DIRECTOR OF FORTIFICATIONS

Montreal, June 1.—Major-General P. G. Twining, C.B., C.M.G., M.V.O., of Halifax, has been appointed Director of Fortifications and Works to succeed Major-General Sir George K. Scott Moncrieff. Major-General Twining was born in Nova Scotia and entered the service through the Royal Military College, Kingston. He has earned high opinions in France during the last three years.



## The House Wants Some Salad Recipes

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FRENCH RESERVES NOW REACTING.

While the situation is still viewed with anxiety in the Allied capitals, it was brightened somewhat to-day by the news that the pressure of French reserves has begun to make itself felt on the most threatened line of the enemy's advance.

In the centre the Germans have reached the Marne on a twelve-mile front. This represents the head of a salient now fifty miles wide at its base from Noyon to Rheims and nearly thirty miles deep.

But to press forward on the west of the salient the enemy must continue to have a vast superiority in men and material, for Foch now has had time to throw large forces into the threatened sector and the defending front is hourly becoming stronger as German failures to-day and yesterday on that line show.

The British Staff review of the situation points out that the Allies south of the Aisne and along

the Marne can afford to give ground much more easily than in Picardy and Flanders where, in fact, there is not much room in which to manoeuvre. It is thus impossible for the enemy to deal a vital blow at the Allies in his present effort even if he were able to enlarge the salient, whereas the line from the Somme northward is hardly forty miles from the French Channel ports west of Amiens, and less than that in Flanders.

TWO YEARS AGO.

Yesterday was the second anniversary of the Battle of Jutland. The result, while a defeat for the German navy in the sense that it was driven to its bases, was unsatisfactory to the British who had hoped for a decisive victory.

The Kaiser lost no time in describing the result as a great German victory, but not once since that time has the German High Seas fleet ventured as far as the Skagerrack. Swift raids by German cruisers represent the limit of the German navy's activities on the sea which one German map designated the "German Ocean."

Since the Battle of Jutland the margin of the Allies' superiority at sea over the enemy has vastly increased. Although Germany apparently has bagged the Russian Black Sea fleet and has completed several new dreadnoughts and a number of light cruisers, this has been more than offset by British new construction alone, while French naval construction also has been continued.

A BORN FIGHTER.

At the supreme moment of the battle of the Marne, when victory or defeat seemed to hang in the balance by a feather weight, a corps commander hurried to General Foch with anxiety and despair written all over his face.

"So are the Germans," he snapped back. "You are to attack at once!"

THE IRISH ENIGMA.

The English Government cannot do anything with Ireland without fighting her. It must choose whether to fight the Ulster unionists, who want conscription, don't want home rule and would see the fight for one as against the other, or the nationalists, who are three-quarters of the Irish population, and would sooner die for home rule than be conscripted.

THE LACK OF MEN.

The Irish bishops who are counselling resistance to conscription for Ireland scarcely seem to realize that civilization and Christianity are trembling in the balance for lack of men.

J. H. HAWTHORNTHWAITTE STATES HIS VIEWS ON SETTLERS' RIGHTS ACT DISALLOWANCE

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Company. And this Province did reserve a belt of land on the mainland extending from the coast to the settlers' boundary line. In addition there was a tract on Vancouver Island running from Crown Mountains to Muir Creek on the west to the sea coast on the East.

It was then decided either by Ottawa or the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Mr. Hawthorthwaite continued, that Victoria would not be suitable for terminal purposes, and in consequence the city of Vancouver secured the plum. The late Robert Dunsuir undertook to build a line from the city of Victoria to Nanaimo on condition that the land reserved on this island should be transferred to his Company and some financial assistance be given into the bargain.

Section Eleven. Section eleven of the terms of Union reads as follows, and is self-explanatory: "The Government of the Dominion undertakes to secure the commencement simultaneously, within two years from the date of Union, of the construction of a railway from the coast towards the Rocky Mountains, and from such point as may be selected, east of the Rocky Mountains, towards the Pacific, to connect the seaboard of British Columbia with the railway system of Canada; and, further, to secure the completion of such railway within ten years from the date of Union."

Pre-emptory Details. "Provided, that the quantity of land which may be held under pre-emption or by Crown grant within the limits of the tract of land in British Columbia to be so conveyed to the Dominion Government shall be made good to the Dominion by contiguous public lands; and, provided further, that until the commencement, within two years, as aforesaid, from the date of Union, the Government of British Columbia shall not sell or alienate any further portions of the public lands in British Columbia in any other way than under right of pre-emption, requiring actual residence of the pre-emptor on the land claimed by him."

Local Wills.—In the Supreme Court Registry during the past week the following probates were granted: Joseph Mellor and Henry Alexander. Probates rescinded: Richard Allen Lucas. Letters of Administration: Duncan Hook, who was killed on active service at the Dardanelles, and Abraham Lindley.

Mr. Hawthorthwaite recalls the fact that the question of the rights of the settler was taken up frequently in both Dominion and Provincial Houses and former Governments held that the Province had the right to deal with and settle the matter. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, he relates, always emphatically took the position that these settlers were entitled to a Crown Grant to their lands including the mineral rights. In the Provincial House in 1903 the Hon. W. B. McLaughlin introduced a Bill which was the first attempt to deal with these cases legislatively.

Now Disallowed. The case went before Mr. Justice Martin, and he gave a strong decision in favor of the settlers concerned, a decision which was afterwards reversed by the Court of Appeal, and later sustained by a decision of the Privy Council. Unfortunately, excluded Mr. Hawthorthwaite, a great number of the settlers entitled to receive Crown Grants under the Act failed to file their application claim in time, with the result that the late Premier Brewster, in 1917, re-opened the Act to give them an opportunity to get their grants. This is the Act, however, which the Federal authorities have now disallowed.

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At the local headquarters a band of energetic workers have been busily engaged replenishing the supplies of tags, and superintending the giving out of the boxes for the business portion of the city, and the busy scene was duplicated at each of the various branches, each branch being the headquarters for the tagging in its district.

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- Nightgowns** of fine French nainsook, hand-embroidered and trimmed with satin ribbon. Clearing, June White Sale ..... **\$6.75**
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- Combinations**, hand-embroidered and trimmed with French Valenciennes lace. Clearing, June White Sale ..... **\$5.75**
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- Whitewear, First Floor

## New Crepe de Chine and Georgette Crepe Waists in Many Dainty Styles

These are superior quality Waists and the styles are certainly very dainty and most attractive. As to the values, they only need to be seen to be appreciated. Represented in this range are:

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## Musing Corset Covers Monday at 75c

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—Knit Underwear, First Floor

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  - Envelope Combinations** in white and flesh color, daintily embroidered and trimmed with fancy stitching. June White Sale ..... **\$1.75**
  - Bloomers** of flesh-colored mercerized muslin, frill trimmed with insertion and lace-edging. June White Sale ..... **\$1.25**
  - Dainty Nightgowns** of fine mull, embroidered front and scalloped around neck and sleeves. June White Sale ..... **\$2.50**
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- Whitewear, First Floor

Buy Food With the Thought of the Allies.—Canada Food Board

## June White Offerings in Fancy Linens, Values to \$2.50 Monday \$1.25

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If you need extra fancy linens you will do well in investigating this offering.  
—Linens, Main Floor

## Children's White Muslin Dresses Marked Very Low for the June White Sale



An exceptionally fine lot of dainty Dresses for girls 2 to 14 years included in this special offering for Monday.

This will be a good opportunity for parents to fit their girls up with new White Frocks for the summer at lowest possible cost.

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- Children's, First Floor

## Children's Colored Repp Dresses, Monday at \$1.00

A lot of Dresses that will clear quickly at this low price. Good, service able grade cotton repp, in shades pink, blue and white; neatly embroidered in front and button holed around neck and sleeves. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Very special Monday at, each ..... **\$1.00**  
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- Boys' Shirts, Main Floor

## Women's 75c Knit Combinations 50c

- Of fine quality cotton, low neck, no sleeves and tight knee; sizes 36 and 38 only.
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—Crocery, Second Floor

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—Ties, Main Floor

## Tooth Brush and Holder for 25c Monday

About 10 dozen Tooth Brushes, each fitted in a white ivory holder, suitable for hanging up, will be placed on sale Monday at the above price. This is excellent value at, complete, ..... **25c**  
—Drugs, Main Floor

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—Hardware, Second Floor

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## A BEDTIME STORY

**UNCLE WIGGILY AND THE VICTORY CAKE**  
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(By Howard R. Garis.)

"Uncle Wiggily," said Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, the muskrat lady house-keeper to the bunny uncle in the hollow stump bungalow one morning, "Uncle Wiggily, you did so well yesterday, making the war bread, that I'm so glad I can leave you alone again today."  
"Of course you may!" exclaimed Mr. Longears, with a pickle of his twink nose that—oh, dear! I mean a twinkle of his pink nose, that made it look like a strawberry wart on a dull pickle. "Is there any war bread to bake to-day, Nurse Jane, will you go over to Mrs. Wibblewobble's duck house to see for the Red Cross?"  
"No, not any," answered the muskrat lady. "All you have to do is to see that no one runs away with the hollow stump bungalow. I'm sorry to have to ask you to stay home again, but this will be the last day this week. Our Red Cross sewing will be done then."  
"Oh, I don't mind staying," said Uncle Wiggily. "In fact I rather like it. I only wish you wanted me to make some more war bread, so I could scare a Skeezicks, or something like that, had as good an adventure staying home yesterday as if I had gone hopping through the woods."  
"Well, I'm glad nothing harmful happened to you," said Nurse Jane. "You won't have to do anything to-day but sit on the porch."  
Uncle Wiggily tried that for a while after Nurse Jane had hopped over to Mrs. Wibblewobble's house, but you know how it is—sitting still isn't much fun. So the bunny rabbit went out into the kitchen and there he found a cook book. He opened it, thinking he might find a recipe to read, and the first thing he saw was a little story about how to make victory cake.

"What have we here?" asked the monkey. "Before I pull your tail, what are you making?"  
"A victory cake," said Uncle Wiggily. "I have it almost done. Before you pull my tail you mind letting me put in the cocoanut?"  
"Put in the cocoanut? I should say not!" cried the monkey. "I'll take that cocoanut myself. I love 'em! Hand it over!"  
He reached out his front paw for the cocoanut, of which monkeys are very fond, and then, suddenly, Uncle Wiggily had an idea. He held the cocoanut up high and then he cried:  
"Well, if you must have it, take it! And he quickly dropped it right on the monkey's toes.  
"Bang!" went the hard, heavy cocoanut. "Bang! Bang!"  
"Oh, me! Oh, my! Oh, wow! Oh, wow!" howled the monkey. "The victory is yours and the cocoanut and cake too! I've had enough."  
And away he limped, leaving Uncle Wiggily alone. The bunny picked up the cocoanut from where it had fallen and hit the monkey's feet.  
"Ah, the hard nut is nicely cracked," said he. "Now I can finish the victory cake." And he did, and Nurse Jane said it was fine. And if the roller skate doesn't ride over the little boy's marbles and make them roll down the back of the street and tickle it, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the liberty flour.

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## WOMAN'S DOMAIN

### Social Personal

Mrs. W. J. Pendray, Mrs. W. Pendray and her daughter Norma, have left for Harrison Hot Springs, where they will spend the next two weeks for the benefit of the former's health.

Mrs. Saxton-White, who has spent the past year in Los Angeles and Orange, California, as the guest of her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Saxton has returned to Cowichan and is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. H. B. Holmes, of Duncan.

Corpl. A. H. Lomas, who has just come back from overseas service, has returned to his home in Cowichan, after reporting at New Westminster, and expects to receive his discharge papers in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Walker, whose marriage was solemnized in Vancouver on Wednesday evening, came over to Victoria after the ceremony, and will spend their honeymoon in an automobile tour of Vancouver Island.

Mrs. W. T. Hutchins and Miss Eleanor Hutchins returned to Vancouver on Thursday after a short stay in Victoria en route from Southern California. They were accompanied to the mainland by Mrs. A. W. Harvey, of this city, who will be their guest for a few days.

Lieut. Trigg and Mrs. Trigg, of Kamloops, are guests at the Strathcona Hotel. Lieut. Trigg is a veteran of the Zulu Rebellion and of the South African War, and for two years he saw service with the Canadian Expeditionary force in France. For more than twelve months he has been engaged on duty at one of the mainline internment camps.

Nursing Sister Ethel Cook has returned from overseas service, and is spending a furlough with her parents, Rev. Gilbert and Mrs. Cook, October Hospital; she has been on active service since the early days of the war, and has been awarded three stripes in recognition of her services. Her three brothers enlisted shortly after war was declared, and one has been invalided home, one is still in France, and one has made the supreme sacrifice.

The Metropolitan Young Women's Club met last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Arthur Lee, 535 Trutch Street, when a considerable amount of Red Cross work was done. Arrangements were discussed for the Cafe Chantant, which the club is holding on June 26 in aid of the Red Cross. A good musical programme is being arranged, full details of which will be announced later. The next club meeting will be held on Thursday, June 13, at the home of Mrs. Bennett, 1516 Camosun Street, at 8 p. m.

Mrs. Harry Phillips, 2647 Empire Road, has as her guest Mrs. James Mather, of Berkeley, who is an aunt of Mr. Phillips and will spend a few days here before proceeding to Los Angeles. Mrs. Mather, in speaking of war conditions in New York, stated that sugar is very scarce, only one pound being purchasable at a time, and then only in conjunction with a certain amount of other necessities. During the recent coal famine, but one-half of the street lighting system was used each night in order to save fuel.

The following from The Seattle Daily Times of yesterday's date will be of interest to the bride-elect's many friends on Vancouver Island: "Miss A. May Eate, of Berkeley, Cal., fiancée of Andrew M. Gillespie, of this city, who has been visiting friends for a few weeks, will return to the South in a few days. The date of the wedding has been set for June 2. The ceremony will be performed in Berkeley at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Heathcote, who announced the engagement. After a wedding trip, Mr. Gillespie and his bride will be at home in this city after the latter part of August at 1564 Federal Avenue."

A letter received from one of the V. A. D.'s, who left here some two weeks ago, states that the draft consisted of about forty nurses from all parts of Canada. They met in Toronto, which is the headquarters for the St. John Ambulance Overseas for Canada, and while in that city numerous social functions were given in their honor. Lady Pellatt, wife of Sir Henry M. Pellatt, gave a reception for them, and they were also tendered a luncheon at the Lancelot Golf and Country Club. Dr. Charles J. Copp, assistant commissioner for the St. John Ambulance Overseas in Canada, and Mrs. Copp did their utmost to make the short stay of the V. A. D.'s in Toronto a pleasurable one.

### WORK OR FIGHT.

Now that all men should be at work, or fight, very unpleasant sight: To see groups of men so able and strong loafing at street corners all the day long. I'm told with their wages they couldn't agree. (There not being a secret ballot, you see), And having to do as Unions dictate, Like a flock of sheep they're led to their fate.

I think 'twould show a far better meeting if they went off home and did spring-cleaning. And let their more patriotic ladies Build ships instead of nursing the babies. Perhaps they are not as bad as we think. But await the Recruiting Sergeant's wink. For while some would point the finger of scorn, He'll just say, "Lads! Here's the King's uniform."

### REJECTED THE HEN'S JOB.

Little Tommy had been naughty. His mother did not know what to do with him. She wanted to confine him somewhere, but he showed signs of breaking everything in any room she put him into, and he threatened revenge at every suggestion. He was borne into the garden and locked up in the chicken house. He was silent. This was something beyond his capacity to talk about; but his mother was going away his head appeared at one of the little openings.  
"Mamma!"  
His mother stopped.  
"Mamma, you can lock me in here if you like, but I won't lay any eggs."  
Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph

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### WOMEN SUGGEST REMEDY

Small Meeting Last Night Discussed Strike Situation and Passed Strong Resolution to Government.

About forty women assembled in the K. of P. Hall last night in response to a call from Mrs. Akroyd for women to discuss the situation arising from the shipbuilding strike and to view to offering their services in any capacity. Mrs. Akroyd, who presided, took the stand that the action of the strikers was unpatriotic and that sentiment a few of the women took strong objection. A resolution was passed asking for the organization of a Canadian Women's Army, which should be given a charter by the Dominion Government and placed on the statute books, also that the military forces be instructed to train all women fit for military services so that they could take the place of men when needed for the defence of the country and to prevent a cessation of war work. The elimination of profiteering on all raw materials, the internment of all aliens and the placing upon a food ration basis of all neutral nations were also added for in the resolution, which will be forwarded to the Dominion Government. Another phase of the motion suggested that the strikers who are masters or men, be placed under the same regulations governing the soldiers, and on refusal to obey the same should be meted the same punishment as a soldier under similar circumstances.

### SINGERS' MISTAKES

Too Many Languages Not Appreciated; Matter of Encores.

Singers make mistakes of judgment. They seem to think that they must show the public they can sing four languages, forgetting that the public never bother to admire accomplishments, but seek only their own pleasures. The singers start with a historical preamble among early Italian masters. With a jump they scale the Olympian heights of Brahms, Schubert and Wolf descending with a graceful swoop to the precarious elegancies of France, and then, when everybody is tired of the same vocal acrobatics for forty-five minutes, the orchestra and the breathing air of the concert room is in need of renovation, they drop their polyglot and foreign travel, smile at their friends and begin to sing the familiar language of their homeland. They excuse the tumultuous applause by reminding themselves that they first proved their high art in foreign song before they descended to the public level in the vernacular. We do not deny Italian, French and Russian songs. We only protest against the judgment of the singers who think they cannot be contented with their own language. But in familiar songs, singers often make mistakes of judgment. To sing "Robin Adair" with a shallow piano accompaniment as a mark of gratitude to the symphony concert audience that has applauded a singer for her "Elizabeth's Greeting to the Hall of Song" with Wagner's "Tannhauser" orchestration is not a sign of infallible good judgment. Yet singers have been known to do these things. The student can find examples of bad musical judgment without much trouble. The real trouble is to improve his own judgment. After he has learned how to sing or play, his great dilemma will be to know what to sing or play.

### ON THE WRONG TRACK.

Little Henry wore his father's clothes, which his mother cut down for him as best she could. As the little boy was getting into a vest that had been cut down from an overcoat he began to grumble.  
"What's the matter now?" asked father.  
"Why," said Willie, "this here pocket ain't got no bottom to it."  
"Pocket, nothing!" ejaculated his father. "That's a button-hole."—Exchange.

### THEY LOVE EACH OTHER.

"We always pay cash for everything," she said proudly.  
"We're not obliged to," was her friend's retort.

### BUSINESS GIRL'S CLUB HOLDS JOLLY PARTY

About 150 at Last Night's Event at Y. W. C. A.; for Red Cross

The Victoria Business Girls' Club closed their winter season with a jolly little gathering last night, at which all the members and many of their friends to the number of about one hundred and fifty were present. The affair was held at the Y. W. C. A. in the big assembly room and library, both rooms being gaily decorated with a profusion of scarlet peonies and "snowballs" and masses of golden broom, all of the flowers being the gift of Mrs. S. Wilkinson.

As the guests arrived they were welcomed by Mrs. Herbert Pendray, the honorary president, and Miss Shaw, president of the Club, and shortly after eight o'clock the big hall was well filled, the visitors including a number of representatives of the naval and military forces. A delightful programme of music was given under the direction of Miss Kerry, songs being contributed by Mrs. Patterson and Miss Blakeway. Mrs. Agnew's recitation, both rooms being gaily decorated with a profusion of scarlet peonies and "snowballs" and masses of golden broom, all of the flowers being the gift of Mrs. S. Wilkinson.

At one corner of the room Miss Burley presided over a flag-bedded booth of the "touch and take" order, mysterious packages being sold for a small consideration, and before the close of the evening the stock was cleared out. Miss Henry conducted a palmistry booth, where in return for a small emolument she was kept busily engaged in giving character readings from the hand. After supper the hall was cleared and dancing took place, Miss Hunt furnishing the music, and the enjoyable affair came to a close shortly before eleven o'clock with the singing of the National Anthem. As a result of the very successful affair the girls hope to hand over to the Red Cross a sum approximating \$50.00.

### GETTING USED TO IT.

Miss Ivy Shilling, who has danced herself into favor with the London public, came from Australia only a few days before the war broke out. Miss Shilling's first London engagement was in the Empire Revue "Watch Your Step." She is now touring Britain in "Topsy-Turvy."

This dainty dancer tells me that her mother was anxious for her to become a proficient pianoforte player. Although she showed little aptitude, lessons were given to her. One day a friend asked Miss Shilling's father if she was making good progress. "Well," he replied, "I'm not sure whether Ivy's playing has improved or if it is that we're getting used to her practice!"  
Miss Shilling also told me that she was once watching a play in which one year was supposed to elapse between two of the acts. When the curtain went up a woman sitting next to the dancer remarked: "Good gracious! And they have the same servant. How impossible!"—Tit-Bits.

### SUSPICIOUS.

"Edith says he is a man after her own heart."  
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This ability to bring the finest art within reach of the home is invaluable in the case of children for the civilizing, refining influence which art in its best form exerts is conceded readily by all, and contentment, color and beauty which music can add to the everyday toils of existence has been too often proved to doubt.

The naturally musical child who listens to records, vocal or instrumental, will gradually become possessed of the wish to be able to make similar music for himself, and in so doing will start with a certain amount of intimacy with good music and a desire to perform works of the same kind, which desire will be of incalculable help to his teachers.

Then again, any student who is studying some standard or popular work, can, through the means of records of the best artists in that work, attain an insight into their varying ideas of phrasing an interpretation, and this absorption will help build up a standard of perfection or himself. At first the greatest singers and instrumentalists of the day were very disinclined to allow records to be made of their performances, for they imagined that such a general distribution of them, and the placing of such an easy means of hearing them within reach of the public, would tend to decrease their audiences, in fact they felt that people would not pay to hear them when they could sit at home and hear them on the records.

But here again the opposite effect has almost invariably been produced, for through the records people become familiar with the voice and playing of artists, and a very natural curiosity and interest is aroused in their appearance and personality, therefore instead of detracting, the spreading of records has been found to be invaluable in creating interest in the artists among people to whom otherwise their names would be unfamiliar.

**BEHINDHAND.**

It is not only soldiers returning from the front who need technical training. All young Canadians would benefit by it. The Dominion in this respect lags far behind the more progressive nations.—Toronto Globe.

**WOODEN WATER MAIN**

Exhibit in Water Commissioner's Office Recalls an Abandoned Policy.

An interesting exhibit is on view in the office of the City Water Commissioner, being a piece of wooden pipe laid on Summit Avenue in 1906 and taken up the other day. It is believed to be the only wooden pipe remaining, although some may possibly be located later on Mears and Toronto Streets.

In 1905 the City Council was seriously pressed for funds, and it being a time when there was considerable residential expansion, a number of small household services were demanded. Streets with one or two houses upon them were clamoring for water services and it was felt that if wooden pipe was laid twice the amount of distance could be covered at the corresponding cost.

A municipal delegation visited Seattle in October, 1905, and as a consequence an order was placed for 20,000 feet, on the recommendation of the then commissioner. It was chiefly four inch pipe and was laid on Mears and Toronto Streets and Summit Avenue during the following year. Opinion, however, was strongly divided on the expediency of using wooden pipe in a city, and the Council of 1906 refused to buy any more wooden pipe, a course which has been followed ever since. The very same principle which drove the Council thirteen years ago to experiment with wooden pipe in residential districts was responsible for it being mooted again in connection with the Gordon Head water scheme this year. A considerable amount of pipe has been laid in some sections of the province, chiefly commending itself on account of economy.

**HEAVENLY FIREWORKS.**

It was stated that the German airmen took advantage of the aurora borealis, or Northern Lights, on a recent occasion to pay a visit to our shores in the absence of the moon.

Needless to say these wonderful displays of celestial fireworks are very rare in these latitudes, only a slight reflection of the displays which frequently turn the Arctic night into a glittering white and blue palace of wondrous beauty.

Scientists are by no means clear as to the cause of these emanations of light. That they are connected in some way with the magnetic poles of the earth is certain, for they seem to play around the magnetic North Pole just as the aurora australis plays around the magnetic pole of the Antarctic.

A famous explorer describes them: "Radiant shafts leap into the zenith like celestial searchlights, whilst on the horizon stand arches of light with pillars of flame. Then the whole mighty and ethereal structure begins to quiver and dance and shape itself into a thousand weird and wondrous forms, whilst above or below rushes a stream of glory, dying away into a vague luminosity which is even more beautiful in its opal delicacy than the more flamboyant streamers that blazon and flame above it. On such a night there are few more enchanting fairy-like scenes on earth, but to its cold beauty the bonnie blink of the Inglenook is to be preferred before all this pagantry of the heavens."—Tit-Bits.

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**WHAT THE SAILOR DOES FOR EMPIRE**

Navy League Will Tell About It at Royal Victoria Theatre

The Navy League of Canada, Victoria Branch, has sent out a circular letter calling attention to the fact that "on our Sailor King's Birthday, June 3, a Mass Meeting will be held in the Royal Victoria Theatre, under the auspices of the Navy League of Canada, when the story of the sea in song and stirring speech may be heard for nothing, all seats being free and no collection will be taken."

The question is asked by the Navy League, "What are you doing for the sailor?" and in pointing out what we owe to the sailor the answer is given: "He guards our coasts. He saves our wives from dishonour. He keeps our children in freedom. He conveys our gallant troops through the danger zone. He supplies us with the comforts and luxuries of life. He transports the commerce of the country. He fights the foe. He faces death in all its terrors. Stirring speech may be heard for nothing, all seats being free and no collection will be taken."

"The Navy, under God, is the bulwark of our Empire and without it Greater Britain would cease to exist and become a prey to the Hun," concludes the circular.

The League is hoping that there will be a crowded house at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Monday night.

The doors will open at 7.45, and during the interval until His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Sir Frank Barnard, K. C. M. G., takes the chair and the Fifth Regiment Band will play selections. The following is the programme:  
Band 5th Regiment..... "Good Save the King"  
Opening Address.....  
Song..... "The Very Rev. Dean Quainton"  
Song..... "Land of Hope and Glory"  
Mrs. Macdonald Fahey.  
Address..... Rev. Father Silver  
Song..... "The Ship That's Bound for Blighty"  
Mrs. R. H. Pooley  
Recitation..... "The Sea Queen Wakes"  
Sir Clive Philipps-Wolley.  
Mrs. D. Dolg, Regent Navy League Chapter, I. O. D. E.  
Chorus..... Juvenile Choir.  
Connaught Seamen's Institute  
Resolution—Resolved: "That this public meeting of the citizens of Victoria convened under the auspices of the Navy League of Canada, beg most humbly and loyally to congratulate His Majesty the King, on the anniversary of his birth, and to wish him in health and strength many more years of reign over our Empire."  
"We beg to assure His Majesty of our unbounded loyalty to his throne and person, and to reiterate our unwavering determination to do our utmost during these strenuous days to strengthen and uphold the cause of His Majesty and his Allies upon the success of which depends our freedom and the freedom of the world in the future."  
Moved by Arthur Coles, Provincial President for Navy League of Canada. Seconded by J. J. Shallock, member Executive Committee, Victoria Branch.  
Song..... "Drake's Drum"  
Pascal H. J. Davis, Hon. Secretary Provincial Division.  
Address..... J. B. Warnicker  
Song..... "In Ocean's Night"  
J. Douglas Macey  
Mrs. Macdonald Fahey.  
Address..... F. A. McDiarmid  
President Victoria Branch Navy League.  
Song..... "Canada For Empire"  
Mrs. C. Bridgewater  
Mrs. Macdonald Fahey.  
Accompanists—Mrs. A. J. Gibson and Mrs. Atwell.  
"God Save the King"

The programme for Monday night has been arranged by Mrs. David Dolg, Regent Navy League Chapter, I. O. D. E., and literature in connection with the affair is being distributed by the Daisy Chain Chapter, I. O. D. E., of which Mrs. D. E. Campbell is Regent.

**THAT DID IT.**

A sturdy tramp went into a suburban garden where the lady of the house was occupied in attending to her bulbs.  
He took no notice of her refusal to give coppers, but continued to worry her until a small dog appeared, barking loudly. The lady seized its collar and held it, calling out:  
"You had better go, it may bite."  
"You ain't got no right to keep a savage dog," replied the tramp, out-raged in all his most sacred feelings. "Perhaps I have not," she answered, coolly. "If you think so I won't keep him. I'll let him go."  
The latch of the gate clicked violently, and in twenty seconds the tramp had vanished into space.—Tit-Bits.  
Captain—"Charge"  
Ribbon Clerk Regiment (in chorus)—"Just a moment, please. Name and address?"

**The Theatres**

**TO-DAY'S AMUSEMENTS**

Pantages—Vaudeville.  
Royal Victoria—Clara Williams in "Carmen of the Klondike."  
Columbia—Florence Reed in "To-day."  
Dominion—Mrs. Petrova in "The Light Within."  
Variety—Sessue Hayakawa in "The Honor of His House."  
Romano—Carmel Myers in "The Girl in the Dark."

**ROYAL VICTORIA**

"Carmen of the Klondike," which is the attraction at the Royal Victoria Theatre for the last time to-night, is truly a great picture. It is the kind of story that will appeal to everyone who admires red-blooded, wholesome action without the stupid over-acted melodrama, and is doubtless the most gripping production that has been shown in this city for a long time. The scenes of necessity, have to be realistic in every respect. There are temporary shacks, dance halls, the claim offices and all the unique buildings which were to be found in the mining settlement during the days of the Alaskan gold rush. Also, there is a main street of the town, flooded by the thaws, forming a bed of knee-deep mud, through which the population has to wallow.

The leading role is portrayed by Miss Clara Williams in a manner that is both convincing and fascinating.

**DOMINION**

Madame Petrova, the distinguished Polish artist, who is appearing at the Dominion this week in "The Light Within," is attracting large audiences. In the portrayal of the part of the neglected wife ample scope is given her dramatic and emotional powers, and her characterization possesses an artistic restraint so often lacking among stars of the screen.

Though Madame Petrova never overdoes a part, action and fire are at no time absent from her acting and she covers the whole gamut of emotion without betraying an obvious straining or affectation. This finished star, who appeared in many important roles on the speaking stage before her entry into the realm of the silent drama, recently gave an interesting dissertation on the much-abused word "repression."

She takes issue with some of her critics who have described her performances at various times as "too repressed and lacking fire." Her idea of acting is that the actor should interpret the character as in real life not adding a number of superfluous touches that only serve to make the part unnatural. These ideas she brings out to perfection in the "Light

Within." Her acting in this picture perhaps more than in any other has a finished artistry which in its power and pathos is unique on the screen.

**PANTAGES**

"The Heiress at Coffee Dan's," Triangle-Fine Arts play, starring Beesie Love, will be seen on the Pantages screen Monday and Tuesday of next week. In this play Miss Love harks back to her appearance many months ago in the Triangle preparedness drama, "The Flying Torpedo," which had John Emerson as its director and star. In that play she appeared as a Swedish servant girl, and her role in "The Heiress at Coffee Dan's" is much the same. In the intervening months, however, Miss Love has jumped from the stock ranks to stardom. Frank Bennett, recently seen opposite her in "A Sister of Six," is again her leading man in the new play. Others in the cast are Max Davidson, Lucille Young, Alfred Paget and Alva Blake.

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in the method and induce carelessness or a wandering away from the regular routine of work. Regularity and systematic practice habits are of great value and we should do all possible to induce these habits in the pupil.

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## SOLDIERS AT FRONT HUNGRY FOR MUSIC

Gramophone With Broken Spring Kept Going With One Finger

Extracts from recent letters received from a college man who has been carrying wounded in his ambulance for the past year, give an inkling as to the large part music is playing in making the perilous routine of the ambulance drivers' lives, endurable.

"I have heard my first hand since coming to this town, for a regiment of militia stationed here march for exercise every other day headed by a wonderful big band. Can't begin to tell you what a treat it was to us all."

"We also have for entertainment a talking-machine, a small one which some wretched soul wound too tight and broke the spring, so now it will only work by pushing the turn-table around with the tip of the finger. Of course that makes the pitch vary according to the speed with which we whirl the turn-table."

"After supper last night, I nearly worked three fingers off, playing 'Havana' through once, while the fellows sitting around looked into the fire and dreamed."

**Song Camouflaged.**

"A few nights ago, after I got off guard at eight, I was called to a little shop, back of which was a real piano—much the worse for wear and tear, but that made little difference to us."

"Sitting down, I started to play a supposedly French song which happened to be on the piano, and then discovered I was playing 'I wonder Who's Kissing Her Now,' with French words. (In Paris we heard Irving Berlin's songs played at the Folies.) We certainly had a great musical evening and the boys sat down on the concrete floor of the little room with French words 'Wearin' for You,' 'Pack Up Your Troubles in Your Old Kit Bag,' and all the other old favorites."

## FINE PROGRAMME BY PAULIST CHORISTERS

Concert at Willows Auditorium on June 6, of Interesting Character

The world-famed Paulist Choristers, who are touring the United States and Canada to raise funds for the benefit of the stricken peoples of France and Belgium, will give a recital in Victoria at the Willows auditorium, on Thursday, June 6.

The soloists will be: Master William Probst, soprano; Master Hallet Dolan, soprano; Master William Hallisey, soprano; Master Joseph Wainwright, soprano; Parnell Egan, tenor; Frank M. Dunford, basso-cantante; Clay Hart, tenor.

Following is the programme to be given here:

1. Emtte Spiritum Tuum..... Schubert
2. (a) Ave Maria Stella..... Farrant
3. (b) Ave Maria Stella..... Grigg
4. Two Carols.....
5. Angel We Have Heard, Traditional
6. I Saw Three Ships..... Traditional
7. Master Probst.
8. Hodie Mecum Eris In Paradiso..... Dubois
9. Mr. Egan or Mr. Hart.
10. (a) Legend..... Tchaikovsky
11. (b) Cherubic Hymn..... Greshamoff
12. (c) Praise the Lord From Heaven..... Greshamoff
13. The Day of Judgment..... Archangelus
14. All Brethren Lift..... Father Finn
15. Intermission.
16. Tenor Aria..... Selected
17. Mr. Egan or Mr. Hart.
18. Lullaby..... Brahms
19. Arranged by Father Finn
20. Master Hallisey.
21. Bass Aria..... Selected
22. Mr. Egan or Mr. Hart.
23. The De'il's Awa!..... DeLarmarter
24. Kolyada..... Rimsky-Korsakoff
25. National Anthems of the Allied Nations will be interspersed in the programme.

## WAR-TIME MUSIC NOTES

In England, the Music in War-time Committee, of which Sir Hubert Parry is chairman, has given 3,000 concerts, many of them in the hospitals. They have also entertained weekly 4,000 men at the luncheon hour, programmes for munition workers.

Who would not like to have heard the 250 members of the Grenadier, Coldstream, Scots, Welsh and Irish Guards bands playing in Italy when they were there? British bands in Italy playing the Garibaldi Hymn so dear to the Italian heart, surely no one will ever underestimate the value of music internationally as well as nationally!

"When I was in France," said Dr. Walford Davies, "the soldiers used to ask me to play the same tunes over and over again. I asked one typical Tommy why he liked one tune so well. 'Because of the pretty chords' was his reply. A wounded boy who had been a prisoner of war said to me, 'the Israelites couldn't sing the Lord's song in a strange land, but we sang our hymns in Germany and felt that we were at home.'"

An English gentleman had a visit from a young officer who was returning to France. As the officer was leaving he spied on a shelf a mouth organ. "Oh, please give me that for my men," he said, "they simply love anything to play on."

The British Y. M. C. A. is appealing for violins for the men in the Western front lines. Few people realize how many fiddlers there are in the army—men to whom the chance to take up their music again during their rest periods is like a breath of the old home.

Figures given out in the Old Country show the losses among the British bandmen and also the many honors gained by them: Killed in action or died from wounds, 1,882; wounded, 4,435; V.C.'s, 4; D.C.M.'s, 45; M.C.'s, 5; M.M.'s, 54; and granted commissions, 54.

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## GIUSEPPE VERDI; A CRITICAL BIOGRAPHY

Composed Thirty Operas Including La Trovatore; of Plebeian Parentage

An interesting sketch of the life of the great composer Verdi given in a recent issue of the Edison musical magazine. Along Broadway, will doubtless be of interest to local music lovers.

"Giuseppe Verdi, the grand old man of music, the idol of the boot of land called Italy, was born of plebeian parents in the little village of Le Roncole on October 9, 1813. It is told of Verdi that when he was ten years old he had made such progress with his music that he was able to succeed his teacher and was organist in the local church. And he was refused admission to the Milan Conservatory because the directors were unable to discover any talent in the boy."

The biographers divide Verdi's life, like Beethoven's, into three productive periods—the first covering his early years to about 1836—the second extending to about 1870, and the third and greatest period terminating with his death at Milan on January 27, 1901. Verdi confined himself almost exclusively to operatic compositions, with the exception of the Manzoni Requiem, a few church works and an important string quartette.

Of his thirty operas "Oberto," "Nabucco," "I Lombardi," "Ernani," "Macbeth" and "Louisa Miller" belong to the first period. Had Verdi died in 1859 his fame would certainly have been obscured by the works of later composers, although many of his early works, notably "Ernani" and "Louisa Miller," are filled with beautiful and effective passages. In 1851 he produced "Rigoletto," which proved an immediate success. Then followed "Il Trovatore," "La Traviata," "Les Vespres Siciliennes," "Simon Boccanegra," "Un ballo in Maschera," "La Forza del destino," "Don Carlos" and others. This second period was one of great melodic invention, and it is not to be wondered that "Il Trovatore" is to-day, nearly seventy years after it was written, the most popular of all grand operas.

The third period commenced with the production of "Aida" in 1871 at Cairo, Egypt, and includes "Otello" (1887) and "Falstaff" (1893).

In this final stage of development the master reaches the heights of his art, unquestionably influenced by Wagner, he equals his great contemporary without imitating him. Verdi's marvelous ability to recreate himself and attain new levels even in advanced age is one of the remarkable phenomena in musical history. A comparison of the earliest works of Verdi with "Falstaff" is as startling as a comparison of a folk-song with a Beethoven symphony.

An account of Verdi's life is incomplete without some mention of his great generosity. After a lifetime of giving he endowed an institution called the "House of Rest for Musicians" in Milan, giving a fine building and a fund of \$500,000 for its support. In 1893 Verdi was given the title of Marquis of Busseto by the King of Italy.

While Verdi has been accused of thinness in his orchestrations and in his harmonies his later works display a mastery that all musicians of all countries are glad to admit. Coupled with this is an amazing fund of melodic invention probably equaled by no other composer. With his advancing years Verdi produced his works with less frequency, but their musical character improved surprisingly. "Falstaff" has few melodies in the "Trovatore" sense, but the work is distinguished by a musical finish and distinction that makes it worthy of the wonderful text.

## MUSIC AT THE MOVIES

Good Selections Appreciated by Audiences; Objection to Crescendo Pedal.

The frequency with which organists and orchestra conductors at the motion picture theatres are requested to play certain numbers shows how closely and intelligently the patrons are following the music. A short time ago one of the movie organists was shown by the theatre manager a letter from a prominent physician, which read as follows: "I am wondering if your organist who played on Tuesday afternoon of this week would send me the name of the air with variations he played. If so I would be very thankful. And I desire to express my appreciation of and gratitude for the entertainment you provided, especially for the music your orchestra and organist render. I invariably go away very much the better for it."

One who is in close touch with the work of organists and who knows of the high character of their programmes, has only one criticism to offer—and that regarding the playing of an occasional young ambitious musician. Hearing one of these caused him to say rather caustically: "A friend of mine once said that the best thing to do in certain instances with the crescendo pedal of an organ was to take it off. It is a fact that this innocent pedal is often abused. This is particularly true where the organ is particularly true where the organ is divided, part in one place and part in another, usually high over the stage and held a quill. It is a great temptation to the organist to hurry the film along by suddenly switching on these different sections of the organ; it is much easier to do this by opening the crescendo pedal. Then unheard-of pipes fall into the middle phrases, the violin is landed in jail and the sound of the top organ knocks the hair off the heads of the spectators in the gallery."

"I hope somebody some day will build a fool-proof organ with a sort of governor attachment, so that when the pressure gets above the safety point a pipe will lead the overplus of sound out into the alley."



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 Officers Attached.—The following officers of the Canadian Army Dental Corps are attached to the 1st Depot Battalion, B. C. Regiment, C. E. F., for rotations and quarters, with effect from the 1st June, 1918: Captain R. L. Davidson, Lieutenant W. K. Sproule.

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**EDITOR APOLOGIZES TO DR. J. D. HUNTER**  
 W. E. Pierce, of "The Week," Withdraws So Far as Medical Man is Concerned  
 There appeared in the issue of The Week of May 4, an article under the heading, "What Some Men Are Up Against at the Willows," which dealt with certain alleged conditions there, and in such article certain references were made to Dr. J. D. Hunter, whereupon Dr. Hunter on May 7 brought an action against W. E. Pierce, the publisher of The Week, for damages for libel. This action has now been disposed of by Mr. Pierce publishing a letter in the issue of The Week to-day, signed by himself, to Dr. Hunter, in which Mr. Pierce states that after investigation into the matter he finds that the references made to Dr. Hunter in the said article are unwarranted and untrue, and that he is sorry under the circumstances that an injustice and injury has been done to Dr. Hunter, and apologizes. The letter is as follows: "Victoria, B.C., Canada, May 24, 1918. "Dr. J. D. Hunter, Victoria, B. C.: "Dear Sir,—In reference to the issue of The Week of May 4th, 1918, and the article contained therein headed, "What Some Men Are Up Against at the Willows," I beg to say that my object in publishing the said article was to draw attention to alleged unfortunate conditions which have existed at the Willows camp. The association of your name with the matter referred to was only an incident, and not considered by me vital. "So far as you are personally concerned I am pleased to say, because it is right I should say so, that after investigation into the matter I find that the references made to you in the said article are unwarranted and untrue, and I am sorry under the circumstances that an injustice and injury has been done to you, and certainly apologize. "I beg to remain, "Yours faithfully, "W. E. PIERCE."

**LABOR EDITOR RESIGNS**—After nearly nine years as managing editor of The Federationist, R. P. Pettipiece has resigned and A. S. Wells, of Victoria, secretary-treasurer of the B. C. Federation of Labor, will succeed him. Both are well-known in provincial labor circles.  
**WILL WELCOME CHOR.**—Mayor Todd will say a few words of welcome to the famous Fugate chorists before the commencement of the concert in The Arena on Thursday evening. The visit being a notable one, it was felt that something in the form of a civic welcome should be given.  
**A WINDY MONTH.**—There was almost twice as much wind in Victoria during the month of May this year as is usual in any other year, according to F. Napier Denison, of the Victoria Observatory, Gonzales Heights. There was plenty of sunshine, however, to offset the wind and the rainfall during the month was only .70 of an inch.

**SHOT A COUGAR.**—Miss Eva Hand, a young woman of Stillwater, B. C., has reported finding the body of a full-grown cougar which she shot on May 13. The animal, which measures eight feet long, was shot through the head and had run 150 yards into a meadow before falling. Miss Hand says that the animal had previously come sniffing round the door and had looked in at the window of their home when her mother and sister had been alone in the house. She says that there is still another cougar in the district.

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**WHO TRAINED MISS AUDREY GRIFFIN?**  
 Varying Opinions on Star's Aquatic Education; the Confusion of Names  
 In connection with an article on the activities of the Victoria Ladies' Swimming Club which appeared in these columns yesterday the following letter has been received from William J. Lynn, of 1538 Beach Drive, Oak Bay: "I was very much surprised in reading your columns of yesterday's date to see the Victoria Ladies' Swimming Club laying claim to having trained a lady who has won the Canadian Championship. While I have no desire to belittle the good work done by the V. L. S. C. I would like to see the honor given where it is due, especially when those entitled to it are not here to claim for themselves. I have followed the doings of Audrey Griffin as a swimmer for the past six years, and would point out that she showed championship form in 1914, her training previous to that time being in the hands of such swimmers as Mr. Frampton, Mr. Lee and Mr. Godfrey, all of them having since left Victoria, and as Godfrey left for France shortly after the outbreak of the war, I do not like to see him deprived of any honor which is well earned by himself or Victoria as a swimmer. Hoping you will give this publicity as many of the old-timers still admire the has-beens. Honor where honor is due."  
 The Club Replies.  
 Mrs. Marshall, captain of the Ladies' Swimming Club, when interviewed on the subject this morning expressed the utmost surprise at Mr. Lynn's statements. She suggested that there must have been some mistake, and in her opinion Mr. Lynn is confusing Audrey Griffin with Madge Griffin, both of whom have held the championship. Miss Audrey Griffin was not swimming, according to Mrs. Marshall, at the time mentioned in the letter, but at that period Miss Madge Griffin was in tip-top form. It was later than this that Audrey began to attract notice, and indeed, she is just sixteen this summer.  
 Mrs. Marshall says emphatically that to the Ladies' Swimming Club belongs the credit of having produced Audrey Griffin, who knocked ten seconds off Madge's Canadian record. She was trained, says Mrs. Marshall, under the auspices of the club by Ernie Crompton, of the Y. M. C. A., and she really belongs to a considerably later period than Madge. Audrey has been swimming in Victoria not over four years, while Madge has been one of the local aquatic stars for nearly twice that time.  
 Mrs. Marshall says further that the Ladies' Swimming Club also afforded Madge the means in the art, and it was under the club's auspices that she won her championships and took all her records. But the club does not claim to have had so much to do in the training of Audrey as it has in the aquatic education of Miss Audrey Griffin.

**ASKS OPINION OF COUNCIL ON SUBJECT**  
 Department of Labor Will View With Regard to Board of Conciliation  
 The Federal Department of Labor, having received the request of the Civic Employees' Protective Association for the appointment of a Board of Conciliation under the Industrial Disputes Investigation Act, has wired to the City Hall to-day for the Council's opinion on the matter. An indication is given that the Department hopes the Council will agree to a Board and appoint an arbitrator, in order to avoid a repetition of the situation which recently caused so much trouble in Winnipeg.  
 The subject will be brought before the Council for attention at Tuesday evening's meeting.  
 No action will be taken by the Protective Association officially until a general meeting, which is set for next Saturday evening.

**SETTLING UP NORTH**  
 Iowa Farmers Examining Rattenbury Holdings in North; Active Propaganda  
 According to The Interior News, of Smithers, a number of Iowa farmers have arrived in the district to look over the holdings of the company interested in the settlement of the lands held by F. M. Rattenbury and associates. They have been met by J. A. Hodgins, the district representative, and shown over the properties.  
 This company has offices in Omaha, Spokane and Victoria, and proposes to open up in Minneapolis. From the Omaha office a particularly energetic traffic campaign has been in hand for some time, educating farmers to the advantages of settlement in that district.

**LIBRARY WILL BE OPEN**  
 Institution Will Not Close on King's Birthday Contrary to Rule Recently Established.  
 On Monday next, the King's birthday, the reading and reference rooms of the Victoria Public Library will be open as on Sundays, though books will not be available for circulation. This arrangement is contrary to a rule established recently to the effect that the library would be closed on public holidays during the summer. The officials, however, have decided that on this occasion only the order of things will be broken.

**MILITARY EXAMS**  
 Aspirants to Royal Military College Will Write June 4.  
 Examinations for admission to the Royal Military College of Canada at Kingston, Ont., will commence at Work Point Barracks on Tuesday morning, June 4.  
 The Examining Boards have been appointed as follows: Conducting Board—President, Lieut.-Col. L. W. S. Cockburn, R.C.A.; members, Major L. Bullock-Webster, 2nd Depot, has in B.C.R., C.E.F., Capt. W. Winsby, 6th Regiment, C.G.A. Medical Board—President, Major W. Barty, Victoria Squadron, B.C. Horse (E.), member, Major J. S. Macpherson, C.M.G., A.M.C. Training Depot No. 11.  
 Lieut.-Col. Henniker Suffers From Mild Attack of Gas.  
 During one of the heavy gas attacks made by the Germans on one of the towns back of the Allied lines recently, Lieut.-Col. Henniker was among many others who were caught unprepared and suffered slightly from the fumes. He is now in a hospital in England, and as he is reported to have only a mild attack of gas poisoning it is understood he will be about again shortly.  
 Lieut.-Col. Henniker left Victoria in command of the 103rd Battalion, B. C. Timber Wolves.  
 Public Dance every Saturday evening at Alexandra Ballroom. Ozard's (Opposite Mrs. Boyd, manager).

**COUNTY COURT WILL HAVE BUSY SESSION**  
 Exemption Appeals, Setting Down Dates and Judgment Summonses on Tuesday  
 Tuesday, June 4 is County Court Day for setting down dates for trials, in addition to which a number of judgment summonses will be heard. The biggest part of the work ahead of His Honor, Judge Lampman, however, on Tuesday, is the long list of exemption appeals under the Military Service Act, at least twenty-four appeals having been set down for hearing.  
 The action brought by Mr. and Mrs. Pugin against the Genoa Bay Lumber Company to recover \$500 damages for alleged illegal seizure of property was commenced yesterday afternoon in the County Court before Judge Lampman, and Mr. Pugin was put through a lengthy cross-examination by P. C. Elliott, for the defendants, Alexis Martin is appearing for the plaintiffs.  
 It came out in the trial that Pugin was indebted to the Lumber Company for material used in the construction of a house on Salt Spring Island, which indebtedness he avowed a willingness to pay when able, though in the meantime he felt compelled to seek protection under the War Relief Act. He joined the Island Water Transport unit of the Royal Engineers, and during his absence he alleges that his place was broken into, the doors left open and goods and chattels left to the mercy of the weather, snow being on the ground at the time. The further hearing of the case will be resumed on Friday, June 14.

**DEFY WEATHER**  
 V. I. A. Picnic Will Take Place Tomorrow at the Gorge; Attractive Arrangements.  
 Scrubbing brushes, and brooms are the chief instruments being used by the energetic V. I. A. members who are accustomed these fine summery evenings to assemble at the club house at the Gorge and beautify the premises by a liberal application of paint and the articles mentioned. The establishment presents a scene of great activity when some two or three dozen persons of both sexes and all ages live things up by skilful wielding mops and other things.  
 All this bustle is in preparation for the formal opening of the summer season to-morrow, when all the members will assemble for a big picnic to be held on the Association's premises. Those who are aquatically inclined will take a dip in the sea in order to wet their appetites, and everybody is determined to absolutely defy the weather gods.  
 From now on the regular swimming nights will be Monday, Wednesday and Friday, the greatest activity taking place on Wednesday. It is the intention of the club to cultivate polo and to establish a tea pavilion on the roof of the club house.

**WELL SATISFIED WITH BABY'S OWN TABLETS**  
 Mrs. Edmond Gagne, Tikoupe, Que., writes: "I am well satisfied with Baby's Own Tablets. They are absolutely necessary in homes where there are little children. They cured my wife of constipation and I would not be without them. Thousands of mothers always keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in hand as a safeguard against constipation, colic, colds, simple fevers, and any other minor ills of little ones. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

**WOMEN'S LIBERAL ASSOCIATION**  
 Meeting of the Victoria Women's Liberal Association will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, at the rooms in the Arcade Building. The Hon. Dr. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Education, will address the meeting on the subject of "Education."  
 Building Permits.—Building permits have been issued to fifteen persons in the month of May, for a value of \$21,050, the total value of the buildings for which permits have been issued in the first five months of the year was \$158,090.  
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 2526—Lafayette (We Hear You Calling) . . . . . Reed Miller  
 6033—Gunga Din . . . . . Recitation  
 2522—The Makin' of the U. S. A. . . . . Peerless Quartette  
 6037—Au Revoir But Not Good-Bye . . . . . One Step, Prince's Band  
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 First Local Strawberries.—The first strawberries raised locally to reach the city market were on sale to-day. Four vendors had them for sale on their stalls.

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FAMILY SKELETON OF A. A. U. IS RATTLED BY AMERICAN SCRIBES

Sport Writers Have Numerous Remarks to Make With Regard to Durack's Tour

The American amateur authorities' action with regard to the tour of Fanny Durack, lady champion of the world, is causing a storm of criticism in the country to the south.

The following article explains itself. The sarcasm contained herein is worthy of somebody like Pope.

The action of the A. A. U. in the case of Fanny Durack, world's champion swimmer, as set forth in recent telegraphic advices, is worthy of the scribe of the Golden Gate.

"At a time when woman is being accepted everywhere, including Turkey, as a vital factor in economic affairs, when she is in fact, on a par with man's ability and efficiency in private lines of work, you wouldn't imagine anyone would dare mention woman and the word 'chaperon' in the same breath.

"Nobility would—but the A. A. U.!" "It seems that the national amateur athletic union, which is supposed to be until four months after the army had been in the full swing of a gigantic athletic programme, has only just now discovered that Fanny Durack is on her way to the United States.

"Wouldn't be anything new if the A. A. U. was just finding Australia on the map.

"Because Mrs. Hugh McIntosh, who represents one wing of the swimmers' association in Australia, wife of Hugh McIntosh, president of the association, manager and more recently professional theatrical manager, objected to Miss Durack making the tour to America without a chaperon, the A. A. U. performance cancelled Miss Durack's itinerary. It did it after time had elapsed for registering a legitimate protest against swimming.

"It is a fact that the American A. A. U. has let precocious youths, amateur boxing champions, women pugilists, and more recently professional theatrical manager, objected to Miss Durack making the tour to America without a chaperon, the A. A. U. performance cancelled Miss Durack's itinerary.

"Just as long as Fanny Durack, Kathleen Durack and Wynne, here—that's the important thing. Having permitted arrangements to proceed up to a point where it is impossible to call them off without financial losses, the A. A. U. can't persist in its present attitude. The time for protesting the Durack tour was before the girls sailed. If they have their proper credentials the A. A. U. will have to let them swim or get out. This would be too much to expect.

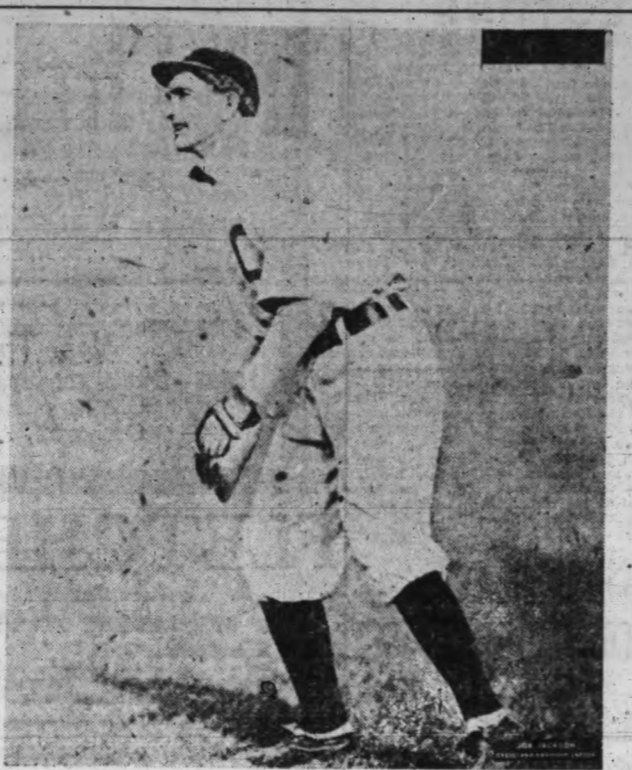
THE OLD PILL FINDS WAY TO SUNNY ITALY

Rome, May 31.—Baseball made its initial appearance in Italy recently, when a game was played between teams made up of American and Canadian aviators and American naval officers was witnessed by an immense crowd of Italians and the entire American colony in Rome.

Ambassador Page, members of the American Red Cross and Italian military and naval staffs were present. Military bands played the American and Italian national airs.

The game was featured by the distribution of a special American edition of the newspaper Epoca, describing the points of the game. There also was a parade led by the Army goat and the Navy mule. The army aviation won by a score of eleven to three.

Was One of Most Interesting of Diamond Characters; Cobb's Rival



JOE JACKSON.

No matter why Joe Jackson has left baseball—the fact remains that he has gone, and his passing robs the Chicago team of one of the biggest factors in its winning of the world's title last fall.

Joe, or "Shoeless" Joe, as he is sometimes called, is one of the most interesting characters that ever donned a uniform.

Although he had a bad year last year—probably due to worrying because of his being in the draft—Jackson has since he entered big league company back in 1916. It is funny, but no matter how hard Jackson hit, the Georgia Peach has always come home one better.

Jackson has been the thorn in Ty's side that has made him extend himself. In the world series last fall Jackson did fair work. There was nothing sensational about his playing, but he managed to swat his way into the select batting class with a mark of .304, while his fielding was perfect. He had nine putouts and an assist, but not an error. Jackson is one of the few natural hitters. He has never dropped below

BATTING AVERAGES IN BIG LEAGUES

Burns Leads in Drive for Second Place; Sisler Still at Top

Chicago, June 1.—A drive for second place batting honors in the American League is under way with Burns, the Philadelphia first baseman, leading the attack. Burns, according to averages released to-day, passed George Sisler during the week ending last Wednesday, and has an average of .352. Sisler is five points behind him. "Babe" Ruth continues at the top of the list with a mark of .407, but he has been out of the game because of illness.

In his last six games Burns piled up eight hits, one of them a homer. He leads the league in total base-hitting, with a record of forty-eight hits in thirty-four games, including five home runs, five doubles and three triples.

Sisler continues to show the way to the base-stealers with sixteen. McKinley, of Boston, tied his teammate, Shean, for honors in sacrifice hitting with thirteen. Pipp and Gilhooly, of New York, and Chapman, of Cleveland, are even terms in scoring, each having registered twenty-six. Walker, of Philadelphia, still holds the lead in home run hitting with six. The averages include games of Wednesday.

The leading batters: Ruth, Boston, .407; Burns, Philadelphia, .352; Sisler, St. Louis, .354; Baker, New York, .352; Walker, Philadelphia, .349; Hooper, Boston, .343; Strunk, Boston, .333; Schulte, Washington, .323; Speaker, Cleveland, .319.

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FATHERS VICTIMS TO ATHLETIC PROWESS OF FAIR WILLOW-WIELDERS

The "Fathers" who played cricket against the first eleven of the St. George's School last night while garbed in skirts and feminine hats which added much to their natural beauty, went down to defeat at the hands of their fair opponents by a score of sixty-one to seventy-one. The fathers, it is to be feared, were far from maintaining their parental dignity and they afforded a very poor example to the younger generation. The later, on the other hand, were models of propriety, and by taking things rather more seriously than their opponents they managed to secure the victory.

Mona Miller, though her name would seem to preclude her from this honorable position, was nevertheless high man with nineteen runs to her credit. Middleton was powerful with the willow for the fathers, scoring twenty-six. The only other males to get into double figures were Harrigan and Norris.

Table with columns for player names and scores. Total score: 71.

It was while the Clevelanders were playing at the Polo grounds that Jackson sent the ball on the longest flight that it has ever taken there. The leather went over the top of the upper tier of the right field stands.

One of the biggest things that Jackson ever did in his baseball career was to clinch the pennant for New Orleans in 1916. In the first game of the double-header with Memphis he made four hits in four times up, and in the second game three hits in three times up.

Jackson stands five feet ten inches and weighs about 180 pounds. He looks every inch the part of a ball player. He hits left-handed and fields right-handed. He has five brothers and two sisters. His father conducts a butcher shop at Greenville, and Joe has a lot of fun each winter when he returns there and helps the old man to cut steaks and talk baseball, which helps business.

GOLFERS BAR TITLE CONTESTS THIS YEAR

Chicago, June 1.—Directors of the Western Golf Association have decided to hold no championship events this season. It was announced to-day. The directors last night adopted a resolution setting forth that the Red Cross exhibition matches now being held under the auspices of the association are sufficient to stimulate and maintain interest in the game.

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TROPHIES PRESENTED TO CHURCH ATHLETES

Five Shields and Thirty Medals Won by Presbyterian Church This Season

The accomplishment of the First Presbyterian Church athletes in winning five shields in one season is probably unique in the sporting annals of the city. The presentation of these various prizes was made at the Sunday School last night. A large number of representatives of the other teams being present. After the presentation of the trophies a social assembly was held and refreshments served.

Winning Teams. Shields were presented to the following: Cross country relay team, which captured the championship of the city, the girls' senior basketball team, also champions of the city; the boys' senior basketball team which was victorious in the city competition; the boys' junior basketball quintette, which was successful in a like contest and to the hundred and ten pounds provincial basketball champions. The members of these teams were as follows:

Table with columns for team names and members. Includes Junior boys' basketball and Boys' service basketball.

At the presentation the chair was taken by A. E. Forman and the shields and some thirty medals were presented by J. G. Brown, Mr. Davis, Sgt. Telfer, Mr. Morgan and Mr. Morris. Addresses were delivered by Rev. J. G. Inkster and E. P. Miller. Vocal solos were contributed by the Misses McKinnon and Christie and a recitation was delivered by Miss Paisley.

GEORGE INGLE STILL REMAINS CHAMPION OF PACIFIC COAST

Seattle, June 1.—Smiling George Ingle is still hanging to his coast championship this morning in spite of the efforts of Willie Robinson, of California, to drag the ironworker from his pedestal. However, the southerner gave Ingle the toughest battle he has encountered in many a day, and it must be said that Smiling George had none the best of the going. Robinson proved himself to be a skilled campaigner and he had the champion backing up in the final rounds. Ingle opened up in his old-time style, winning the first, but Robinson stepped in with a few body crushers in the second frame which slowed George up, and from then on the Californian was on the aggressive all the way.

Ingle rallied on several occasions with stinging rights or lefts, but Robinson was up and coming all the time. Ted Whitman and Billy Wright officiated.

Chicago, June 1.—Directors of the Western Golf Association have decided to hold no championship events this season. It was announced to-day. The directors last night adopted a resolution setting forth that the Red Cross exhibition matches now being held under the auspices of the association are sufficient to stimulate and maintain interest in the game.

Chicago, June 1.—A drive for second place batting honors in the American League is under way with Burns, the Philadelphia first baseman, leading the attack. Burns, according to averages released to-day, passed George Sisler during the week ending last Wednesday, and has an average of .352. Sisler is five points behind him. "Babe" Ruth continues at the top of the list with a mark of .407, but he has been out of the game because of illness.

In his last six games Burns piled up eight hits, one of them a homer. He leads the league in total base-hitting, with a record of forty-eight hits in thirty-four games, including five home runs, five doubles and three triples.

Sisler continues to show the way to the base-stealers with sixteen. McKinley, of Boston, tied his teammate, Shean, for honors in sacrifice hitting with thirteen. Pipp and Gilhooly, of New York, and Chapman, of Cleveland, are even terms in scoring, each having registered twenty-six. Walker, of Philadelphia, still holds the lead in home run hitting with six. The averages include games of Wednesday.

The leading batters: Ruth, Boston, .407; Burns, Philadelphia, .352; Sisler, St. Louis, .354; Baker, New York, .352; Walker, Philadelphia, .349; Hooper, Boston, .343; Strunk, Boston, .333; Schulte, Washington, .323; Speaker, Cleveland, .319.

Jake Daubert, Brooklyn veteran, is praising James Smith, of Boston, for second place in the National League, having jumped from ninth to third place within a week. His average now is .353. Smith is batting .388. Larry Doyle, the New York second baseman, continues at the top with .425, but he has only played in fifteen games, because of an operation.

Burns, of New York, continues to top the base-stealers with seventeen. Lee Magee and Rouch, Cincinnati, are tied for the lead in sacrifice hitting with nine. Benny Kauff and Young, of New York, are fighting for honors in scoring, with twenty-eight each. Doyle, of New York; Wyckland, Boston, and Luderus, of Philadelphia, are in a triple tie for home runs with two each. The averages include games of Wednesday.

FAIR SEX BOOSTING HUGE GOLF TOURNEY

Further Preparations for Gigantic Meet for Red Cross to Be Held in Seattle

The Pacific Northwest Golf Association's War Relief Tournament, week of June 17-22, at the links of the Seattle Golf Club, is going to be a success; is going to go big, to borrow a vaudeville expression. The women have said so!

The magic words "War Relief" caught 'em—caught 'em as it has been catching them ever since the war clouds broke—and before. Show us anything in Red Cross work or other forms of war relief that they haven't got behind, and we'll show you something that hasn't gone very far—hasn't been any more than a so-so success.

The women saw the Red Cross and other war relief demands long before the men folks; saw it, and went to it. Here, in Seattle, it was significant that the women who first became identified with this great relief work, gave it a sound foundation and drove it forward; were women who have been closely identified with the game of golf.

Early in the organization the tournament committee saw the wisdom of enlisting the sympathy of the women golfers in the tournament. To get the one woman who would put the pep into a committee that was designed to handle all the women's events and to devise ways and means for raising money on the spot—that's what the tournament committee first set after.

ROYAL CITY GUNMEN OFF TO FINE START

Vancouver, June 1.—Despite a high wind which made accurate shooting exceedingly difficult, New Westminster trapshooters returned some creditable scores at the opening of the season in the Royal City. Ten members lined up for the various competitions. All told three events were staged, the Dupont Hercules and Welch tournaments. Honors were carried off by Joe Boothroyd and Clarence McLean. Boothroyd was successful in the Hercules and Welch, while McLean won the Dupont with ten straight.

FISHING TACKLE advertisement listing various fishing equipment and prices, including Greenhart Bait and Fly Rods, Bamboo Casting Rods, and Rice Spoons.

LEAGUE BASEBALL advertisement listing scores for National League and American League games, including teams like Pittsburgh, St. Louis, Philadelphia, and Cleveland.

THE WEATHER advertisement providing daily weather forecasts for Victoria and other regions, including temperature, wind, and precipitation.

ROYAL CITY GUNMEN advertisement reporting on the start of the shooting season in Vancouver, mentioning participants and winners.

ROYAL CITY GUNMEN advertisement (continued) providing more details about the shooting events and the performance of the participants.

ROYAL CITY GUNMEN advertisement (continued) listing the names of the participants and their scores in various shooting competitions.

PRAYER'S NAVY CUT CIGARETTES advertisement featuring a large illustration of a man's face and the text '15¢ PER PACKAGE' and 'BEAUTIFULLY COOL AND SWEET SMOKING'.



# LILLIAN DILLINGHAM

will tell in  
**SONG AND STORY**  
how she cheered the hut and camp life of the  
**SOLDIERS IN FRANCE**

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,  
Monday, 8 p. m., June 3. Tuesday, 8 p. m., June 4.  
As a Reconteur she is equal to ADA WARD.

This brilliant Yorkshire Soprano will sing the 23rd Psalm in First Church Sunday morning and St. Andrew's Church Sunday evening.

## TOURS CANADA IN AID OF RED CROSS

Miss Lillian Dillingham Sings to Soldiers and for Them

Miss Lillian Dillingham, who has been touring Canada in the interests of the Red Cross Society, is to make her first appearance in Victoria to-morrow evening at the First Presbyterian Church.

Miss Dillingham has met with an exceedingly warm reception in all the eastern centres and in Vancouver her work was much appreciated. She combines in a most capable manner the traits of an able speaker, a humorous story teller and a singer of high merit.

The entertainments given by Miss Dillingham in Canada are a sample of the work she has been doing among the soldiers in England and France and as she gives them she tells of the boys over there. She has sung at more than 300 concerts in England, and at many hundreds in Canada, and this included many Canadian camps.

**Power of Music.**  
The wonderful power of music over the soldier at the front is something that Miss Dillingham fully appreciates and in this respect she has noticed a change in them since the beginning of the war. The first time she went over to France the men looked upon the war as a sort of adventure and they showed a preference for catchy choruses. On each subsequent visit to France, however, a greater desire was shown for the old time favorites, and "Annie Laurie" was the song she was asked to sing most by the boys in the sick wards.

Miss Dillingham has seen many instances when music touched where medical aid had proved helpless and often the dying soldier had been sung back to life. In telling about one Canadian camp she says an entertainment was given for 8,000 men. Below in the valley were 2,000 more waiting to be taken to the front line trenches, and here and there officers issuing orders. A padre came up and asked her to go down to a little chapel near by and sing to the men who were on the eve of departure.

**When 10,000 Sang.**  
Going down to the chapel, Miss Dillingham found there some twenty men kneeling with their kit bags strapped on ready for the march. She began to sing "Jesus, lover of my soul," and soon the men in the chapel took up the strain and then the 2,000 men outside began to sing also. The officers stopped their horses and the music passed on up to the 8,000 men at the entertainment above and soon there were over 10,000 men singing that beautiful old hymn.

When the hymn was finished there was intense silence. Then the officers began to gallop their horses again. The entertainment went on above and business was as usual. One soldier asked Miss Dillingham to tell the people at home this incident and to ask them to remember it when they heard of bad reports about them overseas, for such stories were not true. Miss Dillingham will give several entertainments during her visit in Victoria, particulars of which have already been announced.

"Pa," said Johnny, who is a persistent knowledge seeker, "what is a lawyer?"  
"There ain't any such thing, Johnny," replied the old gentleman, who had been involved in considerable litigation in his time.  
"But this book says that somebody was a great lawyer," persisted the youngster.  
"Then it's a mistake," rejoined the father. "Law is never given. It's retained in mighty small quantities at mighty high figures."

## MAKING YOURSELF WELL AND STRONG

You Can Improve Your Physical Condition by Keeping the Blood Pure

People with strong constitutions escape most of the minor ills that make life miserable for others. Don't you envy the friend who does not know what a headache is, whose digestion is perfect, and who sleeps soundly at night? How far do you come from this description? Have you ever made an earnest effort to strengthen your constitution, to build up your system, to ward off discomfort and disease? Unless you have an organic disease it is generally possible to so improve your physical condition that perfect health will be yours. The first thing to be done is to build up your blood as poor blood is the source of physical weakness. To build up the blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is just the medicine you need. Every dose helps to make new blood which reaches every nerve and every part of the body, bringing color to the cheeks, brightness to the eyes, a steadiness to the hands, a

## MEDALS PRESENTED TO DUNCAN GIRLS

Mrs. Ralph Smith Gives Address to Guides at Annual Presentation

A very good audience with over fifty guides in charge of Acting-Captain Dorothy Goehagan was in attendance at the annual presentation of proficiency badges held by the Cowichan Girl Guides Committee in the Duncun Opera House.

In her interesting and inspiring address, Mrs. Ralph Smith, M. P., dealt with the work that girls may do and are doing for the Empire during the war-time and spoke feelingly of the value of the Guide movement in training for citizenship.  
The Rev. A. F. Munro in moving the vote of thanks to Mrs. Smith spoke of the training of the Guides in physical as well as in moral courage. B. Thorpe, M. A., in seconding the vote of thanks, dwelt on the value of the Guide movement in character building, broadening the girls' outlook and thought and this training tended to make the girls think imperially. Mr. Thorpe would wish all girls of his school to become Girl Guides, as they would make more efficient students.

The Rev. G. A. Christmas presented the Royal Canadian Humane Society's medals to Patrol Leader, Nora, and Patrol Leader Eileen Dwyer speaking of the high standard set up by these girls and the pride that the corps would feel in honors bestowed upon the members. A very graceful gift from Mrs. Ash, two very fine photographs of her little daughter, whose life these two girls tried to save in September last, were presented to the members. Mr. Christmas spoke touchingly of this little girl who had lost her life in the Cowichan River.

On the platform besides the speakers were members of the Girl Guide Committee, Mrs. Macdonald, chairman of the members, the Rev. G. A. Christmas, and Sgt. Ryall, who had kindly helped with the ambulance tests. A visiting guide in her English uniform was Miss May Fischer, who has been in the district for the past three months. There is every prospect that three or four more patrols will be formed in the district, and that the Cowichan Company will go under canvas this year as during their annual camping the girls get a more thorough training in the out-of-door features of their work than is possible otherwise. Also the health and happiness of the camp is a matter worth consideration.

The following are the winners of badges presented yesterday:

Interpreter—Lieut. Dorothy Goehagan and Patrol Leader Joyce Henslowe.

Housewifery—Lieutenant, Percy Goehagan and Guide, Lorna Smith.

Musician—Lieut. Dorothy Goehagan, Corp. Nell Blythe, Guides Florence Dwyer, Enid Garrard, Sylvia Fletcher.

Landress—Lieut. Dorothy Goehagan, Patrol Leaders Jean Puterson, Kate Lamont, Nora Dwyer, Eileen Dwyer, and Guides Lorna Smith and Ruth Archer.

Ambulance—Lieut. Dorothy Goehagan, Lieut. Rachel Wilson and Patrol Leaders Joyce Henslowe, Kate Lamont, Nora Dwyer, Eileen Dwyer, Corp. Josephine Hopkins, Barbara Chappin, and Guides Mollie Greaves, Florence Davis, Lorna Smith, Kathleen Dwyer.

War Service—Earned by cutting and making a suit of pyjamas, a shirt, a knitted pair of socks, passing first aid exam, and writing an essay on "A Girl's Duty to Her Country in War Time"; Lieut. Dorothy Goehagan, Corp. Josephine Hopkins, Guides Florence Davis and Lorna Smith.

The Girl Guide medal, for life-saving were awarded to Nora and Eileen Dwyer, but these come from England and have been delayed in arriving.

good appetite and splendid energy. Thousands throughout the country whose condition once made them despair, owe their present good health to this medicine. If you are one of the weak and ailing give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial and note the daily gain in new health and abounding vitality. Among those who have proved the truth of these statements is Mrs. Fred Goslin, R. R. No. 2, Ruthven, Ont., who says: "A few years ago I underwent an operation for a fibroid tumor. I had been ailing so long that I did not gain as the doctors said I should. I was in such a rundown condition that they said it would take me a very long time to recover. But instead of gaining, I was growing weaker, and the doctor said I must go back to the hospital. I did not want to do this, and having often heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as a strength builder, I decided to try them. I was greatly surprised at the help I received from them. In three months I was able to go about, and our home doctor expected me to recover, believing pernicious anaemia had set in. It took me about a year to recover my full strength, but ever since I have been doing my own housework, and have to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the praise for my present state of good health."

You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail post paid at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## LADIES' MUSICAL HAD PROGRESSIVE YEAR

Activities Reviewed and Officers Elected at Annual Meeting on Tuesday

The Victoria Ladies' Musical Club held its annual meeting on Tuesday afternoon, when the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Richard Nash; first vice-president, Mrs. Campbell; second, Mrs. R. W. Hannington; secretary, Mrs. A. R. Walsh; treasurer, Mrs. Duncan Ross. The directors for the ensuing year are:

Mrs. Nash, Mrs. Fahy, Mrs. D. Ross, Mrs. A. R. Walsh, Mrs. Hicks, Mrs. Campbell, Miss Harris, Mrs. Hannington, Mrs. Baird, Mrs. McCann, Mrs. Hamlet, Miss Russell, Mrs. R. B. Bennett and Miss Dennis Harris.

**Financial Statement.**  
The treasurer in her statement reported that the club had made donations during the year amounting to \$289, made up as follows:

War widows and orphans, \$243; Recreation School for the Blind, \$102; Red Cross Hospital, \$224; various other patriotic funds, \$50.

It was pointed out that no time had the price of admission been higher than one dollar and that the usual price had been thirty-five cents.

**Presidential Address.**  
Mrs. Nash, the president, reviewed the club's activities in the presidential address which follows:

"The pleasant duty once more devolves upon me to present to the ladies of this club the annual presidential report. It seems wonderful that in spite of this terrible war that has been raging with unabated force for nearly four years, that we are to-day in a stronger position than ever before. I do not refer to our financial condition when I make this statement, because in regard to money matters our interests are only those that tend to aid the cause of Liberty and civilization, but I refer directly to the good name of the club as reflected by our membership and the wide endorsement of the music-loving public, of which we have had so much proof during the past year. During this season we have given, in all, eight regular concerts, the first of which was presented on October 11 last. An usual feature of these concerts, early in the year, was the presentation of a student recital. All these concerts were of a high standard and the various conveners who were responsible for their production are to be congratulated on the high standard of their work. In October Mr. Cecil Fanning, the renowned American baritone, was an artistic success. Owing perhaps to the early date at which this concert was held, and as a consequence of the fact that the concert-goers of the city had not properly realized that we were to have something really good, we could only, after paying overhead expenses, hand over the sum of \$27 to the cause of the War Widows and Orphans—our second professional venture was the Skovgard concert. This was almost an exact reverse of our first effort. Financially it proved a success. I am sorry to say that, while it pleased many, it failed to reach the standard of excellence for which the club has been famous. In this way only can we hope to have the confidence of the public which I am happy to think we enjoy."

"On Sunday, November 18, we gave a concert at the Victoria theatre in aid of the Victory Loan Campaign. Speakers addressed the audience with the object of stimulating the sale of bonds, and on a collection being made by us for the benefit of the War Widows and Orphans we were enabled to hand over the sum of \$48.50 to that worthy cause."

"On April 29th and 30th we gave a musical revue, also in the Pantages, and succeeded in putting on an excellent concert. On this occasion our proceeds, which amounted to \$224, were donated to the amusement fund of the Esquimalt Convalescent Hospital. This effort was a distinct success, both musically and financially, and was very satisfying to us all. While on the subject of extra concerts I would like to mention the Christmas Carols given for the children of the War Widows and Orphans, and also the concert given at the Willow camp for the benefit of the soldiers in training."

"During the season an innovation was introduced in the form of Saturday afternoon entertainments for members only. This arrangement has proved quite a success. It was adopted with the idea of bringing the members together in order to promote friendly feeling, as it must be realized that the acquaintance resulting from such meetings helps in stimulating everyone to a uniform standard of efficiency."

"In conclusion, I would like to make special reference to the fact that during this season our membership has increased to nearly double that of last year, namely, from sixty-five to 125, and I take this to be an eloquent testimony on the part of Victorians to the fact that the Victoria Ladies' Musical Club has done its work well."

Mrs. Brown—"You're one on leave, then, Mr. Jones. Did you meet my old man up the street?"  
Private Jones—"Just left 'im up at the King's Head. He's getting stout, I notice."

Mrs. Brown—"Stout? The block-head; an' I sent him for 'art' and 'art'."

## GORGE CARNIVAL NETS \$1,728 FOR MEMORIAL

Next-of-Kin Association to Use Money for Returned Soldiers

The handsome sum of \$1,727.79 was made by the Great War Next-of-Kin Association at the celebrations held at the Gorge Park on Victoria Day, and at the Association's meeting on Thursday it was announced that this sum will form a nucleus of a fund to establish a memorial home for returned soldiers. Mrs. Draper was made the treasurer for the fund, and will start a special account with the above sum in the hands of a trust which the members will augment as the opportunity arises.

Receipts.

Peter's show, fishpond and doll raffle	\$14 90
Tombola tickets	450 00
Tag collections	425 75
Refreshments	179 50
Collected for sports, etc.	152 33
Dancing	111 60
Gipsy camp	36 32
Baby show	37 10
Programmes	50
Total	\$2,005 05
Expense account	277 26
Balance	\$1,727 79

**Votes of Thanks.**  
As an expression of pleasure and appreciation at the generous support accorded to the Association on Victoria Day the following resolution was passed:

"Resolved, that the thanks of the Great War Next-of-Kin Association be tendered to the following through the public press:

"All the firms which contributed to the tombola prizes and the refreshments, the names of which have been already published.

"Those who contributed the prizes for the sports and the baby show.

"The Ordnance Department, M. D. No. 11, for the loan of marquee and bell tents.

"The men of the R. C. G. A. for putting up and removing the same.

"The comrades of the Fifth Regiment for advertising the carnival on May 23, and playing at the Gorge on May 24."

"The St. John Ambulance Brigade, Division No. 24, Mrs. Wilson and the V. A. D. nurses."

"The Association also owes its thanks to David Spencer, Ltd., Halliday & Co., H. W. Davies & Co., Mrs. Lefevre, H. G. Kirsham (the soldiers of the Convalescent Home, the Great War Veterans for flags donated, to the soldier of the Convalescent Home, the Gorge, for the use of the day, to the comrades of the Great War, to Messrs. Boggs, Dunn, Bates and Day, to Mr. Ganner for the use of his ground for the sports, to the press, and to all those who contributed in any way to the success of the undertaking."

The following conveners of committees were thanked for their work in organizing the affair: Mrs. Wilkinson, management committee; Mrs. Duce, Peter's show; Mrs. Denyer, the tombola; Mrs. Timbery, the tag collection; Mrs. Johnson, refreshments; Mrs. Simpson, dancing; Mrs. Langton, vaudeville; Mrs. Taylor, Gipsy camp; Mrs. Symonds, baby show, and to Mrs. Garrard, the treasurer, and a special vote of thanks was extended to the president, Mrs. R. S. Day.

**Donations to Comrades.**  
During the meeting the members voted the sum of \$150 to the Comrades of the Great War to assist the latter body in furnishing their new club rooms. The Association has decided to organize a Red Cross Department of their own, and preliminary arrangements were made for this work.

## FAREWELL SERVICES

At Belmont Methodist Church To-morrow; Rev. John Robson Leaving for Vancouver Shortly.

The Rev. and Mrs. John Robson, after several years of service to the city, will leave in a few days to take up the pastorate of Mountain View Methodist Church in Vancouver. Mr. Robson has been pastor of Belmont Methodist Church for the past four years and prior to that was at James Bay Methodist Church. His work at Belmont has been conspicuously successful in spite of the fact that the enlistment of nearly all the young men of the church put an extra burden on the pastor. Farewell services will be held Sunday, June 2, at 7:30 p. m., in the church, and special music arranged by the choir leader.

The many friends in the city of the pastor will wish to witness a social hour in the church on Monday evening, to bid them farewell.

## RED CROSS WORK

**Fernwood Branch.**  
The regular monthly meeting of the Fernwood Branch Red Cross will be held in the workrooms on Gladstone Avenue on Tuesday evening June 4, at 8 p. m. A large attendance of the general committee is requested.

**Gorge Branch.**  
The regular monthly meeting of the Gorge Branch will be held on Tuesday in the workrooms at 8 p. m.

**Fairfield Branch.**  
The convenor of the Fairfield branch, Madame Webb, wishes to thank the ladies who assisted on Victoria Day, also the firms who donated articles for sample sale and the children who assisted in selling. Master Walter Fletcher headed the list as salesman. The branch realized the sum of \$50. The winners of raffles were: Canary, Mrs. Cooper, ticket No. 360; smoker sack, Mrs. J. E. Fletcher, No. 1; satin sack, Mrs. F. G. No. 269; sack of sugar, Mrs. Wilkinson, ticket No. 8.

Dick—"What are you laughing at?"  
Mary—"There's nothing humorous in their appearance?"  
Mary—"No; but somehow they tickle me."

### To-morrow's Services in... The City Churches

Sunday 7.30 p.m. **PRINCESS THEATRE** Yates street

**FREE LECTURE** Subject: **The Three Hells**

**I. B. S. A.** SEATS FREE ALL WELCOME NO COLLECTION

Speaker, CLIFFORD ROBERTS

## TWO HALLS CLOSED AND EQUIPMENT MOVED

Fire Chief Acts on Council's Directions; Men Withdrawn To-day

Fire Halls No. 6 and 7 were closed by Chief Davis this morning, and the men distributed to other halls. There were only eight men affected, and as the Department is five men short of strength, the situation in regard to men caused little difficulty. Two lieutenants reverted to the ranks, as a sequel to the re-organization of the Department consequent on the closing of the halls.

The apparatus from the Fairfield and Fernwood halls will be used at headquarters and at No. 5, both stations having the chief fires to attend, and being best able to utilize the equipment meanwhile.

Action to this end was taken owing to the decision of the Council made on May 23, as a sequel to the advance of fifteen per cent in the wages scale. The Council desired to make the selection, but a free hand was given to the Chief at his own request. He will report the changes being effective to the Council at its next meeting.

## ETERNAL HOEING IS PRICE OF GARDEN

Hoe and hoe, then hoe some more, is the best motto which the home food grower can adopt. Eternal hoeing is the price of a good garden, just as eternal vigilance is the price of liberty.

Frequent cultivation will save the gardener from much other labor and it has many advantages.

For instance, it will save much watering and is better for the plants. In fact, the hoeing will keep the moisture, which is down in the ground from evaporating. The dust cover or "mulch" as it is called, prevents this. In addition, hoeing lets in the air and liberates the fertility around the plant roots so that they can get at it and eat it. Another advantage is that hoeing will keep weeds from getting a start and consuming the food in the soil, which about a rain or an artificial soaking, test the soil by squeezing a handful. If it falls apart after squeezing, the surface crust formed by the water should be broken up by hoeing.

A mistake sometimes made is to water the garden a little every day. Wait until the plants show that they need water and then give them a good soaking. Once a week is usually enough, even in the driest weather. A few days after a rain or an artificial soaking, test the soil by squeezing a handful. If it falls apart after squeezing, the surface crust formed by the water should be broken up by hoeing.

## LIFE.

Out of a little day  
A great love grew,  
It waited by the way  
To give its heart to you.  
Freely it gave all,  
So much it had to give,  
Then I heard you call,  
Ah, it was sweet to live.

Out of a bitter night  
A great love died,  
It waited for the light  
To find a place to hide,  
Slightly dragging its sigh,  
God heard me sigh,  
I've gathered all my flowers,  
Ah, 'twas sweet to die.

Out of a broken prayer  
A great faith grew,  
It taught me not to care  
For love untrue,  
It led me by the hand  
Through a sea of storm,  
It brought me safe to land,  
Where I await the dawn.  
LAURA LEWIN.

## CITY CHURCH SERVICES

**ANGLICAN.**

**CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL**—Holy communion, 8 a. m. and after matins; 11 a. m. preacher, the Dean; evening, 7 p. m. preacher, the Dean. Intercession service, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

**ST. SAUVOIR'S CHURCH**, Victoria West, Rev. E. Connell, rector. Morning prayer and holy communion, 11 a. m.; Sunday School, 2:30; evening prayer, 7 p. m.

**ST. MARY'S**, Burns Street, Oak Bay. At 8 a. m. holy communion; 11 a. m. matins and holy communion; 7 p. m. evening. Rev. H. S. Payne, acting rector.

**ST. JOHN'S**, Quadra Street. Rector, Rev. E. A. Chadwick, M. A. At 8 a. m. holy communion; 11 a. m. morning prayer and holy communion; 7:30 p. m. evening. Short organ recital before the evening service.

### New Thought Free Lectures

Hall 115, Pemberton Block, Sunday.  
Dr. T. W. Butler will speak at 11 a. m. on  
"HE THAT OVERCOMETH," 8 p. m. subject,  
"DIVINE HUMANITY"  
The Gospel for the New Humanity.

### First Presbyterian Church

(Corner Quadra and Piggard Streets).  
Minister, REV. JNO. GIBSON INKSTER, B. A.  
11 A. M.—FLOWER SERVICE. Sermon subject, "Our Gardens."  
LILLIAN DILLINGHAM will sing 23rd Psalm.  
7:30 P. M.—

### Patriotic Service

Speaker, MRS. RALPH SMITH, M.P.P. Subject, "Women's Part in the War."  
Special music. Seats free. Everybody welcome.

### METROPOLITAN CHURCH

Cor. Pandora and Quadra Sts. Minister, REV. H. S. OSBORNE, B.A., D.D.  
11 a. m.—The Pastor. Subject, "THE TRIUMPHS OF FAITH." 7:30 p. m.—Special Musical Service

### TABERNACLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Corner Fairfield and Chester. Pastor, REV. BYRON H. WEST.  
10:30 A. M.—Prayer Meeting.  
11 P. M.—"SUNDAY PLEASURE-SEEKERS IN WAR TIME."  
7:30 P. M.—"THE CROSS IN PILATE'S JUDGMENT HALL."  
Lord's Supper at the close of evening service.

### CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Corner Quadra and Mason Streets.  
Rev. Chas. Croucher, Pastor.  
Organ Recital, 7 p. m.  
By Mr. Deane Wells.

### BELMONT AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH

SPECIAL FAREWELL SERVICES, SUNDAY, JUNE 2.  
Rev. John Robson will preach 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Special music. Monday, June 3—Farewell gathering in the Church. Everybody welcome to all services.

### ST. PAUL'S

Victoria West  
MILITARY AND NAVAL  
10.30—"Unto You O Men I Call"  
7.30—"The Church on a War Basis"

**ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL**—Church service to-morrow in Memorial Chapel at 2 p. m. Patients, nurses, members of hospital staff and the general public living in the district cordially invited.

**PRESBYTERIAN**  
ST. PAUL'S, Military and Naval, corner Henry and Street, Victoria West. Rev. H. N. Maclean. At 10:30, sermon, "Unto You, O Men, I Call." 11:30, Adult Bible Class, Mr. S. P. Miller, 2:30, Sabbath School, 7:30, sermon, "The Church on a War Basis." Monday, June 3, 7:30, The Lord's Supper at morning worship. Good singing. Warm welcome.

**METHODISTS**  
CENTENNIAL, Gorge Road, Rev. A. S. Colwell, B. A., pastor. At 11 a. m., 7:30 p. m. "The Tower of Babel—Man's True Way of Life." Cordially invited.

**UNITARIAN.**  
UNITARIAN CHURCH, Fernwood and Balmoral. Rev. E. J. Bowden, B. D. Service at 11; evening at 7:30, W. W. Baser on "The Tower of Babel—Man's Oldest Tradition."

**MISCELLANEOUS.**  
CHRISTADELPHIAN HALL, 1041 North Park Street. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; breaking of bread, 11 a. m.; evening, 7:30.

CHRISTADELPHIANS, A. O. F. Hall, Broad Street. Memorial service, 10:30 a. m. public lecture, 7:30 p. m. subject, "New Heavens and New Earth." Free. No collection.

**PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**, corner of Chambers Street and Balmoral Road. Sunday services: Sabbath School, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; class meeting, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. All are welcome to these good old-time evangelistic services, where God is worshipped in spirit and in truth. This church is building up in interest and in numbers. Come and worship with us. Rev. Samuel Snavely, pastor.

**FIRST SPIRITUAL CHURCH** meets 81 John's Hall at 7:30 p. m. Speaker, Mrs. Jackson. Circles, Faculty and Thursday, Carlton Rooms. Circles at Hall, Monday and Thursday, Mrs. Laine.

**HIGHER THOUGHT**—Lectures by F. E. Plummer in the Foresters' Hall, Broad Street, at 8 p. m. subject, "Soul Power." A Randolph education by Mrs. Clark. Solo by E. Price. All welcome.

**SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.**  
CHURCH OF OUR LORD, corner Humboldt and Blanshard Streets. Morning service, 11; evening service, 7. Rector, Rev. A. deli. Owen.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.**  
FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, 22 Pandora Avenue. Services are held on Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject for Sunday, June 2, "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Demons, Evil Spirits and Hypnotism, Demonology." Pastoral meetings every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All hours welcome.

**NEW THOUGHT TEMPLE.**  
NEW THOUGHT TEMPLE, Hall 115, Pemberton Block. Dr. Butler will speak at 11 a. m. on "He That Overcometh," 8 p. m. subject, "Divine Humanity." 11

**EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
REV. WILLIAM STEVENSON.  
Morning, 11—"GOD AND THE BEAUTIFUL LIFE."  
Evening, 7:30—REV. ERNEST J. CHAVE, VANCOUVER.  
All seats free.

**First Baptist Church**  
Pastor, REV. P. CLIFTON PARKER.  
Morning—"GLIMPSES OF ANOTHER WORLD."  
Evening, 7:30—"THE GREATEST QUESTION TO-DAY."  
Communion Service at 12 o'clock noon.

**ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH**  
REV. W. LESLIE CLAY, D.D., Minister.  
JUNE 2.  
10 a. m.—Sunday School.  
11 a. m.—Public Worship, "JESUS REDEEMER AND LORD."  
12:15—Adult Bible Class.  
7:30 p. m.—Public Worship, "SHARING THE LOVE OF GOD."  
Miss Lillian Dillingham, Leeds Musical Festival, will be the soloist at evening service.

**REFORMED EPISCOPAL**  
CHURCH OF OUR LORD, corner Humboldt and Blanshard Streets. Morning service, 11; evening service, 7. Rector, Rev. A. deli. Owen.



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**TRANS-GULF FERRY EXPECTED IN AUGUST**

Canadian Northern Railway President and Shipbuilding Company Both Write

Sir William Mackenzie notifies Mayor Todd that the launching of the Patricia Bay-Port Mann car ferry will occur on June 10, and will be brought round in time to be of service in August.

He further states that the passenger accommodation will not be installed at first, but the vessel will be a freight carrier, passenger provision being made later. The president of the Canadian Northern Railway states there has been a delay in the date of launching.

From the Davis Shipbuilding and Repairing Co., Ltd., of Luzzon, Lewis, Quebec Province, who is building the car ferry, the message is a little less confident, the management confining itself to a statement of expectation that the launching will occur on that date, and that it is hoped to send the ferry round sometime in July.

These letters are in response to queries from His Worship, inspired by the report of proceedings before the C. N. R. Arbitration recently held. Premier Oliver attended on behalf of the British Columbia Government, at which a humorous invitation was extended to the Premier to stay and attend the launching.

**LONGER STOPOVER FOR SEATTLE BOAT STARTS TO-MORROW**

With the approach of the summer tourist season, the C. P. R. for some years past has arranged for a longer stopover at Victoria by the ferry operating between Seattle and Vancouver on the triangular route.

This course has been followed in past summers in order to give the tourist more time to look over the city. Commencing to-morrow the summer schedule will be inaugurated. The daily steamer will continue to arrive here from Seattle at 1:15 p.m., but will leave for Vancouver at 2:45 p.m., instead of 2 p.m., the time of departure throughout the winter months.

The new schedule, therefore, provides for a stopover of an hour and a half.

**CONCRETE BARGE LAUNCHED.**

Peekskill, N. Y., June 1.—The first sea-going vessel to be built of concrete in the east was launched yesterday afternoon by the Louis L. Brown Company at its Verplanck Point shipyard near here. The boat is a 700-ton barge.

**GINZAN MARU DUE.**

A Vancouver pilot is here awaiting the arrival of the Japanese steamer Ginzan Maru, which is fully due from the Far East with cargo consigned to the C. P. R.

**LYMAN STEWART IN.**

With a cargo of fuel oil for Vancouver the tank steamer Lyman Stewart passed up the Gulf at 2 o'clock this morning. She is from Fort San Luis, Cal.

**FROM THE ORIENT.**

The Canadian Dollar steamship Harold Dollar reached Vancouver yesterday with Oriental cargo.

**BROUGHT PERUVIAN SUGAR.**

Carrying a cargo of raw Peruvian sugar the Grace steamer Santa Inez passed up to Vancouver yesterday. Her port of loading was Salaverry.

**TANCRED AT NANAIMO.**

The steamer Tancred is now taking on coal at Nanaimo. The Tancred has just completed the discharge of over 5,000 tons of Hawaiian sugar at the Vancouver refinery.

"Somewhere in Victoria" are business men sending East for their printing. Are you one of them? Ask for this label on your printing.

**ISLAND PRINCESS MADE GOOD SHOWING ON HER TRIAL TRIP**

**Averaged Over Twelve Knots in Strong Westerly Blow; Enters Regular Service Monday**

The sea-going qualities of the C. P. R. steamer Island Princess were thoroughly tested out Thursday when the vessel destined for the Gulf Islands made a trial spin in the Gulf preparatory to being placed in regular commission.

With Capt. J. W. Troup and a number of company officials aboard the Island Princess left the Inner Harbor at 9 o'clock in the afternoon, and steamed over a course as far as Trial Island and back. One of the strongest westerly blows of the year prevailed but despite this handicap the "little vessel" showed a good turn of speed and proved her seaworthiness under adverse conditions.

Commenting upon the performance of the steamer, Capt. Troup, manager of the B. C. Coast Steamship Service, said: "She behaved beautifully and I am well satisfied with her." The Island Princess averaged between twelve and thirteen knots and conclusively proved that she has not been slowed down by her conversion from a formerly piloted on the Islands route.

Inaugurated Run Monday.—To-day the Island Princess will make a trial trip around the Gulf Islands and on Monday she will inaugurate her regular sailings out of this port. Final details of the proposed schedule have not been completed, but the speed of the vessel ensures a satisfactory service.

Since she was acquired by the C.P.R. and brought here as the steamer Daily, the Island Princess, renamed after the route over which she is to operate, has been completely rebuilt. She is now unrecognizable as the Daily, which formerly carried pleasure seekers out of Seattle.

Her pilot-house is now flush with the passenger deck, a change carried out to make her steady in a heavy sea. The interior has also been reconstructed, the comfort of the passengers being catered to in a comfortably furnished lounge and the provision of a couple of tastefully-decorated staterooms. Right aft is a small dining room, with about twenty persons, the galley being located on the main deck aft.

In addition to the main deck freight porch on either side of the vessel, a hatchway has been built forward, through which freight can be handled by means of a derrick supported from the foremast.

The Island Princess is just about the trimmest thing of her size afloat and she will be a popular boat on the route which she is to serve.

**WAR YUKON BEING TESTED OUT OVER PARRY BAY COURSE**

**Left Ogden Point This Afternoon and Will Later Proceed to Nanaimo**

Testing out her speed and manoeuvring capabilities the wooden steamship War Yukon is this afternoon steaming over the measured-mile course in Parry Bay, between William Head and Albert Head.

Capt. Charles Harris is the pilot in charge of the first of the twenty-seven of this type to be put through her trials.

The War Yukon left her wharf at Ogden Point about noon with a number of interested officials on board and under a smoke screen headed direct for Parry Bay.

After being put through her paces over the measured course and undergoing a series of running evolutions, providing, of course, the test is satisfactory, the vessel will steam direct to Nanaimo to take on bunker coal. The War Yukon, together with the next five ships to be completed, is to be turned over to the Fernie Line, of Liverpool, Capt. Milestone and his officers having been sent out from the United Kingdom to take charge of her. She is the first of four vessels built at the local yards of the Cameron-Genoa Mills Shipbuilders, Ltd.

The next vessel of the fleet to have her official trials will be the War Nootka, which is practically ready for sea. The Nootka is the product of the Western Canada Shipyard, Vancouver.

**FEAR CANADA WILL GET U. S. FISHERIES**

**Warning Sounded by E. C. Hughes at Seattle Chamber of Commerce Luncheon**

Seattle, June 1.—E. C. Hughes, vice-chairman of the Alaska bureau, discussed the danger of losing to Canada the priceless American fisheries at a membership luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce and Commercial Club in the Masonic Clubrooms yesterday afternoon.

The committee is informed that the Canadian joint fisheries commission, headed by Secretary of Commerce William C. Redfield and Judge Hazen, of Canada, probably will present on the basis of discussion in Congress.

**Fish Prices.**  
A special committee on prices and supply of fish, composed of Daisy D. Dennis, William Calvert, Jr., J. P. Todd, A. Friedman and J. Henry Hicks, reported that "it is patriotic economy to use cheaper fish, equally nutritious and palatable," instead of centering upon halibut and salmon. The report also says: "The committee is informed that the municipalities of Seattle, Spokane, Tacoma and Everett are arranging to extend the municipal fish market to the point of origin of the fish, the catching and caring for their own fish, and selling the fish through centrally located retail market places, believing that this plan will reduce the cost of fish to the consuming public."

Concerning prices, the report says that the high price of fish "is largely actuated by the same general conditions that have caused increased prices for other food necessities—shortage of labor and increased cost of production."

"Salmon prices are now fixed by the Government—ten cents a pound for red fish and six cents a pound for white fish," says the report. "These prices are paid at the fish trap. The buyer hauls them to the wharf, which costs one cent to two cents a pound. Besides there must be added a loss of twenty-five to thirty per cent in dressing the fish, the cost of icing, the labor cost of the wholesaler and the profit for the retailer. Practically all fish, except that sold by straight contract, is disposed of at auction to the highest bidder. Frequently as many as fourteen different bids are received for the catch of a single boat. In a general way, the committee is informed, the lowest of the available supplies and labor required in the catching of fish has increased seventy-five to 100 per cent."

**OVER 200,000 TONS OF CANADA SHIPPING LOANED TO STATES**

Washington, June 1.—More than 200,000 tons of Canadian shipping has been loaned to the United States Government to aid in the transporting of America's army to France. This was learned on arrival recently at an Atlantic port of two Canadian steamers which brought passengers from Europe. Other vessels will be transferred as soon as possible and within a few weeks, it was predicted, more than twelve Canadian liners will be in service for this Government.

**SCHOONER JESSIE HERE FOR OVERHAUL**

The power fishing schooner Jessie is in port after her mishap in the Vancouver Narrows.

She floated with the rising tide and sustained no damage. As previously planned by her owner, A. J. Bechtel, the Jessie will be overhauled and fitted with a new propeller here before returning to the fishing grounds.

**LIUT. L. L. REED**

of 1925 Fowl Bay Road, who left Victoria with the 67th Battalion, and who returned home on sick leave six months ago, has now left for Ottawa to join the First Canadian Tank Battalion with the rank of captain.

**Victoria's Tribute to "Those Who Go Down to the Sea in Ships."**

J. Douglas Macey has composed a very beautiful music setting to the following stirring words by F. F. Fatt, and the song will be sung by Mrs. J. Macey and her choir at a public mass meeting to be held in the Royal Victoria Theatre on Monday night, under the auspices of the Navy League of Canada.

**IN OCEAN'S NIGHT.**  
From Homeland seas, from Oceans wide,  
Come voiceless cries of those who lie,  
Nor died in vain;  
Not all the flood  
Of ocean's waves contain the blood  
Of righteous by unrighteous slain.  
"Our lives are spent—but unafraid  
We faced the foe and fully paid  
The cost."  
Forget not—not-unshrugged laid,  
In ocean's night!  
"Unfurled our Nation's flag again,  
And will unflinching hands maintain."  
The Right!  
Crest waving to farthest hell!  
Remember us who gutless fell!  
We then shall rest, our deeds con-  
fessed in ocean's night."  
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**FOOD HOARDING CASE BEFORE MAGISTRATE**

**No Decision Rendered as to Alleged Hoarding of Sugar and Flour**

No decision was reached in the Police Court this morning with regard to the alleged illicit hoarding of food by John H. Smythe, upon whose premises the police recently made a raid in search of illegal supplies of flour and sugar. Evidence was heard by Magistrate Jay on both sides of the case, but at the request of City Prosecutor Harrison, who wished to obtain additional facts, the case was remanded until Tuesday.

Before proceeding with the case, Harrison explained the orders of the Canada Food Board with regard to the hoarding of sugar and flour. Mr. Harrison separated the charges into two sections—sugar and flour and said he would consider only the latter to-day.

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**MUCH TONNAGE IS HEADING THIS WAY**

**Vessels Aggregating 40,000 Gross Tons Are Approaching Port From Orient**

Four large steamships, aggregating nearly 40,000 tons gross, are now en route across the Pacific with passengers and cargo destined for Victoria and other ports on this coast.

Leading the fleet from the Orient is the big three-masted Empress of Russia, of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ltd., which is making her final run, for the time being, in the trans-Pacific merchant service. The Russia is bringing in a large list of passengers from Hongkong and Yokohama and is slated to arrive here next Friday.

Another vessel expected to make port on June 7 is the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Chicago Maru, one of the regular passenger ships engaged in this trade.

Preceding the Chicago Maru will be the Alps Maru, also of the O. S. K. fleet and one of the newest and largest freighters in the service. The Alps Maru has cargo manifested to Victoria, and although the local agents have not been definitely advised through cable channels, it is expected that the vessel will touch at the Outer Docks before making for Seattle. She is looked for about June 8.

With her saloon accommodation taxed to its capacity, in addition to a large stowage list and ball cargo, of 10,000 tons, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Suwa Maru has cleared from the Japan coast and is scheduled to reach Victoria on June 11.

**RED CROSS COMEDY**

Everything Ready for Production of "King of the Cannibal Isles" on Monday Evening.

Preparations for the production of the "King of the Cannibal Isles," at the Princess Theatre on Monday are now practically complete, and it is in readiness for the opening performance. Every member of the big cast is in splendid voice and the whole goes with a fine swing, which bodes well for the play's clear success.

The play is replete with the essentials of the successful musical comedy, catchy music, a clever libretto, lots of local color and topical allusions, good actors, pretty girls and a beautifully set, and it but remains for the public to support the venture and ensure a big sum for the Red Cross.

The orchestra, under the leadership of Mrs. Gertrude Huntley Green, is well-balanced and in fine form, and will add much to the pleasure of the performance.

**DR. KING BACK**

**Minister of Public Works Visited Many Points in Interior Where Work is Under Way.**

The Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, returned to his office in the Parliament Buildings yesterday afternoon much refreshed from a trip to the interior with a good deal of departmental business sandwiched between a little sport with the rod and fly.

The Minister went into several matters as relating to his Department, visiting Invermere, Cranbrook and Fernie, where certain repair work is being carried on. Commencement has been made on the new bridge at Michel and repairs to Elcho bridge are under way and both points were visited by the Minister.

Dr. King was accompanied to Victoria by his father, Senator G. G. King of Ottawa, who will spend a short holiday with the Minister and Mrs. King at their residence at Oak Bay.

**INTEREST IN CADET MOVEMENT EVINCED**

**Military Training for School Boys is Favored by Prominent Speakers**

The growth of the cadet movement in the public schools of the city was reflected in the general enthusiasm displayed at a banquet held last night by the corps of the Central School, at which some very distinguished citizens both civilian and military were present. When Justice had been done to the speaker of the evening by the general speeches delivered by the prominent visitors of the evening were sufficient evidence that widespread interest is taken by the public in the military training among the boys of Victoria.

After the toast to the king and "Our guests" had been proposed and drunk, Mayor Todd addressed the gathering. It was an inspiring thing, said Mr. Todd, to see such a splendid example of the nation's youth assembled together and to feel that the coming generation is realizing its responsibility and is preparing itself, by the cadet movement, to defend Canada, if the worst should come. He pointed out that the country belonged to "the men of to-day, but to those of to-morrow, and he urged the boys to equip themselves in such a way they will be ready to meet the trying conditions which are bound to be experienced after the war.

**School Board's Appreciation.**  
Magistrate Fry voiced the School Board's appreciation of the good work the cadet corps of Victoria are carrying on, and looked back with pleasure to the days when he attended the old Central School. The tremendous price the cadet corps had paid in France is, said Mr. Jay, a matter of the deepest sorrow and the utmost pride to us all.

"When I left this city three years ago I thought the cadet movement was dead," said Major Nelson, the officer in charge of cadet corps for Military District No. 11. But since returning to the front and seeing the general improvement all over the city he harbors no such fears now. So far, continued the speaker, the movement has had little success in the north. It is no fault of the School Board that the boys had not been furnished with uniforms, and at some future date, knowing the authorities' interest in the work, he would go to the proper officials and formally request them to make a proper provision for the purchasing of uniforms and for holding drill within school hours.

**Officers of the Future.**  
Major Bullock-Webster pointed out that the Canadian army of the future would require large numbers of officers and that the cadet corps of Canada at present undoubtedly afford the training necessary to produce such men. Dr. Hudson, who has given instruction in first aid to many of the cadets, emphasized the value of ambulance work, and he offered to help the boys along these lines next term.

The Rev. Dr. Campbell in discussing some of the aspects of the European war declared that the present cataclysm would have never occurred if the cadet movement had been established thirty years ago. Military training at an early age, he said, produced the very finest type of manhood, and he looked forward to the day when such training would be compulsory in the schools throughout the Empire.

Cadet Major Murray, of the Central Corps, acted as toast-master, and Capt. St. Clair was master of ceremonies. English guests were the officers of the High School Corps under Cadet Major Moore and some of the school principals were also present.

**OBITUARY RECORD**

The death of Eliza Maria Golder, widow of Thomas Golder, took place at the Stanley Apartments, Linden Avenue, this morning. Deceased was 77 years of age. A native of Portland, England, she came to Victoria three and a half years ago. The late Mrs. Golder leaves to mourn her loss a family of five sons and five daughters. There are also twenty grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. There is only one member of the family living in Victoria, Mrs. W. H. Claydon. Mrs. Cameron, eldest daughter of deceased, arrived in the city from Tacoma some days ago. The remains have been removed to the B. C. Funeral Chapel, pending funeral arrangements being made.

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**THE FUNERAL OF PTE. RHONAS McDONALD.**

The funeral of Pte. Rhonas McDonald, who died at the Jubilee Hospital last Wednesday, took place this morning at 11 o'clock from the Sands Chapel. Rev. Dr. Campbell officiated and the hymns sung were "Forever With The Lord" and "Jesus Lover Of My Soul." The pallbearers were A. Davies, G. A. Piers, J. S. Hick, E. Hubbard, E. Barraclough, and J. W. Sharp. The casket was draped with the Union Jack and conveyed to Ross Bay cemetery, on the gun carriage, escorted by the 5th Regiment Band and firing party. Three volleys were fired and the bugler sounded the "Last Post."

**SEARCH FOR RELATIVES**

Effects of Late Pte. James Young Await Next-of-Kin.

James A. Anderson, 3461 Bethune Avenue, Cloverdale, late Drum-Major, 30th Battalion, C. E. F., is anxious to learn the address of the relatives of Pte. James Young, a soldier who was killed in France while serving with the 7th Battalion about the end of February or early in March, 1917.

Mr. Anderson states that he believes Young enlisted with the 47th Battalion and was attached to the 20th Reserve Battalion for some time as a bugler. He left the 20th Reserve Battalion in October, 1916, on draft to the famous 7th Battalion, and was one of twenty-five men who volunteered to go over the top one night about the end of February, 1917, and unfortunately, he never came back.

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**LOCAL NEWS**

**England for some time, and I have in my possession some private effects, which I will be very glad to hand over to the parents or next-of-kin, if I can find them," states Mr. Anderson.**

**INSPECTS UNIVERSITY CADETS.**

Major Nelson inspected the University School Cadets at the school grounds, Mount Tulmine, yesterday afternoon and complimented them on their smart appearance and their expertise in the various drills through which they were put.

**DONATION TO HALIFAX BLIND.**

The Daughters of St. George, through the worthy President Sister Reeve, have received a letter from the superintendent of the Halifax School for the Blind, gratefully acknowledging a donation of \$40.50, the proceeds of a dance and concert given by the Daughters on April 30.

**INVASE JAMES ISLAND.**

The Metropolitan baseball team is going to invade James Island to-morrow to do battle with the native pill tappers. The local men will hold a practice game in the morning to prepare themselves for the game, and then they will proceed to the home of dynamite in the afternoon.

**GARDEN FETE AT ESQUIMALT.**

The children of the Esquimalt school have arranged to hold a garden fete in aid of the Red Cross on Saturday afternoon, June 15, as a school-closing celebration. The affair will take place in the Transfer fields adjoining the school, and amusements will be provided for all, including a concert, sports, a baby show, dancing, etc. The kiddies are desirous of making a big donation to the Red Cross and appeal to the public to support them in their efforts.

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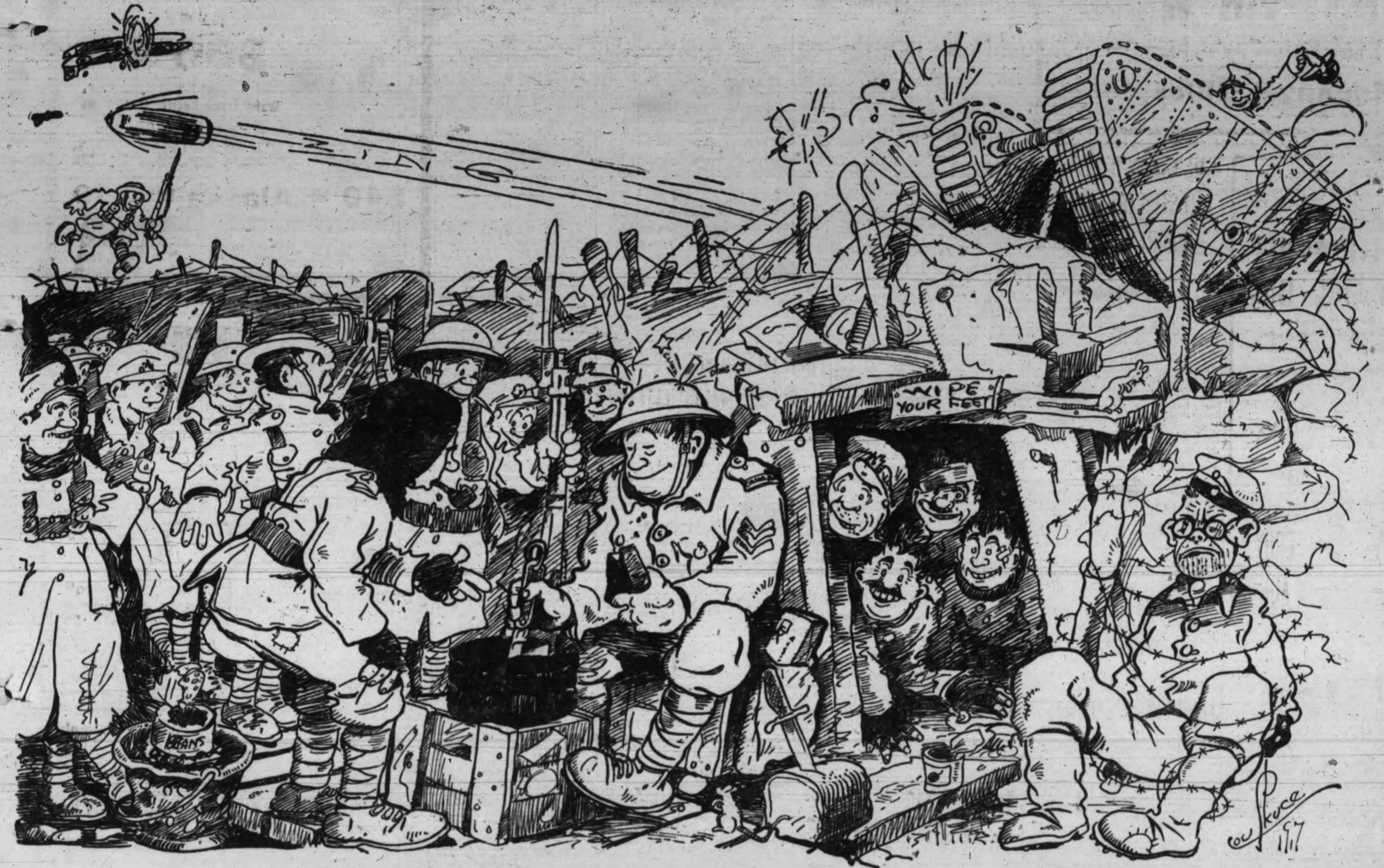
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- 6—Your answer must be in before June 14th, as this competition closes on June 15th.
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**JOHNSON**—On May 30, 1918, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Corp. Joseph Robin, aged 35 years, born in France.

The remains are reposing at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, from whence the funeral, which will be fully military, will take place on Saturday at 3.30 p. m., proceeding to the Roman Catholic Cathedral, where service will be conducted at 3.30. Internment Ross Bay Cemetery.

**GOLDER**—On June 1, 1918, at Stanley Apartments, Linden Ave., Eliza Maria, relict of Thomas Golder, aged 77 years, born at Portsmouth, England.

The remains are reposing at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, and due notice of the funeral will be given.

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**BRIDGES ON MARNE WRECKED BY FRENCH**

Strong French Forces Hold Positions on South Bank of River

London, June 1.—Latest reports from the front state that the Germans have not crossed the Marne at any point, but that on the southern bank French reserves in large numbers are holding commanding positions, while all the bridges have been blown up for many miles to the west of Chateau Thierry. To the northwest of Chateau Thierry, the Germans, following the line of the Ourcq, are reported as having reached Neuilly, with the evident intention of attempting to drive between the Marne and the great wooded district surrounding Villers Cotterêt, which holds a strong defensive position to the French holding the line southeast of Soissons.

Dispatches from Paris stating that certain groups of Deputies are holding all-night sessions is indicative of the serious view of the situation taken in the French capital.

**Plan to Dig In?**

Washington, June 1.—Members of the Military Committee at their weekly conference to-day with War Department officials were told by General March, Acting Chief of Staff, that the opinion of the Germans was that they have reached their present objective—the Marne—and that they probably now will dig in and prepare for a bitter drive, perhaps on Paris.

With the Germans within forty-five miles of Paris, the situation, the Senators were told, is serious. Military experts here, they were advised, are a unit in realising the danger confronting the Allies.

The Senators were told that the rapidity of the German advance since their offensive began last Monday was unexpected by virtually all military experts. Twenty German divisions, it was said, were thrown against seven of the Allies. The territory taken during the last few days had been regarded as easily defended and a comparatively small force had been left to hold it.

The success of the enemy was ascribed by the War Council largely to the improved use of gas shells. Although few new types of gas offensives have been developed, the Senators were told, the Germans are employing former types of gas in a better advantage, using nine-inch gas shells to shell territory from seven to eight miles back of the Allied lines. This, it was explained, forced an extensive retirement of the French. It was said, found their second line eight miles to the rear, untenable.

The present enemy success and the prospect of renewal of the offensive, the Senators were informed, emphasize the necessity for urgent transportation of American forces abroad. The schedule for shipment of men in May was exceeded, the Senators were told. More than 250,000 Americans—and these exceeded the usual ratio of fighting men, which has been sixty per cent—were sent in June. It was planned to send even larger numbers with a large percentage of combat troops.

None of the Americans, the Military Committee was advised, will be sent into active service until after the expiration of at least thirty days' further training abroad.

**WORLD BROTHERHOOD Y. M. C. A. CAMPAIGN**

Atlantic City, N. J., June 1.—Plans to enlist thousands of students in the colleges of the world in the preaching of the "Gospel of Worldwide Brotherhood" were made here at a conference of the International Y. M. C. A. secretaries.

It was decided to establish "huts" of the type now familiar at the United States army cantonments and at the front of all major industrial centres, with accredited secretaries in charge.

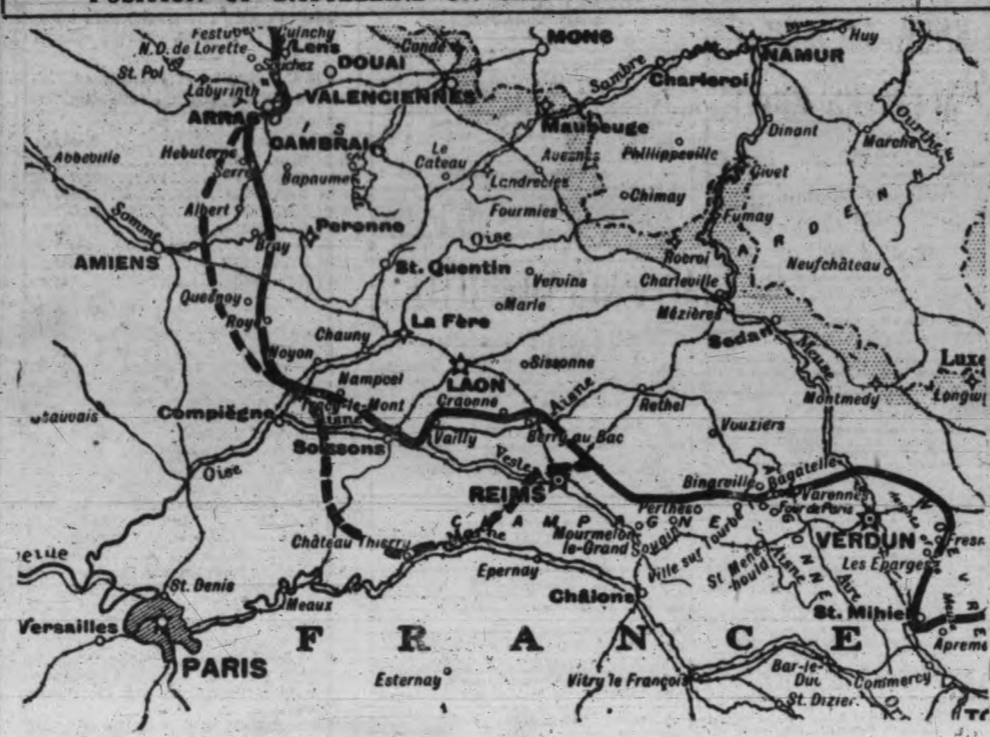
**PENICTON BOY WITH R. N. C. V. R. SUCUMBS**

Ottawa, June 1.—It is announced through the Naval Department that Frederick D. Kirkpatrick, a boy of the Royal Naval Canadian Volunteer Reserve, whose home was in Penicton, B. C., has died in hospital.

**LIVESTOCK QUOTATIONS.**

Chicago, June 1.—Collection and dissemination of livestock quotations by the Government went into effect at the stockyards here to-day.

## POSITION OF BATTLELINE ON SIXTH DAY OF GREAT BATTLE



The above map will give an impression of the situation in France as it existed when the daily official reports were issued in London and Paris this afternoon. The broken line extending from the region of Rheims past Chateau Thierry to a point northwest of Soissons indicates the advance the Germans have made since they began their new offensive. The broken line to the northward indicates the salient, called the Amiens salient, created by the March offensive of the enemy.

**CANADIAN RAILWAY MEN WERE HEROES**

One Unit's Work During Fighting in France in March Described

Ottawa, June 1.—The following article has been received here from one of our D. S. O. two Military Crosses, one D. C. M., and nineteen Military Medals.

The corps headquarters was at Bihucourt when the storm broke. From Boisieux to Achiet, Fremicourt to Vely and St. Leger, these railway experts, the first to come over from Canada, kept the lines open under a storm of shell fire. Sometimes the heavy naval guns and howitzers which work from railways were ahead of the little eighteen-pounders, firing their huge shells into the massed German lines and fifteen miles away, while their smaller brothers were pounding at the German main troops only a thousand yards away. The crews of the big guns stayed confidently until the last minute, knowing the shell-broken line behind them would be mended by the Canadian engineers in time to get away.

In every case there was an engine with its Canadian crew ready to draw each monster gun to safety and not a single one was lost, although there were many narrow escapes.

Take the report of a young officer who was responsible for the action near Vely, northeast of Baupenne. Some heavy howitzer batteries there were working feverishly to retard the German advance over the Nord Canal.

"Brought up three trains of ammunition and kept track open from Ypres to Vely. Mended eight bad breaks between eight and ten-thirty (this was on March 27). Then shifted the howitzers back to Fremicourt," the report runs.

"That meant three trips over the hastily-mended line, through heavy shell fire with fifty-ton trucks, which once ditched could hardly have been got on the track again in time to be saved."

**ALLIED RESERVES NOW ARE FIGHTING**

Paris Temps Says Military Situation Shows Progress for Allies

Paris, June 1.—The military situation shows progress for the Allies, says Le Temps, because the enemy failed to make gains last night, although he resorted to the violence of his attacks.

"The mass of our reserves," it continues, "have begun to take part in the action."

"Just south of Soissons our counter-attacks have driven the enemy back to the Crise River, which flows into the Aisne, and we have retaken the villages of Chaudun and Verzy. Farther south the enemy makes no more efforts to advance through the valley of the Ourcq."

**At Chateau Thierry.**

With the French Army in France, June 1.—For the moment the enemy is aiming chiefly at Chateau Thierry and the Ourcq Valley, which he is attempting to reach from two directions. His troops are seeking to force a passage through the Duchy and Neuilly front. At the same time he is seeking to push from the northward, near Soissons, in the direction of Verzy.

The French inflicted terrific losses on the enemy near Soissons. Allied reserves are coming prominently into action.

There were many aerial encounters yesterday. Bombing squadrons dropped explosives on the enemy troops in movement.

**No Breach.**

With the French Army in France, June 1.—The French and British troops facing the German onslaught numbered about one-fifth of the German army. Although the Germans have thrown back the Allies, they have not been able to create a breach in their line.

The gradual retirement of the French and British has been executed with considerable skill. The Germans have never at any time been allowed under the circumstances to get within a few miles of the Allied positions. The elements of their advance, however, have spread out slightly farther eastward along the north bank of the river, and they are now occupying this bank for the distance of approximately twelve miles in an air line between Chateau Thierry and Veruelli. Rheims is still in Allied hands, and in general there seems to have been but little change along the easterly side of the new German salient. The line runs northeastward from Veruelli along the Dormans-Rheims road and curves projecting northward around the cathedral city.

No mention is made in to-day's French official reports of further successes where the Germans were successful yesterday in forcing back the Allied left wing in the direction of Noyon, on the Oise. The night statement of the British showed the Germans driven back across the Oise, where they had crossed it at one point near Sampigny, south of Noyon, and to have been held up on the Noyon-Biencourt-Soissons line.

**Numerous Dugouts Blown Up by Troops of Pershing's Army**

Washington, June 1.—American volunteer and technical detachments yesterday blew up thirty-two enemy dugouts and a bridge, killing and wounding more than twenty of the enemy, says an addition to General Pershing's communique of yesterday, received to-day.

**SENATOR ROBERTSON IS COMING HERE**

Will Meet R. P. Butchart Tomorrow Morning Regarding Strike

Vancouver, June 1.—Senator Gideon Robertson, mediator in the shipyard employees' strike, leaves this evening for Victoria where he has an appointment with R. P. Butchart, head of the organization controlling contracts for important boat building interests at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning, to discuss an adjustment of the workmen's claim for retroactive pay, as allowed under the Murphy Award. Union officials here state that if this matter can be adjusted satisfactorily the stand of the boilermakers will not be allowed to interfere with the return to work of other unions.

**REDUCTION OF TRAIN SERVICE IN STATES**

Washington, June 1.—Further reduction of passenger train schedules between Omaha and Kansas City, Omaha and St. Louis, Paul and Minneapolis, and cities at the head of the lakes is contemplated by the railroad administration. The reduction, in line with other curtailments in the west, would save 1,000,000 train miles a year.

**TO-DAY'S TRADING ON WINNIPEG MARKET**

Winnipeg, June 1.—There was a slight demand and few offerings of cash oats in the week-end session. Prices asked were slightly higher in sympathy with future markets, which were firmer on short covering. Cash barley and flax were unchanged.

Oats closed 1 cent higher for July. July closed 4 cent higher for July.

Oats—Open High Low Close  
July 78 80 78 80 78 80  
Barley not quoted.

Flax—  
July 358 360 358 360 358 360  
Cash—No. 1 feed, 75%; No. 2 feed, 72%; No. 2 feed, 69%  
Barley—No. 1 feed, 120; No. 2 feed, 115; No. 3 feed, 105  
Flax—No. 1, 350; No. 2, 340; No. 3, 330  
No. 1, 320; No. 2, 310; No. 3, 300

**GRAINS HAVE A DAY UP ON CHICAGO MARKET**

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

Chicago, June 1.—Having got the May option in oats out of the way, the trader turned his attention to buying this morning. A large export trade was reported. Prices were said to be better than late offers. Corn had become over sold during the drastic decline of the last week and made a recovery on to-day's trading.

Corn—Open High Low Last  
July 123 124 123 123  
Oats—  
July 64 65 64 65 64 65

**NEW YORK BOND MARKET.**

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

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## FINANCIAL NEWS

**NEW YORK MARKET TAKES WAR NEWS WELL**

Heavy Trading and Quick Changes in Mercantile Marine the Feature To-day

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

New York, June 1.—At the opening of to-day's market stocks were depressed and lower prices were made in the early trading. An exception to this was Marine Preferred. This stock opened lower than it closed last night, but everyone wanted to buy it, with a resultant rise of six points in half an hour. This gain was almost wiped out before the close. While the market as a whole closed fractionally lower, it was considered to be a very good week-end closing when the character of all news was taken into account.

High	Low	Last
Allis-Chalmers	33	32
Am. Beet Sugar	70 1/4	70 1/4
Am. Can. Co., com.	43 1/4	42 3/4
Am. Car. Pdy.	75 1/2	75 1/2
Am. Locomotive	62 1/2	62 1/2
Am. Smelt & Ref.	7 1/4	7 1/4
Am. T. & Tel.	98 1/4	98 1/4
Am. Steel Pdy.	63 1/2	63 1/2
Anaconda Mining	61 1/4	61 1/4
Atlantic Gulf	106 1/2	105 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	82 1/2	80 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	54 1/4	54 1/4
Beckers Steel B.	79 1/4	79 1/4
Bitum. Sup. Mining	21 1/2	21 1/2
Brooklyn Transit	42	42
Canadian Pacific	143 1/4	143 1/4
Central Leather	64	63 1/2
Crucible Steel	61 1/4	61 1/4
Cheapeake & Ohio	57 1/4	57 1/4
Chic. Mil. & St. P.	43 1/4	43 1/4
Chic. R. I. & Pac.	23 1/4	23 1/4
Colo. Fuel & Iron	46	45 1/2
Chino Copper	40 1/4	40 1/4
Cal. Petroleum	19 1/4	19 1/4
Corn Products	58 1/4	58 1/4
Distillers Sec.	55 1/4	55 1/4
Gen. Electric	146	146
Gl. N. Ore	32	31 1/4
Granby	75 1/4	75 1/4
Gr. Northern	89 1/4	89 1/4
Hide & Lea, pref.	64 1/4	64 1/4
Inspiration Cop.	48 1/4	48 1/4
Int'l Nickel	27 1/4	27 1/4
Int'l Mer. Marine	51 1/4	51 1/4
Int. Prof.	109 1/4	109 1/4
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Lehigh Valley	59 1/4	59 1/4
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Eck.	6 1/4
Merritt Oil	21 1/2
Mid. West Refining	107
Mid. West Oil	24 1/4
Northwest Oil	60
Sapulpa Refining	8 1/2
Caledonia	39
Cons. Copper	6 1/4
Hecia Mining	4 1/4
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Kerr Lake	5 1/4
Magma Copper	39
Nipissing	8 1/4
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**THE ANNUAL Sailors' Sunday IN THE CHURCHES OF THE CITY JUNE 2, 1918**

**AN URGENT APPEAL**

In being made for the erection of a Home for the orphan sons of our brave Canadian sailors who have willingly sacrificed their lives for King and Country.

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On Monday Evening Next, June 3, 1918, at 8.15.

It is the birthday of our Gracious Sovereign King George V. (Admiral of the Fleet) and the anniversary of the Battle of Jutland.

All Seats Free. No Collection.

**CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS**

Ottawa, June 1.—The following casualties have been announced:

**Infantry.**

Killed in action—Pte. H. Maynard, Victoria.

Seriously ill—Pte. H. C. Crawshaw, Vancouver.

Wounded—Pte. A. E. Wings, Trail; B. C.; Pte. W. Wright, Vancouver; Pte. T. H. Rock, Vancouver; Pte. O. Corno, Vancouver, Vancouver.

**Medical Services.**

Wounded—Hon. Captain (Adjutant and Quartermaster) J. A. P. H. Searle, England; Sergeant J. G. Ure, Vancouver.

**Artillery.**

Seriously ill—Gnr. J. Gourlay, Lady-smith.

**MILLION DOLLARS IN FOOD DESTROYED IN CITY OF MONTREAL**

Montreal, June 1.—Food to the value of \$1,000,000 and totaling 270,000 pounds in weight was destroyed or wasted here in the fifteen months ended April 1, according to Dr. Hood and Dr. Boutigny of the local food department. The food consisted of meats, vegetables and fruit which had been in storage and had rotted.

**NEARLY ALL ABOARD LINCOLN NOT KILLED BY EXPLOSION SAVED**

London, June 1.—Such fragmentary details as have been received here regarding the sinking of the American transport President Lincoln have reassured the American authorities in London that the Allied destroyers were able to pick up nearly all who survived the explosion of the torpedo.

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WILL INVESTIGATE

COST OF MINING

George Wilkinson to Act With Nichol Thompson and Auditor Kerr

Nichol Thompson, Fuel Controller for British Columbia, after consultation with Hon. Wm. Sloan, Minister of Mines...

COAL REGULATIONS

Mr. Magrath referred particularly to the action of the Dominion Government in passing coal regulations...

INVESTIGATION

In going into the matter with Premier Oliver it was pointed out by Mr. Magrath that the price of coal at the mines was steadily mounting...

CLAIMED TO BE INSANE

Conger Given Twelve Months' Hard Labor for Absenting Himself Without Leave From Army

The case of Bruce B. Conger, which for some weeks past has been hanging in the Police Court this morning...

At the outbreak of the war he determined that he would go to the front if possible and wipe out his record...

CUTICURA

Heals Pimples With One Cake Soap and One Box Ointment.

Face never free from them for two or three years. Were sore and often became large and hard...

From signed statement of Miss Lorena Kennedy, R. E. 1, Williamsport, Ont., March 7, 1917.

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ment if he were convicted, he pursued the persons who had informed against him to Nanaimo. Thence he had gone to Vancouver, and had been arrested there...

VICTORIA SIGNALLER SUFFERING FROM GAS

Tertius, Son of T. N. Hibben, Saw Much Service in France

Word has been received in the city to the effect that Signaller Tertius N. Hibben is suffering from the effects of a dose of Hun gas...



SIGNALLER T. N. HIBBEN

and has been in action as mounted signaller from that date until he was gassed on March 11 of this year.

VANCOUVER MAN WINS RAPID ADVANCEMENT

Colonel Dockrill Now Has an Important Post in Mesopotamia

Canadians have just cause for pride in the selection by the Imperial authorities of Col. Walter Dockrill...

Col. Dockrill went overseas early in the war as quartermaster of the 18th Battalion. Not long after his arrival in England he was transferred to the British service...

The action of the British authorities in placing him in charge of the docks and transport with the rank of Colonel in the far-off but important theatre of war is a notable testimonial to his ability and record.

OLD RESIDENT DIES

Charles Chislett Passes Away at His Home in City

A well-known old-time resident of the city, Charles Chislett, passed away this morning, following a long illness, at his home, 1628 Tolmie Avenue...

A native of Port Hope, Ontario, deceased came to British Columbia when a young man of twenty-three and engaged in sheep-raising in the McNeill Bay district...

ROTARY CLUB WANT TO KNOW ALL ABOUT SETTLERS' RIGHTS

Asked Attorney-General Farris to Address Meeting; Undecided Yet

So much local interest has been aroused by the news which reached the city yesterday in connection with the disallowance by the Federal authorities of the Vancouver Island Settlers' Rights Act...

In view of the vital importance of the Federal decision to the future of Vancouver Island's mineral development, the local body is anxious that its members may be placed in full possession of the facts...

COURT OF APPEAL WILL SIT TUESDAY

Thirteen Appeals Have Been Set Down for Hearing

The Court of Appeal will sit at Victoria on Tuesday, June 4, when thirteen appeals having been set down for hearing. List number one, which includes all appeals where outside counsel are engaged...

In List No. 2 there were no cases set down and List No. 3, where local counsel is engaged, includes: Mason (R.) vs. City of Victoria...

FUNERAL OF BRAVE POILU

Corpl. Toubin, Holder of Croix de Guerre, Leaves Family in Desolate Circumstances

Particularly sad circumstances surround the death of Corpl. Joseph August Toubin, a member of the 1st Battalion French army...

Corpl. Toubin was a French reservist living at 842 Fisgard Street. On the outbreak of hostilities he immediately left for France to join his regiment...

The statement was made in answer to the waters inquiry from Mrs. Schorwetter as to what progress the Committee had made towards securing cheaper fish.

John Jardine stated that a reserve of the waters committee reported on the price committee's report on the schedule for field crops...

Leg Sore

A huge sore—very deep—full of foul discharge. Agony all day; no rest at night. Then—just a few drops of the gentle, cooling liquid, D. D. D. Leg Sore...

D. D. D. The Liquid Wash

SENT UP FOR TRIAL

John C. Harrison Faces a Number of Charges Similar to That Heard Yesterday

APPOINTS COMMITTEE TO EXAMINE PROPOSAL

Increased Production Committee Discusses Proposed Community Drying Plant

The Increased Production Committee, at a meeting this morning decided after a thorough discussion of the subject of a drying plant here...

Mayor Todd introduced the discussion, and said that while the committee had gathered considerable data with regard to community evaporator and drying plants...

The mild winters placed the storage of root crops in a different position to that of other places, he said, and preparations with salt and similar processes had proved adequate for the preservation of vegetables...

Mr. Gibson believed that the proposed committee should make a careful investigation of the sources of supply, and conduct a canvass to ascertain to what extent the proposed plant would be used...

LEAVES FISH ISSUE TO THE FOOD BOARD

Increased Production Committee is Advised to Obtain Local Data

At the meeting of the Increased Production Committee this morning J. W. Gibson explained that if the fish dealers were not meeting the demands for cheap fish, a civic fish market would be the only adequate remedy for the situation...

John Jardine stated that a reserve of the waters committee reported on the price committee's report on the schedule for field crops...

The Committee heard reports from various committee chairmen on activities since the last meeting. The Secretary reported the number of lots under cultivation as already published...

The prize committee was asked to consider the feasibility of dividing the marks of competitors between field crop competitions and the home products show in the fall.

When Principal Smith reported with regard to the public meetings, it was getting late and many had left the meeting, so it was decided to ask Professor Stevenson to reserve his address on Summer Cultivation of Gar-

Advertisement for Shelly's Victory Bread. Features an illustration of a woman and child in a kitchen setting. Text includes: 'Might as well have those 15 extra leisure hours', 'You'll Save Wheat By Using It', 'Shelly Bros. Limited', 'PHONE 444'.

Advertisement for Letter Box. Features an illustration of a letter box. Text includes: 'TRADE UNIONISM', 'To the Editor, I see in every issue of your paper correspondence full of insults to union men...'.

Advertisement for Royal Crown Soap. Features an illustration of soap boxes. Text includes: 'Use That Day-Light Saving Soap', 'ROYAL CROWN SOAP', 'THE ROYAL CROWN SOAPS Limited VANCOUVER, B.C.'.

Advertisement for The Strathcona Lodge, Shawnigan Lake B.C. Features an illustration of a lodge building. Text includes: 'European plan. Rooms from \$1.50 per day. Meals a la carte. An ideal place for a rest. The best of fly fishing at the present time. Boats, canoes, motor boat and motor cars for hire. M. A. WYLDE, Manager.'



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**MRS. RALPH SMITH, M.P.P.**

who will speak on "Woman's Part in This War" in First Presbyterian Church, at the Patriotic Service on Sunday night. Come early.

**CITIZENS' MEETING CALLS UPON STRIKER TO RETURN TO WORK**

"Carry on" and Leave the Details is Plea of Gathering

If the striking shipyard workers could be swayed by the genuine patriotic enthusiasm of public meetings, whether held by returned soldiers or members of the civilian populace, the present deadlock would not have gone beyond last Monday morning. Another example of the manner in which the man in the street regards the workers' action was provided last night when about three hundred people appealed to the patriotism of the striker and pleaded that he return to work immediately, leaving the contentious detail for adjustment by the Dominion, their own and the employers' representatives.

The Resolution. Yesterday's gathering originated with the Victoria branch of the Win-the-War League and the details were arranged by His Worship the Mayor, who was good enough to preside and bring members of the City Council with him. There were also representatives of the Board of Trade, Returned Soldiers' Associations, the Next-of-Kin Association, the Ladies of the Great War Veterans' Auxiliary and the Win-the-War League supporting the Mayor on the platform.

The resolution for discussion by the meeting, moved by W. A. Jameson, seconded by B. J. Perry, is as follows: "That the people of Victoria in public meeting assembled, feeling that in the hour of danger to the Empire is due unwavering loyalty, and with the deepest regret any act which may prevent or tend to postpone the rendering to the Allied nations of any assistance which they now so urgently need.

"Be it therefore resolved, that the construction and completion of the ships now building in British Columbia is a national necessity, and that the men now on strike be requested to return to work pending a settlement of any dispute which may exist." Lives at Stake.

"Let us not forget that our Empire is at war and that our very lives are at stake," said Mr. Jameson, who also declared that the war was being fought to preserve the sacred principles of Democracy, a fact which should be brought home to the shipyards as well as to the trenches. The speaker pleaded for support from the men at the front, who were offering their lives by the thousands in order that Canadians at home might never know the agony of a foe on the shores of this fair land.

To B. J. Perry it was inconceivable that while the Allies were locked in the most stupendous death struggle the world had ever known that men engaged in the shipyards should unconcernedly decide to tie up the construction of ships so vital to Allied victory. And it was all for the sake of a few dollars. It was the duty of every man to push ahead with the shipbuilding program and to settle any little differences afterwards.

Mutiny. The action of the strikers was almost criminal, said Comrade Haggerty, of the Comrades of the Great War, who was horrified that it should be said that the man who had been fighting for the Empire in Victoria while strong and healthy men looked on until certain dollars and cents were duly delivered. Comrade Taylor, of the Great War Veterans' Association, cited personal experiences of the bread line in England and Scotland, and reminded the strikers that lack of ships meant the lengthening of the line and the lessening of food at the end of it.

For Old Glory. An American citizen mounted the platform and told the gathering that he had three brothers fighting for Old Glory in France. "Fighting for your flag too," he said. He had never "scabbed" in his life, but they could call him what they would he was prepared to go to work in the shipyards, not for wages alone, but for the cause of civilization.

While the steamers might not be wanted for the carrying of food to Europe, J. O. Cameron said that his company had over one hundred cartons of ammunition boxes stored around Victoria waiting bottom for shipment to England. The Imperial Government, he said, had hoped that the locally built vessels could provide the urgently needed accommodation which had not been possible of provision for twelve months. These boxes and other timber were absolutely needed, and they were held up.

Mayor Todd undertook to forward the resolution passed by the meeting to all parties concerned.

**CHEERFUL GREETING.**

The other day I went to a bakery shop in the west end. While I was waiting for my war bread in came a man in khaki who had just returned from the front.

"Why, lieutenant," I've been looking anxiously for you every day in the casualty list."—St. Louis Star.

**NO MORE NERVOUS HEADACHES**

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"Fruit-a-tives" is fresh fruit juices, concentrated and increased in strength combined with finest tonics, and is a positive and reliable remedy for Headaches and Constipation.

50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At all dealers or Fruit-a-tives, Limited, Ottawa.

**RETAIL GROCERS MUST HAVE LICENSE**

Food Board's Order Has Created Exceptional Position; Other Licenses Effective

To-day is the last day upon which retail grocers can transact business legally without a license from the Canada Food Board.

The grocers naturally have occasioned the greatest work upon the Board, which appears to have been swamped with applications, to judge by the attitude taken by the chairman of the Board. It is estimated that there are 80,000 grocers in the Dominion, and the whole of the licenses have been ordered to be issued through the head office at Ottawa. The system of remittance appears to have caused some difficulties, so the grocers who have not obtained licenses are holding the replies they have received as security against prosecution in the interim, pending definite advice from Ottawa.

The smaller groceries have only recently awakened to the necessity of a license, hence the rush and congestion at the end of the period, which was extended thirty days after the date originally set for the operation of the license system. The situation around Victoria presents no exceptional condition, the same congestion and uncertainty being reported from points all over the Dominion.

**Operative To-day.**

Among other trades which are subject to a license system after to-day are wholesale dealers and brokers in flour, bran, shorts and other grain feeds, manufacturers and vendors of ice cream, and restaurant licenses. Also effective to-day are certain regulations defining the flour and sugar channel and, more particularly, with regard to biscuits, and certain other classes of goods manufactured in that trade.

**VICTORIAN APPOINTED NEW CHIEF OF POLICE**

Edgar C. Simmons Succeeds Frank Edens at City of Kamloops

In succession to Frank Edens, who has lately been appointed as an inspector in the Provincial Police, Edgar C. Simmons, of this city, will take over the duties of Chief of Police in the city of Kamloops, relinquished by Mr. Edens yesterday.

Mr. Simmons is well-known in Victoria and for four years was a member of the City Police Force, resigning his post to enlist for active service in September, 1915. As Provost-Sergeant of the Bantam Battalion he left for England in January of last year, and had it not been for a serious accident in England he would have crossed the channel and taken his part in the great scrap. A motor lorry, however, passed over his foot and was the cause of his being invalided home in September last year.

Discharged from the army in December Mr. Simmons was selected to go to the States as a member of the British-Canadian Recruiting Mission, with whom he did service for three months. Latterly and until this morning he has had charge of the "watch" at the Ogden Point Assembly Plant.

—Kamloops News—

Birmingham, England, in 1869, and came to Canada thirty-eight years ago, twenty-eight of which have been spent in British Columbia. For fifteen years he was a member of the Provincial Police Force and eleven years of the period he occupied the position of Chief Constable at Vernon, B. C.

Mr. Simmons has an excellent all-round knowledge of police work and will leave Victoria for the interior city with his wife and family of three boys during the week-end.

**THE BARGAINS BEGIN At 8 O'clock**

See Windows Shop Early

**275 Yards of Striped Muslins and Mulls, Regular 25c Values for 19c Yard**

275 yards only of Striped Muslins and Mulls, in pink, pale blue, mauve, turquoise and green line stripes on white grounds. Exceedingly choice goods; 27 to 36 inches wide. Regular 25c. To-night, yard **19c**—Basement.

**Small Size Cretonne Bags 10c Each**

A large range of dainty Cretonne Bags, in small size, suitable for holding the ball of wool when knitting or as work bags for the small needle worker. Special to-night, each **10c**—Main Floor

**Ladies' Princess Slips Regular \$3.00 Values for \$1.49**

Princess Slips, made of heavy quality muslin with deep frill, lace trimmed and dust frill; yoke is trimmed with lace and insertion; open in front style; sizes 36 to 42. Regular values \$3.00. To-night **\$1.49**—First Floor

**500 Yards of Fine H. S. Voile and Lace Edge Curtain Scrim, Regular to 75c for 33c Yard**

500 yards of crisp new fine H. S. Ribbon Edge Voile Scrim, fine Lace Edge Voile and Marquisette, in shades of white, ivory and ecru. Styles suitable for any room in your home; 36 and 38 inches. These are less than the present mill prices. Reg. to 75c values. To-night, yard **33c**—Second Floor

**Ladies' White Chamoisette Gloves at 69c Pair**

About 50 pairs of White Chamoisette Gloves, in sizes 6 to 7 1/2. A neat fitting glove that can be easily washed. Made with two dome fasteners. Special **69c** to-night, pair **69c**—Main Floor

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162 only Ladies' White Embroidered Lawn Handkerchiefs, with hemstitched spray in corner. If you want to share in this bargain shop early. Regular 10c values. **5c** To-night, each **5c**—Main Floor

**A Big Range of Billie Burke Apron Dresses Regular \$1.50 Values for 98c**

"Billie Burke" Apron Dresses, made of heavy percale, in pink and blue shades and piped on collar, sleeves, belt and pockets; small, medium and large sizes. Regular \$1.50. To-night **98c**—First Floor

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**HOW OLD IS LONDON?**

It is surprising, when we think of the age of London and think of the Tower which William the Conqueror built, of the ancient Abbey of the Norman church of St. Bartholomew's, how many of London's most prominent buildings are less than a hundred years old and how many of them are quite recent structures.

Of all the buildings which flank Whitehall only the Horse Guards, the Banqueting Hall and the Old Admiralty existed a hundred years ago. The Government offices are all new.

Within living memory the Houses of Parliament, the Thames Embankment and all its flanking buildings, St. Thomas's Hospital, the National Gallery, South Kensington Museum, the Tate Gallery, the Law Courts, all the great hotels and even the present Mansion House have been built, whilst nearly all the banks and great piles of commercial offices in the City are new, although the thoroughfares in which they stand are very old.

A hundred years ago there was no High Holborn, no Shaftesbury Avenue, no Charing Cross Road, no Regent Street—or, at most, it was just in the making—and no Trafalgar Square, Kingsway and Aldwych are streets of yesterday.

Moreover, such great centres of population as Putney and Islington and Hampstead and Edmonton were little outlying villages quite disconnected with London, whilst West Ham and Willesden had no existence except as names, and places like Shepherd's Bush and Wormwood Scrubs might have been in the backwoods of Australia or Canada for all the importance they represented. A century ago, too, the railway stations which number about two thousand had no existence whatever.—Tit-Bits.

**BOYS, HERE'S A NEW ONE.**

Flannels (at the phone)—"Then you won't be up to-night?"

He—No, dearest; the boys at the office are giving me a necktie shower."—Boston Transcript.